

PLYMOUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

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Easter Sunday ***April 20th, 2025***

Prelude

 Choir: "Christ Arose" 109
"Because He Lives" 122

Announcements

Invocation

Scripture Reading: **LUKE 24:1-12**

Confession of Sin and Absolution

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn: "In Christ Alone" INSERT 1

 Sermon Text: **1 CORINTHIANS 15:19-26**

The Sermon: **"Second Fruits"** Pr. Ryan Kandoll

Nicene Creed

The Order of Holy Communion

The Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Lamb of God" 166

Communion Hymns: 170, Insert 2, 126, Insert 3

The Post-Communion Prayer

 Hymn: "All Blessing, Honor, Thanks & Praise" 174

The Benediction

Hymn: "On That Day" INSERT 4

Postlude



The Congregation stands

****Please turn off cell phones during the service – thank you****

ON OUR PRAYER LIST THIS WEEK (Please leave a note in the office of any additions, removals or changes)

- ❖ **For Missionaries:** Nicole & Saul Palazuelos, David & Sharon Matti, Lynton & Iona Silva, Daniel, Denisa, Luna & Mila Harcar, Phil, Cindy, Megan & Sarah Read, Trevor Rubenstein, David & Carmen Gunderson, Bill Rogers, Derek Johnson & Family, ALC Foreign Missions, Outpost Ministries.
- ❖ **MILITARY/POLICE OFFICERS**—Pray for those Serving Our Communities & Country – Jesse Maunu, John Saari, Gregg Johnson, Jason Leonard, Ryan Pelkola, Jeff Ritter, James O'Neill, Caleb Hendrickson, Ben Jenkins, Rose Stamp, Corey Anderson, Christopher Anderson, Brandon Hietala & David Soine Jr.
- ❖ **The family of:** Shirley Hendrickson (4/24), Timothy Simula (8/24), Martha Koski (10/24), Jack Hendrickson (1/25), Dale Johnson (Sharon's brother) (1/25), Jill Marin (1/25), Heidi Bergstedt (2/25), Dick Walters (Larry's brother) (2/25)
- ❖ **Dan Puumala**- Blood supply to right eye/ miraculous/ healing/ infection/ strength; healing of chronic extreme dry eye
- ❖ **Sara Graf** – Relief and healing from Crohn's Disease and hormonal imbalance
- ❖ **Pastor Charles & Leann Bergstedt** – Continued healing
- ❖ **Ed Puumala** – inactive lymphoma
- ❖ **Cheryl Puumala** –Pray for continued healing, pain control
- ❖ **Mark Fredrickson**-(Lorraine's Son-in-law) pray for physical & speech Therapy
- ❖ **Debbie Salguero**
- ❖ **Lulu Puumala**
- ❖ **Lorrie & Mike Kandoll** (Pr. Ryan's Parents) – Healing
- ❖ **Pastor & Mrs. Lee & daughter Amy** – Healing
- ❖ **Terri Bloomquist** –pray for continued healing
- ❖ **Myrna Maikkula** – Thanks be to God for cancer and the doors it has opened. PTL for healing in God's time.
- ❖ **Bev Aho** – Peace, healing & Medical Team
- ❖ **Audrey Krutzig** – healing, peace and wisdom for the Drs
- ❖ **Heidi Ritter**(Patty Olson's niece, Joe Palkola's daughter) – Breast Cancer
- ❖ **Michael Cravens** – continued healing with treatments
- ❖ **Karen Christopherson**-Dr's care & guidance in diagnoses & treatment of Autoimmune disorder
- ❖ **Evy Walters**-healing from accident
- ❖ **David Anderson**(Terri Bloomquist's brother) Praise for healing that has already occurred from major stroke, prayers for continued healing
- ❖ **Phyllis Krumholz**-praise for healing of a TIA & prayers for a good result of a thyroid biopsy
- ❖ **Elaine Bergstedt**-prayers for healing
- ❖ **Elise O'Neill**-Prayers for healing & Dr's wisdom
- ❖ **Allison Bulthuis & Esmé (11/24)**
- ❖ **Alaura & Josh Hansen**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Nicole & Saul**-healthy baby & pregnancy
- ❖ **Alisha & Addison** – Healthy pregnancy & Baby
- ❖ **Carmen & Pr. Ryan**- Healthy pregnancy & Baby
- ❖ **Pray for Pastor of the Week – Pastor Tom Lappi**
- ❖ **Sara Gende**-Our new music leader
- ❖ **Good News Club**- starting, teachers, promotion, kids to have an open heart to the gospel.
- ❖ **Pray for the USA;** Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-7)/For the Unreached People Groups/Persecuted Church (Heb 13:3), Nigerian Church, Christians in Palestine and Israel, ALC Balm of Gilead, Abortion, Sharon
- ❖ **Our Church**-Discernment on repairs and upgrades to the building; Quiet Prayer

PRAYER UPON ENTERING CHURCH

²⁴ This is the day which the LORD has made; Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Psalm 118:24

Confession of Sin:

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father

Congregation: Dear Heavenly Father, we bow before You to confess that we have sinned against You in our words, actions and our thoughts. We come to ask Your forgiveness and to seek Your great mercy. We come to You on the merits of Jesus Christ, not our own. Look not upon our sins, or our iniquity, but wash us in the blood of Jesus Christ so that we may be clean before You. This we pray in His Name, Amen.

Absolution

Pastor: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy upon us and has given His only Son to die for us. The promise of Scripture is that whoever confesses his sins to the Lord will receive forgiveness through the faithfulness and righteousness of Christ so I declare to you the forgiveness of all of your sins in the name and shed blood of Jesus. God grant that this may be the experience of us all. On the other hand, I declare to the unrepentant and unbelieving, that so long as they continue in their unrepentance, God has not forgiven their sins, and will assuredly visit their iniquities upon them, if they do not turn from their evil ways, and come to repentance and faith in Christ, before the time of grace ends

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Sinners Welcome!

We invite all baptized believers who profess faith in Jesus Christ, according to the 3 Ecumenical Creeds, to partake in the Lord's Supper. In this holy meal, we receive the true body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, for the forgiveness of sins.

If you do not share this faith or are unrepentant, we ask that you refrain from partaking in communion at this time. However, you are always welcome to come forward for a blessing. To do so simply cross your arms as a sign, and we will pray for you instead.

If you have any questions Pastor Ryan would love to talk with you!

Plymouth Lutheran Church Choir Members:

Marilyn Dahlmeier	Janis Saari
Steve Dahlmeier	Roy Saari
Frank Gende	Larry Wahala
Osiel González	Sharon Wahala
Carmen Kandoll	
Elliana Kroh	
Ify Mora	

Music Leader & Accompanist: Sara Gende

Meditation Scriptures for Next Week:

Acts 5:12-20(21-32); Psalm 148; Revelation 14-18; John 20:19-31

DATES TO REMEMBER

TODAY – Easter Sunday with Brunch following the service

Apr 21 – VBS Organizational meeting @ 6pm @ the Church

Apr 23 – Men's & Ladies Bible Study begins

Apr 23 – Wednesday Evening Bible study resumes

May 10 – Church Work Day 9am-12pm

May 18 – Semi-Annual Meeting following the service

June 25-29 – ALCA Annual Convention hosted by Zion ALC, Hancock, MI

Jul 23-27 – LBF Bible Camp at Lahti Retreat Center

Upcoming:

Coffee Serving:

Apr 20 - Easter Brunch Volunteers

Apr 27 – Volunteer

May 4 – Volunteer

May 11 – Mike & Lorrie Kandoll

Nursery Schedule:

Apr 20 – Volunteer

Apr 27 – Volunteer

May 4 – Volunteer

May 11 - Volunteer

A New Adult Sunday Bible Study starting April 27.

"Monumental Mountaintops"

All Welcome. Class is at 9:15am Sunday Mornings

Looking for nursery help during Sunday School from 9:15-10:15am
Also, looking for help on Wednesday evenings, after Easter, with nursery and/or a children's program from 6:00pm-7:30pm. More info to follow. See Pr. Ryan or Kris Walters with questions

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY STARTS APRIL 23

All women are invited to join the 11-week spring Bible Study, which starts April 23, 9:30.

Topic is: "The Image of Christ in Women" and we are using material from the women's ministry of the Association of Free Lutheran Congregations.

Contact Janis Saari to get the workbook, cost is \$3.00. We meet in the small room off of the narthex. Questions? Janis 763-639-5934



LBF is excited to announce the dates and theme of our summer 2025 camp at the Lahti Retreat Center. **The dates are July 23-27 and the theme is "Limitless," focusing on the miracles of God. The theme verse is Psalm 147:5. "Great is our Lord and mighty in power; His understanding has no limit."**

Registration is now open. To register:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdjN0f2W6bgIJ1rQmZ7nWZPGGgXa5V5jW4oecBqolyhTSByWuw/viewform>

Registration is on a "first come, first served" basis, so register early. There is no charge to register and no problem canceling your registration if needed at a later date.

For More information:

<https://sites.google.com/view/welcometolbf/information-and-registration/2025-camp-information?authuser=0>

All ages are welcome!

IN CHRIST ALONE LYRICS

Insert 1

WRITTEN BY: [KEITH GETTY](#), [STUART TOWNEND](#)

In Christ alone my hope is found,
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All,
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,
Fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones He came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied -
For every sin on Him was laid;
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain:
Then bursting forth in glorious day
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine -
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death,
This is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath,
Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home,
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

Ten Thousand Angels

Insert 2

1.They bound the hands of Jesus in the garden where He prayed;
They led Him thro' the streets in shame.
They spat upon the Savior so pure and free from sin;
They said, "Crucify Him; He's to blame."

Chorus:

He could have called ten thousand angels
To destroy the world and set Him free.
He could have called ten thousand angels,
But He died alone, for you and me.

2. Upon His precious head they placed a crown of thorns;
They laughed and said, "Behold the King!"
They struck Him and they cursed Him and mocked His holy name
All alone He suffered everything.

3. When they nailed Him to the cross, His mother stood nearby,
He said, "Woman, behold thy son!"
He cried, "I thirst for water," but they gave Him none to drink.
Then the sinful work of man was done.

4. To the howling mob He yielded; He did not for mercy cry.
The cross of shame He took alone.
And when He cried, "It's finished," He gave Himself to die;
Salvation's wondrous plan was done.

Yet Not I but Through Christ in Me-Lyrics

Insert 3

1. What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer
There is no more for heaven now to give
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace

Refrain 1

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
For my life is wholly bound to his
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

2. The night is dark but I am not forsaken
For by my side, the Saviour He will stay
I labour on in weakness and rejoicing
For in my need, His power is displayed

Refrain 2

To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me
Through the deepest valley He will lead
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

3. No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven
The future sure, the price it has been paid
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon
And He was raised to overthrow the grave

Refrain 3

To this I hold, my sin has been defeated
Jesus now and ever is my plea
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

4. With every breath I long to follow Jesus
For He has said that He will bring me home
And day by day I know He will renew me
Until I stand with joy before the throne

Refrain 4

To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus
All the glory evermore to Him
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

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When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

On That Day

Insert 4

1. I believe in Christ, risen from the dead
He now reigns victorious, His kingdom knows no end
Through His resurrection death has lost its hold
I know on that final day I'll rise as Jesus rose

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day

2. What a blessed hope, though now tired and worn
We will spend eternity around our Saviour's throne
Though we grieve our losses we grieve not in vain
For we know our crown of glory waits beyond the grave

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day

Bridge

Hallelujah what a day it will be
For at home with you my joy is complete
As I run into your arms open wide I will see
My father who is waiting for me (Repeat)

Chorus

On that day we will see you shining brighter than the sun
On that day we will know you as we lift our voice as one
Till that day we will praise you for your never-ending grace
And we will keep on singing on that glorious day (Repeat)

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SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE TODAY

Ushers:

Please Volunteer
Volunteer

Counters:

Erik and Cynthia Aho
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Brunch downstairs

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Lloyd Walters

SERVING IN GOD'S HOUSE NEXT SUNDAY

Ushers:

Please Volunteer
Volunteer

Counters:

Volunteer
Kris Walters / Volunteer

Sound Technician: Roy Saari

Coffee fellowship: Volunteer

Nursery:

Volunteer

Greeters:

Volunteer

Comm Set-up/Clean-up

Pelto's

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

TODAY (4/20) 10:30am Worship Service with Communion

11:45am Easter Brunch

WEDNESDAY(4/23) 9:30am Men's & Ladies Bible Study Resumes

6:00pm Evening Bible Study Resumes

NEXT SUNDAY (4/27) 9:15am Sunday School for All Ages

10:30am Worship Service with Communion

11:45am Coffee Fellowship

Church Office Hours for October – May

T, W, TH 10am – 2pm

