Thank you to those that donated to our Easter Garden. Plants can be picked up after today's service.

In memory of: Given by:

Cade Flower Jared & Makayla Flower family

Mom and Dad Sherry Anderson

Jere Anderson Luella Anderson

Alexandra Rose Grandma Pam

Our parents and siblings Ward & Carol Voorhees

Our parents & Brion Dalager Bob & Vicki Dalager

Our brothers. John & Diane Dosdall

Dan Dosdall & Howard Wrolson

Arley & Naomi Lyseng Deb & Dick Mahoney

Don & Marilyn Mahoney

Parents & Grandparents Solvie & Schultz families

Dewey Solvie and John Solvie

Brian Van Horn his mother, LaVonne Watson

Zona Jacobson Dale Jacobson

Our parents Dick & Suzanne Smith

In honor of: Given by:

Our church family Zoe, Mya & Zack Krosch

Bernice Erdahl Brian & Ann Erdahl family

Our extended family Carol & Ward Voorhees

Family and friends Cheryl Higgins





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ORDER OF SERVICE FOR EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20

"The last enemy to be destroyed is death," Paul writes. Today Christ is risen, and we gather together with astonishment and joy. Christ is risen, and we have been set free from the bonds of death. Christ is risen, and we are forgiven. Christ is risen, and with the women at the tomb and Peter, we are amazed. Let us rejoice: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

GATHERING

Prelude & Bell

Welcome

Opening Dialog (on screen)

Opening Hymn: "Jesus Christ is Risen Today" #365

Confession & Forgiveness pg. 94

Greeting pg. 138

Hymn of Praise "This is the Feast" pg. 140

Prayer of the Day

WORD

First Reading: Acts 10:34-43

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 Gospel Acclamation "Be Not Afraid" #388

Gospel Reading: Luke 24:1-12

Children's Message

Message

Hymn of the Day: "Christ the Lord is Risen Today, Alleluia!" #369

Prayers of the Church: God of grace, hear our prayer.

Sharing the Peace

MEAL

Offering "Let the Vineyards Be Fruitful" #184

The Great Thanksgiving pg. 144

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Communion Distribution

Communion Hymn "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice & Sing!" #385

Post Communion Prayer

SENDING

Blessing

Sending Hymn: "Thine is the Glory" #376

Dismissal

Hymns and liturgy are located in the red hymnal unless noted otherwise.

Thank you to Pastor Tim O'Shields for leading us in worship.

Thank you to Mike, Wes & Jennie Odello, Vicki Dalager, Nadine Heck and Suzanne Smith for their gifts of music.

For those of you that ordered an Easter plant(s), you may take it home after today's service.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Dick Ross, Judy Bluth, Jim Thraen, those who serve in the military, families of victims of war, natural disasters, violence, those in our nursing homes and those who are homebound.

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you to Pastor Tim O'Shields for leading us in worship today. **Church Office Closed** on Monday, April 21 for the Easter holiday.

King of Kings (Rated PG) will be playing at the Morris Theatre through Thursday, April 24. In this movie, renowned writer Charles Dickens shares the story of Jesus Christ with his son, Walter. As his father narrates the stirring tale, Walter becomes captivated with the events of the Jesus' life. All ages are encouraged to come and see this movie! Show times can be found on the theatre's website at www.morristheatre.net/blog/

Element Classes resume on Wednesday, April 23 from 6:30-8:00pm. **Newsletter Articles** for the May newsletter are due by noon on Thursday, April 24.

Sunday school meets on Sunday, April 27 at 10:00am, with the students playing bells during the 11:00am worship.

Bread 'N Bowls Monday, April 28 at Morris Elementary School Cafeteria serving from 5:30-7:00pm. Attendees are encouraged to provide a small monetary donation and in exchange they will receive a locally sourced, hearty meal in a homemade bowl they can keep. All proceeds from this event will be donated to Someplace Safe, the Prairie Renaissance Cultural Alliance, and the Stevens County Food Shelf, with a goal of raising \$1800 to be equally divided among those three.

Family Bingo! Mark your calendars for Sunday, May 18 as we celebrate the end of the Sunday school year and honor our high school graduates. Cake, coffee and Bingo for all ages! Monetary donations towards purchasing bingo prizes would be appreciated! Contact Sharon at 320.808.4500 for more info or to donate.

WORSHIP SERVANTS

SUNDAY, APRIL 20

Ushers: Dick Smith, Brian Erdahl, Jon & Micah Ulrich

Lector: Ward Voorhees Nursery: Bobbi Siegel

Communion: Liz Harris (wafers) Acolytes: Wyatt & Aaden Schultz
Communion Servers: Ward Voorhees, Millie Tschetter, Vicki Dalager
Video: Tony Feuchtenberger TV slides: Brayden Carlson

Accompanist: Jennie Odello

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

Ushers: Bob Heck, Dennis Feuchtenberger, Lindy Ekola

Lector: *Mike Odello* **Nursery**: *Jone Anderson*

Acolytes: Maddy Schneider & Abigail Anderson Video: Dave Jungst TV slides: Sarah Dougherty Accompanist: Deb Mahoney