

Calvin Presbyterian Church



Easter Sunday
April 9th, 10 am

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Prayer of Preparation

Holy God, creator of all, the risen Christ taught from Scripture of his death, resurrection, and ascension into your glorious presence. May the living Lord breathe on us his peace, that our eyes may be opened to recognize him and to follow wherever he leads, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Prelude

Linda Clugston, *organ*

Easter Greeting

Neil Trainer

ONE: Christ is risen!

ALL: He is risen indeed!

Song of Easter Praise

Calvin Choir and Congregation

Christ the Lord is Risen Today, arr. Keith Christopher

Prayer of Confession

Emily Mitchell

Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from the grave and crowned him Lord of all.

We confess that we have not bowed before him as we should or acknowledged his rule in our lives each day.

Through the resurrection of Jesus, you shattered the power of sin and death.

We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death.

Forgive us, O God of mercy, and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people.

Resurrect hope in us, that we may live in freedom.

Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord, in whose name we pray.

(Silence for personal reflection)

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, Who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.
Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
and forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Assurance of Grace

Passing the Peace

ONE: The peace of Christ be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

Doxology

Offering

Amazing Grace

Colored Handbells

Children's Message

Choral Anthem

Easter Song, Anne Herring

Calvin Choir

Scripture Presentation

John 20:1–8

Lisa Allen

Sermon

"Who Are You Looking For?"

Neil Trainer

Song of Response

Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed

Pastoral Prayer

Emily Mitchell

Song of Sending

Good Christians All, Rejoice and Sing! (#111)

Benediction

Postlude

Given by	In Memory of
Jan & Lisa Allen	Frank & Betty Ann Countryman; and Lee H. Allen
Allan & Trish Bodine	their parents, and their brother Donn
Geri Bodine	her parents, sister Jackie, grandson Spencer, and beloved husband Donn
Mike & Nancy Bowerman	their parents, Al Bowerman and Don & Pauline Crozier
Bob & Lynn Burwell	Jennie Burwell; and Marion Creed
Jan Christophersen	her husband, Ken Christophersen
Cindy Darling	her husband, Olin Darling; and her parents, Bryan & Louise McMinn
Roberta Gow	her grandmother, Nora Faust
Roberta Gow, Kathy Gow, and Becky Logan	their parents and grandparents, Bob & Mildred Krause
Connie Graebner	her father, Axel; her mother, Corinne; and her brother, Grover
Martha Hayden-Ledbetter	Bill & Lola Cohill
Martha Hayden-Ledbetter	Steve Hayden and Michael Hayden



Given by**In Memory of**

Madelyn Hofman her husband,
Rodney M. Hofman

Michael Hosterman his wife,
Barbara Farden Hosterman

Dean & Lela Jamieson their loved ones

Katy Korpi her husband, Phil Korpi

Yvonne Mettert Paul Mettert

Carol Olason..... her parents, Lawrence &
Florence Murbach

Eric & Janet Peterson their mothers, Mary and Jean

Dick & Gretchen Scheumann Winifred Johnson; and
Rod & Helen Scheumann

Lee & Brenda Simpkins their beloved family members
who have passed on

Arden & Cindy Snyder Chelsea Brianne Snyder

Polly & Greg Terman Harold & Leila Free

Donna Timbrook..... Don & Jeannine Carmichael

Laurel Underwood her parents,
James & Ethel Underwood

The Weschlers..... Emilie Felice Ros



The News in Brief

High Noon Western Tea

// Saturday, April 22nd, 12 noon

The Ladies' Tea is back! On Saturday, April 22nd, Calvin Church is hosting a High Noon Western Tea. Enjoy finger sandwiches and treats while watching Debbie Demitre's one-woman show on Calamity Jane and Annie Oakley. These two women made history as sharpshooters in the Old West. Come and learn more about these remarkable women — but don't forget to wear your boots and hats!

The Church Directory is (almost) here!

// Expected back from the printers by Sunday, April 23

We're delighted to report that the new church directory is off to the printers. It will be available by Sunday, April 23. You can pick up a copy that Sunday or stop by the church office during the following week. We will make a PDF copy available on request (but it's a huge file because of all the photos!) — just let [Kirsty](#) know if you'd like an electronic copy. There's a limit of two printed directories per household. Donations to underwrite printing costs are welcome but not required.



Happy Birthday!

Roechama Weschler	April 09	Eliott Afrane.....	April 16
Joe Janacek.....	April 10	Jamie Froebe.....	April 16
Cindy Snyder	April 10	Nate Brown	April 17
Bernice Kent	April 13	Susan Durr	April 19
Mike Marinella	April 13	Bella Dean	April 20
Dennis Ostgard.....	April 13	Emilie Jackson	April 20
Nancy Bowerman	April 14	Krista Novstrup.....	April 20
Edna Bulaong	April 14	Alison Neubauer	April 21
Bob Lord	April 14	Jenny Cross.....	April 22
CJ Park.....	April 14	Darlene Miller.....	April 22