# **Calvin Presbyterian Church**





#### **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** "Christ Arose" — *Robert Lowry* Jonna Reeder, *piano* 

**Introit** "The Day of Resurrection" — *Patricia Coda* 12-Bell Ensemble

#### **Easter Greeting and Welcome**

Neil Trainer

One: Christ is risen!

All: He is risen indeed!

The Easter Story

Luke 24:1-7 NLT

Linda Erickson

#### **Song of Easter Praise**

**Easter Choir & Congregation** 

Christ the Lord is Risen Today #113, vv. 1-4

# **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 or acknowledged his rule in our lives.

We have gone along with the way of the world and failed to give him glory.

Forgive us and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, following the way of the Lord Jesus Christ, in whose name we continue to silently pray.

(silence for personal prayer and 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

**Benediction** 

Children's Message Emily Mitchell

Offering Jesus Paid It All 12-Bell Ensemble

My Jesus, I Love Thee

Scripture Presentation Luke 24:13–35 NIV Linda Erickson

**Choral Anthem** All Creatures of Our God and King Easter Choir

**Sermon** "Finding Jesus" — Luke 24:36–48 Neil Trainer

**Song of Response** In Christ Alone Easter Choir & Congregation

Pastoral Prayer Emily Mitchell

**Song of Sending** Easter Choir & Congregation

Alleluia, Alleluia, Hearts To Heaven

#### Allelulu, Allelulu, Hearts 10 Hear



# Easter Flowers 31 March 2024

Given by	In Memory of
	eir parents, Frank & Betty Ann Countryman, and Lee Allen; and Lisa's brothers, Philip and Stuart Countryman
Allan & Trish Bodinethe	eir parents, and their brother Donn
Mike & Nancy Bowermanthe	eir parents, Al Bowerman, and Don & Pauline Crozier
George & Gail Bowermanthe	eir beloved family members who have passed on
Bob & Lynn BurwellJer	nnie Burwell and Marion Creed
Jan Christophersenher	r husband, Ken Christophersen
Wayne & Linda ClugstonLir	nda's sister, Pauline Trepus
	r husband, Olin Darling, and her parents, Bryan & Louise McMinn
Connie Graebnerher	r father, Axel, her mother, Corinne, and her brother, Grover
Judie HagenCo	lonel Gary Hagen
Martha Hayden-LedbetterSte and Michael Hayden	eve Hayden
	l & Lola Cohill; Emmett Drumheller; and Lisa Wieder
Tim & Mickey JuliusArt	t, Irene, Jordie, Jim, and Joyce
John & Kat LangenheimWi	lliam Langenheim, and Fred & Betty Sinnes

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The Logan Family .....their loving mother and grandmother,
Roberta Gow

David J. McGrady .....his wife, Katharine W. McKee

Yvonne Mettert .....her husband, Paul Mettert

Donna Miller-Parker .....her mother, Doris Miller

Eric & Janet Peterson .....their parents,

Bruce & Jean Maines, and Don & Mary Peterson

Dick & Gretchen Scheumann .....Rod & Helen Scheumann

Debby Smith.....her nephews, brothers Song, Aaron, and Olen Nash; and her parents, Bob & Marguerite Smith

Arden & Cindy Snyder ......Chelsea Brianne Snyder

Jenny Strock ......her parents, Ed & Irma Lundin; and her husband. Jim Strock

Greg & Polly Terman ......Hal & Leila Free

Donna Timbrook.....her parents, Don & Jeannine Carmichael

Hank & Yoko Weaver......Carrie Engelbrecht; and Art & Lucy Weaver

The Weschlers.....Emilie Felice Ros and Robert Aanon Frivold

Jan Wilkins .....her husband, Warren Wilkins

Ron & Marilyn Wirtz .....Geri Johns

Sharon & Doug Wuerl.....Sharon's mother, Eunice Yasukawa

Given by In Honor of

Greg & Polly Terman ......Dick & Phyllis Terman

# The News in Brief

# **Messy Church is This Wednesday**

// Join us April 3rd from 5:30 to 7 pm in the Activity Center

This worshiping community is open to all; feel free to invite your neighbors, coworkers, relatives, and friends of all ages. Here is what you can expect: a personal welcome; a relaxed, 'messy' time to explore a biblical theme through creative activities; a short celebration time involving story, prayer, and songs; and a sit-down shared meal.

## **Congregational News**

Marilyn Snow passed away peacefully around midnight on March 26 at the age of 97 years old; she had been a member of Calvin Presbyterian Church since 2014. Let us give thanks for Marilyn's long life — a life she lived faithfully in Christ — and let us pray for all of us who are grieving this loss. May the peace of Christ guard our hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of our Living God.

Marilyn's memorial service is scheduled to take place at Calvin on Saturday, April 27th, at 2 pm in the Sanctuary.

"Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives.

Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid." — John 14:27



# **Happy Birthday!**

Carol Olason	April 01
Paula Gregersen	April 04
Les Minning	April 04
Anni Korpi	April 05
Leah Yemane	April 05
Roechama Weschler	April 09
Joe Janacek	April 10
Cindy Snyder	April 10
Bernice Kent	April 13
Mike Marinella	April 13
Dennis Ostgard	April 13



# Upcoming Events

Easter Monday office closed April 01
Messy Church, 5:30 pmApril o3
First Fruits Collection
collecting boxes of macaroni &
cheese and 15-oz. cans of Chef
Boyardee dinnersApril 07
Sunday Forum, 11:30 am April 14
Square Dancing!April 20
Messy Middle Park Clean-up April 27
Snow Memorial Svc., 2 pm., April 27