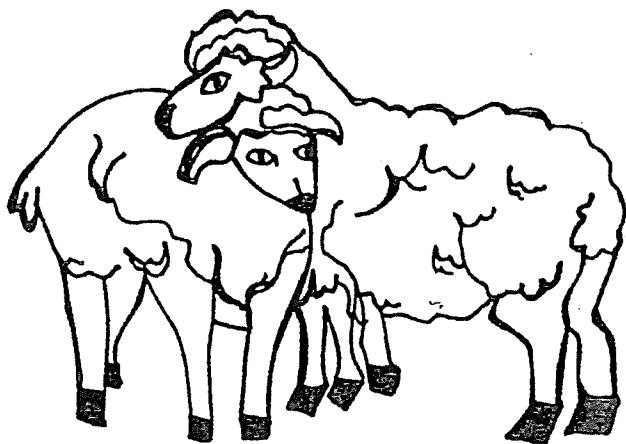


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***Fourth Sunday Of Easter  
April 21, 2024***

***Worship Times 8 & 10:30 am  
Sunday School 9:15 am***

## **Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude:** Variations on “Winchester New”

*arr. Williams*

### **Call To Worship: Majesty**

Majesty, worship his majesty, unto Jesus be all glory,  
honor and praise

Majesty, kingdom authority, flow from his throne,  
unto his own, his anthem raise

So exalt, lift up on high, the name of Jesus

Magnify, come glorify, Christ Jesus the King

Majesty, worship his majesty, Jesus who died,  
now glorified, King of all Kings

### **Confession and Forgiveness**

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, the wellspring of grace, our  
Easter and our joy.

**C: Amen.**

P: Trusting in God’s mercy, let us confess our sin.

*Silent is kept for reflection*

P: Holy One, source of our renewal,

**C: we confess that we are wrapped up in sin, and cannot free  
ourselves. We have not practiced your righteousness. Our  
hearts have turned away from you. For the sake of the world  
you so love, forgive us, that we may be reconciled to one  
another for the glory of your holy name.**

**Amen.**

P: Thus says our God: “The former things have come to pass and new  
things I now declare.” God’s mercy makes us new. We are forgiven  
in the name of Christ our Savior.

**C: Amen.**

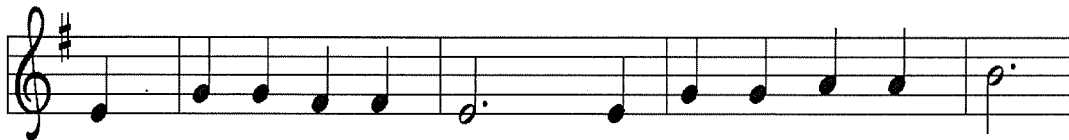
***Hymn 385 Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing!***

### **Greeting**

P: The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, the love of  
Christ that guards our hearts and minds, and the joy and consolation  
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

# Kyrie



- 1 Have mer - cy on us, Lord, and hear our sol - emn prayer.
- 2 Have mer - cy on us, Christ, and wash a - way our sin.
- 3 Have mer - cy on us, Lord; make sin and shame de - part.



We come to hear your liv - ing word; it saves us from de - spair.  
Pour out your grace and make us whole that new life may be - gin.  
Re - new us with your sav - ing pow'r; cre - ate in us new hearts!

# Come, Let Us Join



- 1 Come, let us join our cheer - ful songs with an - gels round the throne;
- 2 "Wor - thy the Lamb that died," they cry, "to be ex - alt - ed thus!"
- 3 Je - sus is wor - thy to re - ceive hon - or and pow'r di - vine;
- 4 Let all cre - a - tion join in one to bless the sa - cred name



ten thou - sand thou - sand are their tongues, but all their joys are one.  
"Wor - thy the Lamb," our lips re - ply, "for he was slain for us!"  
and bless - ings, more than we can give, be, Lord, for - ev - er thine.  
of God who sits up - on the throne, and to a - dore the Lamb.

## Prayer of the Day

P: Let us Pray. O Lord Christ, good shepherd of the sheep,

**C: you seek the lost and guide us into your fold. Feed us, and we shall be satisfied; heal us, and we shall be whole. Make us one with you, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.**

**Amen**

## Choir Anthem: Hallelujah (see page 15)

*Easter Lyrics*

*Soloist: Krista Stauffer; Guitarist: Randy Hilderman*

*by Cohen*

*by Mooney*

## First Lesson: Acts 4:5-12

<sup>5</sup>The next day [the] rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, <sup>6</sup>with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. <sup>7</sup>When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, "By what power or by what name did you do this?" <sup>8</sup>Then Peter, filled with the Holy Spirit, said to them, "Rulers of the people and elders, if we are questioned today because of a good deed done to someone who was sick and are asked how this man has been healed, <sup>10</sup>let it be known to all of you, and to all the people of Israel, that this man is standing before you in good health by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom you crucified, whom God raised from the dead. <sup>11</sup>This Jesus is the stone that was rejected by you, the builders; it has become the cornerstone.' <sup>12</sup>There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved."

## Psalm 23 (*congregation reads the even verses*)

<sup>1</sup>The LORD is my shepherd;

I shall not be in want.

<sup>2</sup>**The LORD makes me lie down in green pastures  
and leads me beside still waters.**

<sup>3</sup>You restore my soul, O LORD,  
and guide me along right pathways for your name's sake.

<sup>4</sup>**Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall  
fear no evil; for you are with me; your rod and your staff,  
they comfort me.**

<sup>5</sup>You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;  
you anoint my head with oil, and my cup is running over.

<sup>6</sup>**Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my  
life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.**

## Second Lesson: John 3:16-24

<sup>16</sup>We know love by this, that [Jesus Christ] laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. <sup>17</sup>How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? <sup>18</sup>Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. <sup>19</sup>And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him <sup>20</sup>whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. <sup>21</sup>Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; <sup>22</sup>and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him. <sup>23</sup>And this is his commandment, that we should believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ and love one another, just as he has commanded us. <sup>24</sup>All who obey his commandments abide in him, and he abides in them. And by this we know that he abides in us, by the Spirit that he has given us.

## Gospel Acclamation



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord and Sav - ior: o - pen now your sav - ing word.



Let it burn like fire with - in us; speak un - til our hearts are stirred.



Al - le-lu - ia! Lord, we sing for the good news that you bring.

## Gospel Text: John 10:11-18

[Jesus said:] <sup>11</sup>"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. <sup>12</sup>The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. <sup>13</sup>The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. <sup>14</sup>I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, <sup>15</sup>just as

the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup>I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. <sup>17</sup>For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. <sup>18</sup>No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father."

P: The Gospel of our Lord

C: Thanks be to God

Children's Sermon

Sermon: "Lessons in Shepherding"

*Hymn 376 Thine is the Glory*

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We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.  
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven;  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary, and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.  
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen

## THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

P: God of grace,  
C: hear our prayer.

## SHARING THE PEACE

The Offering: Chorale from Sonata VI

*by Mendelssohn*

### Let The Vineyards




Let the vine - yards be fruit - ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our  
cup of bless - ing. Gath - er a har - vest from the  
seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life.  
Gath - er the hopes and the dreams of all; u - nite them with the  
prayers we of - fer now. Grace our ta - ble with your  
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.

### Offertory Prayer

P: Risen One,

C: you call us to believe and bear fruit. May the gifts that we offer here be signs of your abiding love. Form us to be your witnesses in the world, through Jesus Christ, our true vine.  
Amen.


## The Great Thanksgiving



**P** The Lord be with you. **C** And al - so with you.



**P** Lift up your hearts. **C** We lift them to the Lord.



**P** Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.




**C** It is right to give him thanks and praise.

**P:** It is indeed right and salutary that we should at all times and in all places offer thanks and praise to you, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everliving God. But chiefly we are bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of our Lord; for he is the true Passover Lamb who gave himself to take away our sin, who by his death has destroyed death, and by his rising has brought us to eternal life. And so, with Mary Magdalene and Peter and all the witnesses of the resurrection, with earth and sea and all their creatures, and with angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

## Holy, Holy, Holy



**C** Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might:



Heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na. Ho - san - na.



Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who



comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



P: Blessed are you, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him should not perish, but have eternal life. We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as he comes to us in his holy supper.

**C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.**

P: In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me. Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

P: Let us join together in praying our traditional 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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 and ever. Amen**

### O Lamb of God

☞ Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the world; have  
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the  
world; have mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
sin of the world; grant us peace.

## **Distribution of Communion**

Communion Hymns: 502, 512, 515

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen**

## **Post Communion Prayer**

P: Shepherding God,

**C: you have prepared a table before us and nourished us with your love. Send us forth from this banquet to proclaim your goodness and share the abundant mercy of Jesus, our redeemer and friend. Amen**

## **Blessing**

P: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

**C: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

P: The God of resurrection power, the Christ of unending joy, and the Spirit of Easter hope bless you now and always.

**C: Amen.**

## ***Hymn 536 God Be With You Till We Meet Again***

## **Dismissal**

P: Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.

**C: Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**

**Postlude:** A Joyous Song of Praise

by *Lasky*

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***WELCOME*** to the worship of the people of God who are Faith Lutheran Church. May you feel the presence of the Lord in our midst and hear His Word spoken to your heart. For more information contact us at [faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com](mailto:faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com) or check out our website at [FLCMTV.org](http://FLCMTV.org). Our mission at Faith Church is **To Know And Share God's Love.**

***IF*** you are a ***GUEST***, you are invited to fill in our guest book in the narthex with your name, and contact information, so we may give you a cordial welcome, and an invitation to return to worship

with us soon. If you have children, please check out our Children's Activity Center in the narthex hallway. Changing table is in Room 207 upstairs. Contact an usher if you need assistance.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is being celebrated today. The invitation to commune is extended to all Christians who are seeking to follow Jesus in their lives. We have glasses of white grape juice available for those who request it. Just ask the communion assistant as they come to you. Come join us as our brothers and sisters as we gather as God's family at His table. Infants and children may be brought to the altar for a blessing by the Pastor. Communion recipients are asked to give the communion cards to an usher when coming forward. This is the only record we have of those communing. Visitors are asked to give their home church on the reverse side of the card so we can forward notification of your communion with us.

**FLOWERS** on the alter are given by **Pam Wolfe** to the glory of God and in loving memory of Carl & Barbara Wolfe with all our love from your children and grandchildren.

#### SPECIAL THANKS

We want to thank Krista Stauffer and Randy Hilderman for sharing their talents with us today as soloist and guitarist. Krista is Dave and Becky Keck's youngest daughter and Randy is Becky's brother.

#### PERSONAL CARE KITS

Update on the Personal Care Kits. We now have:

Nail Clippers,	have 117	still need 13
Tooth Brushes,	have 139	<b>Complete</b>
Wide Tooth Combs,	have 24	still need 106
Soap	have 96	still need 164
Towels	have 38	still need 92

For April we are collecting towels, dark in color and no bigger than 27 x 52 inches. Donations can be put in the beautiful box in the Narthex. Thank you for all you have given. Contact Martha Denman with any questions.

#### SPECIAL THANKS

A Big Thank you to all who came, sent cards and helped us celebrate our 50th Wedding Anniversary! A special thanks to Jackie, JoDell and Dan Nagy! It meant a lot to have you all with us!  
Blessings, Stan and Jill

### GREAT NEWS: FIRST FRIDAYS

Faith Lutheran will be having a booth at the First Fridays this summer to reach out to the community regarding our Church and the many things that we offer. We will be located in front of the Edward Jones office, 126 South Main. We are going to need volunteers for each of the monthly Fridays, so please sign-up on the sheet on the bulletin board to offer your services.

### ELCA SPRING GATHERING

All women of the church are cordially invited to attend the annual Central Ohio Conference Spring Gathering! The Gathering will be held at the Peace Lutheran Church, 455 Clark State Road, Gahanna, OH 43230 on Sunday, May 5th with registration at 1:30 pm and the program starting at 2:00 pm. There will be a “in-Kind Gifts” collection of gift cards from Lowes or Home Depot for repairs and building supplies for the tornado victims in Logan County, Ohio. These cards can be given to Jenny Grinstead. (See page 14)

### LENTEN SPECIAL GIVING

We are pleased to announce that we will be able to give the Mount Vernon Police Chaplain’s Association **\$1,202** from our Lenten Giving Fund. Thanks to all.

### HYMN SUGGESTION BOX

We have a “Little Church” box in the narthex for your hymn suggestions for this summer. Here is your opportunity to suggest your favorite hymns to be sung during this time. Please submit your suggestions by May 12th.

### MISSION ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE

The Mission Endowment Committee reported that 19 proposals were submitted exceeding our available dollar amount by about \$2,200. The congregation will be asked to vote on these proposals on May 19 at both worship services. Then the committee will meet on May 20th to allocate funds per the vote results. The checks will be distributed on Sunday, May 26th. A summary of the various proposals is included.

**FAITH EVENTS**

**740-393-3666 email: [faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com](mailto:faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com)**

**740-393-2729 (fax) Website: [FLCMTV.org](http://FLCMTV.org)**

**CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF APRIL 21 - 27, 2024**

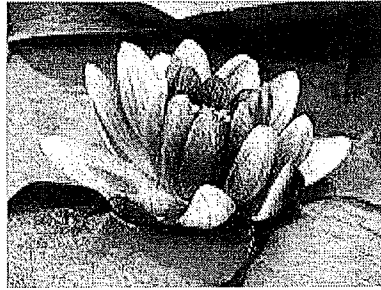
Today:	8 & 10:30 am	Worship/Holy Communion
	9:15 am	Sunday School
	4:00 pm	Bell Choir
		<b>Faithlines Deadline</b>
Mon	7:30 pm	AA
Tues:	6:30 pm	Stitching Hour
Thurs	9:00 am	TOPS
	7:30 pm	Choir

PLEASE PRAY FOR: MEMBERS: Vicki Blubaugh, Carley Cammuse, Martha Denman, Tom Dice, Doralee Freseman, Ken & Holly Fischer, Janice Frye, Larry Gruber, Arlene Hall, Jim Harder, Eileen Hartman, Mary Hatton, Paul Hothem, Laurel Johnson, Ann Jurkowitz, Art & Corrine Lund, Becky Matulich, Judy Mustaine, Kathy Noblit, Art Schad, Fran Smyser, Peg Snow, Mary Ann Stull, Marge Veith, Tom Wilford.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY: Linda, Kody (Boo), Marie, Bev Berger, Devin Boyer, Nora Burke & family, Purell Butts, Kathy & Larry Daubensteck, Andy Dice, Donna Diebolt, Eric Driscoll, Aaron Everhard, Kayla Gadd, Linda Galyon, Walter Gunther, Lon Hamby, Alan & Debbie Harder & Family, Chriss Harris, Carol Iler, Susan Jeffery, John Jones, Rick, Marv & Rob Keck, Dean & Marilyn Kempton, Debra Kempton, Jim Legros, Greg Maxwell, Scott Mickley, Julie & Brian Ramsey, Bruce Renne, Beth & Jan Rice, Sam Robert, Mona Russell and Heather & Danielle, Karen Scott, Wayne Snyder, Micah Stauffer, Martha Stuller, Paul Van Order, Adam Wilford, Abbey Turner Williams, Patrick Williams, Karen Zedeker, Ziva, and all others on our hearts and minds.

PRAYER SHAWL RECIPIENTS: Marv Keck, Rich Stanley, Greg Maxwell, Jan & Beth Rice, Lewie Main, Richard Sleeman, Rick Keaton, Alan & Leeann McCarty, Ann Moseley, Rob Keck, Ken Fischer, Jean Mackey, Jack Frysinger, Dianne Williams, Jake Berger, Jesse McLeod, Rick Buck, Steve Frye, Chester Gingerich, Kim, Abbey Turner Williams, Bev Berger, Vicki Golden, Jeff Williams, Renee Dubler, Rendall Shira, Grace Maxwell, Jim Minnich., Devin Boyer, Deborah Starkey

Please pray for those in the military: Peter Crawford, Darrick Cunningham, Jacob Durbin, Kain Foglesong, Jason Healey, Nathaniel Maglott, Cruz Parker, Seth Shannon



You are Cordially Invited to attend the annual  
Central Ohio Conference **Spring Gathering !**

WHO: **ALL** the Women of the ELCA  
in the Central Ohio Area

WHAT: **Spring Gathering of Lutheran Women**

WHEN: **Sunday, May 5, 2024**  
Registration – 1:30 p.m.  
Program – 2:00 p.m.

WHERE: **Peace Lutheran Church**  
455 Clark State Road  
Gahanna, OH 43230

WHY: **Fellowship, Speakers, Singing & Refreshments**  
**Updates** from the COC Board & SOS Board

Guest Speaker: **Mary Miller** – Music, Humor & Inspiration!

We will be collecting a “Free-Will Offering” for **Lutheran Social Services (LSS)** in Columbus, Ohio

We will also be collecting “In-Kind Gifts” of **Gift Cards** from **Lowes or Home Depot** for Repairs & Building Supplies for the **Tornado Victims** in Logan County, Ohio.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact:

**Janet Dixon:** 614-475-2772 [dixon201@earthlink.net](mailto:dixon201@earthlink.net)

**Nancy Labuhn:** 614-315-4771 [nlabuhn@yahoo.com](mailto:nlabuhn@yahoo.com)

## CHOIR ANTHEM

**Hallelujah** by Cohen  
*Easter Lyrics* by Mooney

*A crown of thorns placed on his head  
He knew that He would soon be dead,  
He said "Did you forget me, Father did you?  
They nailed Him to a wooden cross  
soon all the world would feel the loss,  
Of Christ the King before us Hallelujah.  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah  
He hung His head and prepared to die  
then lifted His face up to the sky,  
Said "I am coming home now, Father to you."  
A reed which held His final sip was gently lifted to His lips,  
He drank His last and gave His soul to Glory.*

*Hallelujah*

*The soldier who had used his sword  
to pierce the body of our Lord,  
Said truly this was Jesus Christ our Savior  
he looked with fear upon his sword,  
Then turned to face his Christ the Lord fell to his knees crying*

*Hallelujah.*

*Hallelujah*

*Took from His head the thorny crown  
and wrapped Him in a linen gown,  
Then layed Him down to rest  
inside the tomb the holes in His hands, His feet, His side  
Now in our hearts we know He died to save us from ourselves, Oh*

*Hallelujah*

*Hallelujah*

*Three days went by, again they came  
to move the stone to bless the slain,  
With oil and spice anointing Hallelujah  
But as they went to move the stone  
they saw that they were not alone  
For Jesus Christ has Risen, Hallelujah  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah.*

## SERVING OUR LORD TODAY

	<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>10:30</u>
Ushers	Rick & Patty Keaton	Steve & Polly Norberg
Readers	Peg Snow	Holly Fischer
Comm. Asst.	Melissa Dexter	Ann Dice
Acolyte	Will Melick	Stephen Volz
Altar Guild - Martha Denman		
Communion Committee - Cheryl Johnson & Kathy Noblit		
Tellers - Dave Keck & John Hoffman		

## SERVING OUR LORD NEXT SUNDAY

	<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>10:30 am</u>
Ushers	Will Melick Bob Van Horn	Jenny Grinstead Cheryl Johnson
Readers	Betty McDonald	Ann Dice
Acolyte	Bette Mishey	Karen Greever
Altar Guild - Martha Denman		
Tellers - Dave Keck & John Hoffman		

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

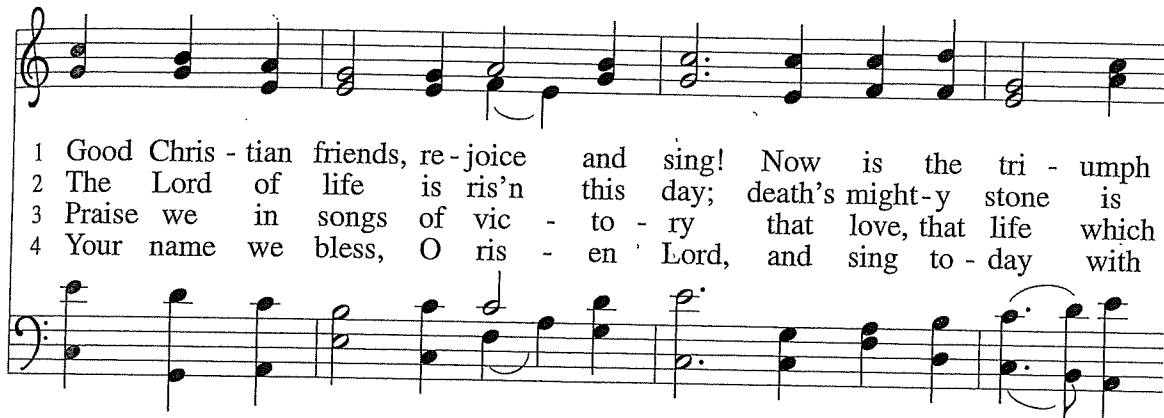
The Knox Network of Christian Ministries is partnering with WNZR and Revive OHIO Knox County to bring prayer to our community. We hope to see Christians from churches across the county gathering to share prayers for our families, community, and country. WNZR will host pre-recorded prayers each hour at half past the hour throughout the day on May 2nd. If you are willing to share a prayer with us, please call Alyssa Sidle at 740-392-9090 to setup a time for you to visit the WNZR studios and record your prayer.. The Mount Vernon public square has been reserved for prayer from Noon to 1:00 pm on May 2nd as well. Please feel free to participate in this brief time of prayer.

## CPR CERTIFICATION

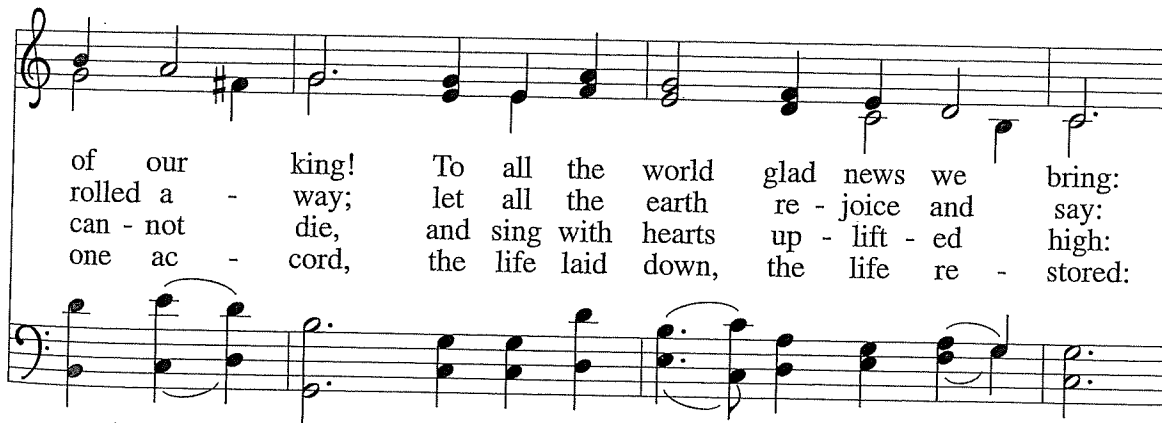
Council would like to have a list of anyone who is certified in CPR, or is a nurse, or in other health care fields to help in case an emergency would arise. Please send an email to the church office at: [faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com](mailto:faithlutheranmtvernon@gmail.com) with this your information if you are in one of these categories. Then we will keep this information in the AED box should we ever need the assistance of these folks. Thanks for your help.



# Good Christian Friends, Rejoice and Sing! 385



1 Good Chris - tian friends, re - joice and sing! Now is the tri - umph  
 2 The Lord of life is ris'n this day; death's might - y stone is  
 3 Praise we in songs of vic - to - ry that love, that life which  
 4 Your name we bless, O ris - en Lord, and sing to - day with



of our king! To all the world glad news we bring:  
 rolled a - way; let all the earth re - joice and say:  
 can - not die, and sing with hearts up - lift - ed high:  
 one ac - cord, the life laid down, the life re - stored:



Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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## Thine Is the Glory

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1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring Son; end - less is the  
 2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb! Lov - ing - ly he  
 3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with-

vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment  
 greets thee, scat - ters fear and gloom; let his church with glad - ness  
 out thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than con - qu'rors,

rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave - clothes  
 hymns of tri - umph sing, for the Lord now liv - eth;  
 through thy death - less love; bring us safe through Jor - dan

*Refrain*

where thy bod - y lay.  
 death hath lost its sting! Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con - qu'ring  
 to thy home a - bove.

Son; end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

## God Be with You Till We Meet Again

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1 God be with you till we meet a - gain; by good coun-sels guide, up - hold you,  
 2 God be with you till we meet a - gain; ho - ly wings se - cure - ly hide you,  
 3 God be with you till we meet a - gain; when life's per - ils thick con-found you,

with a shep-herd's care en - fold you;  
 dai - ly man - na still pro-vide you; God be with you till we meet a - gain.  
 put un-fail - ing arms a - round you;

*Refrain*

Till we meet, till we meet, till we  
 till we meet, till we meet a - gain,

meet at Je - sus' feet; till we meet, till we  
 till we meet, till we meet, till we

meet, God be with you till we meet a - gain.  
 meet a - gain,

Text: Jeremiah E. Rankin, 1828-1904  
 Music: William G. Tomer, 1833-1896

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<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Description</b>
<b>HopeNow Furniture Bank</b>	<b>Furniture bank for Knox Co families in need</b>
<b>New Directions</b>	<b>Domestic Violence Shelter</b>
<b>Stone Garden</b>	<b>Upkeep &amp; tree replacement, etc</b>
<b>Operation Christmas Child</b>	<b>Gift filled shoeboxes for children around the world</b>
<b>Stone Garden Chapel</b>	<b>Maintenance &amp; Upkeep</b>
<b>PreSchool Bibles</b>	<b>Provide Bibles for Pre Schoolers</b>
<b>Summer lunch program through Central Christian Church</b>	<b>Helping kids who lack enough food during summer months. 150-200 served monthly</b>
<b>Praisestock 2024</b>	<b>Day of community worship at Ariel Park</b>
<b>Navajo Lutheran Mission</b>	<b>Education, health and worship needs of Navajo in Arizona</b>
<b>FLC Preschool</b>	<b>Small gifts to Preschoolers</b>
<b>Lions Club of Mt. Vernon</b>	<b>Eyeglasses and exams for people in need</b>
<b>Hot Meals through Gay Street United Methodist Church</b>	<b>Free hot meals to anyone hungry</b>
<b>Over The Rhine Learning Center-Cincinnati</b>	<b>Education and remediation for poorer residents in Cincinnati</b>
<b>Salvation Army Feeding Programs</b>	<b>Pantry needs and after school program</b>
<b>FWELCA Personal care kits</b>	<b>Toiletry kits for those in need</b>
<b>Lutheran World Relief</b>	<b>Provide assistance globally to people hurt by emergencies, natural disasters, etc</b>
<b>Electric Outdoor Church Sign</b>	<b>Inviting others to our congregation</b>
<b>Starting Point</b>	<b>Non-profit pregnancy resource center</b>
<b>Lazarus Life Ministries</b>	<b>Christ centered addiction ministry</b>