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*“Was it not necessary
that the Christ should
suffer these things and
enter into his glory?”*

-Luke 24:26



Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church is a traditional Lutheran Church, faithful to God’s Word and His Sacraments. We equip God’s people to serve, love, and encourage one another as we grow in our personal relationship with Christ. We reach out to the community as beacons of light, sharing the love of God in Christ Jesus, our Savior.

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
April 23, 2023

The Risen Lord Jesus Is with Us in Holy Baptism and in 'the Breaking of the Bread'

From "before the foundation of the world" until heaven and earth pass away, "the word of the Lord remains forever" (1 Peter 1:20, 25). This "living and abiding word of God" is the preaching of Christ Jesus, namely that God "raised him from the dead and gave him glory" (1 Peter 1:21, 23). By this living word, we "have been born again" to eternal life (1 Peter 1:23) and ransomed from our sinful and mortal life "with the precious blood of Christ" (1 Peter 1:18-19). This living word also calls us to repentance, to dying and rising in Holy Baptism "in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins" (Acts 2:38). In this, we receive the Holy Spirit "for you and for your children and for all who are far off" (Acts 2:39). Through the preaching of His cross and resurrection, Jesus draws near to bring us "into his glory" (Luke 24:26). As He opens the Scriptures, He opens our minds to comprehend "the things concerning himself" (Luke 24:27), and He brings us to know Him "in the breaking of the bread" (Luke 24:35).

PLEASE NOTE - Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church offers assisted listening devices for our members and guests this morning. If you would like to use one, please speak with an usher.

Guest Book: If you are a visitor, welcome! Please sign our guest book on the cabinet below the tract display in the entryway. Thank you!

SERVING AMONG US TODAY

Guest Preacher: Rev. Tim Pulls

The Elder: John Lee

The Ushers: Ed Hohnstein, Bob Kramp

The Organist: LeEtta Luce

Altar Guild: Trina & Lisa

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If you are unable to, or have trouble standing, please feel free to remain seated at the times we stand.

GREETINGS

OPENING HYMN “Now All the Vault of Heaven Resounds” LSB #465

RITE OF HOLY BAPTISM

This morning we celebrate the baptism of Tobias and Madeline House.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

(Please stand)

INTROIT - Ps. 133; antiphon: Ps. 133:1



Behold, how good and pleas- | ant it is*
when brothers dwell in | unity!
It is like the precious oil on the head, running down on the beard, on the
beard of | Aaron,*
running down on the collar | of his robes!
It is like the dew of Hermon, which falls on the mountains of | Zion!*
For there the LORD has commanded the blessing, life for- | evermore.
Glory be to the Father and | to the Son*
and to the Holy | Spirit;
as it was in the be- | ginning,*
is now, and will be forever. | Amen.
Behold, how good and pleas- | ant it is*
when brothers dwell in | unity!

(Please stand)

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COLLECT OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray . . . O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of

everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(Please be seated)

FIRST READING: Acts 2:14, 36-41

¹⁴But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and addressed them, “Men of Judea and all who dwell in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words.

³⁶Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.”

³⁷Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, “Brothers, what shall we do?” ³⁸And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

³⁹For the promise is for you and for your children and for all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.” ⁴⁰And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” ⁴¹So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls.

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

GRADUAL - adapt. from Matt. 28:7; Heb. 2:7; Ps. 8:6



Christ has risen | from the dead.*

**[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and | honor,
He has given him dominion over the works | of his hands;*
he has put all things un- | der his feet.**

EPISTLE: 1 Peter 1:17-25

¹⁷And if you call on him as Father who judges impartially according to each one’s deeds, conduct yourselves with fear throughout the time of your exile, ¹⁸knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, ¹⁹but with the

precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot. ²⁰He was foreknown before the foundation of the world but was made manifest in the last times for your sake, ²¹who through him are believers in God, who raised him from the dead and gave him glory, so that your faith and hope are in God.

²²Having purified your souls by your obedience to the truth for a sincere brotherly love, love one another earnestly from a pure heart, ²³since you have been born again, not of perishable seed but of imperishable, through the living and abiding word of God; ²⁴for

“All flesh is like grass
and all its glory like the flower of grass.

The grass withers,
and the flower falls,

²⁵but the word of the Lord remains forever.”

And this word is the good news that was preached to you.

A: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Please stand)

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HOLY GOSPEL: Luke 24:13-35

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the 24th chapter.

C: Glory to You, O Lord.

¹³That very day two of them were going to a village named Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem, ¹⁴and they were talking with each other about all these things that had happened. ¹⁵While they were talking and discussing together, Jesus himself drew near and went with them. ¹⁶But their eyes were kept from recognizing him. ¹⁷And he said to them, “What is this conversation that you are holding with each other as you walk?” And they stood still, looking sad. ¹⁸Then one of them, named Cleopas, answered him, “Are you the only visitor to Jerusalem who does not know the things that have happened there in these days?” ¹⁹And he said to them, “What things?” And they said to him, “Concerning Jesus of Nazareth, a man who was a prophet mighty in deed and word before God and all the people, ²⁰and how our chief priests and rulers delivered him up to be condemned to death, and crucified him. ²¹But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel. Yes, and besides all this, it is now

the third day since these things happened. ²²Moreover, some women of our company amazed us. They were at the tomb early in the morning, ²³and when they did not find his body, they came back saying that they had even seen a vision of angels, who said that he was alive. ²⁴Some of those who were with us went to the tomb and found it just as the women had said, but him they did not see.” ²⁵And he said to them, “O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken! ²⁶Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory?” ²⁷And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.

²⁸So they drew near to the village to which they were going. He acted as if he were going farther, ²⁹but they urged him strongly, saying, “Stay with us, for it is toward evening and the day is now far spent.” So he went in to stay with them. ³⁰When he was at table with them, he took the bread and blessed and broke it and gave it to them. ³¹And their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. And he vanished from their sight. ³²They said to each other, “Did not our hearts burn within us while he talked to us on the road, while he opened to us the Scriptures?” ³³And they rose that same hour and returned to Jerusalem. And they found the eleven and those who were with them gathered together, ³⁴saying, “The Lord has risen indeed, and has appeared to Simon!” ³⁵Then they told what had happened on the road, and how he was known to them in the breaking of the bread.

P: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

(Please be seated)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

SERMON HYMN “Christ Has Arisen, Alleluia” LSB #466

SERMONRev. Tim Pulls

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(Please stand)

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

P: Lord, in Your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer

(Please be seated)

OFFERING

(Please stand)

OFFERTORY page 159

SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT

This morning we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord’s Supper. As it can be received to one’s spiritual blessing or to one’s spiritual harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord’s Table must be approached with sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That’s why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord’s Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with Pastor Schuldheisz or the Elder of the Day before the service.

(If unable to kneel, please remain standing. If you take the individual cup please wait for the pastor with the common cup to say, “Take, drink,” before drinking.)

(Please stand)

ORDER OF HOLY COMMUNIONpage 160

(Please be seated)

DISTRIBUTION HYMNS LSB #'s 623, 480, 630, 484

(Please stand)

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CLOSING HYMN“Jesus Lives! The Victory's Won” LSB #490

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THE WEEK OF APRIL 23, 2023	
SUNDAY	9:30 a.m. - D.S. I 10:45 a.m. - Adult Bible Study & Children's Sunday School
MONDAY	
TUESDAY	10:00 a.m. - Women's Bible Study 12:30 p.m. - Bell Practice
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	Office Closed
SATURDAY	11:00 a.m. - Memorial for Moki Kaahui
UPCOMING EVENTS	4/30 Voters' Meeting 5/7 Lunch at Ranchitos 5/11 & 17 Sewing @ 9:30am 5/20 Girls Afternoon Out

OFFERING AND ATTENDANCE FOR: April 16, 2023	
OFFERING: \$	ATTENDANCE CHURCH SERVICE: 101
SPECIAL: \$	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:
PRESCHOOL: \$	YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL:
SUNDAY SCHOOL: \$2.00	
TOTAL DEPOSIT: \$	

ELDER ASSIGNMENTS	
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Ron Schill (253-293-8176)	Allison - Davis
Brien Lindstrom (206-300-8955)	DeLaPaz - Hunsberger
Matt Perkovich (253-840-1863)	Ireland - Lund
John Lee (253-653-0388)	Lundin - Riveness
David Vetter (253-240-7289)	Roland - Young

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY - JOIN US!

- **Women's Bible Study** - Join us on Tuesdays at 10:00am!
- **Men's Bible Study** - First Saturday of the month, 8-9am in the fellowship hall. We will be studying Proverbs.
- **Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class** - Will be led by Rev. Tim Pulls.

CONGREGATIONAL

- **Handbells** have started back up, and we would love to have you join us! Practices are on Tuesdays at 12:30pm. Talk to LeEtta Luce if you have any questions.
- Our annual **budget Voters' Meeting** will be held next Sunday after Bible Study.
- For anyone that ordered a **History Book**, they will be available to pick it up on Sunday April 30th after service. The cost of the book is \$20.00 and if you didn't order one, there will be books available to purchase. (Terry & Linda Howard)
- **VBS 2023 "Rainforest Explorers"** will be held the Week of July 10 - 14th. **Volunteers** are needed in all areas. Please **Sign-up** over the **Drinking Fountain** for the area you would like to help in. **Questions?** Please contact **Trina Foremen** or **Linda Howard**.
- **Message from Sandy Schulz:** Our landline has been disconnected, please use our cell phone numbers to reach us: 253-720-6393 John 253-720-6391 Sandy.

STEWARDSHIP

- **Message from Andy on the Stewardship Committee:** Thanks to your generosity, during Lent I delivered three carloads of peanut butter to the Nourish Food Bank. Because of you our neighbors will be less hungry. Bless you all.

PRESCHOOL

- The preschool has a **part-time position** available for a teacher in our 3-year-old class for the 2023-24 school year. If interested, please contact **Kathy Heddlesten** or **Natasha Schuldheisz**.

FELLOWSHIP

- We will be going to out to lunch at **Ranchito Mexican restaurant** in Milton on **May 7th** following the bible study hour. Everyone is welcome to come.
- **Ladies**, please mark your calendar for **Saturday May 20th at 12:00**. All ladies at **Beautiful Savior** are invited to **Cheryl Diekmann's house** for lunch. Quiche will be provided by the Board of Fellowship, but please **sign-up to bring something additional to share**.

LWML

- The **April Mite total** was **\$137.67**. Praise God and thank you for sharing your Mites for the **Mission Ministry of the LWML**.

LUTHERAN RESOURCES

- **LUKE BIBLE STUDY...** The Word of the Lord Endures Forever is a daily 15-minute verse-by-verse Bible study produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Will Weedon. Pastor Weedon is leading a study this week in **Luke 22** on **The Institution of the Lord's Supper, Who Is the Greatest?, Jesus Foretells Peter's Denial,**

Scripture Must Be Fulfilled in Jesus, Jesus Prays in the Mount of Olives and The Betrayal & Arrest of Jesus. You can listen at your convenience at thewordendures.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

- **Thoughts on Witness & Outreach** - Luke 24:13-35: Once again, today, we celebrate the blessings of Easter with one another, focusing on Jesus' resurrection appearances. Did you notice that none of the resurrection appearances were marked by dramatic settings? Jesus was mistaken for a gardener. He showed up on a dusty road. He walked along the shoreline watching His disciples' fish. We notice the common, every day sights and sounds of Jesus' appearances and the ordinary routines which He blessed with His abiding presence. The resurrected Jesus comes to us in Word and Sacrament, ordinary means, and He appears to us at mealtimes, in fun times, amid our work and in the face of our worries. He comes to people of faith and to those plagued by doubt and worry. Did you miss Christ's presence with you today? Ask the Holy Spirit to give you the eyes to see Jesus' abiding presence on your talk of life today, and then celebrate it, but also boldly share this truth with others. Jesus is alive! He is present with and for you. And He is alive for the world around you.
- **Thoughts on Stewardship** - John 10:16 - "And I have other sheep that are not of this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice." The sheep know the Shepherd's voice and delight to go where he leads. Of course, the world, the devil and our own sinful flesh want to pull us in another direction. But following the Shepherd means life, and following anyone else means death. So, no matter how difficult the path, let us follow Him!

IN OUR PRAYERS

CANCER

- **Leniece R.** (L. Howard cousin) - cancer has returned after 13 years, now in the spine
- **Shanna Davis** (Young) - battling cancer
- **Brett Nirider** (Schuldheisz) - recently diagnosed with B-cell lymphoma, and will be starting treatment soon
- **Connie P.** (Hunsberger) - radiation completed and awaiting results
- **Doug Pariseau** (Duncan) - battling brain cancer
- **Tim Kachmarek** (D. Tiefel nephew) - radiation appears to be working as he is able to eat more solids; new chemo drugs being administered in slower doses
- **Joe Kelly** (K. Kramp brother-in-law) - recent cancer diagnosis
- **Jim Christensen** (member) - undergoing treatment for bladder cancer
- **Mike Ramsey** (brother of C. Ramsey) - diagnosis of pancreatic cancer, which has spread to other organs
- **Keela** (M. Gulbranson) - recent breast cancer diagnosis
- **David Pittelko** (M. Mantey uncle) - undergoing chemo treatment for pancreatic cancer
- **Angela Firman** (Jannsen) - stage 4 breast cancer
- **Naomi Gratz** (L. Howard cousin) - done with chemo treatment and is in remission
- **Ron Schill** (member) - prostate cancer

- **Chuck Lundin** (member) - melanoma continues to metastasize, but treatments no longer an option
- **Bishop Bielec** (Boyer son-in-law) - is home and continuing treatment for infections and lymphoma leukemia
- **Don Schill** (R. Schill brother) - diagnosed with bladder cancer
- **John Bratek** (M. McNally brother) - diagnosed with liver cancer

SICK & HEALING

- **Graham Nalder** (I. Feller) - hospitalized with seizures at a few weeks old, and awaiting a diagnosis
- **Shantel Toomoth** (M. House) - healing from ankle surgery
- **Dolores** (K. Gulbranson mom) - recovering from a fractured pelvis
- **Lucas** (E. Augustine brother) - recovering from a stroke in the hospital
- **Bill Ellis** (R. Anderson brother) - hip surgery recovery and prostate cancer

BEREAVEMENT

- **Family of Cherie Blake** (S. Young Aunt) - as they mourn her passing on 4/1
- **Family & Friends of Moki Kaahui** (member) - as they mourn her passing on 3/22

THANKSGIVING & PRAISE

- **Lee Howard** (member) - latest biopsies were all negative of cancer

SHUT-IN MEMBERS

Joy Longé
Carol Myers

Marilyn Bauer
Judy Rittierodt

Ken Giese

MEN & WOMEN SERVING OUR COUNTRY

US ARMY

- **Daniel Duncan**
- **Gerad Nelson** (Lee) Special Forces
- **Jimmy Soto** (De La Paz)
- **Ryan Struss**
- **Conor Curry**
- **Sean Sobus** (Smith)
- **Douglas Smith**, SSG
- **Aaron Spratt**

US MARINES

- **Chaplain Mario Ancira**, Lt.

US AIR FORCE

- **Curtis Sinewe**, Pilot
- **Michael Broch**, Major (Hunsberger)
- **Kirsten Villalpando** (Schill)
- **Alex Villalpando** (Schill)
- **David Brumbaugh**, 1st Lt.
- **Robert Paz**, Col. (DeLaPaz)
- **Casi Soto** (DeLaPaz)
- **Sean Wilson**, Captain (member)

US NAVY

- **Logan Tiefel** (member)
- **Alex Klein** (Schill)

Lunch at Ranchitos

MAY 7th

If you are planning on coming, please jot down your name and how many people will be in your party on the sign-up sheet in the hall.

After
Bible
Study &
Sunday
school

