

## This Week at St. Timothy April 1, 2024

Sunday 3/31	Community Sunrise Service @ The Church on The Bayou Easter Worship Services <i>Resurrection Breakfast Celebration</i>	6:45AM  8:30 & 11AM <i>9:30 AM-- 10:45AM</i>
Monday 4/1	Office Closed Young Adult Bible Study	7:00PM
Tuesday 4/2		
Wednesday 4/3	Staff Meeting Centering Prayer (Zoom) Confirmation Co-Op Bible Study	9:30AM Noon 5:30PM 7:00PM
Thursday 4/4	Men In Mission Bible Study Sarah's Tent Pastor Curt Bible Study Praise Team Rehearsal	7:00AM 10:30AM 12:30PM 6:30PM
Friday 4/5	Office Closed Al-Anon	8:00PM
Saturday 4/6	Worship Service	5:00PM
Sunday 4/7	Worship Service  Grace Café <i>Joyful Service</i>	8:30AM & 11AM 9:30AM <i>10:00AM</i>

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***We Worship our God, Host and Head  
of Our Church Jesus Christ***

### **WELCOME TO WORSHIP!**

The Disciples of St. Timothy Lutheran Church extend a special welcome to our guests and invite you to share with us in our ministry, our mission, our fellowship and our growth! If you are a visitor, please notice the Welcome cards in the pews. Please fill out the back of the card and place in the offering plate or give to an usher.

### **FOR THOSE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

Please speak with the ushers if you have any special needs. Specialized hearing devices are available upon request. Holy Communion will be shared in the pew upon request if you are unable to go to the altar area.

### **NURSERY & RESTROOMS**

If you are in need of nursery facilities, please ask an usher (parental supervision required). All restrooms are located in the atrium area.

## HOLY COMMUNION

You may come forward during this time to receive Holy Communion (at direction of the ushers) if you are baptized and believe that Jesus Christ, our Savior, is truly present in the bread and wine you are about to receive. You may receive Communion by receiving the wafer (gluten free upon request) in your hand and receiving an individual cup of wine (or grape juice). If someone in your family has not yet received communion and would like to, please contact the pastor. May God bless us with forgiveness, strength and love as we share in this special moment with our Lord!

**PRELUDE**            **Risen Today**                            **Choir**

## INVOCATION

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God,  
the wellspring of grace,  
our Easter and our joy. **Amen.**

Look, here is water!

**Here is our water of life! Alleluia!**

## THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

### ENTRANCE HYMN

**Jesus Christ Is Risen Today**                            **ELW 365**

## GREETING

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

**Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

**HYMN OF PRAISE**                            **Hallelujah Chorus**

*Please Stand*



***Resumes April 4th @ 12:30 pm***

**The weekly scriptures are studied to prepare us for worship the upcoming Sunday. Bring your questions, curiosity and an open heart to come and take a deeper look at the scriptures of our weekly lectionary.**

***IN PERSON OR ON ZOOM!***

Scripture  
Readings

**Week of April 1, 2024**

Mon. Psalm 118:1-2,  
14-24

Genesis 1:1-9

1 Corinthians 15:35-49

Tues. Psalm 118:1-2,  
14-24

Genesis 1:20—2:4a

1 Corinthians 15:50-58

Wed. Psalm 118:1-2,  
14-24

Song of Solomon 3:1-11

Mark 16:1-8

Thurs. Psalm 133

Daniel 1:1-21

Acts 2:42-47

Fri. Psalm 133

Daniel 2:1-23

Acts 4:23-31

Sat. Psalm 133

Daniel 2:24-49

John 12:44-50



**PRAISE TEAM 6:30 p.m.**  
**REHEARSAL**  
**THURSDAY APRIL 4th**  
**BELL 4:30 p.m.**  
**CHOIR 5:30 p.m.**  
**RESUMES APRIL 11TH**

*What a wonderful way to serve our Lord,  
 by singing Him praises!*



**STEWARDSHIP**  
*Managing God's Gifts To Us*

**As we work o create light for others,  
 we naturally light our own way.**

*Mary Anne Radmacher—writer, artist*



The Lord be with you.  
 And also with you.

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**FIRST READING: Acts 10:34–43**

**PSALM Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24**

**SECOND READING 1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION**  
**Be Not Afraid ELW 388**

**GOSPEL Mark 16:1-8**

The Gospel of the Lord  
 Praise to you, O Christ.

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

**HYMN OF THE DAY**  
**I Know That My redeemer Lives ELW 619**

**SERMON**

**APOSTLE'S CREED**

## THE PRAYERS

Rejoicing that Jesus is risen and love has triumphed over fear, let us pray for the church, the world, and all those in need of good news.

### *A brief silence.*

Holy God, we pray for the body of Christ, the church. Where the church is persecuted, protect it. Where the church is privileged, grant it humility. Where the church is fractured, heal it. Guide us all to embody Christ's love in the world. God of grace,

### *hear our prayer.*

Life-giving God, we pray for the earth, your good creation. Join our prayers with branches lifted in praise and roaring waters of new life, that together we may proclaim Easter hope. God of grace,

### *hear our prayer.*

Merciful God, we pray for all peoples and nations. Free oppressed communities from occupation, exploitation, and abuse. Teach leaders your way of justice. Empower peacemakers and all who work to end violence and strife. God of grace,

### *hear our prayer.*

Liberating God, we pray for people everywhere who long for good news. Roll away the stones that keep people from living with dignity and wholeness. Breathe new life and hope into people struggling to make it through each day. God of grace,

### *hear our prayer.*

Loving God, we pray for this community of faith (name/s may be spoken here) and for your Spirit in our midst. Feed us at your Easter table and fill us with your wisdom, that we may serve and care for others. God of grace,

### *hear our prayer.*

4 *Here other intercessions may be offered.*



The communion wine and  
eternal light  
is given to the Glory of God

## ***Carnation Cross***

### ***Were given by***

*Nancy Judge*

*Carole Weaver*

*John & Laurie*

*Zakrewski*

*Jan Causey*

*Marian & Allan Lear*

*Suzanne Farren*

*Mike & Sherrie Mauzy*

*Carol & Sue Sawotka*

*Karen Whitmore*

*Monica DuQuette*

*Karen Ensmenger*

### ***In Memory of***

*Joe Judge*

*Sam Anderson*

*Loved Ones*

*Paul Durand*

*Parents &*

*Grandparents*

*Loved Ones*

*Don Farren*

*Becky Mauzy*

*Ken "Gilly"*

*Sawotka*

*My Grandma*

*Edna M. Harper*

*Michael Whitmore*

*Dennis M. Ruddy*

*Ruth & Daniel*

*Ensmenger*

Eternal God, we remember those who have gone before us in death (especially John Donne and all whose ministry in the arts inspired generations to faith). Renew our trust in your promises, that we live with joyful courage and compassion. God of grace,

***hear our prayer.***

Into your hands, most merciful God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your abiding love; through Jesus Christ, our resurrected and living Lord.

**Amen.**

### **SHARING OF THE PEACE**

The peace of the risen Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

### **GIFTS OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**SPECIAL MUSIC Our Savior Lives**

**CHOIR**

**OFFERTORY**

**O the Joy**

**(on screen)**

### **OFFERING PRAYER**

**Risen One,**

**you call 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.**

**INVITATION SONG O the Joy**

**(on screen)**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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**INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

The risen Christ is made known to us  
in the breaking of the bread.  
Come and eat at God's table.

**LAMB OF GOD**      **O the Joy**      *(on screen)*

**COMMUNION HYMNS**

**Thine Is the Glory**      **Hymn 376**  
**Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing**      **Hymn 389**  
**The Day of Resurrection!**      **Hymn 361**

**HYMN AFTER COMMUNION**

**O the Joy**      *(on screen)*

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**Shepherding God,**  
**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**

Alleluia! Christ is risen!  
**Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**  
The God of resurrection power,  
The Christ of unending joy,  
and the Spirit of Easter hope  
✠ bless you now and always. **Amen.**

**SENDING HYMN**

**Christ Is Risen! Alleluia!**      **Hymn 382**



*Easter Lilies*

*Were given by*  
*Bob & Nancy McAleer*  
*Lynn Heitman*  
|  
*David & Linda Dyer*  
*Kelly McAdams*  
  
*Pastor Curt & Laura*  
*Snare*  
  
*Violet Rupnaraine*  
*Esther Kontos*  
*Jan Causey*  
  
*Lynn Heitman*

*In Honor of*  
*Peg McAleer*  
*Lorraine Heitman*  
*mother*  
*God's Many Blessings*  
*All of our resident*  
*animals at CMA*  
*Noah, Joshua, Micah*  
*Snare for their*  
*Faith in Christ Jesus*  
*Our Blessings*  
*My parents*  
*Tully & Katharine*  
*Annie & Jared*  
*Steve Johnson birthday*

*Easter Lilies*

<i>Were given by</i>	<i>In Memory of</i>
<i>Carol Doornbos</i>	<i>Loved Ones</i>
<i>Mitzi Hunter</i>	<i>Lyle Hunter</i>
<i>Claire Smith</i>	<i>Loved Ones</i>
<i>Kelly McAdams</i>	<i>Carl Constable</i> <i>grandfather</i>
<i>Larry &amp; Carolyn Gilliam</i>	<i>Loved Ones</i>
<i>George &amp; Donna Ellis</i>	<i>Cole, Parker, Beauden</i> <i>grandchildren</i>
<i>Timmy &amp; Michael Forth</i>	<i>Our Loved Ones</i>
<i>Pastor Curt &amp; Laura</i>	<i>Bob &amp; Marybeth</i> <i>McIntyre</i> <i>Buck Snare</i>
<i>Michelle Stevens</i>	<i>Sonja Weddle</i> <i>Baby Stevens</i>
<i>Simone Schuster</i>	<i>Lisa Cortez</i>
<i>Jerald Lear</i>	<i>In memory</i>
<i>Joe &amp; Chris Sproule</i>	<i>Gary, Kinner, Michael,</i> <i>Seamus Sproule</i>
<i>Katie Palmer</i>	<i>Harry Palmer</i> <i>Dottie Riggs</i>

**DISMISSAL**


Alleluia! Go in peace. Rejoice and be glad.  
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

**POSTLUDE**



	<p><i>Trust in him at all times, O people; Pour out your hearts to him, for God is our refuge.</i> <i>Psalm 62:8</i></p>
<p>All that are displaced from their homes All our guests that come to Sarah's Tent Anne Bob McAleer Cindy Wallace Derek Diane Allwardt</p>	<p>Kerrie Haskins Michael Valentino Milt Kontos Norman Haskins Nova Grace Rhada Hartmann Sara Rooney Tom Hill Werner Steiner</p>





*Easter Lilies*

*Were given by*

*In Memory of*

*Dave & Sandie Liebau  
Jan & Steve Moore*

*Loved Ones  
Harry & Ginny  
Moore  
Brian Moore  
Bill & Carol Hunter  
Ken "Gilly" Sawotka  
Ruth & Daniel  
Ensmenger*

*Sue & Carol Sawotka  
Karen Ensmenger*

*Mike & Sherrie Mauzy  
Lynn Heitman  
Carl & Lorrie*

*Becky Mauzy  
Bill Heitman father  
Jordan McMickle  
Mom & Dad Kenn  
Rev Howard &  
Audrey Allwardt*

*Tim & Diane Allwardt*

*Lee & Ginny Cubley*

*Rob & Elaine Espie  
Beloved family  
Beloved friends  
Robert F. Ruddy  
Jim & Ruth Geiger  
Loved Ones*

*Monica Duquette  
Geiger Family  
Carole Weaver*



*Easter Lilies*

*Were given by*

*In Memory of*

*Pete & Mary Mcaulay  
John & Carol Gornick*

*Our parents  
Steven Gornick  
our son*

*Fred Kamps*

*Diane Kamps  
Arlene Ebert  
Val Kamps*

*Sharon Kammers  
Laurie & John  
Zakrzewski*

*Olive & Aurel  
Laquidara parents  
Doris Moore  
beloved friend  
John, Wanda, Thomas  
Jim, Arris*

*Milt Kontos*

*Mr & Mrs Kontos*

*Clara, Esther, Laura  
Bud & Joanne O'Rourke  
My Grandma*

*Karen Whitmore*

*Edna M. Harper  
Michael Whitmore*

*Carl & Yvonne Bey  
Paul & Lisa Hartge*

*Matt Bey  
Our Loved Ones*