

## Announcements

**The Bible “Book of the Month” Club meets Tuesdays from 12:30-2:00 on Zoom.**

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84022384056?pwd=WTRYZGg4UEJZcVF4WnA0d29aQnJKUT09>

Meeting ID: 840 2238 4056 THEN Passcode: 509260

**Join Pastor Ron for prayer 10:00 am Wednesday morning** by Zoom. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82573054936>

Meeting ID: 825 7305 4936 (No Passcode)

**Lent & Easter Food Bank Challenge:** Our final total raised for the Food Bank was \$710! Thanks to all for your generosity!

**Join in worship with the 7 ELCIC Saskatoon Churches! Sundays being hosted are as follows:**

May 9<sup>th</sup> – Zion

June 13<sup>th</sup> – Redeemer

Links and service times will be circulated closer to these dates.

Our first on-line PACE Session is planned for Sunday, May 2 at 9:15 am. Join by visiting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86383397266?pwd=aEgxb3Z5RnFpYm1hYjlycG11eWxGQT09>

Meeting ID: 863 8339 7266 THEN Passcode: 209625

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OFFICE HOURS: Mon – Fri 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

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YouTube: search Zion Lutheran Church, Saskatoon



**In Our Prayers:** Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Martin, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Wally Cubbon, Cecelia Jurgens, Vibes Paulsen, Neil Taylor, Vi Stalwick, Dale Stalwick, Gloria Hamp, Lena & her family, Adam, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Brenda Smith, Robert Reid, Slind Family, Lisa Jockims family and friends, Jack Magnell and family, Thor Kliev, Charles Hedlin, Gordon Knudsen, Ivar Moen

Welcome

**Confession & Absolution**

**Praise Songs:** “Lord I Need You”, “Gentle Shepherd”

**Prayer of the Day:** O Lord Christ, good shepherd of the sheep, 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 wit the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

**Children’s Message**

**First Lesson:** Acts 4:5-12

**Psalm 23**

**Second Lesson:** 1 John 3:16-24

**Gospel:** John 10:11-18

**Homily**

**Sermon Response:** “The King of Love my Shepherd Is”

**Nicene Creed**

**Prayers of Intercession**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**Communion:** “What Kind of Love is This?”

**Blessings & Announcements**

**Sending Song:** “Our God Reigns”

## Scriptures:

### **Acts 4:5-12**

The next day their rulers, elders, and scribes assembled in Jerusalem, with Annas the high priest, Caiaphas, John, and Alexander, and all who were of the high-priestly family. When they had made the prisoners stand in their midst, they inquired, ‘By what power or by what name did you do this?’ 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, 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. This Jesus is “the stone that was rejected by you, the builders;

it has become the cornerstone.” There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved.’

### **1 John 3:16-24**

We know love by this, that he laid down his life for us—and we ought to lay down our lives for one another. 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?

Little children, let us love, not in word or speech, but in truth and action. And by this we will know that we are from the truth and will reassure our hearts before him whenever our hearts condemn us; for God is greater than our hearts, and he knows everything. Beloved, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have boldness before God; and we receive from him whatever we ask, because we obey his commandments and do what pleases him.

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. 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.

### **John 10:11-18**

‘I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. 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. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. 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. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. 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.’



**Fourth Sunday of Easter**  
**April 25, 2021**  
**10:30 am Worship Service**