# **Announcements**

**WAYS TO GIVE AT ZION** – did you know there are many ways to give financially to Zion? Along with your offering envelope with cheque or cash inside, there are other ways to give at Zion. We accept e-transfer (sent to zion.office@sasktel.net – it is set up for auto-deposit) and we can set up monthly withdrawals from your bank account. You can also donate to Zion through canadahelps.ca.

## **SOCIAL OUTREACH UPDATE:**

Thanks again for all the donations. We delivered some quilts to Prairie Harm Reduction, the safe injection site in Saskatoon. They were very thankful and when we asked about anything else they might need, they told us they can always use shoes. We would like to encourage anyone with "gently used" footwear they no longer need to please bring to church and leave in our basket in the narthex. Thank you in advance for your support.

In Our Prayers: Derwin Hall, Andrea Nostbakken, Nandari Swamy, Martin, Weldeyesus family, Mallory Jess, Cecelia Jurgens, Betty McManus, Aaron Froese, Glenn Wood, Borgny Lokken, Samhara & Saraq, Thor Kliev, Ivar Moen, Don Peterson, Louise Dahlen, Mary Kamineski, Linda and Steven, Mark Cubbon, Jennifer Finstad, Bereket and family, Illa Knudsen, Alice Olson, Paul Nostbakken, Gloria Hamp

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

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**Sunday In-Person Worship** – In-Person worship is welcome! Worship will continue to stream online weekly at 10:30 am.



#### ORDER OF SERVICE – SETTING 3

#### **GATHERING**

Prelude: "Anima Christe" – Philip Moore

Invocation & Welcome Confession & Absolution

Gathering Song: "Come, You Faithful, Raise the Strain" – ELW #363

Kyrie – ELW pg. 138

Hymn of Praise – ELW pg. 140

Prayer of the Day: (see front of bulletin)

**WORD** 

Children's Message

First Lesson: Acts 5:27-32

Psalm 118:14-29

**Second Lesson: Revelation 1:4-8**Gospel Acclamation – ELW pg. 142

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Homily

Hymn of the Day: "Alleluia! Jesus is Risen!" - ELW #377

**Apostles' Creed** 

Prayers of Intercession

MEAL

The Peace

Offering: "Christ Has Risen While Earth Slumbers" – ACS #938 (vs. 1 & 2)

Great Thanksgiving – ELW pg. 144

Holy, Holy – ELW pg. 144

The Lord's Prayer (contemporary version)

Lamb of God – ELW pg. 146

Communion: "One Bread, One Body" – ELW #496; "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" – ELW #857;

"Come, All You People" – ELW #819

**Communion Blessing** 

**SENDING** 

Benediction

Sending Song: "Rise, O Church, like Christ Arisen"
- ELW #548

Dismissal: P: Alleluia! Christ is risen.

C: Christ is risen indeed. Alleluia!

P: Go in peace. Tell what God has done.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude: "Christ lag in Todesbanden" – J.S. Bach

# **Scriptures:**

# Acts 5:27-32

When they had brought them, they had them stand before the council. The high priest questioned them, saying, 'We gave you strict orders not to teach in this name, yet here you have filled Jerusalem with your teaching and you are determined to bring this man's blood on us.' But Peter and the apostles answered, 'We must obey God rather than any human authority. The God of our ancestors raised up Jesus, whom you had killed by hanging him on a tree. God exalted him at his right hand as Leader and Saviour, so that he might give repentance to Israel and forgiveness of sins. And we are witnesses to these things, and so is the Holy Spirit whom God has given to those who obey him.'

### Revelation 1:4-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

'I am the Alpha and the Omega', says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

# John 20:19-31

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

# Second Sunday of Easter April 24, 2022 10:30 am Evangelical Lutheran Worship

Prayer of the Day: O God of life, you reach out to us amid our fears with the wounded hands of your risen Son. By your Spirits breath, revive our faith in your mercy, and strengthen us to be the body of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

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