**Announcements**

**Meetings & Events**

Sunday, April 10th Confirmation 10:30am

Tuesday, April 12th Trustees 7pm

Thursday, April 14th Maundy Thursday 7pm

Friday, April 15th Good Friday at Norwalk 7pm

**ATTENDANCE SHEETS**

 Please remember to fill out the attendance sheet you will find in your bulletin and leave it on the pew when you leave today. The elders will collect them after the service.

**STEWARDSHIP CORNER**

**Luke 22:11 – “Tell the master of the house, ‘The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?’ ”** Did Jesus really *need* this man’s Upper Room? If the man had refused to let Jesus use it, would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this room! It is the same with us. The Lord needs none of us, but what an honor it is for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.

**NEW PORTALS OF PRAYER**

 The next quarter (April – June) of Portals of Prayer are in the narthex by the door. Please help yourself to the size that works best for you.

**EASTER BREAKFAST HELPERS**

 SWAT is once again going to host an Easter Breakfast for us at 9:00am on Easter Sunday. To accomplish this meal, many volunteers are needed. We need tables and chairs set on Saturday, April 9th for the Confirmation luncheon which will be left in place for Easter Breakfast. We will need people to prepare food, serve food, and clean-up following the Easter Breakfast. If you can help with any of these tasks, please sign-up on the sheets by the church entrance.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS STILL NEEDED**

 We could use a few more Sunday School teachers and helpers for the months of April and May. We are already in April today. If you would like to volunteer, please let Pastor Sherry or Jessica know.

**SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY**

 We will continue a new bible study on Sunday mornings after worship entitled *“Song of Solomon – Love Is Strong as Death”*. Please join us for this look at the way in which God loves us and how we should view love and marriage.

**THE PASSION OF THE CHRIST TOMORROW NIGHT**

 In cooperation with Trinity Arcadia and Redeemer Lutheran of Interlochen, we are offering free tickets to the movie *“The Passion of the Christ”* which will be shown at the Garden Theater in Frankfort TOMORROW, April 11th at 7:00pm. This is an “R” rated movie due to the violence portrayed in both the scourging of Christ by Roman soldiers and the crucifixion when Christ is nailed to the cross. You may get your free tickets in the church office.

**LUTHERAN ADULT GATHERING**

 Registration is now open for the Lutheran Adult Gathering on Mackinac Island, Friday, October 14th to Sunday, October 16th. The theme of the gathering is “In His Presence Throughout All Generations”. You can check out the events over the whole weekend and get further details at www.michigandistrict.org/lag22.

**Lenten & Holy Week Services**

April 10th Palm Sunday & Confirmation w/Communion 10:30am

April 14th Maundy Thursday Service w/Communion 7pm

April 15th Good Friday Service at Norwalk 7pm

April 17th Easter Sunday Worship w/Communion 10:30am

**SERVING THIS MONTH**

**Greeters:** Cathy Baker & Diane Hanson

**Altar Guild:** Bev LeSarge

**SERVING TODAY SERVING NEXT WEEK 4/17/2022**

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry **Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Sherry

**Elder:** Steve Myers **Elder:** Steve Myers

**Accomp:** William Bankstahl **Accomp:** William Bankstahl

**Acolyte:** **Acolyte:** Anna Bradford

**Reader:** Diane Hanson **Reader:** Kathy Schoedel

**ATTENDANCE**: 4/3/2022

WORSHIP: 73 BIBLE STUDY: 0

**FIRST FRUITS TRACKER WEEK ENDING:** 4/3/2022

Offering Receipts: $1,959.00 YTD Budget Receipts: $45,600.75

Weekly Budget Needs: $2,755.42 YTD Budget Needs: $38,575.88



**Special Prayers**

Nellie Blakley Joan Malmgren Barbara Potter

McAnn Bradford Lynda Byrd Meister Marge Reckow

Mike Ennis Pam Monroe Steve Schimke

Jeanne Firman Jim Poellet Cecil Somsel

Steve Fredericks Shirley Poellet Karen Voigt

Janet Kline John Porter Sheldon Voigt

For the confirmands – Aleah Blackmore, Anna Bradford, & Aubry LeSarge

For the 90th Birthday of Bob Hilliard today

**Prayers for Our Military**

**Andrew Burch**, **Jr**., grandson of John & Loree Sprawka.

**Mark Granzotto** with U.S. Navy in Bahrain, grandson of Rita Merkey

**Carol Sprawka,** daughter-in-law of John & Loree Sprawka

**Derek Sprawka,** grandson of John & Loree Sprawka

**Alyssa & Trevor Eisenlohr** siblings both with the U.S. Navy, friends of Janette & Fred May

**Ian Nelson,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Tyge Nelson & family,** nephew of Jack and Pebbla Nelson

**Capt. Tim Brandt** at Madigan Medical Center, Fort Lewis, WA, son of Bruce & Debbie Brandt

***If you wish to add someone’s name, please call or e-mail the church office.***