

# Christ Is Risen! He Is Risen Indeed!

## NEWSLETTER

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Thoughts From The Pastor -- April / May 2016 A.D.

Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

During the month of April and the first half of May, we are in the Easter season of the church calendar. The resurrection of Jesus Christ from death to life is **“good news of great joy”** that is too wonderful to celebrate only on one Sunday! So, we in the Christian Church have chosen to zero in on Jesus’ rising from the dead to cover a little more than the 40 days that Jesus showed Himself to be alive to His disciples before He ascended into heaven.

Our first readings during the Easter season are not from the Old Testament as usual. Rather, they are readings from the Acts of the Apostles. Each reading speaks about Jesus’ resurrection and how that affected thousands of people -- many for their salvation as the Holy Spirit, working through the Word of God, brought them to saving faith in the crucified and risen Jesus Christ.

As people today continue to hear the good news of Jesus Christ’s death and resurrection, the Holy Spirit continues to bring **“those who are to be saved”** to faith in Jesus as their personal Lord and Savior. By God’s grace, this includes us who believe in Jesus Christ as the Savior of all people.

In the question and answer section of **Luther’s Small Catechism with Explanation** which deals with the Lord’s Prayer, we learn that the word **“amen”** means **“so shall it be”**. When we use **“amen”** at the end of a prayer, we use it to show our hearty approval of what was in our petitions.

That’s another way of thinking about the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead. God the heavenly Father has whole heartily approved of what His Son, Christ the Lord, has done for the redemption of all people through Christ’s perfect life, innocent suffering, and death on the cross. Easter is God’s loud and victorious **“Amen”** to all that Jesus did!!!

To the news that **“Christ is risen”**, may our joyful response be: **“He is risen indeed. Amen!!!”**

May the love of the risen Lord Jesus always be in your heart!

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# FELLOWSHIP NEWS

Please Remember in Your Prayers:

**Our homebound members:**

Jan; Glen; Wilma;  
Millie; Gertrud; Alex; Bea

**Folks with Health Concerns:**

Wilma; Millie; Mary; Alex; Liese; Bea;  
Gail; Gabe; Glendale; Patrick

**Those with Birthdays:**

April 5 -- Jim Weber  
14 -- Steve Kennedy  
15 -- Emma Suryan  
May 7 -- Adel Gonzalez  
13 -- Wayne Cluver  
14 -- Barbara Howe  
24 -- Sylvia Robinson

**Those with a Wedding Anniversary:**

April 6 -- Mel and Ginny Suelzle

Please inform Pastor Flath if any birthdays and wedding anniversaries have been overlooked.

## OUR CHURCH NEWSLETTER IS ONLINE

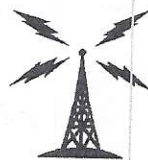
The St. Timothy monthly newsletter and calendar is available online! To catch up on current news, events, and see what we have scheduled in this month's calendar, please visit:

[www.sainttimothylutheran.net](http://www.sainttimothylutheran.net)

Let us know if you prefer to read your St. Timothy news online, and we will print one less copy – email us at:  
[stlc\\_office@frontier.com](mailto:stlc_office@frontier.com)

## LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES

Listen to:  
**THE LUTHERAN HOUR**  
Sundays



6:00 a.m. – 1320 AM KXRO  
6:30 a.m. – 880 AM KIXI  
7:00 a.m. – 1380 AM KRKO  
7:00 a.m. – 107.3 FM KAWZ  
7:00 a.m. – 105.3 FM KCMS  
9:30 a.m. – 1180 AM KLAY

### • **CAMPBELL'S SOUP LABELS**

Please save the UPC bar codes on Campbell products for Bethesda Lutheran Homes. Carefully cut the labels so barcode and points are intact, for they will not accept damaged labels. Place all UPCs in the box on the counter in the Narthex.

**NOTE:** Carol Hauge informs us that soon Campbell's will be stopping this program. Until then keep on saving!!  
[www.labelsforeducation.com](http://www.labelsforeducation.com)

### June / July NEWSLETTER

Newsletter Articles and Calendar information need to be submitted by

**Tuesday, May 17, 2016!**

Please have all information printed or handwritten and place in the **NEWSLETTER** mailbox, OR hand it to Pastor Flath, OR send it via e-mail to [stlc.office@frontier.net](mailto:stlc.office@frontier.net).

Please let us know if we have missed your birthday or anniversary. Thanks! ☺

# LADIES GUILD NEWS

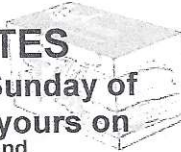
**Ladies' Guild Meetings**  
Meetings are held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month in the Fellowship Hall beginning at 1:00 p.m. The next meeting is scheduled for April 19, 2016. All ladies are welcome!



**SERVE THE LORD  
WITH GLADNESS**

Psalm 100:2

**LWML MISSION MITES**  
are collected on the fourth Sunday of every month. Please bring yours on April 24<sup>th</sup> and May 22<sup>nd</sup>.  
Donations will be collected during the church service when you come to the front for communion.



The Ladies Guild purpose is to provide the women of St. Timothy Lutheran Church the opportunity to increase their knowledge of our Savior, and to benefit from fellowship and service to the Lord.

## LADIES GUILD NEWS:

\*\*\*\*\* Ladies Salad Luncheon -- Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 12 noon \*\*\*\*\*

All Ladies: Come join us. Bring your favorite salad.

Speaker: Kristina Caulfield and Julia Sinclair

Topic: "Joining Jesus On His Mission Trip To Guatemala: Truly A God Thing"

**Next Meeting:** Our next meeting will be April 19 at 1:00 p.m.

**Officers for this year:** President – Naomi Normington; Vice-President – Emma Suryan; Secretary – Mary Stewart; Treasurer – Thirza Weber; Christian Growth – Sylvia Robinson.

**Mites** for projects of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League are collected during the worship service on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month. An oversized Mite Box is placed before our altar to receive your generous donations. For over 60 years, mites have been gathered in many congregations across our Synod to support various mission ventures locally and around the world. We thank the Lord that pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters (as well cash) have added up over the years to accomplish much for the Kingdom of God.

**Joy Shop:** next one will be at Messiah Lutheran Church – Seattle on Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> beginning at 10:00 a.m. Registration is at 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**LWML District Convention** is June 17-19, 2016 in Everett, Washington.



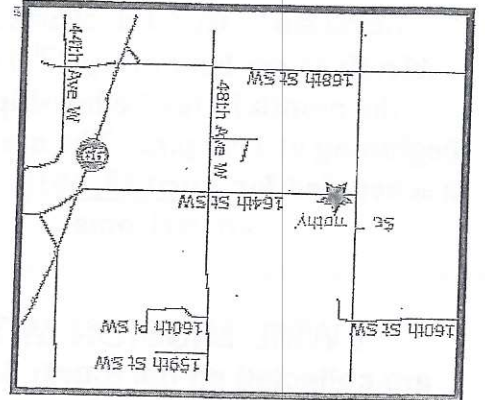
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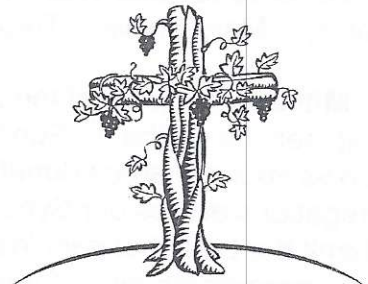
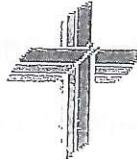
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