



## **HE IS RISEN! HE IS RISEN INDEED!**

The resurrection of our Lord (Easter) is April 4 this year. In my sermon for Easter I will be talking about how in our 3 year Lectionary we are in year B, which follows the Gospel of Mark.

Each of the three years emphasizes a different Gospel, Year A is Matthew, Year B is Mark & Year C is Luke.

What about John? John is interspersed among all three years. In fact, the alternate Gospel for Easter Day for all 3 years is John.

Mark's Resurrection Account is much different than Matthew, Luke & John. It ends with the women running from the tomb and saying nothing to anyone because they were afraid!

Matthew, Luke & John all emphasize Jesus' appearance. In John, Mary Magdalene is the first to see Jesus!

The Easter Season is actually 50 days! It begins on Easter Sunday and concludes on Pentecost Sunday, which is May 23.

When it comes to Easter, we need to ask: Do we fully understand Jesus' resurrection? Do we believe he is alive?

I hope that all of us would say, "Yes!"

*Pastor Matlack*





**ZOOM  
COFFEE  
HOUR!**

**Join us on ZOOM and  
check in with folks from church!**

Sundays @ 11 am.

Please check your email for the  
weekly reminder and link



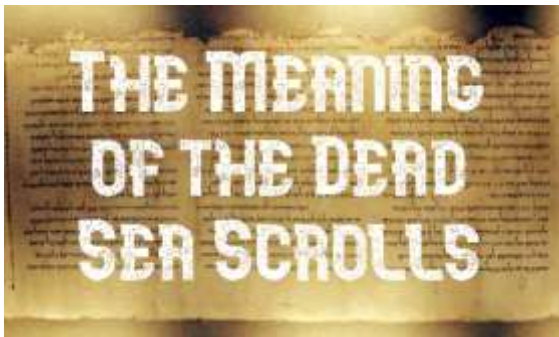
*Birthdays and Anniversaries*

Birthdays

Crista Buckler	April 16
Cara Kunkel	April 16
Linda Iverson	April 24
Jeanne Myers	April 25
Chris Elliott	April 28
Doug Opthoff	April 28

Anniversaries

Stan & Jean Samuelsen	April 6
Dale & Roxane Mellema	April 9



**New Adult Study begins April 15**  
**The Meaning of the Dead Sea Scrolls**  
Thursdays @ 10 am on ZOOM  
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APRIL 2021						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
				<b>Maundy Thursday</b>  Zumba 6:30 pm	<b>Good Friday Worship Service 1-3 pm</b>  AA (Offsite) 7:30 pm	Zumba 9:30 am
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Easter Day 10 am Drive-In Service</b>  NA (Offsite) 7 pm	Zumba 6:30 pm	Yoga 9 am  Prayer Shawls 10 am  Men's Group 6:30 pm	Handbells Rehearsal (On Hold)	Zumba 6:30 pm	Dinner w/Friends 6:30 pm  AA (Offsite) 7:30 pm	Zumba 9:30 am
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>Coffee Hour 11 am ZOOM</b>  NA (Offsite) 7 pm	Zumba 6:30 pm  <b>Finance Meeting 7 pm ZOOM</b>	Yoga 9 am  Prayer Shawls 10 am  <b>Council Meeting 7 pm ZOOM</b>	Handbells Rehearsal (On Hold)	<b>Adult Study 10 am ZOOM</b>  WELCA 6 pm  Zumba 6:30 pm	AA (Offsite) 7:30 pm	Zumba 9:30 am
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Coffee Hour 11 am ZOOM</b>  NA (Offsite) 7 pm	Zumba 6:30 pm	Yoga 9 am  Prayer Shawls 10 am	Handbells Rehearsal (On Hold)	Zumba 6:30 pm  <b>Book Club 7 pm</b>	AA (Offsite) 7:30 pm	Zumba 9:30 am
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	
NA (Offsite) 7 pm	Zumba 6:30 pm	Yoga 9 am  Prayer Shawls 10 am	Handbells Rehearsal (On Hold)	<b>Adult Study 10 am ZOOM</b>  Zumba 6:30 pm	AA (Offsite) 7:30 pm	



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**Our Mission:**

We are: CALLED by Christ in our Baptism and GATHERED by the Holy Spirit into his community of faith to celebrate God's grace in our midst so we can be SENT to share that grace in our community and beyond.

