### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

See Narthex Bulletin Board for more Announcements & information.

## **NEW MEMBERS Sunday April 28 2024**

If you are interested in becoming a member of Grace, please speak with an Elder or let the office know!

April 27 - Seminar - Sharing Hope in Crisis - Billy Graham RRT

Advance Registration is requesed

May 2 - Loved & Lost 1:30 -church office (biweekly)

EVERYONE is WELCOME

May 10 2:00pm-Don Bertschi Celebration of Life @ Grace

May 22 - 7pm - Special VOTERS MEETING

to elect Treasurer/Secretary

June 7 - WATOTO

(we are in need of pillows & sleeping bags – if you can help supply one or both of these items for 1 or many – please let Tom know)

June 13 - KEEPERS OF THE FAITH



# JOIN US @ the Movies Tuesday @ 7pm

Assistance is needed to continue this ministry - see Lee Ann



### SAVE THE DATE

Be a part of our mission on 28 APRIL 2024

#GIVINGSUNDAY

To learn more and to donate please visit us at bcmissionboat.org Lutheran worship and liturgy is built on the foundation of what Christ commands and institutes: His Word and Sacraments—the true marks of the Church.

Mystery vs. Mysticism

Read More

Rev. David Haberstock

Let us give praise & thanks to our Lord Jesus Christ for the gifts that he has blessed us with, and for answered prayers!



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OFFICE HOURS 8:30 - 11 am

Elders: Dave Gosse, Eric Reutter, Allen Kurtz

Living out Jesus' ministry: Praying, Preaching, Teaching & Healing



# WE'RE GLAD THAT YOU'RE HERE

...a place to belong, believe, become

If you would like a visit; more information on our practices or programs; and/or are considering making Grace your home church.; please indicate so on the pew card or speak with any member!

Please join us for coffee fellowship in the basement after the service

Science says that we need at least 4 essential elements to survive:
Water, air, food, and light.
And look what the Bible tells us about Jesus: I am the living water, I am the breath of life, I am the bread of life, and I am the light of the World.
Science was right; we need Jesus to live.
Amen!

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### WORSHIP Sundays 10 am & Bible Studies

- Sunday's 9 am with Chris leading
  A LONGER LOOK @ THE LESSONS
- Wednesday's 10 am Ladies
- ➤ Wednesday 7 pm --@ Grace w Joe & Tom
  What Every Christian Ought to Know



### www.gracecamrose.ca

Facebook, You Tube, Eastlink, Channel 10 Sunday 1pm

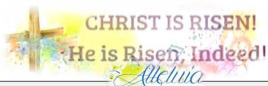
# **APRIL 21st 2024**



Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Fourth Sunday of Easter



# Jesus, the Good Shepherd, Lays Down His Life for the Sheep

The Lord Jesus is "the good shepherd" who "lays down his life for the sheep" (John 10:11). His life is not taken from Him. but He lays it down willingly, of His own accord, because He knows and loves the sheep. As the One sent by the Father, He has the "authority to lay it down" and the "authority to take it up again" (John 10:18). So has He done, and now He continues to love and serve as the Good Shepherd of the sheep by the voice of His Gospel. He thus calls all people into the fold of His Church, so that there may be "one flock, one shepherd" (John 10:16). That is why the apostles "were teaching the people and proclaiming in Jesus the resurrection from the dead" (Acts 4:2). Since "there is salvation in no one else," His voice rings out to this day through the preaching of His name, "for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved" (Acts 4:12). His voice comforts our hearts against all condemnation and gives us courage to "love one another" and "to lay down our lives for the brothers," as He laid down His life for us (1 John 3:16, 23).

LCMS Lectionary Summaries

**Gradual** adapt. from Matthew 28:7; Hebrews 2:7; Psalm 8:6

Christ has risen from the dead.

[God the Father] has crowned him with glory and honor. He has given him dominion over the works of his hands; he has put all things under his feet.

Verse Romans 6:9; John 10:14

Alleluia. We know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. Alleluia. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me. Alleluia

Hymn of the Day 709 The King of Love My Shepherd Is

John 10:11-18: Jesus taught His disciples and, by extension, we as His people, that He is the Good Shepherd who laid down His life for His sheep. What can stop the witness of those who no longer fear death? Every enemy has been vanquished by the Good Shepherd. What Good News this is for our comfort and all of the sheep not yet in the fold. So, boldly share the Good News that there is a very Good Shepherd in the Risen Jesus Christ who came for the sake of all of the sheep. GOSPEL NOTE www.lutheranchurchcanada.ca/

#### PRESIDING: Pastor Ron Chetney

**ALTAR GUILD**: Susanne & Pat

GREETERS: Susanne READERS: Judy G COFFEE: Caroline Musician: Carolyn & friends Audio/Tech: Dave & friends - Jim

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Confession & Absolution** 

Opening Hymn Praise, My Soul, The King Of Heaven LSB 549

Prayer/Collect

Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death ....

Thought of the Day

Scripture Acclamation Your Words Are Wonderful – Zimmer/Stiff

First Reading

Acts 4:1-12

My Hope Is Built On Nothing Less - Vs. 1, 3 LSB 576

Psalm Reading Psalm 23 sung

The King Of Love My Shepherd Is

LSB 709

Epistle reading 1 John 3:16-24

Gospel Reading John 10:11-18

Hymn

Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us

LSB 711

Sermon

**Apostles Creed** 

Prayer of the Church

Offering

**Give Thanks** — LSB 806

Thank you for remembering Grace in your prayers & gifts! Envelopes are in the pews or back of the sanctuary...God loveth a cheerful giver...2 Cor 9:7

Communion

Lamb of God - WOV

Come Unto Jesus – Kauflin/Story/Merker

Good Shepherd Of My Soul – Getty

Jesus, Strong And Kind – CityAlight

Benediction

Closing Hymn He Leadeth Me

LBW 501



### We are pleased to have you worship with us

Please sign the guestbook & ioin us for refreshments in the Parish Hall

#### NEXT WEEK - APRIL 28<sup>th</sup>

#### NEW MEMBER SUNDAY

PRESIDING: Pastor Kihn ALTAR GUILD: Pat & Susanne

 GREETERS:
 Norm & Jenny
 READERS:
 Allen
 COFFEE:
 Lillian

 APR 28 | Easter 5 | Acts 8:26-40 | Psalm 150 | 1 John 4:1-11 (12-21) | John 15:1-8

A PRAYERFUL Church is a POWERFUL Church

For any prayer requests – Contact an Elder, or prayer team member, We will pray with and for you.

 ${\it If you would like it published for all to pray, please indicate such to them....}$ 

Confidential prayer requests
can be made in the
lock box at the back of the sanctuary



This week please JOIN in PRAYING for Eric Reutter

**PRAY for the Ukraine** and especially Pastor Greg who is within 1.5 km of bombing sites & witness to many lives being lost .... See the bulletin board for his latest email rec'd Friday the 19<sup>th</sup>

#### Psalm 23

The Twenty-Third Psalm so beautifully describes the relationship our wonderful Savior has with us, His people.

The Lord is my Shepherd THAT'S RELATIONSHIP!

I shall not want THAT'S SUPPLY!

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures THAT'S REST!

He leadeth me beside still waters THAT'S REFRESHMENT!

He restoreth my soul THAT'S HEALING!

He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness THAT'S GUIDANCE!

For His name sake THAT'S PURPOSE!

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death THAT'S TESTING!

I will fear no evil THAT'S PROTECTION!

For thou art with me THAT'S FAITHFULNESS!

Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me THAT'S DISCIPLINE!

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies THAT'S HOPE!

> Thou anointest my head with oil THAT'S CONSECRATION!

> > My cup runneth over THAT'S ABUNDANCE!

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life THAT'S BLESSING!

And I will dwell in the house of the Lord THAT'S SECURITY!

Forever THAT'S ETERNITY!

Author Unknown