

**Resurrection of Our Lord:  
Easter Day**

April 17, 2022

**Pastor Dawn Busch**

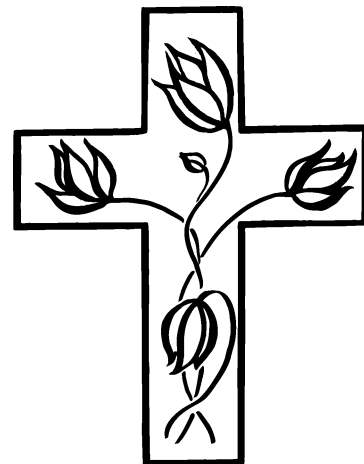
Serving the congregations of Medora, Belfield, Daglum

Musical Accompanists

Tami Elefson – Medora    Jean Franklin – Belfield

A warm welcome to all visitors and friends.

We hope you are blessed by worshipping with us today.



**ORDER OF SERVICE**

Announcements

*\*Stand*

***Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness {p 77}***

In the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*Silence for reflection and self-examination.*

Most merciful God,

**we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen**

Almighty God, in his mercy, has given his Son to die for us and, for his sake, forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the ☩ Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen**

**Hymn #151 – Jesus Christ is Risen Today**

1 Je - sus Christ is ris'n to - day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 2 Hymns of praise then let us sing, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 3 But the pains which he en - dured, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 4 Sing we to our God a - bove, Al - le - lu - ia!

our tri - um - phant ho - ly day, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 un - to Christ, our heav'n - ly king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 our sal - va - tion have pro - cured; Al - le - lu - ia!  
 praise e - ter - nal as his love; Al - le - lu - ia!

who did once up - on the cross, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 who en - dured the cross and grave, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 now a - bove the sky he's king, Al - le - lu - ia!  
 praise him, all you heav'n - ly host, Al - le - lu - ia!

suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 sin - ners to re - deem and save. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 where the an - gels ev - er sing. Al - le - lu - ia!  
 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. Al - le - lu - ia!

Text: Latin carol, 14th cent., sts. 1–3; tr. J. Walsh, *Lyra Davidica*, 1708, alt.; Charles Wesley, 1707–1788, st. 4  
 Music: EASTER HYMN, J. Walsh, *Lyra Davidica*, 1708

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the Communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

*The Kyrie* {p 78}

**A** In peace, let us pray to the Lord. **B** Lord, have mer - cy.

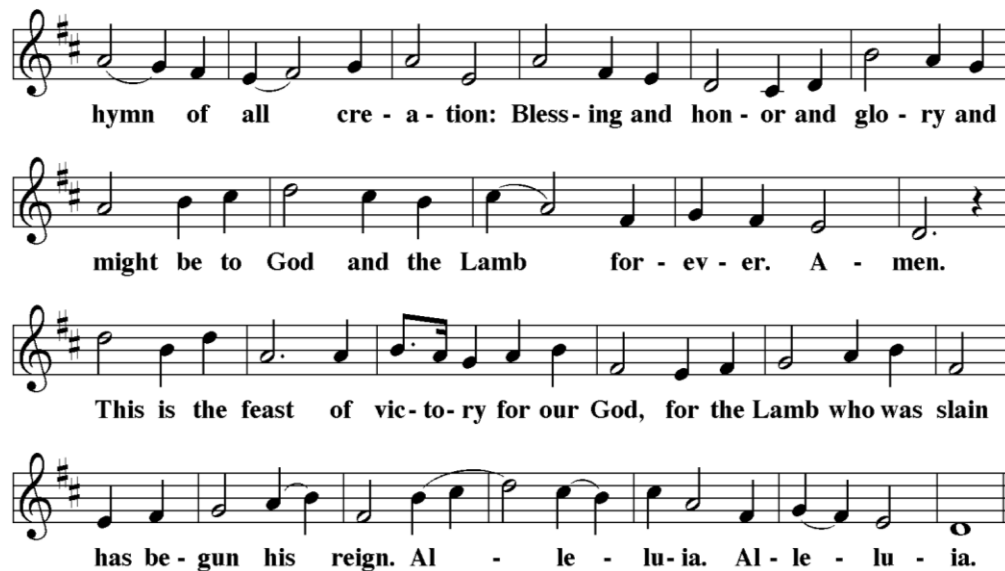
**A** For the peace from a - bove, and for our sal - va - tion, let us pray to the Lord.

**B** Lord, have mer - cy.

**A** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,  
 and for the u - ni - ty of all, let us pray to the Lord.  
**C** Lord, have mer - cy.  
**A** For this holy house, and for all who offer here their wor - ship and praise,  
 let us pray to the Lord. **C** Lord, have mer - cy.  
**A** Help, save, comfort, and de - fend us, gra-cious Lord. **C** A - - men

### *Hymn of Praise* {p 81}

**A** This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.  
**C** Wor - thy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us  
 free to be peo-ple of God. Pow - er and rich - es and wis-dom and  
 strength, and hon - or and bless - ing and glo - ry are his.  
 This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al - le - lu - ia.  
 Sing with all the peo - ple of God and join in the



The Lord be with you  
And also with You

### *Prayer of the Day*

Let us pray

O God, you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross for our redemption, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death. Make us die every day to sin, that we may live with him forever in the joy of the resurrection, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

### We Hear God's Word

#### **First Reading – Acts 10:34-43**

<sup>34</sup>Peter began to speak to [the people]: "I truly understand that God shows no partiality, <sup>35</sup>but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. <sup>36</sup>You know the message he sent to the people of Israel, preaching peace by Jesus Christ – he is Lord of all. <sup>37</sup>That message spread throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John announced: <sup>38</sup>how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power; how he went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. <sup>39</sup>We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; <sup>40</sup>but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, <sup>41</sup>not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. <sup>42</sup>He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. <sup>43</sup>All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

#### **Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24**

<sup>1</sup>Give thanks to the LORD, for the LORD is good;

God's mercy endures forever.

<sup>2</sup>Let Israel now declare,

"God's mercy endures forever."

<sup>14</sup>The LORD is my strength and my song,  
and has become my salvation.

<sup>15</sup>**Shouts of rejoicing and salvation echo in the tents of the righteous:**  
**"The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!**

<sup>16</sup>The right hand of the LORD is exalted!  
The right hand of the LORD acts valiantly!"

<sup>17</sup>**I shall not die, but live,**  
**and declare the works of the LORD.**

<sup>18</sup>The LORD indeed punished me sorely,  
but did not hand me over to death.

<sup>19</sup>**Open for me the gates of righteousness;**  
**I will enter them and give thanks to the LORD.**

<sup>20</sup>"This is the gate of the LORD;  
here the righteous may enter."

<sup>21</sup>**I give thanks to you, for you have answered me**  
**and you have become my salvation.**

<sup>22</sup>The stone that the builders rejected  
has become the chief cornerstone.

<sup>23</sup>**By the LORD has this been done;**  
**it is marvelous in our eyes.**

<sup>24</sup>This is the day that the LORD has made;  
let us rejoice and be glad in it.

## Second Reading - 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

<sup>19</sup>If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied. <sup>20</sup>But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. <sup>21</sup>For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; <sup>22</sup>for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. <sup>23</sup>But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. <sup>24</sup>Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup>For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup>The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*\*Stand*

*Alleluia" {p 83}*



## The Holy Gospel – Luke 24:1-12

The Holy Gospel according to \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ chapter.



<sup>1</sup>On the first day of the week, at early dawn, [the women] came to the tomb, taking the spices that they had prepared. <sup>2</sup>They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, <sup>3</sup>but when they went in, they did not find the body. <sup>4</sup>While they were perplexed about this, suddenly two men in dazzling clothes stood beside them. <sup>5</sup>The women were terrified and bowed their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, “Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen. <sup>6</sup>Remember how he told you, while he was still in Galilee, <sup>7</sup>that the Son of Man must be handed over to sinners, and be crucified, and on the third day rise again.” <sup>8</sup>Then they remembered his words, <sup>9</sup>and returning from the tomb, they told all this to the eleven and to all the rest. <sup>10</sup>Now it was Mary Magdalene, Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the other women with them who told this to the apostles. <sup>11</sup>But these words seemed to them an idle tale, and they did not believe them. <sup>12</sup>But Peter got up and ran to the tomb; stooping and looking in, he saw the linen cloths by themselves; then he went home, amazed at what had happened.

The Gospel of the Lord



*\*Congregation is seated*

## Children’s Sermon

### The Sermon

#### Hymn #671 – Alleluia, Alleluia, Give Thanks – WOV

*Alleluia, Alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord,  
Alleluia, alleluia, give praise to His name.*

1. Jesus is Lord of all the earth.  
He is the King of creation. *Refrain.*
2. Spread the good news o’er all the earth.  
Jesus has died and has risen. *Refrain.*
3. We have been crucified with Christ.  
Now we shall live forever. *Refrain.*
4. God has proclaimed the just reward:  
Life for all men, alleluia! *Refrain.*
5. Come, let us praise the living God,  
Joyfully sing to our Saviour. *Refrain.*

## **We Respond to God's Word**

*\*Stand*

*Nicene Creed* {p 84}

We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven;  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he became incarnate from the virgin Mary,  
and was made man.  
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father and the Son.  
With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the prophets.  
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.  
We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.  
We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen

### *Prayers of the People* {p85}

Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus, and for all people according to their needs.

Prayer Response: Lord, In your Mercy  
**Hear our Prayer**

**Remembering those in our prayers:** The Family of Lance Waller, Rebecca Kasian, Amanda Johnson, Lanie Nichols, Noah Hoon, Delores Roy, Margaret Braun, Rene Praus, Johnny Syminow, Mark Hinrichs, Nicole Koegl, Lincoln Lee Johnson, Madella Brinkman, Duane Davis, Carmen Ruud, Page Myers, Becky Yadon, Carol Johnson, RoseMarie Andreas, Monica Hushka, Mark Trechock, Janeen Nichols, Sharleen Stigen, Marilyn Oyhus, Mindy O'Brien, Chandler Nichols, Bennette Mansfield, those who have lost their jobs, those with mental illness, those seeking Sobriety, those struggling with infertility, those with Covid illness and exposure, all troops & those working for peace in our world.

In to your hands, O Lord, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy, through your son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

### *Sharing of God's Peace* {p 86}

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

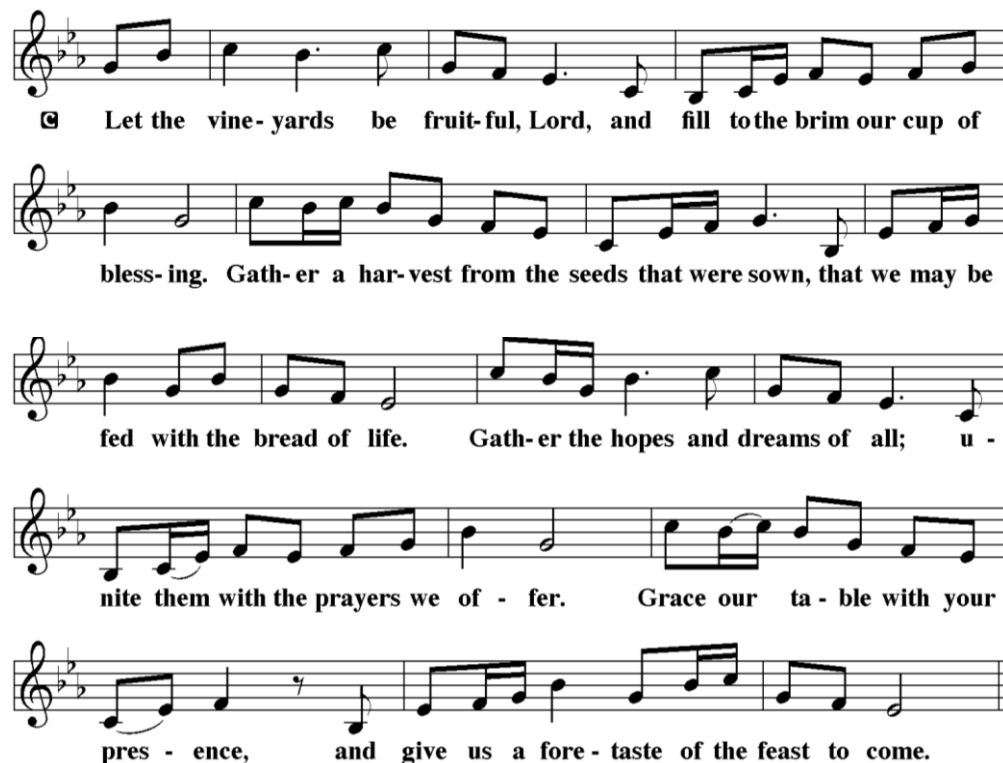
**And also with you.**

*\*Congregation is seated*

### **We Share God's Gifts**

*Offering*

*Offertory Hymn* {p 86}



Let the vine- yards be fruit-ful, Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of  
bless- ing. Gath- er a har-vest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be  
fed with the bread of life. Gath- er the hopes and dreams of all; u -  
nite them with the prayers we of - fer. Grace our ta - ble with your  
pres - ence, and give us a fore - taste of the feast to come.



### *Offertory Prayer* {p 88}

Blessed are you,

**O Lord our God, maker of all things. Through your goodness you have blessed us with these gifts. With them we offer ourselves to your service and dedicate our lives to the care and redemption of all that you have made, for the sake of him who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

*\*Stand*

### We Share in The Lord's Supper

#### *The Great Thanksgiving* {p 88-89}

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

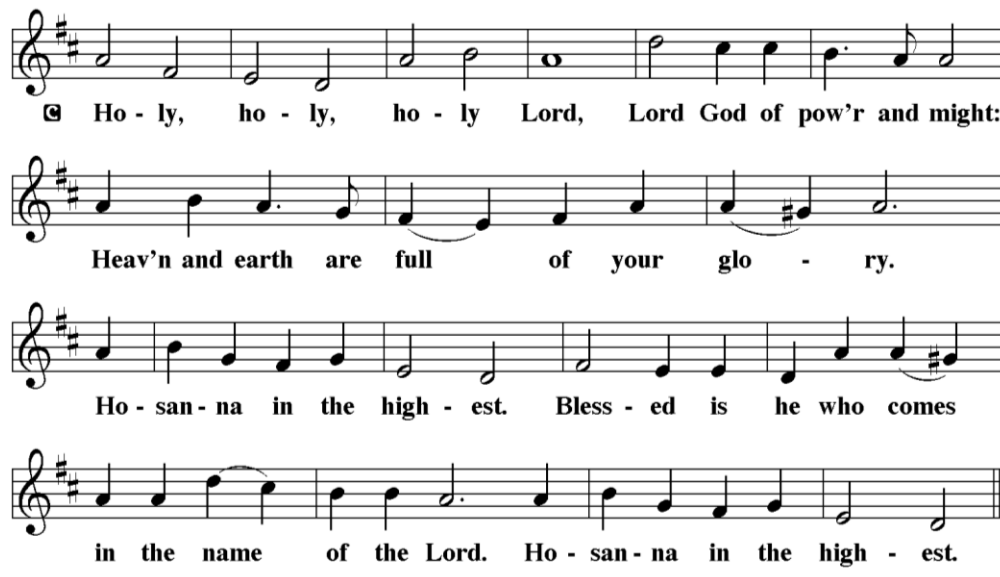
Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is indeed right and salutary .... we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



The musical notation is written on four staves in G major (one sharp). The lyrics are: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might: Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

### *Words of Institution*

#### *The Lord's Prayer* {p 91}

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those

who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever. Amen.

*\*Congregation is seated*

### **Communion Distribution**

*All are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please come forward and hold out your hands in the form of a cross or a cradle to receive the body of Christ. Choose a cup of red wine or white grape juice. If you are only able to receive one of the two elements, please know that you receive the fullness of Christ in one element. You may choose to receive a simple blessing if you prefer. Please notify an usher or the pastor if you have difficulty coming forward and communion will be brought to you.*

### **"Lamb of God" {p 92}**

**Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world;**

**grant us peace, grant us peace.**

### **We are Sent Forth with God's Blessings**

*\*Stand*

### **Post Communion Canticle {p 92}**

**Thank the Lord and sing his praise; tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.**

**Let ev-'ry-one who seeks the Lord re-joice and proud-ly bear his name.**

**He re-calls his prom-is-es and leads his peo-ple forth in joy**

**with shouts of thanks-giv-ing. Al-le-lu-ia. Al-le-lu-ia.**

### *Communion Prayer* {p 94}

Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

### *Benediction*

### **Hymn #145 - Thine is the Glory**



- 1 Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring Son; end - less is the  
2 Lo, Je - sus meets thee, ris - en from the tomb! Lov - ing - ly he  
3 No more we doubt thee, glo - rious Prince of life; life is naught with-



vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won! An - gels in bright rai - ment  
greet thee, scat - ters fear and gloom; let his church with glad - ness  
out thee; aid us in our strife; make us more than con-qu'rors,



rolled the stone a - way, kept the fold - ed grave-clothes  
hymns of tri - umph sing, for the Lord now liv - eth;  
through thy death - less love; bring us safe through Jor - dan



where thy bod - y lay.  
death hath lost its sting! Thine is the glo - ry, ris - en, con-qu'ring  
to thy home a - bove.



Son; end - less is the vic - t'ry thou o'er death hast won!

Text: Edmond Budry, 1854–1932; tr. R. Birch Hoyle, 1875–1939  
Music: JUDAS MACCABAEUS, George Frideric Handel, 1685–1759

**Go in Peace. Serve the Lord.  
Thanks be to God.**

### **Postlude**

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## Belfield Easter Lilies

In Honor of	Donated By
Family & Friends	Jean Franklin
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Ukraine	Dawn Bush
Urban Family	Shirley Binstock
Wanner Family	Dana Wanner
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Family	Carmen Waldo

In Memory of	Donated By
Our Grandparents	Kasey & Darnyl Malkowski
Gary Newton	Julie Newton
Rhaynon Urban	Doris & Elroy Urban
Our Parents & Connie Shure & Family	Rod & Janet Lindbo

## Medora Easter Lilies

In Memory of	Donated By
Eddy Stephenson	Irene Johnson
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Orville Rodne & Norman Kruckenberg	Dean & Debbie Rodne and Mark & Rebecca Kasian
Naomi Rossow	Dean & Debbie Rodne
Grandpa John & Grandma Magdalene Kasian	Mark & Rebecca Kasian
Grandpa Sam & Grandma Cecelia Simnioniw	Mark & Rebecca Kasian
Parents & Family	Lynn Peterson
Grandparents	Tami Elefson
Vern Anker & Florienne Dwelle	Terry & Diana Dwelle

**\*\* Thank you to those who have joined in playing instruments for our gathering hymn in Belfield today! Trumpets: Darnyl Malkowski, Justin Hutzenbiler; Clarinet: Maci Wanner; Tenor Sax: Gunner Jandt; Trombones: Reece Hugelen, Rudy Hugelen, and Rex Hugelen. You have put in a great deal of work to enhance our worship with music this day! Thank you!!**

**\*\* We, your BDM Parish Council, have been working on updates and repairs in the Parsonage. Painting and flooring on the main floor, and basement windows are a few of the things that have been completed. Our goal is \$12,000. You have heard the term glass half full. Since we haven't had the Extravaganza for the last 2 years, we need to refill our glass in a different way. These funds will be used to continue this process. Some of the things that need to be done are: Repair and update downstairs bathroom, Replacing the Exterior Doors, Replace (or repair missing) shingles, Upstairs Windows will also need replacing. Will you please help us refill our glass? Thank you**

**\*\*If you wish to donate to help support Ukraine and prefer not to attend an event, donations can be given at <https://community.elca.org/eastern-europe-crisis-response>.**

**\*\*The Spring 2022 WELCA Badlands Conference Gathering is being held at Badlands Ministries on Saturday, April 30. 9:30 – 10:00 am is Coffee and Registration. The registration fee will be determined soon and if you are a member of the Badlands Conference, your dues are due at the conference. You do not have to belong to the Badlands Conference to attend this gathering. It is meant to be a fun day for all women. To register, please call Debbie Patterson 701-523-6482 or Rita Freitag 701-275-8730 by April 18<sup>th</sup>.**

**Today - Easter Worship - He Is Risen**

- 6:00 am – Daglum Easter Sunrise Worship
- 8:30 am – Medora Easter Worship
- 10:00 am – Belfield Easter Worship

**Tuesday, April 19**

- 3:30 pm – Pastor's Bible Study at Belfield Lutheran Church or Zoom
- 6:30 pm – Belfield Council Meeting at the Parsonage
- 8:00 pm – AA Meeting at Belfield Lutheran Church

**Wednesday, April 20**

- 5:30 pm – Confirmation at Belfield Lutheran Church
- 6:30 pm – Youth Group at Belfield Lutheran Church

**Thursday, April 21**

- 7:00 pm – Bible Study at Belfield Lutheran Church

**Friday, April 22**

- 8:00 pm – AA Meeting at Medora Lutheran Church

**Saturday, April 23**

- 10:00 am – Finance Webinar (Legacy Planning) at Belfield Lutheran Church
- 1:30 pm – Parish Council Meeting at Belfield Lutheran Church

**Sunday, April 17**

- 8:30 am – Medora Worship
- 9:00 am – Sunday School at Belfield Lutheran Church
- 10:00 am – Belfield Worship
- 11:15 am – Choir Practice at Belfield Lutheran Church
- 6:00 pm – Bible Study at Dwelle's home – please RSVP

**Announcements** – Please send any announcements by Wednesday evening to Tami Elefson: call or text 701-290-4107 or email: [belfieldlutheran@gmail.com](mailto:belfieldlutheran@gmail.com) or [medoralutheranchurch@gmail.com](mailto:medoralutheranchurch@gmail.com)

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