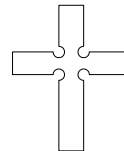


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**The Second Sunday of Easter**  
**Sunday, April 3, 2016 - Volume 68, Number 4.1**  
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**Opportunities for Worship and Service at Elm Grove Evangelical Lutheran Church**

S-	8:00 <b>SERVICE-C</b> (LSB DS2)		1:00 Sr. Card Players	BAAC
	9:15 VOTERS' ASSEMBLY & Film	CN	5:00 Bd. of Stewardship Mtg.	Rm. 228
	9:30 Bible Classes & Sunday School		7:30 Exultate Singers	MC
	10:45 <b>SERVICE</b> (LSB DS2)		Th- 9:00 Bread & Fish Folding	
	12:00 Bd. of Evangelism	Rm. 228	9:30 Library Circle	FL
	4:45 Italian Bistro	GYM	F- 6:30 Men's Bible Class	Rm. 228
	7:30 AA Mtg.	BAAC	S- 8:30 Call Committee	WFH
M-	5:00 Public School Confirmation Class	Rm. 228	1:00 Chinese Women's Group	FH
	6:00 Bd. of Finance	Rm. 252	4:00 Ind. Conf/Abs	CN
	6:00 Intrada	BR	5:30 <b>SERVICE</b> (LSB DS2)	
	6:30 Bd. of Christian Ed. Listening Session	CLC	6:30 Chinese Fellowship	BAAC/GYM
	7:30 Bd. of Christian Ed. Mtg.	Rm. 270	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">                     Location Symbols:                      BAAC – Bartelt Adult Activities Center                      BR – Bell Room                      FH – Fellowship Hall                      CLC – Christian Life Center                      CL – Church Lounge                  CN – Church Nave                      FL – Friendship Library              MC – Music Center                      WFH – West Fellowship Hall        YC – Youth Center                 </div>	
T-	9:30 Bible Class	Rm. 224		
	5:45 Exultate Ringers	BR		
	6:00 Child Care Staff Mtg.	Rm. 228		
	6:30 PTL Board Mtg.	FL		
W-	8:40 <b>CHAPEL</b>			
	10:00 LWML	BAAC		

**Our giving to God is to be sacrificial.**  
***"And now brothers, we want you to know about the grace that God has given the Macedonian churches. Out of the most severe trial, their overflowing joy and their extreme poverty welled up in rich generosity" (2 Cor. 8: 1-2)***

**IN THE LORD'S HOUSE:** 141 attended services on Maundy Thursday; 249 on Good Friday; 36 for the Easter Vigil; and, 626 for Easter Sunday. *"Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!"*

**HOSPITALIZED:** Frank Wickert (Linden Grove); Carla Ganswindt, Bob Abresch, & Margie Polzin (Luther Manor Rehab).

**GROWING IN CHRIST SUNDAY SCHOOL:** The Sunday School, lesson is "The Transfiguration" of our Lord. At the Transfiguration, Jesus' glory was unveiled before the disciples. Today, His glory is unveiled for us in the Word preached by the pastor, in the water of Baptism, and in the bread and wine of His Holy Supper. In heaven, we shall see Him in all His glory! *Discuss with your children, "How are we like the disciples who trembled at the sound of God's voice?"*

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHIES** are extended to Len Funk and his family upon the death of his father, Carl Funk who died on Good Friday. Graveside service will be held on April 28. *"I know that my Redeemer lives..."*

**SPECIAL VOTERS ASSEMBLY:** A special, single-issue Voters' Assembly occurs on Sunday, April 3, between the services to discuss and ratify the work program. The VA will begin promptly at 9:15 a.m. The congregation is encouraged to stay after the meeting for the showing of the movie, "The First Rosa."

**THE FIRST ROSA:** The congregation at large is encouraged to attend the showing of the film, "The First Rosa," between the services on Sunday, April 3, immediately after the special Voters' Assembly. This documentary, made by the LCMS and sponsored by LCEF, covers the life of teacher and confessor Rosa J. Young. Born to an ordinary life in an ordinary town in rural Alabama, Rosa J. Young was anything but ordinary. With a passion for helping others, educating children, and sharing the Gospel, Rosa accomplished extraordinary things for her community and the Kingdom of God. She was instrumental in founding and promoting 30 Lutheran elementary schools and 35 Lutheran congregations in Alabama's "Black Belt." Her legacy is unparalleled as an educator, confessor, and church planter. You should know more about her; so come see the film!

**LCMS PRESIDENT TO VISIT EGL:** The Rev. Dr. Matthew Harrison. President of the LCMS, will visit and worship with EGLC next Sunday, April 10. He will address the congregation in the nave, 9:30-10:30 a.m., on the topic of current challenges to "religious liberty" in the U.S.A. and how the LCMS hopes to meet those challenges. He will worship with the congregation in the 10:45 a.m. service. Don't miss this opportunity!

**MOMS TIME OUT GROUP:** EGL moms are "re-launching" the Moms Time Out Group. The group meets two Fridays a month to enjoy some fellowship and Bible Study. All EGL moms are invited, and younger children are welcome to attend. Come join other moms for some fun, fellowship, treats, and Bible study time on Friday, April 1, 8:30 a.m., in Room 160 (next to the PK classroom). Please contact Kaethe Ward (412-720-9395 or [kaetheward@gmail.com](mailto:kaetheward@gmail.com)) with any questions.

**NEW KEY-TO-LIFE CLASS:** A new session of Key to Life classes begins Thursday, April 21, 7:30 p.m., in Rm. 228. The class runs through the end of June. Both new and "old" members of EGLC are invited to attend. This can serve both as a membership class and a refresher course of our Lutheran teachings.

**BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:** For the April 21 meeting of the book discussion group, please read *Mrs Grant and Madame Jule* by Jennifer Chiaverini. We meet in the Bartelt Center at 9:30 a.m. Call Barbara Kurth (262-252-4373) with questions.

**HIGH CHAIRS NEEDED:** We hope to collect 4-5 gently used high chairs that can be used for various church/school events. This would be helpful for families who might want to attend meals (Lenten/advent, potlucks, etc) and who have an infant or small toddler with them. Please contact the church office if you have a high chair to donate. Thanks!

**LWML:** The EGL LWML morning group will meet in the Bartelt Adult Activity Center on Wednesday, April 6, at 10:00 a.m. Bible study will be from the spring issue of the *Woman's Quarterly*, which will be handed out at the meeting. Come join us for Christian fellowship and the study of God's Word.

**GOLF & DINE WITH A PURPOSE:** Sign up now for the 12<sup>th</sup> annual Golf Outing and Auction on Friday, May 20, 2016, at Ironwood Golf Course in Sussex. Registration is now open (via paper or online at [www.golfoutingpro.com/event/elmgrovelutheran-2](http://www.golfoutingpro.com/event/elmgrovelutheran-2).) Come support your school as we raise money for NEW GYM BLEACHERS! Contact Josh Hedtke (262-649-3665 or [jjhedtke@wi.rr.com](mailto:jjhedtke@wi.rr.com)) for questions or to get involved! Ask how YOU can become a HELPER – no meetings, no decisions, and a chance to win an iPad!

**UPON THIS ROCK . . .** is the theme for this summer's LCMS Convention, July 9-14, at the Wisconsin Center in downtown, Milwaukee! You can still become involved as a volunteer! Online signup is now available. Go to [www.swd.lcms.org](http://www.swd.lcms.org) and follow the link to "LCMS National Convention" on the home page. A printable form that you can mail in is also available by following that link. Questions? Call the District office @ 414-464-8100.

**HEALTH TIPS:** April is Alcohol Awareness Month, and the 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> is the Alcohol-Free Weekend. The National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence would like all Americans to use this time to learn more about alcoholism and its early symptoms. "Alcohol use by young people is extremely dangerous—both to themselves and to society, and is directly associated with traffic fatalities, violence, suicide, educational failure, alcohol overdose, unsafe sex and other problem behaviors, even for those who may never develop a dependence or addiction. Research has shown that kids who have conversations with their parents and learn a lot about the dangers of alcohol and drug use are 50% less likely to use these substances than those who don't have such conversations." (*Talk Early, Talk Often*. [Ncadd.org/aam](http://Ncadd.org/aam)).

**PRAYER CHAIN:** If you would like to place a prayer request on the EGL Prayer Chain, please call Mindy Aldinger @ 414-698-8774 or email [prayerchain@egl.org](mailto:prayerchain@egl.org).

#### **Financial Update – March 27, 2016**

We thank and praise our Lord for His many blessings and pray for faithfulness from each steward of His gifts.

Offerings received thru March 27	\$740,311
Offerings anticipated thru March 27	\$798,100

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** and remember these members of EGL who are confined to bed or to their homes. They would surely also appreciate a visit from friends. Addresses and telephone #'s are in the church directory.

Betty Altpeter	Evelyn Barth
Karen Bourdo	Ethel Kirmsse

#### **Remember those serving in the Armed Forces:**

Joshua Tesch – Shaw AF Base  
Joshua Wartchow (Wartchow grandson) – LeJeune  
Bryan Otley (Schumacher grandson) – San Antonio  
Sam Catrina (Braun grandson) – Stateside  
Lydia Rumpel (Degner granddaughter) – Stateside  
Jeffrey Knutson (Knutson grandson) – Stateside

#### **Service Schedule**

Saturday, April 9, 2016 – 5:30 p.m. (LSB DS2)

Sunday, April 10, 2016 8:00 a.m. (LSB DS2) & 10:45 a.m.-C (LSB DS2)

"When Jesus Turns You Around and Inside Out" [Acts 9:21-22] Pastor Myers, Preacher