Old Testament *Jeremiah 31:1–6* 1"At that time, declares the LORD, I will be the God of all the clans of Israel, and they shall be my people." ²Thus says the LORD: "The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness; when Israel sought for rest, ³the LORD appeared to him from far away. I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you. ⁴Again I will build you, and you shall be built, O virgin Israel! Again you shall adorn yourself with tambourines and shall go forth in the dance of the merrymakers. ⁵Again you shall plant vineyards on the mountains of Samaria; the planters shall plant and shall enjoy the fruit. ⁶For there shall be a day when watchmen will call in the hill country of Ephraim: 'Arise, and let us go up to Zion, to the LORD our God.""

Epistle Colossians 3:1–4

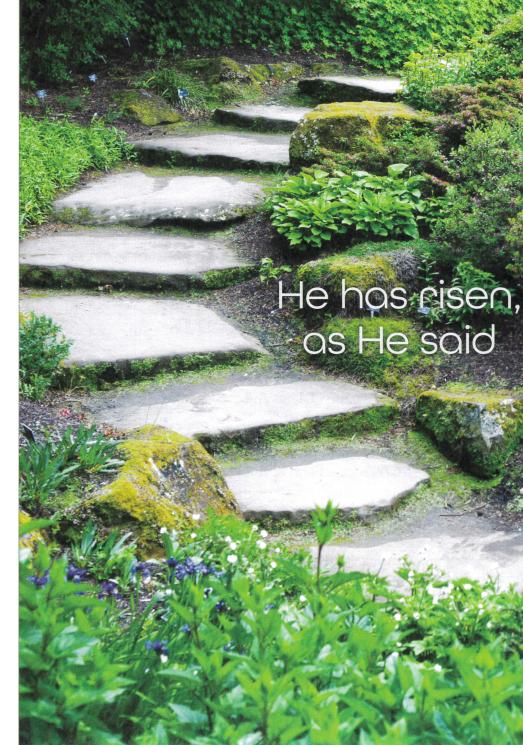
¹If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. ²Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ³For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear

with him in glory.

Holy Gospel *Matthew 28:1–10* ¹Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. ²And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. ³His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. ⁴And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men. ⁵But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. ⁶He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. ⁷Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you." 8So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. ⁹And behold, Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshiped him. ¹⁰Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me."



About the Cover: The women cannot linger at the tomb but must go quickly on the path with the news. In their departure, they meet the risen Lord, who fulfills His promises. "He has risen, as He said." Though we have not seen the risen Lord with our physical eyes, these words ring just as true for us as they did for the women at the tomb. Christ's words of forgiveness, salvation, and resurrection life are for us, just as He has said. Christ is risen! . . .



EASTER SUNDAY

April 9, 2023

Sharing, Believing, Living, Caring

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THE MEASURE OF OUR LOVE

Attendance 3/29	(Wed): 43		Offering: \$3,500.00
Attendance 4/2	(Sun): 97	Comm.: 79	Offering: \$4,097.38
Budget Needs: \$3,098.21			Scrip Profit 4/2: \$53.00
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KINGDOM WORK THIS WEEK

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1:45 p.m. – Confirmation			
7:00 p.m. – Worship			
7:45 p.m Elders			
12:30 p.m. – Ladies Aid			
8:00 a.m. – S.S./B.C.			
9:00 a.m. – Worship			
10:00 a.m. – Stewardship/Evangelism			
6:00 p.m. – Farm & Home 4H			

IN OUR PRAYERS we remember the family of George Krepline, Alvin Bladow (brother of Roger Bladow), Vincent Sucivic (grandson of Duane & Karen Loose), Wilfred Boldt, Julie Boldt, Kay Koffarnus, Jules & Carol Clausing, Sandy Haberland, Joan Zutz, Elaine Zeamer, Lori Krueger, and Terry Brandenburg.

GRASS CUTTERS – we are looking for volunteers to cut the grass. You can sign up for a week or a month. Sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board. If you have any questions, please contact the trustees.

VOTERS MEETING will be held on Sunday April 23rd at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

THANK YOU to the following people for providing Easter flowers for our Easter celebration this morning:

Nancy Davidson	Dave & Diane Buboltz
Mary Eickert	Steve & Sue Juno
Diane Zickert	Gary & Linda Streck
Judy Baer	Hank & Lori Horn
Faith Sonnabend	Roger & Carolyn Bladow
Gary & Alice Koerth	Terri & Rick Riemer
Simon & Rhonda Geiger	Bob & Sue Behnke

Russell Boldt (in memory of Carol Boldt, Marcia Boldt)

Sandy Haberland (in honor and remembrance of family)

Bill & Norma Drumm (in memory of their parents)

Bryan & Jeannine Krepline (in memory of Kenneth Eichhorst & Nathan Krepline)

Norman Krahn (in memory of Betty, Charles & Meta Krahn & Nancy Helwig)

THRIVENT T-SHIRTS – Free for anyone to take. They are hanging in the coat room.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY – Sign up for your portrait session by either using the QR code on the banner or stop by the table in the narthex after any Wednesday or Sunday services (except for week of Easter).

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY GREETERS are needed May 4-6. There is a schedule on the bulletin board. It would be greeting and signing in families as they arrive for their portrait sessions. If you are willing to help, please sign up on the bulletin board. If you have any questions, please contact Alice Koerth.

CONFIRMATION CARDS are available in the card room.

MILITARY BIBLE STICKS – Today is the deadline to purchase a Military BibleStick.

ANNUAL PANCAKE SUPPER on April 30th at Zion Lutheran Church, New Holstein, from 3-6 p.m. All you can eat potato and buttermilk pancakes. Also serving brats, hamburgers, applesauce, dessert, milk & coffee. Cost: \$14 adults; \$8/6-12 years; 5 & under free.