



Easter Sunday

April 21, 2019

WE GATHER IN UNITY

INTROIT

Were You There

*GATHERING SONG *Christ the Lord is Risen Today*

*WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*SONG OF PRAISE

Christ is Risen

Up from the Grave He Arose

PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN

WE GROW IN GRACE

*APOSTLE'S CREED

CHORALE RESPONSE

And Can it Be, Chorale

FAMILY PRAYER

Melanie Veldman

OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD

Ministry Fund

OFFERTORY

Mfurahini, Halleluya, Chorale

WE GROW IN KNOWLEDGE

*SONG OF PREPARATION

See, What a Morning

SCRIPTURE

Luke 24:30-45 (page 859)

SERMON

Easter Doubt

PRAYER

WE ARE NURTURED TO EXTEND

*SONG OF RESPONSE

Thine is the Glory

WE GO IN PEACE TO LOVE & SERVE

*GOD'S BLESSING

*CLOSING PRAISE

Christ is Risen! Shout Hosanna

**Indicates to stand if you are able*

This morning's Worship Ministers

Preacher Rev. Stanley Mast

Liturgist Aaron Polet

Musicians Shawnee Chorale, Barb Banaszak, Nate Jen

Phil Van Eck, Claire Banaszak, Aaron Polet

LaVonne Carlson, Jay Carlson, Colin Carlson

Liesl Groenenboom

Welcome to Shawnee Park this Easter morning!

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us, and we pray God will bless your time here. If you are a guest, please stop by the Connection Center before you leave.

This morning, Rev. Stanley Mast will share an Easter message. Rev. Mast is an adjunct professor at Calvin College. He also has spent 41 years in parish ministry in four different churches.

Next Sunday, Rev. Laura Smit is a Professor of Theology at Calvin College and is the Assistant Pastor of Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Rev. Smit will preach from the book of Zephaniah.

CONCERNS & PRAISES

- Glenn Van Dommelen went home to the Lord last Tuesday, April 9. He is survived by his wife, Anne Van Dommelen. A memorial service is being planned for the immediate family in June.
- Carole Knoop's son, Steve, passed away suddenly on Sunday after a three-month diagnosis of a brain tumor. He was living with his family in Florida. Funeral services will take place on May 3 in Florida. Please keep Carole and her extended family in prayer.
- Ellinore Jensen has moved to Sunrise Senior Living, 3041 Charlevoix Drive, SE, Rm. 121, Grand Rapids, MI, 49546.
- **Missionary of the Month: Gil and Joyce Suh, Resonate Global, Cambodia**—Pray for family needs, especially our three children: for David and Isaac to thrive in college life at Calvin, and for Mary to finish high school Jr. and Sr. years well in Cambodia. Give thanks that David was not injured in a recent auto accident.

▪ Council Note

Council met this past Tuesday and received many positive reports. Next year's budget is being prepared and new Council members are being sought. Thanks was given for the coming of Easter and the new life which Jesus brings.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

▪ On-call Pastors

We have a schedule of pastors who are available for any pastoral needs. Call the church office (616-452-6971) or your pastoral care elder if you would like to meet with one of them. A Pastoral Care Elders list is available in your directory.

- **Women's Bible Study:** Tues., April 23, 9:30 AM Lesson - Hebrews 10, led by Jackie Timmer Refreshments: Joyce Altena, Marian De Vries

Women's Spring Salad Luncheon

Tuesday, May 14 at 10:30 AM.

Come and be blessed by Suzie Zoerman, who is a chalk artist. There will be special music while she draws for us. A salad luncheon will follow. Women from the Bible Study are asked to bring a salad to share. ALL women are encouraged to come and to bring a friend!

▪ Shawnee Senior Adventurers

All seniors and friends are invited to "Music at Midday" at Park Congregational Church (10 E Park Pl. NE, Grand Rapids, 49503) on Tuesday, April 23 at 12: 15 PM. Bob Ward, Grand Rapids Symphony bass trombonist will give a 30 minute concert which will be followed by a delicious soup and salad lunch. The cost is \$6 to be paid at the lunch. To carpool, please meet at Shawnee Park at 11:30 AM. Sign-up today in the Great Room.

▪ W.O.W. Finale on Wednesday, April 24

For the last W.O.W. of the season we'll be serving grilled chicken breast, potato casserole, cooked carrots, Caesar salad and brownie/ice cream sundaes for dessert. Come and enjoy the last W.O.W. dinner for the season. Serving time is from 5:15 to 6:15 PM. Once again, a huge thank you to Marian DeVries and her team for a wonderful 2018-19 W.O.W. season! We are blessed by your time, efforts, energy... and great food. You allow us to break bread together and encourage us to be the family that we were created to be. Thank you!

CALENDAR: 2019 APRIL - MAY

Sun 21 <i>Easter Sunday</i>	8:40 AM All Church Easter Breakfast 9:30 AM Morning Service Offering: Ministry Fund Nursery
Mon 22	Office Closed 7:00 PM Education Committee
Tues 23	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 12:15 PM Senior Adventurers: Music at Midday at Park Congregational Church
Wed 24	5:00 PM Worship Planning 5:15 PM W.O.W. Finale 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal
Sun 28	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast 9:30 AM Morning Service Offering: Benevolence Fund Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Sunday School 2:00 PM Jail Ministry 5:00 PM Young Teens & Youth Group
Tues 30	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
Wed 1	5:00 PM Worship Planning 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal
Sun 5	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast 9:30 AM Morning Service Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Sunday School, Adult Educ. 7:00 PM Fellowship Committee
Tues 7	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study

▪ Shawnee Park Online Directory

We will be launching an online church directory (through our Servant Keeper membership program) on Tuesday, April 30. More information to come.

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