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Men's Group @ 6:30am

**IOLBC** 

6:00pm Yoga

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#### SATURDAY - April 26th, 2025

**Bridal Shower for** 2:00pm Lauren Goth

## Easter Sunday

April 20th, 2025 6:30am

#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

Lighting of the Paschal Candle **Faster Proclamation** 

#### CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY

Welcome & Greeting

#### **CROWN HIM**

Confession & Forgiveness

Prayer

Responsive Reading: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

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Gospel: Luke 24:1-12

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Sermon: Pastor Perry Aalaaard

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Offering

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**OUR MISSION STATEMENT** 

"Gathering to know Jesus, serving to make a difference."

#### **VISITOR INFORMATION**

**Information Kiosk:** You may help yourself to the many resources on our Information Kiosk, near the church entry.

**Connect Cards:** Please complete information on the blue Connect Cards located in the pews or Information Kiosk.

**Holy Communion:** All believers are welcome to the table. Communion registration cards are available in the pews.

**Nursery:** The nursey will be supervised during both the 8:30am worship service and during the Sunday School hour, from 9:45-10:45am. The nursery is always open when not supervised; parents, guardians, or older siblings (5<sup>th</sup> grade & up) must stay in the nursery with

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He is Risen! He is Risen Indeed! Hallelujah!



# Gelebration Ghoir and special guests:

Tyler Pedersen - drums & trumpet
Adam Layman - guitar
Jessica Schable - keyboard

Thank you all for providing beautiful music this morning.

#### FIRST CONNECTIONS

#### **APRIL NOISY OFFERING**

For the month of April our noisy offering will go towards Esperanza Viva, Youth Home. A sanctuary of hope and healing for the most at-risk children of Mexico.

#### VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION DINNER

If you have helped or served in any way here at First Lutheran we invite you to come to the appreciation event on April 30th. We want to show our appreciation for what you do here at First Lutheran. Doors will open at 5:00pm with the meal served at 5:30pm and entertainment is included! Please sign up on the bulletin board in the narthex, through the QR code or the link in the newsletter. We look forward to seeing you there!

BRIDAL SHOWER A bridal shower in honor of Lauren Goth will be held on April 26th at 2 pm in the fellowship hall. All are invited to stop by and wish Lauren well.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- Our graduating seniors who will be recognized next Sunday.
- All traveling over the Easter weekend
- Our companion congregations of San Pablo Lutheran Church in Chile, the Southern Diocese in Tanzania, Pueblo de Dios in Argentina, and Grace Lutheran in Primghar, Iowa.