PRAYERS:

Health

Ronda Ballou Ruth & Maynard Jerry Bryant Charlene Neel Dianne Ridge Gary McGuire Patricia McDoulett Chuck & Gloria Hill

Pat (Connie's sister) **Bunny Sinks** Cindy **Dennis Emerick** Jack Berg Baby Crew Beth & Dave

Jenah Hoagland Hardship

Violet Barron

Don Heldt

Rebecca Victims of disaster and violence

Believers facing oppression

Leo & Judy Porter

Bereavement

Family of Jay Queen

Concerns

Diana Fetters Punk & Glennie Jake, Davi, and Graci **Dwight Kent** Military families Kevin Kent First responders Tyler Moss

Medical Care Providers Gary McGuire family

Vi Wickersham (Donna's Aunt)

Missions

All missionary families Smith family

Joys - Wolf family baby

Church Calendar

Sundays 9:00 am - Morning Service* 10:30 am - Bible Study (Mark)

Wednesdays 9:30 am - 1 & 2 Kings

Apr 27 Liturgist: Donna Liturgist: Cindy May 4

* Holy Communion on the second Sunday of each month.

Birthdays

Carol Lake March 24 April 7 **Betty Phelps** April 29 Ron Shearer May 2 Don Orr May 11 Cynthia Olson

Anniversaries

February 29 Orvin & Carol Lake April 16 Terry & Betty Phleps Darren & Donna Emerick May 3

Lisco Presbyterian Church

Sunday Services at 9:00 am

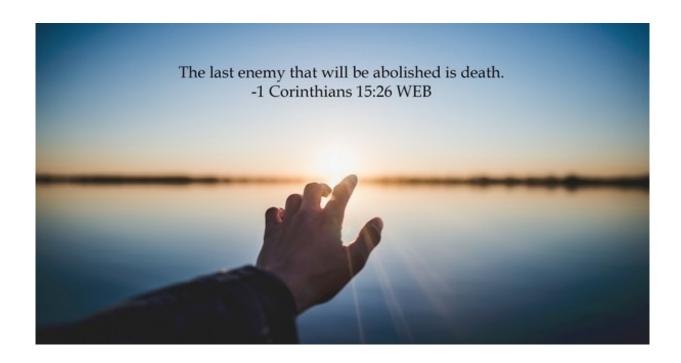
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Lisco Presbyterian Church

April 20, 2025 Easter Sunday



"Why would the apostles lie? Liars always lie for selfish reasons. If they lied, what was their motive, what did they get out of it? What they got out of it was misunderstanding, rejection, persecution, torture, and martyrdom. Hardly a list of perks!"

~ Peter Kreeft

April 20, 2025 - Easter Sunday

Darren Emerick- Pastor Gwen Jessen - Musician Liturgist - Kris

PRELUDE

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS/JOYS AND CONCERNS

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Hallelujah! On the day of Resurrection, let us shout with joy!

PEOPLE: Christ has led us from death to life.

LEADER: O Day of Resurrection, let us live with hope!

PEOPLE: Christ has led us from earth to heaven.

LEADER: Christ has risen from the dead. Hallelujah!

ALL: He has risen indeed! Hallelujah!

• OPENING HYMN – # 234 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION -

Loving and life-giving God, you raised Jesus from the grave and shattered the powers of sin and death. But we confess that we remain captive to fear, resisting the hope that new life is possible for us. We hide in tombs of indifference, seeking comfort rather than justice in this world. We cling to resentment and disappointment, refusing the freedom that comes with forgiveness. Forgive us, Lord, and restore us to joy and wholeness through your great mercy.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader- ... No barrier can keep us from the love of God! Therefore, let us assure one another of God's forgiveness!

People - Thanks be to God! Alleluia! Amen!

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HYMN OF PRAISE - # 238 "Because He Lives"

OFFERING/DOXOLOGY/PRAYER OF DEDICATION

 SCRIPTURE:
 PSALM 118:1-2, 14-24
 pg 956

 1 CORINTHIANS 15:19-26
 pg 1790

 JOHN 20:1-18
 pg 1685

SERMON: "The Last Enemy"

• COMMUNION HYMN - #782 "Come, Share the Lord" HOLY COMMUNION / PASTORAL PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER

• CLOSING HYMN - # 248 "He Lives"

CHARGE & BENEDICTION

• **HYMN** - # **248** "**He Lives**" (refrain)

Denotes congregation standing if able.

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