

EASTER FLOWERS

In Memory Of

Leo Wilharm & Ted Rudie
Our Parents & Loved Ones
Carl Johnson & Lyle Ninham
Willy & Rose Fritz (Dan's Parents)
Norb & Sophie Janicki
Kim (My Brother, gone 35 years)
My Mother & Aunt
Lewis & Janice Schultz, Warren & Marge Sperberg
Friends & Family
Fred Peters, Roger & Ruth Miller

Gary Effenberger
Elmer & Florine Hoppe
Mary Bjelland
Randy Rosenberg
Joann Heling (Len's Wife), Leonard, Mae, Michael
Heling (Len's Family), Henry & Irene Schuettpehlz
(Gail's Parents), Wallen, Rachel, Jeannette, Sue,
Loren & Kristy (Gail's Family)
Stuart Oestreich
Kenneth Rosenow
Donna Schultz

In Honor Of

To the Glory of God
Jill Sousek
Zion Quilters
Jill Sousek
Our Children & Grandchildren

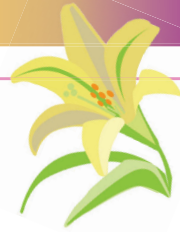
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Mary Ann Wilharm Rudie
Dan & Diane Flessert
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Matthew, Brandon & Lindsey Peters
Julie Effenberger
Gene & Barb Hoppe
Brian & Jenny Hanson & Family
Maynard & Annette Rosenberg

Len & Gail Heling
Judy Oestrich
Marcalene Rosenow
Don Schultz, Bob & Dawn Brock & Family,
Dale Schultz, Dan & Barb Schultz Family,
Bart & Debbie DeFere Family

Given By

Pastor Scott & Debra Ludford
Joyful Ringers
Karen Childs
ZION Choir
Dorothy & Mike Eidahl



Alleluia!
Jesus is risen!



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WELCOME TO ZION

PRELUDE — *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee, A Joyful Ring,
& Praise Him! Praise Him!* ~ Joyful Ringers [8 AM]
— Jill Sousek, piano [10:30 AM]

GREETING

Alleluia! Christ is risen.
He is risen indeed! Alleluia!



HYMN #365 — *Jesus Christ is Risen Today*

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

God of mercy, we no longer look for Jesus among the dead, for he is alive and has become the Lord of life. Increase in our minds and hearts the risen life we share with Christ, and help us to grow as your people toward the fullness of eternal life with you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

THE WORD

FIRST READING — *Jeremiah 31:1-6*

At that time, says the Lord, I will be the God of all the families of Israel, and they shall be my people. Thus says the Lord: The people who survived the sword found grace in the wilderness; when Israel sought for rest, the Lord appeared to them from far away. I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore I have continued my faithfulness to you.

Again I will build you, and you shall be built, O virgin Israel! Again you shall take your tambourines, and go forth in the dance of the merrymakers. Again you shall plant vineyards on the mountains of Samaria; the planters shall plant, and shall enjoy the fruit. For there shall be a day when sentinels will call in the hill country of Ephraim: “Come, let us go up to Zion, to the Lord our God.”



PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

THE OFFERING — *The Strife Is O'er* ~ Joyful Ringers [8 AM]
— *Lamb of God* ~ ZION Choir [10:30 AM]

HOLY COMMUNION

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LORD'S PRAYER [TRADITIONAL]

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HYMN #378 — *Awake, My Heart, With Gladness*

BLESSING

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Let us pray.

Holy One, through this meal you have made your home among us and are making all things new. Send us now to speak peace to anxious hearts, to love our enemies, and to bring your healing to the nations. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

SENDING

BENEDICTION

HYMN #619 — *I Know That My Redeemer Lives!* [VERSES 1-4]

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Praise the Lord. Alleluia!
Thanks be to God. Alleluia!

POSTLUDE — Jill Sousek



SECOND READING — *Acts 10:34-43*

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We are witnesses to all that he did both in Judea and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree; but God raised him on the third day and allowed him to appear, not to all the people but to us who were chosen by God as witnesses, and who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

The Holy Gospel, according to John. **Glory to you, O Lord.**

GOSPEL — *John 20:1-18*

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.” Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in.

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But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus.

Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in Hebrew, “Rabbouni!” (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and she told them that Jesus had said these things to her.

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CHILDRENS’ MESSAGE

THE SERMON — Pastor Scott Ludford

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