



# SUNDAY EXTRA

April 14, 2010

Palm/Passion Sunday  
Community Lutheran Church



**“Welcoming Others, Growing in Grace, Sharing Christ’s Love”**

## Sunday

**8:15am** Worship  
**9:30am** Christian Education  
**11:00am** Worship

## Today at Community Lutheran

**Worship Servants** meet with pastors for prayer before the service.

**Palm Sunday Processions:** We gather outside with palms at 8:15 and at the fountain in the Marketplace at 10:40, recalling Jesus’ triumphal entry in Jerusalem.

**Bible Study: Minor Prophets** with Mike Tinman (Sanctuary). “Deeper understanding of the Bible can facilitate deepening of the Christian experience.” –Ron Bonica

**“Noisy Offering”** for March and April benefits **Rwanda School Scholarship Fund.**

**Fauré Requiem Tonight at 7pm.** Full choir, orchestra, organ and soloists will offer this timeless Lenten work. A freewill offering will be accepted.

## Selected Readings

“The one who need not have been like us, yet chose to be so, did not flee. He enters the Garden of Gethsemane to rectify the Garden of Eden. Not clinging to robes of divinity, he takes the towel to wash our feet. With Peter, we say, ‘Not just our feet, Lord, but our whole being.’”

-John Kavanaugh

The procession with Palms brings us into Holy Week. We hear the story of Jesus’ Passion- his suffering and death. In baptism we have been fused to this story; in Holy Week we make our way through it because it brings us to life with Christ.

- Sundays and Seasons

## Luther Quote of the Day

“When you are in trouble say, “I did not choose this cross for myself. I will let God take care of this matter and fight it through. Long ago He promised me His divine and gracious help.”

## Upcoming Opportunities

**Wednesday Meals are canceled for two weeks.** Choirs only will meet on 4/17 and Small Groups only will meet on 4/24. Wednesday Meals and Ministries will resume as normal on May 1<sup>st</sup> at 5:30pm.

**Holy Week Worship Servants:** Sign up in the Narthex for the Holy Week services.

**Emergency Shelter Reopened,** April 14<sup>th</sup> thru May 31<sup>st</sup>. Volunteers are needed to cook with Dee McGibbon each Monday afternoon at 3:00. If you have a Monday free, please call Dee at 703-430-0529.

## Worship on Palm/Passion Sunday

Our worship begins with a Blessing of Palms and a reading of the processional Gospel, recalling Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem. We process into the Sanctuary, where we read the Passion according to Saint Luke, a dramatic retelling of the events to come in Holy Week.

**Pr. Annabelle will travel to Puerto Rico**  
April 23-26, for the Bishop's Convocation. This is an opportunity to build relationships with the Caribbean Synod rebuilding from hurricanes. Our synod suggests people bring Home Depot gift cards. "If people would donate them, I will take them so that the bishops and pastors I meet can distribute them. Please give them to me by April 21."

**Save your palms** from today as they will be used to make ashes for next Ash Wednesday.

**Bring-a-Friend:** Please join Fellowship for a special Bring-a-Friend coffee hour on Sunday May 5 between services in the Memorial Garden. This is an opportunity to get to know each other better and welcome our invited guests. Youth will be in the Fellowship Hall packing backpacks for Backpack Buddies. Come cheer them on as you enjoy treats and fellowship!

**VBS, June 10<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> the theme is "ROAR".**  
We will learn that though life may be wild, God is good! Open to 3 year olds (as of 1/1/19) to rising 5<sup>th</sup> graders. More info and register [www.myvbs.org/communitylutheran](http://www.myvbs.org/communitylutheran).

**Wanted: Giving Garden Project Manager** to plan the garden and manage volunteers. The harvest from our garden goes to the LINK pantry. Contact Cori at [mcsanz95@gmail.com](mailto:mcsanz95@gmail.com).

**Confirmation Camp at Mar Lu Ridge**  
**July 21-26<sup>th</sup> Youth Ages 11-14**  
Celebrate and Learn with Pastors and other Youth "The Difference Jesus makes in our Lives" A Week in God's Great Outdoors, Swimming, Hiking, Campfires, Worship, Bible-Study, Small Groups, Zip-Lining, High Ropes, Challenge, Sharing Faith & Serving Others. Cost = \$400.00/Camper. CLC pays half so it's \$200.00!! Register [www.mar-lu-ridge.org](http://www.mar-lu-ridge.org)

**Have you Made Your Pledge to our "Welcoming All, Building Up" Campaign?**  
Pledged/Contributed To Date = \$141,000.  
Goal= \$300,000. Provides funds for a roof, HVAC, a Christian Ed Staffperson, and Kitchen and Bathroom updates. Questions about the Campaign, speak to Pr. Joe, Pr. Annabelle or John White. Pledge cards are in the Narthex!

**Good Words from those who Pledged:**  
"We found a caring community that feels like family. We are happy to contribute to its upkeep, through building and general funds."  
- Ron & Nancy Bonica

"30 years ago, CLC "Built Up" to create our present church. We're pleased to help keep CLC a strong, attracting force in the community."  
- Pastors Paul & Geri Opsahl

"We helped Emmanuel and we will do what we can for CLC! We have been blessed and try to be a blessing." – Ed and Jerry Bobchek

**Pastor's Discretionary Fund Update:** Your donations to the PDF have enabled us to help two neighbors with rent, two neighbors with electric bills, and a neighbor with a water bill. Since March 1<sup>st</sup> we have given over \$1044 to neighbors in need as we work in partnership with Loudoun Cares. Thank you!

<p><b>Faith5 Verse:</b> 1 Corinthians 15:22 "For as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ."</p>
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**Next Sunday's Readings:**

Isaiah 65:17-25

Acts 10:34-43

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Luke 24:1-12

## Council Meeting Highlights & Celebrations - April 2019

- Learning and celebrating together - First Communion celebrated with 10 families.
- Women's retreat with CLC women and friends - 15 women (3 new ladies)
- Beautiful and thematic lenten altarscapes.
- Lenten soup suppers and children's learning - Thank you Becca and the team!
- Healing compassionate ministry provided by our grief groups supporting those carrying grief.
- "Shekinah" March 15-16th - 7 youth and 3 adults attended this Synod youth event
- Special Appeal continues to grow - \$150k pledged so far.

Weekly Offering/Attendance Report - April 7, 2019			
Attendance:	Offering:		
87 8:15am Worship	\$11,953.25	Regular Offering	
126 11:00am Worship	\$ 62.50	Benevolence	
8 Wed noon Worship	\$ 150.00	Building Use	
<b>221</b>	<b>\$12,165.75</b>	<b>Total Income Received</b>	
	Special Purpose:		
	\$ 92.50	Pastors' Discretionary	
	\$ 200.00	Noisy Offering	
	\$ 1,842.50	Build Up Special Appeal	
	\$ 140.00	Other	
	<b>\$ 4,405.20</b>		
Weekly "Simply Giving" (included above)			\$3,931.00

**Simply Giving is an easy secure way to automate your offering.** Enroll in 5 minutes by clicking the "Give to CLC" button on the CLC home page, or complete the paper enrollment form found in the Narthex and give to our Treasurer, Jeff Biber. Contact Jeff Biber at [treasurer@communitylutheran.org](mailto:treasurer@communitylutheran.org) or the church for more information.

**Giving Options at CLC:** Here is a Quick Response (QR) Code created for CLC. By scanning this image with a QR reader on your Smartphone, you will be taken to a secure giving website. Just scan the image and you're free to give our weekly offering! You may also donate using the "Donate Now" button on Community's website: [communitylutheran.org](http://communitylutheran.org).



## **In Our Prayers This Week**

### **For Healing and Comfort**

+ Barbara Jean Franklin + Ruth Cook + Bob Hughes + Laura Steiger + Lynn Tinman  
+ Doug Richardson

### **Homebound Members**

+ Judy Prisley, Falcon's Ldg + Gloria Driessnack, Falcon's Ldg  
+ Maxine Stambaugh, Sunrise + Henry Nelson, Sunrise  
+ Rosemary Richard, Avalon House + Nancy Wagner, Cascades Village  
+ Dean Lawrence, Home + Bertha Sweger, Atria

### **Those Serving Abroad**

+ The Nation Family

*The Sunday Extra lists the names of CLC Members who wish to be prayed for publicly. We are certainly aware of the needs of other Family and Friends beyond our parish, and we encourage you to name others aloud or silently when you are invited to do so.*

**If you would like to send cards and well-wishes to those in our prayers, please contact the church office.**

## **OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK:**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>(4/14)</b>	8:15 AM	Worship
		9:30 AM	Christian Education
		11:00 AM	Worship
		12:15 PM	Folkmusique
		7:00 PM	Fauré Requiem
<b>Monday</b>	<b>(4/15)</b>	7:00 PM	Stephen Ministry (Lib)
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>(4/17)</b>	10:30 AM	Bible Study (Lib)
		12:00 PM	Noon Eucharist
		4:30 PM	Dovecotes
		5:00 PM	Children's Choir
		6:30 PM	Bell Choir
		7:30 PM	Chancel Choir
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>(4/18)</b>	10:00 AM	Day Stitchers (Rm 11)
		7:30 PM	Maundy Thursday Service
<b>Friday</b>	<b>(4/19)</b>	7:30 PM	Good Friday Service
		8:30 PM	Prayer Vigil begins
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>(4/20)</b>	8:00 AM	Easter Lilies
		8:00 PM	Easter Vigil

<b>Serving Community for the Online Sunday Extra</b>				
	<b>SERVING COMMUNITY THIS WEEK</b>		<b>SERVING COMMUNITY NEXT WEEK</b>	
<b>Date, Time</b>	<b>April 14, 8:15 am Palm Sunday</b>	<b>April 14, 11:00 am Palm Sunday</b>	<b>April 21, 8:15 am Easter Sunday</b>	<b>April 21, 11:00 am Easter Sunday</b>
<b>Acolyte</b>	Peggy De.	Florence P.	Hannah A.	James P.
<b>Crucifer</b>	Mason D.	Matthew Pr.	Marina A.	Tyler T.
<b>Assisting Minister</b>	Susan D.	John W.	Kathy S.	Deb T.
<b>Communion Servers</b>	Carol L., Debbie N., Jennie K., Kay F.	Debra V., Charles P., Petra B., Tina P.	Laura F., Don P., Fran N., Jennie K.	Debra V., Diane Ma., Roberta B.,
<b>Greeters</b>	Annette E., Bob E.	JoAnne R.	Gerhard K., Jennie K.	Alice S.
<b>Lector</b>	Debbie N.	Kristin A.	Steve A.	Thomas N.
<b>Welcome Desk</b>	Linda Sm.	Charline L.	Joan H.	Ruth C.
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Carol G.	Fritz H., Jamie H.		
<b>Counters</b>	Liz G., Myra C., Ruth P.,	Barbara S., Bob B., Matthew Pr., Shirley B.	Liz G., Myra C., Ruth P.,	Barbara S., Bob B., Matthew Pr., Shirley B.
<b>Ushers</b>	Alex N., Bob E., Jay D.	John P., John R., Matthew Pa., Peggy Da.	Linda R., Mike D., Noah J., Ryann A.	Bob B., Brendan R., Bryce R., Shirley B.
<b>Special Music</b>				
<b>Coffee Pick-up</b>	Linda R.		Joe I., Linda I.	
<b>Coffee Fellowship</b>	Youth Cookie Day		Peg N.	

If you are unable to serve at your scheduled time, please find a substitute and let Peggy DeWeese at [worshipplanner@communitylutheran.org](mailto:worshipplanner@communitylutheran.org) know of the change. Thank you!