



## Light of the World Monthly Newsletter

### *Easter Is Reason to Celebrate!*

This month's favorite Bible verse is: John 14:19

*"Because I live, you also will live."*

"Happy Holidays!" Does this sound out of place in April? It doesn't have to. This month marks, arguably, the most important holiday of the year—Easter. Why? Because at Easter we celebrate that Jesus Christ rose from the dead. This miraculous event is certainly a reason for celebration. It proves that Jesus has power over even death.

And, what's more, he promises that he has power over your death. You may not be thinking about death at Eastertime.

You may not like to think about death at all. (Who does?) Still, we are all facing that reality. Sooner or later, our lives will end.

Then what? Plenty of people have plenty of ideas about what happens after we die. But there is one person who can tell us with certainty what will happen because he has already been there and done that. Jesus experienced death...and came back to life! Now, listen to what he promises all of his followers, "Because I live, you also will live."

Could there be any better news? Could there be anything more worth celebrating? Through Jesus, you do not

need to be afraid to die. You can be sure that one day he will raise your body back to life. And you will never die again.

What a reason to celebrate!

Celebrating in the resurrection victory with you,

Pastor Strong

#### Key Events This Month:

**4/12—Easter Victory Celebration**

**4/19—Council Meeting**

**4/26—Quarterly Voters Meeting**

**4/25—Men's Bible Study**



### *Light of the World Mission Statement*

*As a family of believers united in faith, we serve Jesus, the true Light of the World, as we **GATHER** around God's Word and the Sacraments and **GROW** together in our faith and our relationship with Jesus, so we can **GO** and share the good news of Jesus in our community and the world and **GLOW** with the love of*

# APRIL 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Lenten Devotion @ Home	2 5:00—Catechism on Zoom	3	4 10:00—Women's Bible Study on Zoom
5 Palm Sunday Worship @ Home 10:00—"One by One" Friendship Witnessing Workshop on Zoom	6	7 5:00—Catechism on Zoom	8	9 Maundy Thursday Worship—TBD	10 Good Friday Wor- ship—TBD	11 10:00—Women's Bible Study on Zoom
12 10:30—Easter Victory Celebration	13	14 5:00—Catechism on Zoom	15	16	17	18 10:00—Women's Bible Study on Zoom
19 9:15—Sunday School/BBB Class 10:30—Worship w/Communion 12:00—Council Meet- ing	20	21 5:00—Catechism 6:30—Choir	22	23	24	25 8:00—Men's Bible Study
26 9:15—Sunday School/BBB Class 10:30—Worship 12:00—Quarterly Vot- ers Meeting	27	28 5:00—Catechism 6:30—Choir	29	30	Church Cleaners for April: 4/12-4/18—Matherly 4/19-4/25—McMillan 4/26-5/2—Strong	