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**RAM House** dining room is closed through April. Bagged lunches will continue on *April* 2nd, 16th & 30th. Questions contact Kathy Arle: swakba@gmail.com

Every Sunday 10am. Drive-In parking lot Worship. Come park and attend worship in person, with masks and 6 feet social distancing, fellowship with others. Live Streaming available on Facebook and later-on our website.





Come and sign our **RED 2x4** wood beam on Sunday, as well as during the week. It will be placed in the wall raising

ceremony on April 15th, 9:30am along with 21 other Roanoke Valley congregations.



**Beware of Scams:** Please note you never have to pay for a vaccine appointment or shot. Don't put personal information on a website to help get you an appt. Verify all websites even those coming from friends and family, before putting in your personal info. Our Vaccine Team is here

to help with any questions you may have. Kelly Zuber, Kathy Arle. Deb McCorkindale & Kristi Downs.

### **April Birthdays!**

2nd- Kevin Schulz, Nicholas Garner, 3rd- Pastor Dave, Sean Rider, 4th- Bev Schulz, Bill Johnson, Ben Houtz, Chip Schumann, 7th-Nicole Firing, Cheri Keller, Silas Guzo, 9th-Shelley O'Brien, Mike Ahuero, Emily Pack, 10th-Jamie Esworthy, Eric Rothgery, 11th—Colin Arnold, Sabrina Borneff, 12th- Arthur Downs, 14th- Deb McCorkindale, Caryn Martin, 15th- Caitlin Schulz, Sara Stultz, 17th- Ned Wisnefski, 18th- Charles Downs, 19th- Darrin Firing, 22nd- Buck Mitchell, Grace Casola, 23rd- Bonnie Mitchell, Jo Dowdy, 24th- Zach Ingle, 26th- Dennis Furrow,

27th- Hugh Latimer, Cat Edwards, 29th- Wanda Hoge.

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## Christ's Mini Communique

# Come Greet the Risen Lord Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed !!!

This Sunday @ 10 am In the Parking Lot or Online

We are an Easter People and as we enter Holy Week and the anticipated Day of Resurrection, we know the rest of the story. Christ is Risen, He is Risen Indeed !!!

As Easter people we know how to wait, patiently and faithfully for the coming of Our Savior.

As we have been tried and tested throughout this time of pandemic, we have had to adapt and wait for the coming of the dawn. It is approaching and we will greet that day with jubilation and song. We as a people of God have been diligent in our service and worship. Gathering in the parking lot and online has been an interesting time of challenge and great opportunity.

We look forward to returning into our house of Worship when it is most safe. To that end, our team of dedicated members have been prayerfully deliberating and working on a way of doing that in the best way. We share with you the criteria we hope will satisfied by August 15<sup>th</sup> or sooner.: A Vaccination rate of 75% for the Roanoke Area and a two week average rate (PCR) of new Covid cases at a level of less than 3 %, are the two factors we are using to determine a safe return to indoor worship. Both factors can be found on the Virginia Department of Health Website at: https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/coronavirus/covid-19in-virginia-locality/

Continue to faithfully worship and rejoice!

### **Pray for Our Homebound Members:**

Katie Perfater, Benson Stanley, Marianne Shane.



### Please also pray for:

3/29 - Richard Heidemann, Oliver Bennett, Debbie (recovery).

3/22 – Bob Rohrback (cancer), & wife Sharon care-giver, Russell Booth. 3/15 - Greg Hoge (recovery), Bob Metz,

John, Wanda Adams, (cancer treatment), our friends and family who are experiencing depression, anxiety, or any form of mental illness, Sandra Brown (rehospitalization), Geri Monetti, Sandra Phillips (recovery), Ry, Michael, Emily.

(for previous prayer see last issue)

Families of: 3/8- Betty Sittler.

Devotions for April, May, June are available for pickup on Sunday mornings & during the week in the church office.

### **Sunday Scripture Readings**

April1st- - Maundy Thursday: Exod 12:1-14, Ps 116:1-2, 12-19, 1 Cor 11:23-26, John 13:1-17, 31b-25.

**April 2nd– Good Friday:** Isa 52:13-53:12, Ps 22, Hen 10:16-25, John 18:1-19:42.

April 3rd- Easter Vigil: Rom 6:3-1, John 20:1-18.

**April 4th- Easter Sunday:** Acts 10:34-43, Ps 118:1-2, 14-24, 1 Cor 15:1-11, Mark 16:1-8.

April 11th- 2nd Sunday of Easter: Acts 4:32-35. Ps 133, 1 John 1:1-2:2, John 20:19-31.

April 18th-3rd Sunday of Easter: Acts 3:12-19. Ps 4, 1 John 3:1-17, Luke 24:36b-48.

### Confirmation



- Student gathering 4/18 at church.
- ♦ Mentor/Student meeting by 4/18.
- Student gathering 5/2 at church.
- ◆ Confirmation Day 6.6 Drive-In Worship 10am.

www.faithatchrist.com/confirmation

If you have any questions about Confirmation at Christ Lutheran, contact Pastor Cindy.

pastorcindy@christlutheranroanoke,org



### **Maundy Thursday**

April 1st: 7pm Facebook Live Worship, with communion.

### **Good Friday**

April 2nd: 3pm Way of the Cross, from Christ Lutheran to Heights Community. 7pm Facebook Live, Tenebrae Service of Light into Darkness.

### **Easter Vigil**

7pm Facebook Live Streaming

### **Easter Sunday**

April 4th: 10am Drive-In & Facebook Live worship, bring your device to watch videos online.

All services are available later-on our website.

### **Easter Egg Hunt**

Our friends across the road at UUCR are planning a physically distant Easter egg hunt, & have invited us to join in! They will place these eggs in yards on the morning of **Sat.** 4/3 and retrieve them that afternoon, a map will be provided.

Contact Jessie McKeon:

Jmckeon@uuroanoke.org if you are interested in participating.



- Daily Devotions on Facebook
- Sundays 10am Drive-In & Facebook Live Worship
- Mondays 10:30 am Adult Bible Study ~ Via Zoom (resumes April 12th)
  - Tuesday Evenings April 6th, 2oth. Christ Youth Group Meeting 7 pm ~ Via Zoom (check remind app & emails for updates)
- Wednesday Evening Prayer 7 pm ~ Facebook Live (resumes April 14th)

https://www.facebook.com/christlutheranroanoke www.christlutheranroanoke.org

### Watch for ZOOM links for online gatherings.

Via ~ email, first class mail, Facebook & Christ Lutheran Church website.
Contact one of the pastors for Zoom login information.

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