

EASTER LILIES...

The lilies beautifying our church today are placed in loving memory of:

- † **Roger Blais** (Blais and Dunn families)
- † **Romuald & Winnifred Blais** (Blais and Dunn families)
- † **Edouard & Loretta Lauzon** (Blais and Dunn families)
- † **Percy & Barbara Dunn** (Blais and Dunn families)
- † **Erhardt & Jeanetta Hammel** (Blais and Dunn families)
- † **John Ryan** (Mary Ryan and family)
- † **Len & Kathleen Hawes, Albert & Emma Noack** (Grace and Martin Hawes)
- † **Jack, Ruth, John & Brad Wirth, Rhodella Giesebrecht, and Rhudolph & Rhoda Biesenthal** (Tamara Wirth)
- † **Donald Craig** (Dorothy Craig)
- † **Darlene Raglin** (Arnold Raglin and family)
- † by The Ladies Aid, in memory of loved ones

THANK YOU

A big thank you to all the many dedicated volunteers who helped make our *Jonah and the Whale Activity Day* a huge success. We had 21 adults and 35 children who attended. We received many compliments on our activities, which were enjoyed by all. -The Christian Education Board

LADIES AID MEETING CHANGED

Please note the Ladies Aid meeting scheduled April 7th is changed to **Tuesday, April 14th** starting with dinner at **6pm**. Everyone is invited! Guest speaker is Kevin Schafner from Teen Challenge, a Christian based not-for-profit program which is run out of Renfrew for men living with drug and alcohol addition. If you are interested, and plan to attend the dinner, please let Donna or Kim know.

SECOND BLESSINGS -A GRACE COMMUNITY MARKET

The LWML will be holding a sale of gently loved clothing, books, toys and decor items on **Friday, April 24th** and **Saturday, April 25th**. Any items of good used clothing, books, toys and decor items can be dropped off on Sunday, April 19th and during that week. Times will be posted in the bulletin at a later date.

COMING UP THIS WEEK...

THURS	5:00pm	Youth Catechesis
SUN	9:15am	Sunday School
	9:30am	Bible Study/Adult Catechesis
	10:30am	Divine Service (Setting 3)

LAST WEEK'S DISCIPLESHIP:

Worship Attendance -87	Sunday School -16	Membership -304
Total Offerings March 25/2026 \$315.00		

<u>Offerings</u>	<u>Received</u>
General Treasury	\$3,643.00
Plate	\$ 29.00
Total General Treas.	<u>\$3,672.00</u>
Missions	\$ 292.00
Sunday School	\$ 25.00
Lutheran Hour	\$ 20.00
Benefit Share (Augsburg)	\$300.00
Easter Breakfast	\$ 20.00
Fellowship (Mar 8,15,22)	\$ 232.20
Lent Supper (Mar 18,25)	\$ 114.00
Portals of Prayer	<u>\$ 79.57</u>
Total Offerings	<u>\$4,754.77</u>



Acts 10:34-43 So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality, but in every nation anyone who fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him. As for the word that he sent to Israel, preaching good news of peace through Jesus Christ (he is Lord of all), you yourselves know what happened throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John proclaimed: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him. And we are witnesses of all that he did both in the country of the Jews and in Jerusalem. They put him to death by hanging him on a tree, but God raised him on the third day and made him to appear, not to all the people but to us who had been chosen by God as witnesses, who ate and drank with him after he rose from the dead. And he commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead. To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name."

Colossians 3:1-4 If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

Matt. 28:1-10 Now after the Sabbath, toward the dawn of the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene and the other Mary went to see the tomb. And behold, there was a great earthquake, for an angel of the Lord descended from heaven and came and rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothing white as snow. And for fear of him the guards trembled and became like dead men. But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you." So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. And behold, Jesus met them and said, "Greetings!" And they came up and took hold of his feet and worshipped him. Then Jesus said to them, "Do not be afraid; go and tell my brothers to go to Galilee, and there they will see me."