

WELCOME TO SPIRIT OF TRUTH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Welcome visitors, we are glad you are here. Please sign our guest book near the entrance.

*Indicates to stand as you are able.

**PRELUDE ~ “Snowmelt” by Calvin Jones
Rhett Johnson**

WORDS OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOMENT OF SILENCE

***OPENING HYMN ~ “The King of Love My Shepherd Is” #198**

***CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS ~ Reclaim page 21**

***RESPONSIVE READING ~ Psalm 23:1-6**

¹ The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

² He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters.

³ He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name’s sake.

⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

***PRAYER OF THE DAY ~**

Living God, your Son cares for your people as a shepherd cares for his sheep, calling us each by name. Grant that we may hear and recognize his voice, and, following him, be brought safely through every trial and temptation; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

FIRST LESSON ~ Acts 2:42-47

SECOND LESSON ~ 1 Peter 2:19-25

CHILDRENS’ SERMON

***GOSPEL HYMN ~ “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” #212
refrain only**

***GOSPEL ~ John 10:1-10**

SERMON ~ “The Good Shepherd” ~ Pastor Jim Steen

***SERMON HYMN ~ “Who You Say I Am”**

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***APOSTLES’ CREED ~ RECLAIM Page 28**

***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH/THE LORDS’ PRAYER**

***OFFERING RESPONSE ~ “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” #211**
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***OFFERING PRAYER**

P: Merciful Father,

C: *We offer with joy and thanksgiving what You have first given us – ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of Your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of Him who offered Himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen*

CLOSING HYMN ~ “Savior, Like a Shepherd” #205

***BENEDICTION**

P: Go in peace, serve the Lord.

C: *Thanks be to God!*

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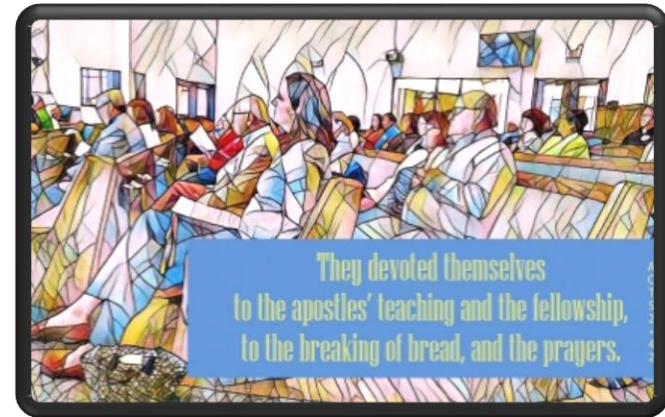
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*But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes,
He will guide you into all the truth.*

He will not speak on his own;

He will speak only what he hears,

And he will tell you what is yet to come.

John 16:13

April 26, 2026

9:30 am Worship Service