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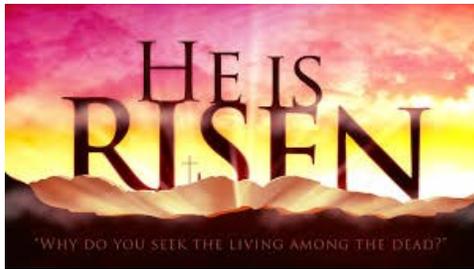
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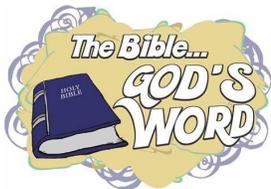
MONTHLY MEMORY VERSE

1 Corinthians 15:56
The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law.
57 But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.



BIBLE IN A YEAR

We welcome you to join us as we make our way through the bible this year. You will need to read through 1 Chronicles 15.



- Sun 4/6 ~ through 2 Samuel 19
- Sun 4/13 ~ through 1 Kings 11
- Sun 4/20 ~ through 2 Kings 10
- Sun 4/27 ~ through 1 Chronicles 6

Resurrection Sunday a remarkable reminder of Jesus' victory over sin and death

In the month of April we have a holiday that is coming up. Unlike some of the other holidays we celebrate: Christmas, Thanksgiving, New Year's, 4th of July, we do not celebrate it with a party or gifts. No. Instead, on Easter Sunday, or as my friend Mark says "Resurrection Sunday", we celebrate it by going to church OR by having a ham dinner. Everyone gets dressed up, and if there is an early service to go to, many will go there. That, at the regularly scheduled time, even more people got to the service. Between Christmas Eve, Easter Sunday, and Mother's day, Easter Sunday (Resurrection Day – which means "coming back to life"), is one of the top three attended Sundays.

On Easter Sunday, we not only celebrate by attending church, having a ham dinner, but also perhaps by hiding eggs (and other treats), and having children find them. This is a part of the tradition that we have had in the United States for quite some time. I will admit, it is fun and that I like black jelly beans. So, for that allows me to buy some at that time.

This all said, this is NOT the reason for Easter, specifically not for Resurrection Sunday. In fact, instead of colored eggs, treats, ham, or even church, what IS celebrated is Jesus' resurrection from the dead. We celebrate it on Sunday, because this is the day that He rose. We celebrate on the Sunday after the Passover, because this is day Jesus rose from the dead. This is also the reason that Easter Sunday changes every year, it is based on the Jewish calendar. Lastly, we celebrate Resurrection Sunday, because Jesus' death, burial and resurrection on Sunday (coming back to back to life), reminds us that death cannot be victory over Jesus, in

stead Jesus is victorious over death.

Jesus' resurrection from the dead, shows that He is not only victorious over sin, but also over death. And just as important, for those of us who trust and follow Jesus, we too live in this victorious life because of Jesus. I share this because, there are times we will no longer seek out eggs. I share this because at some point, we may not have a dinner on Easter that includes ham. I also share this because at some point in life, and due to transportation issues, we may not even be able to attend church. But not being able to celebrate Easter Sunday, I mean RESURRECTION SUNDAY, with these traditions will NEVER be able to take away Jesus' victory. I want us ALL to remember that putting our faith and trust in Jesus, we ALWAYS live in victory over sin and death. Do not let sin and life keep you down, keep in you bondage, or keep you overwhelmed. Instead, remember that Jesus HAS given you victory. He HAS given you hope. He has defeated sin and death. And as we walk with Jesus, we too live in the victory Jesus has given to us. Praise the Lord for this victory, as this IS what we celebrate not only on Easter Sunday (Resurrection Day) – Jesus coming back to life, but its also a something to celebrate everyday – that Jesus has giving me victory over sin and death. May this be at the center of celebration of Resurrection Sunday. As God gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

1 Corinthians 15:55 "Where, O death, is your victory? Where, O death, is your sting?" 56 The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. 57 But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.



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MAUNDY SERVICE ON APRIL 17TH

New Life will be hosting **Maundy Thursday** service at **7pm Thursday April 17th**. We will also have **potluck at 6pm** for all who want to join us.

This is a combined fellowship and service with Walnut Hill Bible Church and speaker Dan Gunderson, LaValle Advent Christian Church and speaker Andy Johnson, and the First Church of the Nazarene with speaker A.J. Strutz. At the end of the service, all attendees will celebrate Communion together. This is a great service to attend.

Join us every Wednesday from 6:00-7:00 pm for Children and Youth ministries. There are groups for Elementary kids, Middle School kids and High School students too.

Drivers may be needed



We continue to deliver Meals on wheels. We are scheduled to drive until April 25th. Call Pastor Jed to see if any more help is needed.

ROLLER SKATING FUN!!!

On Saturday April 5th, New Life people and friends will be going roller skating.

The skating time will be from 11:00am to 2pm . We will meet at New Life at 10:30 am and then carpool to City Skate Center in Portage. The cost will be \$7 each but free if you just come to watch. Bring extra money for snacks too.

EASTER MORNING APRIL 20th

8:30am Pancake Breakfast

10am Easter Service

Be sure to bring others so they can eat with you and celebrate Jesus with us!

Happy Anniversary

3 Roger & Judy Mislivecek



- 1 Michael Beckman
- 1 Oliver Taylor
- 2 Leah Van Hauten
- 2 Maci Crouse
- 11 Ray Zamzow
- 13 David Taylor
- 14 Tracy Fuller
- 15 Mary Hosely
- 16 Nathan Thompson
- 17 Nathan Henke
- 18 Roy Mjelde
- 22 Andrew Crouse
- 23 Solomon Stevens
- 24 Sarah Solchenberger
- 26 Steve Novak

Financial Report

February 2025

Actual Income \$18,777

Actual Expense \$12,246

Difference \$6,531

Budgeted Giving \$16,484

Budgeted Expense \$15,491

Difference \$993

2025 Year to Date

Actual Income \$35,057

Actual Expense \$30,470

Difference \$4,587

Budgeted Giving \$32,967

Budgeted Expense \$31,002

Difference \$1,965

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