

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

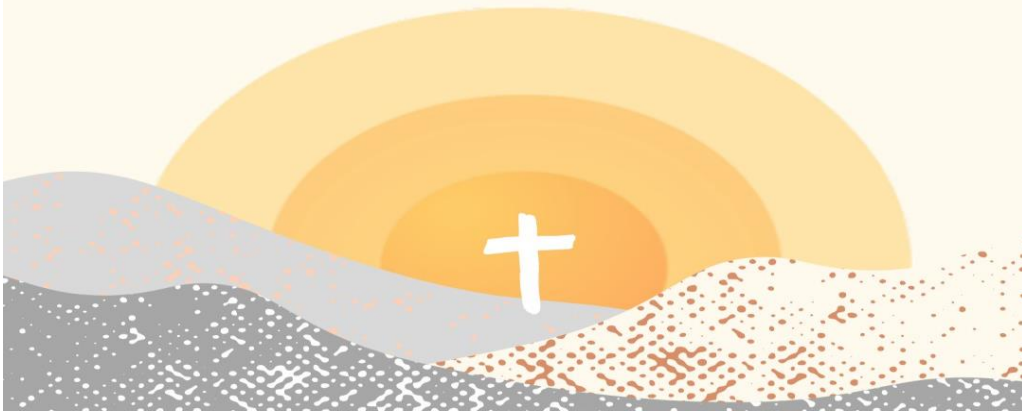
March 31, 2024 Easter Sunday

~ *Our Values* ~ **Christ First - Inviting - Joyful - Open-Minded**

~ *Our Mission Statement* ~ Inspired by the love of Christ, we are building a community that invites our neighbors into a relationship with God and each other.

Celebrate!

HE IS RISEN



Prelude

Crown Him Lord of All

by Mary McDonald



Call to Worship

Christ is risen! **Christ is risen!**

Christ is risen! **Christ is risen!**

Christ is risen! **Christ is risen indeed!**

This is the day that the Lord has made. **Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

Welcome and Announcements

*Hymn 123

Jesus Christ is Risen Today



*Easter Prayer

If, at times, we deny you, God forgive us.

When the risks of discipleship are high, and we are nowhere to be found:

God forgive us.

When we wash our hands of responsibility:

God forgive us.

When we cast our lot with powerful oppressors and seek to buy freedom with silver:

God forgive us.

When fear keeps us from witnessing to your truth, or prejudice keeps us from believing it:

God forgive us.

Silent Prayers

In the bright light of Easter morning, O God, our sin is exposed, and your grace is revealed.

God of all hope, raise us up in your love, so that,

we may see and proclaim the miracle of Christ's resurrection! Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Coming to Christ as a Child

Rob Cochran

Hymn 333

Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God



Prayer for Illumination

Liturgist: Astrid Santiago

Almighty God, by the power of your Spirit, roll away the stone and reveal to us new life, through your Holy Word. Amen.



Psalms 22:25-31



*Song

Chain Breaker



John 20:1-18



Meditation

Seeing Jesus



*Hymn 104

Christ Is Risen! Shout Hosanna!



*Affirmation of Faith *Apostle's Creed - Hymnal Pg.14* Liturgist: Astrid Santiago

*Song *Because He Lives (Amen)*



Presenting Our Offerings

Liturgist: Astrid Santiago

Prayer of Dedication



Lord Jesus Christ, bless our offerings and transform them into healing for the wounded, hope for the disheartened, courage for the frightened, and faith for the embittered. Use us to bring your hope and your life, we pray. Amen.

Offertory Anthem *I Know That My Redeemer Lives* arr. Lloyd Larson



The Sacrament of Communion

Invitation

Prayers around the Table and the Lord's Prayer



The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Words of Institution

Communion of God's People

You are invited to come forward and receive communion.

If it is best for you to stay at your seats, let the ushers know if you would like communion brought to you. There are also communion elements in the narthex.

If you are at home, please find something to be the bread and the cup for you.

Prayer After Communion

*Song *House of the Lord*



*Charge and Benediction

*Sending Song

*As you go out from this Easter celebration into Eastertide,
please take your flowers to enjoy or deliver to our homebased folks!*

Next Sunday celebrate Easter with 10AM worship & laughter on Holy Humor Sunday with special guest Marian & Friends. A family-friendly service followed by coffee hour.

All services are in the sanctuary and streamed @ www.standrewslebanon.org/watchlive

THIS WEEK AT ST. ANDREWS

Sun. Mar 31
Easter Sunday

Sunday School Resumes April 7th
10AM Worship
11AM Adult Class on Psalms Resumes April 7th
11:15AM **Community Easter Egg Hunt**
Ring & Sing and Youth Groups Resume April 7th



Tue. Apr 2

9-10AM Sew & Sew
1:30PM Band Together

Wed. Apr 3

6:00-6:45PM Praise Team Rehearsal
6:45-7:30PM Handbell Rehearsal
7PM WEBS (Wed. Eve. Bible Study) in Chapel
7:30PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Fri. Apr 5

9:30AM Fellowship Walking Group @ South Hills Park

Sun. April 7

9AM Sunday School For All / 10AM Worship
11AM Adult Sunday School Class on Psalms in Chapel
3:30PM Youth Ring & Sing Practice
4-6PM EPYC (6th -12th Gr.)/Trailblazers (1st – 5th Gr.)



Mission Spotlight for April is Deodorant & Toothpaste

Adult Sun. School: 9 AM: beginning Apr 7: The Resurrection: Leader Rev. Ivo Meilands; **11 AM Psalms:** Leader Rick Borger

New Era Event – Thur. April 18th – Tour of Chestnut St. Community Center – Sign up!

Concert Series - third concert of the season featuring the Perseverance Band of Lebanon on Friday, April 26th at 7:30PM.

The WEBS Group at 7PM in the Chapel: New study beginning on April 3rd. A study on the essentials to becoming a disciple of Jesus. What are we committing to when we say we want to follow Jesus? This study will use the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20) and other bible passages to tell us what Jesus expects of His followers. All you need for this study is your bible. Questions-contact Ken Gries kwgries1968@gmail.com or 717.679.0677 (call or text).

Ways to support the ministries of the church:

1. Mail a check. If you have offering envelopes, they're self-addressed & just need a stamp.
2. Online giving. <https://onrealm.org/standrewslebanon/-/give/now>
3. Text a gift: *SAPC* \$ _____ to 73256

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Jesus is Alive!

This is such good news, that we are celebrating for 50 days.
May these words open your eyes to the moments Christ appears.

Seek one word each day. Be Surprised!

You are invited to capture the moment with a picture or a few words.

There are open spaces to fill in, as the Spirit leads.

It will be a joy to share what we seek and find on Facebook and in Worship

CELEBRATE EASTER



50 DAYS OF SEEKING CHRIST IN THE WORLD!

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CELEBRATE EASTER SEASON

YOU ARE INVITED!



**MARIAN AND FRIENDS
IN WORSHIP
APRIL 7TH 10AM**



**PERSEVERANCE BAND
INDOOR CONCERT & RECEPTION
APRIL 26TH 7:30PM**



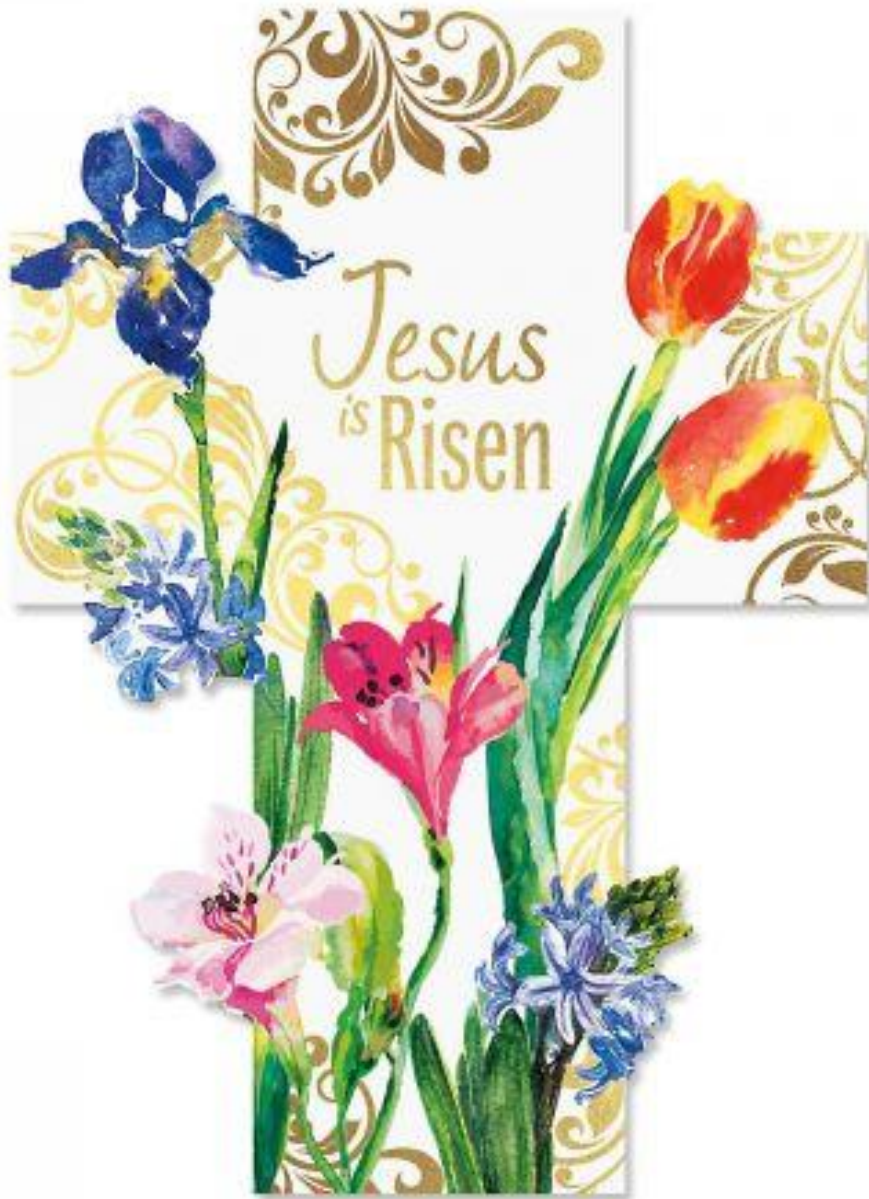
**LET'S PLAY DAY
MAY 4TH 10AM-2PM**



**SPARK PARK DAYS BEGIN
JUNE 4TH 10AM
JUNE 6TH 6PM**

Email Rob for details youth@standrewslebanon.org

**SUNDAY
9AM SUNDAY SCHOOL
10AM SERVICE
4-6PM YOUTH GROUP**



2024 Easter Flower List:



Easter Flowers Given In Honor of... by:

My children: John M. II and Robin M. Yates;

Edward J. and Amy M. Zabiegalski;

Timothy R. Yates and Stephanie Allen

and my grandson Robert L. Yates II

Pat Yates

My dedicated Deacon emeriti,

Maggie Beatty and Ann Ormond

Pat Yates

My caregivers at Spang Crest

Pat Yates

Our children & grandchildren

Bob & Marianne Kopp

Our grandchildren EmmaKate, Henry,

Addison, Hudson, Bobby & Hannah

Bob and Perry Latshaw

The Glory of our Risen Lord, Jesus Christ

Rick & Judy Borger

Great Grandchildren

Mr. & Mrs. John Solie

Grandma Sue

Jacob, Henry and Madeleine

John & Kathy Wissinger

Jim & Gayle Reilly



<i>Easter Flowers Given in Loving Memory of...</i>	<i>by...</i>
<i>My husband, Robert L. Yates</i>	Pat Yates
<i>My parents, Joseph E. Sr. and Mary B. McSparran, and Lorraine H. McSparran</i>	
<i>and my brother, Joseph E. McSparren Jr</i>	Pat Yates
<i>John M. and Mary E. Yates</i>	Pat Yates
<i>Our parents</i>	Bob and Perry Latshaw
<i>Frank Hoffman</i>	Patty Hoffman
<i>Larry Everhart</i>	Lorna Everhart
<i>Parents & Relatives</i>	Lorna Everhart
<i>My husband Ed, son Brett</i>	Kathy Crager
<i>My parents</i>	Kathy Crager
<i>Don & Mildred Beatty</i>	Don & Margaret Beatty
<i>Wilson & Evelyn Hixson</i>	Don & Margaret Beatty
<i>My husband, Leo; our parents; and all loved ones</i>	Betty Ann Seiser
<i>Grandma and Boompa</i>	Jacob, Henry, and Madeleine
<i>Morrie and Corrine Overholt, Jeannie Overholt</i>	the David Overholt family
<i>John W. Magill, Jr</i>	the David Overholt family
<i>Our Parents and Brothers</i>	Dick & Bonnie Houtz
<i>Our Parents</i>	Rod & Anne Keith
<i>Our Mothers</i>	Jim & Gayle Reilly
<i>Norman Ross; Carl Gries Jr.</i>	Ken & Robin Gries



***Easter Flowers
Given in Memory of Loved Ones,
by:***

Karen & Charlie Dielmann

Lorna Everhart

Barb and Jack Kopeski

Bob and Marianne Kopp

Bob & Perry Latshaw

Julie and Bob Ogurcak

Dennis & Karen Shalters

Dr. & Mrs. Fred Jones

Ken & Robin Gries