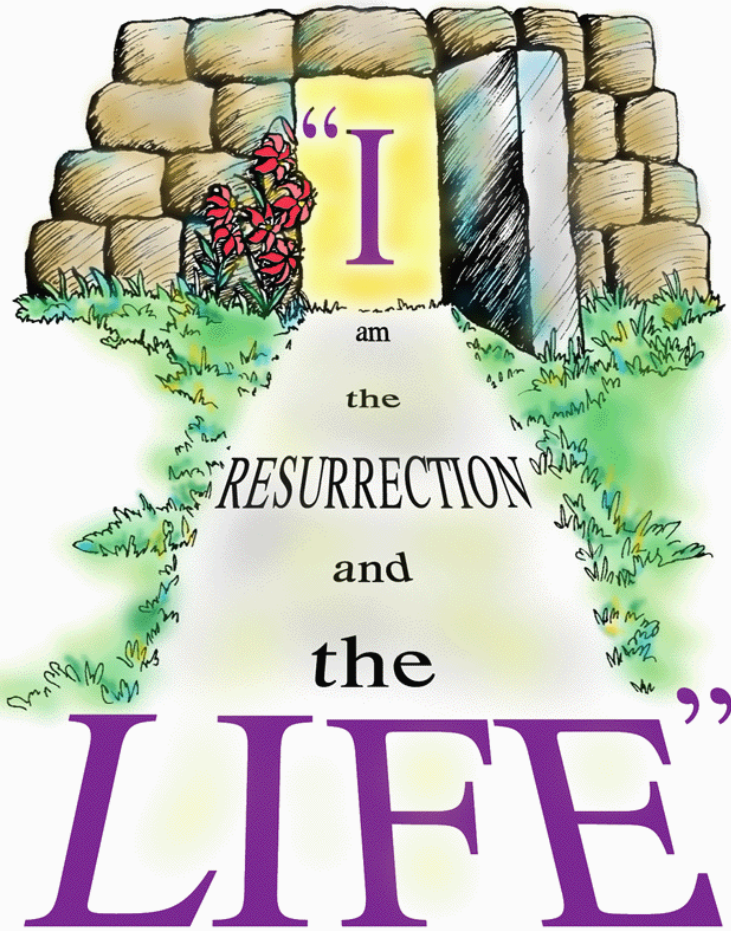


ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

April 21, 2019



John 11:25

Elim Covenant Church
5201 18th Avenue Moline, IL 61265
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WORSHIP CELEBRATION

April 21, 2019

Elim's mission statement:

"To develop leaders who will impact the world for Christ."

GATHERING BEFORE GOD

We are invited into the presence of God!

Please turn your cell phones off

Please sign the register book & pass it on.

PRE-WORSHIP MUSIC SET

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elizabeth Peterson

MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH

*"When they hurled their insults at him, he did not retaliate;
when he suffered, he made no threats. Instead, he entrusted
himself to him who judges justly."*

— 1 Peter 2:23

ADORATION TO GOD

We offer to God "a sacrifice of praise," expressing our
love and devotion to Him.

WORSHIP SONGS

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

Blue Hymnal, page 264

"What a Beautiful Name It Is"

CHILDREN'S SERMON

(Children dismissed for Children's Church, please for ages 3 thru 5th grade only).

ELIM CHOIR EASTER CANTATA

OFFERTORY

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

HEARING FROM GOD

We give our attention to God by opening our lives to His Word! We invite God's Spirit to take this Word into our lives that we might be formed into the image and likeness of Jesus!

WORDS FROM GOD

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

*Scripture Reader, Mike Hermann
(Red Bibles p. 1205)*

MESSAGE

"The Power of the Resurrection"

By Pastor Steve Peterson

PRAYERS TO GOD

Now that God has spoken to us, it is time for us to speak to Him!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BEING SENT BY GOD

God sends us out into the world that He desperately loves.

SONG *"Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven" Blue Hymnal, page 249*

BENEDICTION

Scripture Readings for the Week

<i>April 21st</i>	<i>John 8:31-32</i>
<i>April 22nd</i>	<i>Zechariah 4:6</i>
<i>April 23rd</i>	<i>Isaiah 41:13</i>
<i>April 24th</i>	<i>Psalms 149:4</i>
<i>April 25th</i>	<i>Acts 16:31</i>
<i>April 26th</i>	<i>Psalms 30:5</i>
<i>April 27th</i>	<i>1 Corinthians 7:14</i>

TODAY'S GREETERS

Cecil and Carolyn Grimes

HEAD USHER

Mike Hermann

USHERS

Chris Carsell, Jim Nelson, Ethel Hesler

SOUND SYSTEM

Tom Lancial

POWER POINT VIDEO

John Thompson

Sermon Notes
April 21, 2019
“The Power of the Resurrection”
1 Corinthians 15:19-26

Key Text: “... *He has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead*” (1 Peter 1:3).

Key Thought: In Christ, we have the hope of being raised from the dead, just as He was raised from the dead.

- 1) Intro & Context
- 2) Confirmation:
 - a) Jesus is the **SON OF GOD** (cf. Acts 3:15; 13:32-35)
 - b) Jesus conquered death (cf. 1 Cor. 15:54-57; Heb. 2:14-15)
- 3) Affirmation: Those in Christ will also be resurrected from the dead (cf. Jn. 11:25-26; Rom. 8:11; 1 Cor. 6:14)
- 4) Association: Those made **RIGHTEOUS** by Christ have His resurrection life (cf. Ps. 118:20; Acts 10:34-35, 43; 1 Cor. 15:23)
- 5) Implication: Made alive to **LIVE** for Him (cf. Rom. 6:11-13; Gal. 2:20)
- 6) Application
 - a) Live by faith (Gal. 2:20; 3:11) “*For we live by faith, not by sight.*” (2 Cor. 5:7)
 - b) Live in **HOPE** (cf. Rom. 8:24-25; 15:13; 1 Pt. 1:3)
 - c) Live to love (cf. Jn. 13:34; 1 Jn. 4:16) “... *God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them.*”
- 7) Conclusion

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION:

1. Do you have the personal assurance of salvation and the hope of an eternal life in heaven with God?
2. Is Jesus’ resurrection power alive in you?

PRAYER PAGE

Praises: He is risen! He is risen indeed! And has paid the price for all of our sins: past, present and future! My Redeemer lives! Hallelujah!

Prayer Concerns: Those who resist the wonderful gift of salvation and a relationship with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:

Earl Burklund, Arlene Miller, Margaret Hasty, Anna Swanson, Jay and Judie Stanley, Ann Seyller, Jonnie McDermand, Margaret Crandall, Tasha Munger, Iva Cutler, Beverly Reese, and families that have lost loved ones, military families, and unspoken concerns.

Pray for Covenant Missionary:

Cathy Campobello, serving in Colombia in Evangelism and Outreach Community Development

My favorite part of being a Covenant missionary is living where God has called me, and enjoying the culture and all of its variables is a delight for me.



Prayer Following Worship

Please feel free to take your burden or praise to one of the Elim Prayer Team members available to pray with you. Team members include Julie, Linda, Carolyn, Juanita, Tasha, and Martin and can be easily found at the back of the sanctuary in the northwest classroom behind the sound system booth.

Prayer Gatherings

Each Monday evening at 5:30 p.m. there is a prayer gathering held at Elim. Also, there is a Wednesday morning prayer group meeting in Pastor's office at 7:00 a.m. You are encouraged to come and pray with the team members and share your requests/praises.

Prayer Chain

The prayer network is used when special needs arise during the week. Call Sandy at the church 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. otherwise call or text Tasha Munger at (309) 281-8784 with your request. If no answer, you may leave your concern on the answering machine and it will be relayed ASAP.

Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess.

Hebrews 4:14

***Congregational Meeting, Sunday, April 28,
following the church service.***

UPCOMING EVENTS

Conflict Management Workshop

Tom Wirtz is a trained mediator with years of experience in conflict mediation. He'll be teaching how to manage and resolve conflicts. These skills will help you develop and establish strong relationships, whether at home or work or in the church. Come learn, grow and be blessed! **Tuesday, April 23** from **6:00-8:00 p.m.**

Spring Salad Luncheon

Thursday, April 25, First Covenant Church, 3303 41st Street, Moline, will be hosting a salad luncheon from **11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** Tickets are available by calling the church office (764-7525) or Peg Milburn (235-3284). Adults \$8.00, children \$1.00. Express area available.

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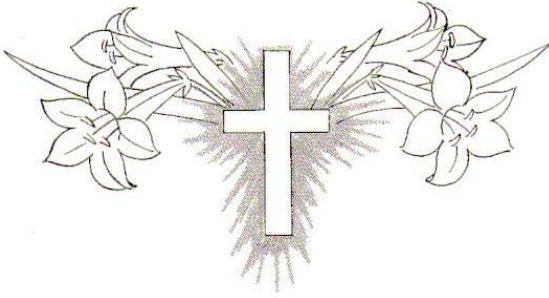
Saturday, April 27 from **9:00 to 11:00 a.m.** All women are invited. Please join us!!

Men's Breakfast

The next Men's Breakfast will be **Saturday, May 4** at **8:00 a.m.** There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the gathering area.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) for Adults

Don't forget to sign up for VBS for Adults (**May 15-17**) by calling Chip Hesler (721-4947) or the church office (764-6920). Registration with payment (\$20.00) is due by **Friday, May 3!** You won't want to miss out! There is more information on the table in the gathering area. Be sure to invite your friends.



The Easter Lilies that are brightening our sanctuary are to bless those we love and to honor those who are gone this Easter season. Thank you.

Tom and Annette Lancial	Parents and grandson
Deanna Newton	Parents
Leonna Ellis	Vicki McElhiney
Karen Bowling	Daughter, Lori
Mary Murphy	Daughter, Kelly
Marilyn Smith	Bill and Brad
Katie Clarke	Bob
Pat Hudson	Tom and Parents
Julie and Gary Wells	Parents
Don and Sheila Yoeckel	Parents
Nick and Lacey Wagner	Grandpa
Bill and Cindy Minard	Shirley Anderson and Lynette Marr
Dora Beth Christy	Dad
Dale and Linda Gilmour	Parents
Rodney and Judy Ouderkirk	Parents and Son, Tommy
Sandy Winthurst	John Hutchison
Sandy Winthurst	Marty Winthurst

Looking Ahead

Sunday	April 21	9:00 a.m. Easter Sunday Breakfast 10:15 a.m. Pre-Worship Music Set in the Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service
Monday	April 22	5:30 p.m. Prayer Team Gathering 6:30 p.m. CIU RICU Prayer Meeting
Tuesday	April 23	9:30 a.m. SAS Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Conflict Management Workshop
Wednesday	April 24	7:00 a.m. "Amped" Prayer Meeting 5:30 p.m. Dollar Dinner 5:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study 6:00 p.m. <i>SPARK & AXIS</i> 6:15 p.m. Video Study on the History of the Church
Thursday	April 25	9:00 a.m. Keenagers Coffee Time/Bible Study
Saturday	April 27	9:00 a.m. SPLASH
Sunday	April 28	9:00 a.m. Sunday School and Confirmation 10:15 a.m. Pre-Worship Music Set in the Sanctuary 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service 12:00 p.m. CIU Julie Wells 4:00 p.m. GriefShare

April Birthdays

24 — Pennie Knary
24 — Jane Peterson
29 — Chip Hesler

May Birthdays

2 — Steve Coil
3 — Xander Coryn
8 — Pat Whiting
13 — Lorraine Carsell

April Anniversaries

27 — Amakoe and Abigail Akpla
30 — Gary and Pat Hansen

May Anniversaries

15 — Tom and Annette Lancial

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Attendance Last Week Sunday School = 56 Worship = 128

CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

TODAY, April 21

Sunday Spark: Victoria Fowler (Ashley Parrott)
Sunday Spark Jr.: Dora Beth Christy (Lacey Wagner)
Nursery: Natalie Hermann and Ralene Luong

NEXT WEEK, April 28

Sunday Spark: Victoria Fowler (Sandy Parrott)
Sunday Spark Jr.: Dora Beth Christy (Rachel Peterson)
Nursery: Abby Peterson and Amanda Le

MOWING SCHEDULE

May 4 Jim Nelson and Mike Hermann
May 11..... Don Peterson and Don Yoeckel