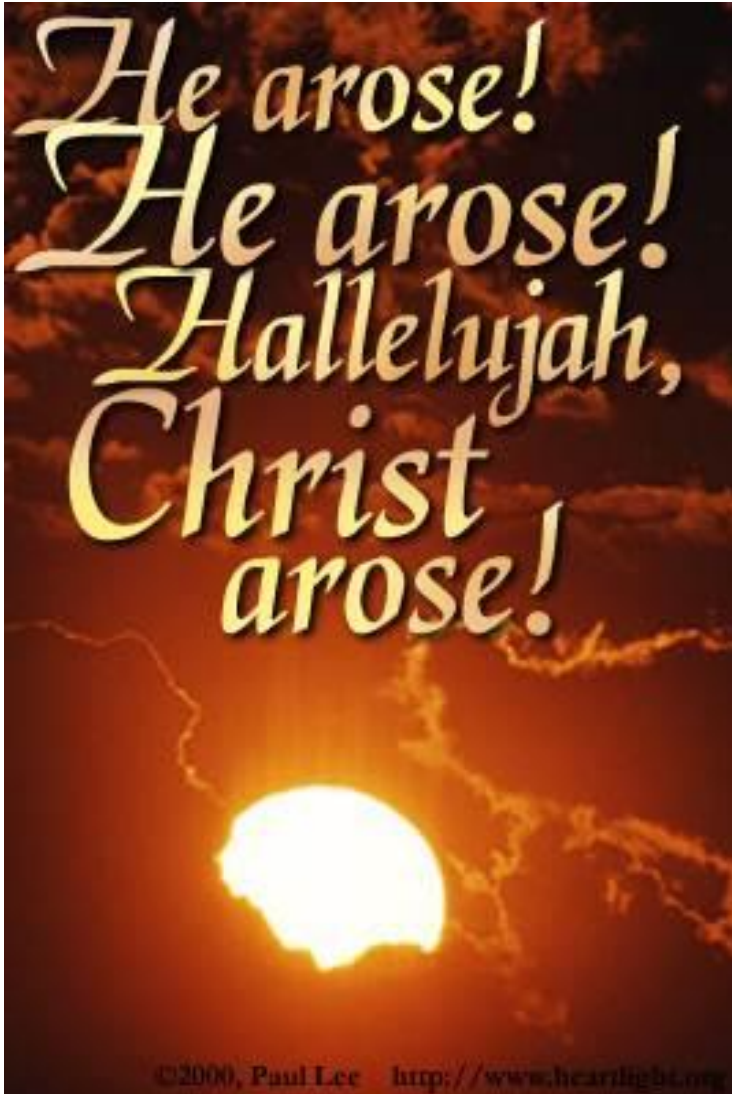


# ELIM COVENANT CHURCH

April 17, 2022



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# WORSHIP CELEBRATION

April 17, 2022

10:30 a.m.

## *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*

*The service is also being live-streamed and recorded for immediate or later viewing, and can be accessed at [elimqc.org](http://elimqc.org)*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## OFFERING

### **MEMORY VERSE OF THE MONTH**

*"Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God.*

*Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God."*

*— 1 John 4:7*

### **ADORATION TO GOD**

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

## WORSHIP SONGS

*"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"*

*"He Lives"*

*"Behold the Lamb"*

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

### **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

**Luke 24:1-12; 1 Cor. 15:19-26**

## **MESSAGE**

**“The Easter Message”**

**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 passionately loves.

## **WORSHIP SONG**

*“Crown Him with Many Crowns”*

## **BENEDICTION**

### **April Birthdays**

17 – Jayvan Fowler

18 – Cindy Minard

19 – Rachel Luong

20 – Cora Ferry

20 – Tim Hennings

### **April Birthdays**

20 – Pat Hansen

24 – Pennie Knary

24 – Jane Peterson

29 – Chip Hesler

### **April Anniversaries**

27 – Amakoe and Abigail Akpla

## **Navigator Bible Reading Plans**

	<b>New Testament</b>	<b>Book-at-a-Time Bible Reading Plan</b>
April 17	Matthew 9	Matthew 8-10; Psalm 62
April 18	Matthew 10	Matthew 11-13; Psalm 63
April 19	Matthew 11	Matthew 14-16; Psalm 64
April 20	Matthew 12	Matthew 17-19; Psalm 65
April 21	<i>Reflection</i>	<i>Reflection</i>
April 22	<i>Reflection</i>	Matthew 20-22; Psalm 66
April 23	Matthew 13	Matthew 23-25; Psalm 67

***Full Bible Reading Plans are on the table in the gathering area.***



## PRAYER PAGE

**Praises:** He is risen! He is risen indeed!

**Prayer Concerns:** Those who don't know Jesus as their Savior.

**Those in Need of God's Strength and Healing:**

Katie Clarke	Arlene Miller	Belva VanNorman
Anna Swanson	Judie Stanley	Margaret Crandall
Tasha Munger	Felipe Cantu	JoAnn Nelsen
Gary Wells	Curt Jackson	Sandy Winthurst

Families that have lost loved ones, caregivers, military families, and unspoken concerns.

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**Pray for Covenant Missionaries:**

**Grace Shim**

Grace's ministries include being part of the Asia Regional Coordination Team (ARCT) and Pursuing God's Wholeness in Communities.

*Something I've learned from our global ministry partners:* They teach me that following Jesus requires courage, faith, and perseverance as they face opposition, persecution, and overwhelming community needs.



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## **Prayer Opportunities**

**Prayer Cards:** Feel free to use the prayer cards for your requests and drop them in the offering plate.

**Prayer Following Worship:** Elim Prayer Team is available to pray with you after the service in the Jeremiah classroom at the back of the sanctuary.

**Prayer Gatherings:** Mondays at 5:30 p.m. and Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. Come and pray with the team members and share your requests/praises.

**Prayer Chain:** Have a prayer need? Call Sandy at the church at (309) 764-6920 Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. or call or text Tasha Munger at (309) 281-8784 with your request.



## Elim's 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration!

Elim is celebrating 75 years as an Evangelical Covenant Church. We will celebrate on **Sunday, May 1** with a potluck and have areas set up around the church featuring the different ministries of Elim (past and present). There is a sign-up sheet for the potluck on the table in the gathering area.

### Daytime Trivia

Come and join us this **Tuesday, April 19** at **11:00 a.m** for more trivia fun with Cindy Minard. Bring your sack lunch or carryout for 30 minutes of fellowship and strategy. Game starts at **11:30 a.m.** and finishes at 2:00 p.m. Invite others for fun. \$5.00 per person. Proceeds go to S.P.L.A.S.H. women's ministry.

### S.P.L.A.S.H.

Ladies — just a reminder — **S.P.L.A.S.H.** is on **Saturday, April 23**, from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. All women are invited. Please join us!!

### Workdays at Camp Summit

On **April 23** and **May 14**, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. there will be workdays at Camp Summit. Questions? Contact Don Yoeckel.



### Congregational Meeting

On **Sunday, April 24, 2022**, there will be a quarterly congregational meeting immediately following the church service. Please plan to stay and get updated on all that's going on at Elim.

### VBS is Coming Soon!

*Discovery on Adventure Island* begins **Wednesday, April 27**. Watch for coming details! River rock donations are needed for VBS projects. Contact **Elizabeth Peterson** if you can help with this. Thanks!



*The Easter lilies that are brightening our sanctuary are to honor loved ones this Easter season. Thank you.*

<u><b>Provided by</b></u>	<u><b>In Honor or Memory of</b></u>
Dale and Linda Gilmour	Parents
Karen Bowling	Daughter, Lori
Mary Murphy	Husband and Daughter
Cindy and Bill Minard	Gram and Mother
Pat Hudson	Parents and Tom
Tracey Garcia	Grandparents
Deanna Newton	Parents
Rodney and Judy Ouderkirk	Parents; Sons, Tom and Evan
Tom Lancial	Annette
Tom Lancial	For Elim Family
Rollie Potts and Becky and Byron Reynolds	Joan Potts
Leonna Ellis	Vickie McElhiney
Pennie Knary	Dad, Mom, and Kenneth
Terry and Diane Snipes	Parents
Don and Sheila Yoeckel	Parents
Claudine Patton	Carrie, Charley, and Pat
Burl, Jolene Anderson and Luna	Daughter Elaina; Parents Cal and Ruth Ocker, and Mardee Blunke
Sandy and Steve Parrott	Parents and Jamie
Pastor Steve and Elizabeth	Bob Telfer
Pastor Steve and Elizabeth	Carolyn Preston

## Looking Ahead

Sunday	April 17	9:00 a.m. Easter Breakfast 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service
Monday	April 18	5:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting
Tuesday	April 19	9:30 a.m. <b>SAS</b> Bible Study 11:00 a.m. Daytime Trivia 6:00 p.m. Grief Group
Wednesday	April 20	9:00 a.m. "AMPED" Prayer Meeting 5:45 p.m. Axis 6:00 p.m. Children's Ministry 6:00 p.m. Financial Peace University
Thursday	April 21	9:15 a.m. Keenagers Bible Study
Friday	April 23	9:00 a.m. S.P.L.A.S.H.
Sunday	April 24	9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Celebration Service 11:45 a.m. Congregational Meeting

## Attendance Last Week

Sunday Worship = 95; Views on YouTube = 24

Sunday School/Children's Church = 30

## CHILD CARE SCHEDULE

### TODAY, April 17

Children's Church: Elizabeth Peterson and Kelly Wood

Nursery: Sandy Parrott and Danyelle Lister

### NEXT WEEK, April 24

Children's Church: Elizabeth Peterson and Kelly Wood

Nursery: Sheila Yoeckel and Jamie Cespedes



### Current Needs:

**Children's Hygiene: Baby powder, soap,**

**lotion, body wash, underwear**

**Men's and Women's Underwear – all sizes**

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