

Fox River Lutheran Church

April 16, 2017

“Resurrection Grace”

Greeting/Praise and Worship/Prayer Bill & Pat

Video: “The Resurrection”

Song: “*Crown Him with Many Crowns*” Screen

Testimony – “How Grace Saved Me” Larry Thorsen

Special Music: Choir

Children’s Sermon Sue Bernardoni

Scripture Reading: Mary Court
Luke 24:1-8 Romans 8:10-11 1 Corinthians 15:3-8, 14

Special Music: John Morrow

Sermon: John 14:19 – “Jesus Rises from the Dead”
Series: “What’s So Amazing About Grace?”

Offering/Response Music by: Ted Kowalczyk

Prayer/Blessing

Song: “*Majesty*” Screen

Coming up at FRLC

Today: "He Has Risen"

Worship Service 9:15 a.m.

Nursery: Rita Pope & Rebekah Varland

Children's Church: No Children's Church Today

No Sunday School Today

Youth Group: No Youth Group this Evening 6:00 p.m.

****If this is your first visit to Fox River****

Please stop by the **"10 Minute Party"** room located off the foyer.
Receive information on Fox River and enjoy some coffee & donuts.

This Week:

Tue. - Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Wed. - Women's Bible Study @ Mincks 8:30 a.m.

Men's Bible Study @ Church 6:00 p.m.

LIFT (Women's Support Group) 6:00 p.m.

AWANA (5:00 p.m. dinner) 6:00 p.m.

John Stufflebeam Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Thu. - Women's Bible Study @ Hendrons 9:00 a.m.

Varness Bible Study (in Morris 815-942-6962) 6:00 p.m.

Petersons Bible Study (in Somonauk) 7:00 p.m.

Fri. - Prayer Meeting for FRLC 10:30 a.m.

Sat. - Men's Recovery 7:00 p.m.

Next Sunday:

Worship Service 9:15 a.m.

Nursery: Goray Family & Katie Varland

Children's Church: Spencer Gardner & Marissa Rennick

Sunday School for all ages 11:00 a.m.

Youth Group: Meet the Leaders – George & Christy 6:00 p.m.

Audio and visual sermons available at www.foxriverlutheran.org

NOTE: Hearing assistance is available – ask an usher for help.

Large print bulletins available from ushers

Please turn off your cell phones

PRAYER LIST – April 16, 2017

General Prayer

Foreign Mission Congregations

World war on terror **Lauren Zaeske – Campus Life**
Revival: Fox River and area churches, in our nation
Protection for Israel and persecuted Christians
Christian Missionaries Proposed Railroad
Council Members Jane Vogt - Treasurer
College Students Cass Washington (W. Univ)
 Andre' Wodfork, Jr. (W. Univ)

Personal Prayer Requests

Salvation - loved ones, neighbors, co-workers & Children
Marriages and Families **Denise VanKirk's mom (peace)**
People with depression & grief **Jobs - Small business**
People suffering with addictions **People healed from alcoholism**
Couples trying to have a baby/or adopt **Babies on the way**
Matthew - gay lifestyle **Holly-closer walk with God**
Duncan- God's direction & healing for family **Sara Seidler**
Jeff & Val- healing & direction (C.E.) **Dee – Depression**
Ken & Toni Lovell (health/family) **Brother in jail**
Rob & Becky Trout (health/family) **Tim - Deliverance & Salvation**
Step daughter & baby **Tornado Victims**

Servicemen and Women

DEPLOYED

Marcus Christensen (Spain) L.C.
Clay Jutila (USMC) Japan

IMMEDIATE FRLC FAMILY

Ben Cockrel (USMC) (Varland)
Luke Jackson (USMC).
Aaron Hart (Army)
Trevor Hornbeck (USMC) J.H
Ryan Gardner (A.F.B. S. Dakota)

ADDITIONAL TROOPS

Keith Carretto (USMC) S.M.
Kiersten Peterson (Army Nat'l G.)
Derrick Risley (Army Nat'l Guard)
Robert Coleman (Army) Candy

Zach Hadfield (G. A. Steffens)
Ed Henry (USAF) B. Carnes
Kevin & Kurt Laughary (Navy)
James Rhoads (USMC) R.S.
Jason J. Thieme (Army) J.T.
Elizabeth Vallereall (USMC)
Ryan Williams (USMC) A.V.
Dylan Snodgrass (USMC) M.L.
Ken Bebar (Army) R. B.
Austin Findley (Fort Bragg)
Tyler Hoard (USAF)
Lauren Buchanan (USAF)
Nikki Funkhauser (USMC)
Evan Piron (A.F.B. Texas)

Those with Health Needs

Jim Gottberg (health)	Josh Stiles – (kidney needed)
Jerrod (healing) (Shirlene P.)	Bruce Southcombe (health)
Paul Pavlik & Family (health issues)	Paul Brown (health)
Elsie Forsythe (health)	Cindy Nelson (health)
Kirby Myers (health)	Lane Barbier(health)
Daniel Papillon (health)	P.J.
Rita Bebar's Brother (infections)	Rudy Varju's Mother
Dan DiGuido (recovery)	Theresa Pinney (health)
Sunny Stufflebeam (health)	Doug (lung infection)
Teresa McCullough (back pain)	Jim Spertzel (severe lung problems) L.N.
Frankie McKenna	Lupe Torres (health)C.B.
Janet Strode (health)	Amanda Clemons (health)
Dean Brandenburg (health)	Coyte (badly burned)
Renee (health issues)	George Steffen Sr. (health)
Rick Campbell (health)	Delores Garcia (Health)
Jean Eichelberger (strength & healing)	Emily (Holman)Nash (brain tumor)
Susan Johnson (severe cardiac issues)	Maxine Varness(recovery)
Addison Rose – Baby	Mike (brain tumor)
Brad Weis (motor Cycle Accident)	Shirley Niewinski (health)
Peter Jacobs (infection after surgery)	Darcy Varland (health)
Joe Steffen's Father Jim (heart health)	Jessica Madsen (broken ankle)
Claudia Eichelberger (recovery)	Jude (baby boy)
Roger (bad heart & cancer)	Virginia Killian (foot surgery recovery)
Anna Lubke (health)	Ed Peterke (Recovery from accident)
Paul Harner (foot)	Rich Tuntland (health)
Lynn (graves disease)	Larry Borneman's Mother (health)
Alice (health)	

Those with Cancer

Greg Mathre (lymphoma)	Beth Kotz (cancer)
Arla Melhorn (Rudy V.)	Melonie Bebar
Barb (breast cancer surgery) S.S.	Teresa Snyder (chemo)
Bruce Brown	Jill Oldenberg (breast cancer)
Sandra O'Flanagan (ovarian)	Dorothy Evans
Jim Barton	Kazia Blair (bone cancer)
Michael Doll (cancer)	Gloria Flaa
Kami Terry	Janet DeLongo (in remission)
Michelle (breast & bone Cancer)	Rick Tirevold (brain cancer)
Cindy Carlson (3 rd time with cancer)	Elsie (pancreatic cancer)
Ed Hall (liver cancer)	Susan Richards (stomach cancer)
Bill Ficht (bladder cancer)	Tanner (leukemia) K. Cook
Jeff Harris (lung & brain cancer)	Lance (Colin cancer)
Bill (stage 4 hodgkins lymphoma)	Dave Matthews (brain cancer)
Beth S. (breast cancer)	Sandi (Uterine cancer)
Rudy Varju's Aunt (cancer)	Baby with brain tumor
Judy (colon cancer)	Scott Gottberg (lung cancer)
Mary (ovarian cancer)	Robin (cancer)

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT

AWANA

Wednesday, April 26th we will have our AWARDS CEREMONY. You are encouraged to invite anyone you like. On this night Parents will NOT be dropping off their children. You will be staying with your child as this is not a regular night. We will meet in the sanctuary for the ceremony! It will be at the regular time 6:00 – 7:30 p.m. All children will get an award for participating in Awana and those who have finished a book will also receive their book award at that time.

Every Family is also asked to bring a plate of cookies to share. After the Awards Ceremony we will have a cookie Celebration!

A 2 Question Survey

In an effort to provide opportunities to engage everyone who worships here in Kingdom work, we have a very short survey. The purpose of this survey is to get each person “thinking big” about what inspires them and to use this information to possibly inform future ministry here. Please either type this link into your computer (or smartphone) browser to take the survey or pick up a paper copy of the survey at the Information Desk and return it to Linda in the church office. We would like to have this completed in two weeks. Thank you for taking the time to answer these questions thoughtfully!
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DHDZM3H>

Anyone interested in helping with church Safety please contact Dana Kiesling at drkt45@live.com or 815-791-9197

Luke 24:1-8

^{24:1} “On the first day of the week, very early in the morning, the women took the spices they had prepared and went to the tomb. ²They found the stone rolled away from the tomb, ³but when they entered, they did not find the body of the Lord Jesus. ⁴While they were wondering about this, suddenly two men in clothes that gleamed like lightning stood beside them. ⁵In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, “Why do you look for the living among the dead? ⁶He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: ⁷‘The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.’ ” ⁸Then they remembered his words.”

Romans 8:10-11

^{8:10} “But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life because of righteousness. ¹¹And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you.”

1 Corinthians 15:3-8, 14

^{15:3} “For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, ⁴that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, ⁵and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. ⁶After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. ⁷Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles, ⁸and last of all he appeared to me also, as to one abnormally born. ¹⁴And if Christ has not been raised, our preaching is useless and so is your faith.”