

Announcements this week

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS TO HOST FOR FELLOWSHIP:

Each Sunday we are always looking for new volunteers to help set up coffee, juice and treats for our members and visitors following Sunday Worship. Please see the kiosk in the narthex to sign up.

For more information about Fellowship, please contact Ann Miller (Fellowship Chair) annmiller1966@gmail.com or 703-593-8226

ECLA GLOBAL BARNYARD: Please donate in the 'trough' inside our Barn on the table in the Narthex as you feel called to do so! Make checks payable to Shepherd of the Mountains. Any cash donations are also welcome. The last day for donations is **March 22nd**.

SNACKS IN BACKPACKS

CCPC Snacks in Backpacks is back! Pack snacks for students in Summit County and Wasatch Back areas who need a little extra food on the weekends. **Tuesdays, 1-3pm** on the following dates: **April 21st, May 5th, and May 26th**. Signup sheet is posted on the kiosk.

COMMUNITY PRAYER- SOM is hosting an upcoming community prayer on Thursday, March, 26th at 9:30-10am All Are Welcome! See Kiosk for all upcoming dates and locations.

EASTER BRUNCH There will be an Easter Brunch after the service on April 5th. Please sign up on the Kiosk if you are coming and what you're bringing.

EASTER LILIES

Order Lilies for the beauty of our Easter worship! Price per plant is \$10.00. Payment due with order. Sign-up sheet is posted on Kiosk

Fifth Sunday in Lent



Sunday, March 22nd at 11:15am..... *Linda Kay Player Wilcox Desimone Celebration of life*

Monday, March 23rd at 6:30pm..... *Property Meeting*

Wednesday, March 25th at 6:00pm *Soup Supper*

Wednesday, March 25th at 7:00pm .. *Lenten Worship*

Thursday, March 26th at 9:30am *SOM Hosts Community Prayer*

Sunday, March 29th at 10:00am..... *Palm Sunday*

Thursday, April 2nd at 7:00pm..... *Maundy Thursday*

Friday, April 3rd at 7:00pm..... *Good Friday*

Sunday, April 5th at 10:00am..... *Easter Sunday*

Sunday, April 5th at 11:00am..... *Easter Brunch*

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WED. SOUP SUPPERS & LENTEN SERVICE:

Join us each Wednesday Evening during Lent for Soup Suppers at **6:00 pm** and Lenten Worship Service (Holden Evening Prayer) at **7:00 pm**. Each Wednesday we'll have a group discussion on the upcoming Sunday's gospel reading.

CELEBRATION OF LIFE- Kira will be holding a Celebration of Life for her mom, Linda Kay Player Wilcox Desimone after service on Sunday, March, 22nd. Please join in supporting and celebration Linda and her family.

Sunday, March 22, 2026



Serving us today at 10:00 am Worship

Presiding Minister: Pastor Derek Fossey
Assisting Minister:..... Ken Miller
Reader:..... Jerry Lorenzen
Music:..... Stephanie Hurt
Altar Guilds: Pam Evans
..... Barb Lorenzen
..... Karen McCarthy
Greeter:..... Ann Miller
Usher:..... Dave Vecchi
Zoom Operator/Monitor: JJ Ehlers
Media Slides:..... Kathryn Blanken
Fellowship:..... The Miller's



Sunday, March 29th at 10 am – Palm Sunday
Thursday, April 2nd at 7 pm - Maundy Thursday Worship
Friday, April 3rd at 7 pm – Good Friday Worship of Sorrow and Silence
Sunday, April 5th at 10 am – Easter Morning Worship Service

Ezekiel 37:1-14

¹ The hand of the LORD came upon me, and he brought me out by the spirit of the LORD and set me down in the middle of a valley; it was full of bones. ² He led me all around them; there were very many lying in the valley, and they were very dry. ³ He said to me, "Mortal, can these bones live?" I answered, "O Lord GOD, you know." ⁴ Then he said to me, "Prophecy to these bones and say to them: O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD. ⁵ Thus says the Lord GOD to these bones: I will cause breath to enter you, and you shall live. ⁶ I will lay sinews on you and will cause flesh to come upon you and cover you with skin and put breath in you, and you shall live, and you shall know that I am the LORD."

⁷ So I prophesied as I had been commanded, and as I prophesied, suddenly there was a noise, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone. ⁸ I looked, and there were sinews on them, and flesh had come upon them, and skin had covered them, but there was no breath in them. ⁹ Then he said to me, "Prophecy to the breath, prophesy, mortal, and say to the breath: Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live." ¹⁰ I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, a vast multitude.

¹¹ Then he said to me, "Mortal, these bones are the whole house of Israel. They say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are cut off completely.' ¹² Therefore prophesy and say to them: Thus says the Lord GOD: I am going to open your graves and bring you up from your graves, O my people, and I will bring you back to the land of Israel. ¹³ And you shall know that I am the LORD when I open your graves and bring you up from your graves, O my people. ¹⁴ I will put my spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you on your own soil; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have spoken and will act, says the LORD."

John 11:1-45

¹ Now a certain man was ill, Lazarus of Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha. ² Mary was the one who anointed the Lord with perfume and wiped his feet with her hair; her brother Lazarus was ill. ³ So the sisters sent a message to Jesus, "Lord, he whom you love is ill." ⁴ But when Jesus heard it, he said, "This illness does not lead to death; rather, it is for God's glory, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it." ⁵ Accordingly, though Jesus loved Martha and her sister and Lazarus, ⁶ after having heard that Lazarus was ill, he stayed two days longer in the place where he was.

⁷ Then after this he said to the disciples, "Let us go to Judea again." ⁸ The disciples said to him, "Rabbi, the Jews were just now trying to stone you, and are you going there again?" ⁹ Jesus answered, "Are there not twelve hours of daylight? Those who walk during the day do not stumble because they see the light of this world. ¹⁰ But those who walk at night stumble because the light is not in them." ¹¹ After saying this, he told them, "Our friend Lazarus has fallen asleep, but I am going there to awaken him." ¹² The disciples said to him, "Lord, if he has fallen asleep, he will be all right." ¹³ Jesus, however, had been speaking about his death, but they thought that he was referring merely to sleep. ¹⁴ Then Jesus told them plainly, "Lazarus is dead. ¹⁵ For your sake I am glad I was not there, so that you may believe. But let us go to him." ¹⁶ Thomas, who was called the Twin, said to his fellow disciples, "Let us also go, that we may die with him."

¹⁷ When Jesus arrived, he found that Lazarus had already been in the tomb four days. ¹⁸ Now Bethany was near Jerusalem, some two miles away, ¹⁹ and many of the Jews had come to Martha and Mary to console them about their brother. ²⁰ When Martha heard that Jesus was coming, she went and met him, while Mary stayed at home. ²¹ Martha said to Jesus, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died. ²² But even now I know that God will give you whatever you ask of him." ²³ Jesus said to her, "Your brother will rise again." ²⁴ Martha said to him, "I know that he will rise again in the resurrection on the last day." ²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live, ²⁶ and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?" ²⁷ She said to him, "Yes, Lord, I believe that you are

the Messiah, the Son of God, the one coming into the world."

²⁸ When she had said this, she went back and called her sister Mary and told her privately, "The Teacher is here and is calling for you." ²⁹ And when she heard it, she got up quickly and went to him. ³⁰ Now Jesus had not yet come to the village but was still at the place where Martha had met him. ³¹ The Jews who were with her in the house consoling her saw Mary get up quickly and go out. They followed her because they thought that she was going to the tomb to weep there. ³² When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." ³³ When Jesus saw her weeping and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. ³⁴ He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." ³⁵ Jesus began to weep. ³⁶ So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" ³⁷ But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

³⁸ Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. ³⁹ Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." ⁴⁰ Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" ⁴¹ So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. ⁴² I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." ⁴³ When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" ⁴⁴ The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go." ⁴⁵ Many of the Jews, therefore, who had come with Mary and had seen what Jesus did believed in him.

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