

## THIS WEEK AT CALVARY

April 13–20, 2025

SUN	9:00am 10:30am	Sunday School/ Bible Class Divine Service
WED	2:00pm–4:00pm	MilitaryShare Distribution
THU	12:00pm 7:00pm	Divine Service Divine Service
FRI	12:00pm 7:00pm	Chief Service Passion Vespers
SAT	9:30am 7:00pm	Ladies Aid/LWML Easter Vigil
NEXT SUN	9:00am 10:30am	Sunday School/Bible Class Divine Service

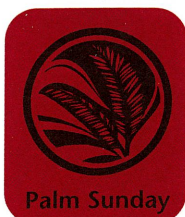
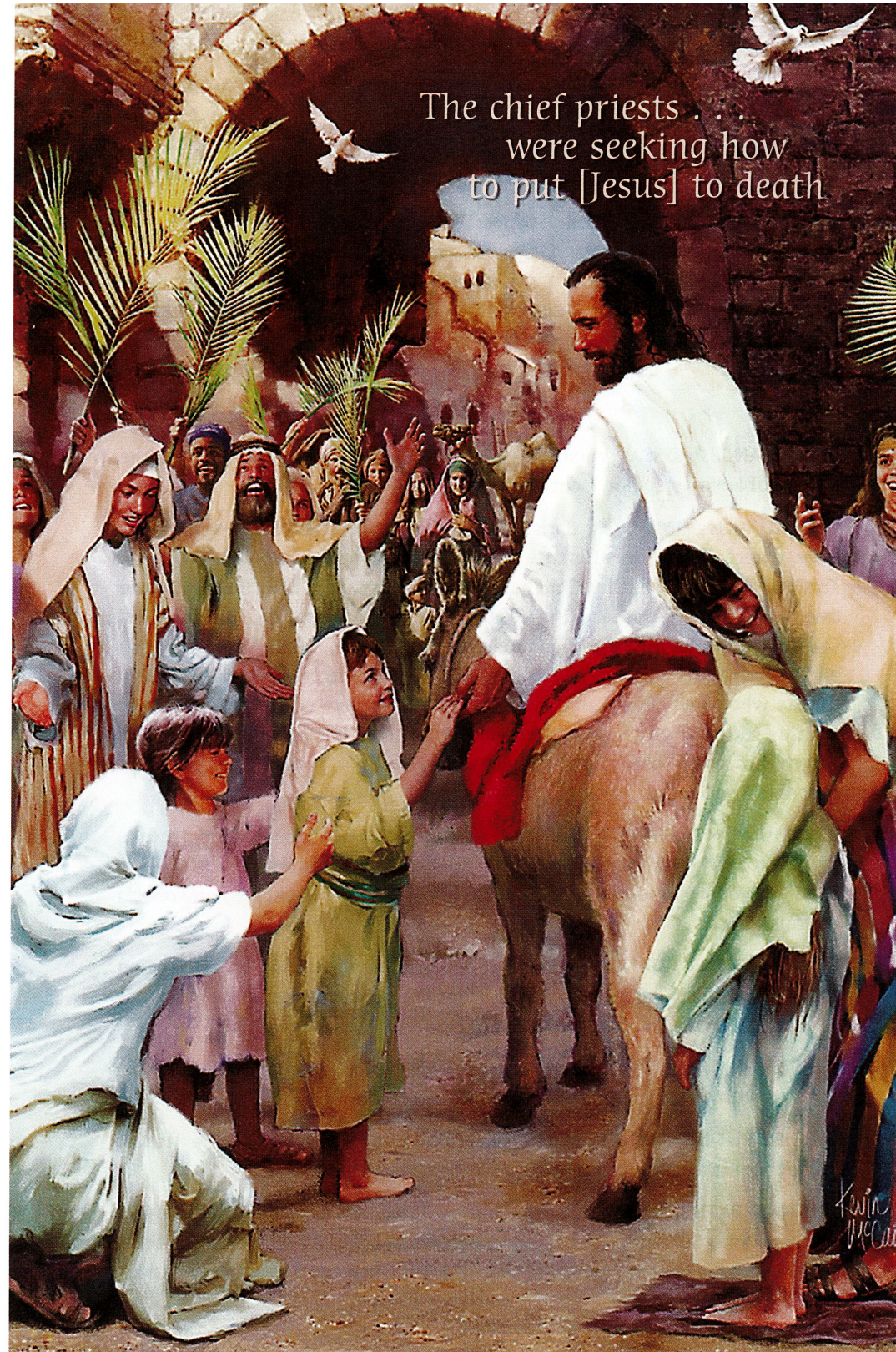
**SERVING NEXT SUNDAY – Presiding Minister:** Rev. Luke Zimmerman **Reader:** Tom Watson **Comm. Asst:** Jeff Douden **Organist:** Karen Appel **Ushers:** Bob Ardner, Allen Cosby, Russ Goheen, Jim Mason **Altar Guild:** Julia Douden, Margie Mitchell, Lynne & Jim Wicker

### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS [APR 20 – Resurrection of Our Lord]

1R Is 65:17–25    PS Ps 16    EP 1Co 15:19–26    HG Lk 24:1–12

**CHRIST FOR YOU THIS WEEK ON KFUO.org:** A blessed Holy Week to you! On *Sharper Iron* (weekdays at 9:00 a.m.) we continue in 2 Samuel, studying chapters 12–16. Tune in to *Thy Strong Word* (weekdays at 12 p.m.) as we begin a new study of the book of *Genesis*! Join us this Friday (4/18 at 11 a.m.) for a Good Friday service in German. The service will be broadcast live from Holy Cross Lutheran Church of Wartburg in Waterloo, IL.

**About the Cover:** While the crowds, with palm branches in their hands, praised Jesus, the chief priests planned to deliver Jesus into the hands of sinful men. Christ would soon have nails in His hands upon the cross. However, in all of this, the hand of the Lord was at work to bring redemption to His people. Christ, with His nail-pierced hands, has brought us salvation through the forgiveness of our sins.







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**April 13, 2025**

**Palm Sunday**

**ATTENDANCE PADS:** All worshippers are asked to note their attendance on the Record of Fellowship pad located in each pew.

**COMMUNION ADMISSION:** Christ's disciples partake of the Sacrament of the Altar, where Christ offers His true Body and Blood for the forgiveness of sins. This holy meal is meant for Christians who have received Holy Baptism; have been instructed in the teachings of the Ten Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, and the Lord's Prayer; and believe that they receive Christ's true Body and Blood in the Sacrament of the Altar for the forgiveness of their sins. Guests who meet these criteria are invited to partake of Christ's holy meal with us today. ***If you have not previously received the sacrament from the current pastor of Calvary, or if you have any questions, please speak with him before Divine Service.***

**COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION:** If you wish to receive by individual glass, take a glass from the aisle tray and hold it so the assisting ministers can see it. Place used individual glasses in the trays on either side of the chancel as you return to your seats.

**RESTROOMS & CHANGING TABLES:** Restrooms with children's changing tables are in the Education Wing. Another changing table is in the Mother's Room adjacent to the Quiet Room.

**QUIET ROOM:** The Quiet Room at the left rear of the Sanctuary is available to families with children who need to use it.

**MOBILE PHONES & ELECTRONIC DEVICES:** Please silence these devices or place them in airplane mode while attending worship services.

**LOCKING EXTERIOR DOORS:** All exterior doors will be locked at 10:45am during Divine Service on Sundays. If you arrive close to or after that time, please come to the main entrance doors, so that an usher can allow you entry.

**SERVING TODAY – Presiding Minister:** Rev. Luke Zimmerman **Reader:** Allen Cosby **Comm. Asst:** Robert Lustrea **Organist:** Karen Appel **Horn Player:** Denise Saunders **Ushers:** Bob Ardner, Allen Cosby, Russ Goheen, Jim Mason **Altar Guild:** Julia Douden, Margie Mitchell, Lynne & Jim Wicker

**INTERCESSIONS – Our homebound parishioners:** Audrey Ayoub, Donald Dove, Edith Pallmann, Clara Webb. **Those suffering in body, mind, or spirit:** Kathy Blockus, Greg Bolden, Logan Dohner, Lucille Ehresman, Nancy Foster, Andrew Holton, David Kell, Pendo Kiswaga, Michelle Kretschman, Adam Lough, Edwin Miller, Jean Miller, Renee Mueller, Richard Prensner, Sherry Prensner, Mary Ann Schirmer, Lynne Wicker. **Those serving in the Armed Forces:** Aaron Bell, Garrett Benson, Jason Massie, John McCauley, Jon Reese, Jacob Scott.

**ATTENDANCE REPORT [Apr 6 – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent]**

**Worshippers:** 78

**Communicants:** 70

**ATTENDANCE REPORT [Apr 9 – Morning Prayer]**

**Worshippers:** 21

**ATTENDANCE REPORT [Apr 9 – Evening Prayer]**

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**ATTENTION LADIES:** The Spring issue of the *Lutheran Woman's Quarterly* has arrived. Claim your copy in the narthex and bring it along to our LWML/LAS meeting at 9:30am on Saturday, April 19, when Pastor Zimmerman will be leading us through the Bible study on page 14, "Confessing What We Believe."

**LWML SPRING RALLY:** Don't forget to attend the rally on **May 3** here at Calvary from 9:00am–2:00pm. Please sign-up on the sheet in the social hall so we can plan our luncheon. Questions can be directed to Linda Goheen [717-649-4295]. We are collecting items needed to fill Disaster Buckets for Orphan Grain Train. A list of needed items is in the bulletin. Five-gallon orange buckets are located in the education hallway next to our mail slots to receive your donations.