



The Shepherd's Voice

Serving Rockland County, NY, & Northern Bergen County, NJ

April 2015

Reaching and Risking to Welcome the World in the Word that has come among us in Jesus Christ.

HOLY WEEK & EASTER AT GOOD SHEPHERD



Palm Sunday March 29	8:15, 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.	Services of Holy Communion, Blessing/Procession, with Palms
Maundy Thursday April 2	7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	Beethoven's "Mount of Olives" Sanctuary Choir & Renaissance Camerata Service of Holy Communion, followed by stripping of the altar
Good Friday April 3	12:00 p.m. 2:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.	"Walk With Jesus", a youth-oriented service dramatizing the three days of the Passion of Jesus Christ Tenebrae Service Tenebrae Service
Holy Saturday April 4	2:00-3:30 p.m.	Easter Eve Celebration—J-Crew Event for families with children Pre-K through fourth Grade, held in Fellowship Hall
EASTER SUNDAY April 5	6:30 a.m. 7:30 -11 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Sunrise Festival Eucharist Service Easter Breakfast served in Fellowship Hall Evening Bells Prelude Concert Festival Eucharist Service Festival Eucharist Service



"WALK WITH JESUS"

Children's GOOD FRIDAY Service

Once again, we will be having our "Walk with Jesus" on Good Friday, April 3rd, at 12:00 noon. This is an excellent way for children to experience the story of Jesus' last days. They, along with their families, are invited to walk and sing in the Palm Sunday procession, eat the Last Supper, pray in the Garden of Gethsemane, be part of the crowd at the trial, at Calvary, and the tomb. Our youth will play the parts of Jesus, his disciples and those who participated in these events. Come, walk with Jesus, and bring a friend.



**Join Us For
Breakfast**

**EASTER BREAKFAST
WILL BE SERVED**

**EASTER MORNING IN FELLOWSHIP
HALL, FROM 7:30 A.M. TO 11 A.M.
PLEASE JOIN US!!**



ANNUAL EASTER EVE EVENT
Saturday, April 4th—2:00 – 3:30 pm
Fellowship Hall

Join us in celebrating Easter at our annual Easter Eve Event for families with children from Pre-K to 4th grade. We will meet in Fellowship Hall from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m., for crafts, refreshments and our Easter egg hunt.

**The Evangelical Lutheran
Church of the Good Shepherd**

112 North Main Street
Pearl River, New York 10965

OUR MISSION

**“Welcoming the World in the
Word that has come among us
in Jesus Christ”**

WORSHIP SERVICES

Sundays: 8:15, 9:30, 10:30 a.m.

SUMMER WORSHIP SERVICES

Sundays: 9:30 a.m.

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AT YOUR SERVICE

The Reverend Henry Morris, Interim Pastor
Ione Mensing - Diaconal Assisting Minister
Richard Struck - Council President
Robert Bergman - Treasurer
Maureen Connolly - Creative Play Director
Dale Damon - Church Secretary
Steve Damon - Bookkeeper
Brenda Ferguson - Organist/Director of Music
Kathleen Harpster - Parish Program Director
Tim Kellogg - Director of Youth, Family &
Education Ministries
Dagmar Klein - Church Administrator
Jeanette Kunow - Superintendent of
Sunday School
John Lampkin - Composer-in-Residence
The Reverend John R. Taylor - Pastor Emeritus

LIFE STATIONS

DEATHS

Date

Bea Taylor (wife of Pastor Emeritus John Taylor) 3/10/15

**“THANK YOU” RECEIVED FROM ROCKLAND CHILDREN’S
PSYCHIATRIC CENTER**

....”On behalf of the children at Rockland Children’s Psychiatric Center, I would like to thank you so much for your recent Valentine’s Day and other donations, to our facility. The children were so happy to have their Valentines Day pizza party with cupcakes, chips, cookies and candy.

Your continued support of the children here at the hospital throughout the years is very much needed and appreciated.”

Kristen Guarnieri, Volunteer Coordinator
Sr. Recreation Therapist.



Voice Publication Deadline

Items to be included in *The Shepherd’s Voice* must be submitted to the church office by **April 10th**, for the May 2015 issue. Electronic submission (e-mail) is preferred. Articles submitted after the deadline may not be published, due to space and time restrictions. Please e-mail articles to: secretary@gspr.org.

GET YOUR COPY OF THE “VOICE” E-MAILED....

It will be exactly the same *Voice* that you’ve been receiving through the mail, but delivered via e-mail instead. That way you receive your copy faster, and we save on mailing expenses. To sign up for the e-Voice, send an e-mail to secretary@gspr.org, as well as the e-mail address you’d like us to use.

COMMUNICATION REQUEST

We would like to establish a new email distribution list that would enable us to notify folks of an event that is happening at Church, between Sundays, such as a funeral or weather-related meeting cancellation. If you would like to be notified, please fill out your name, cell # and email address and return it to the Church Office, drop this form in the offering plate, or go to this link to sign up: <http://eepurl.com/Y5XKf>.

Thank you!

NAME:

CELL # (for text message reminder)

EMAIL:

From the Council President – “God’s Work, Our Hands”

Good Shepherd is beginning a new series of talks and presentations each Sunday, at the end of our three worship services. These talks will all fall under the theme “God’s Work, Our Hands,” and are designed to celebrate our many successful ministries here at Good Shepherd. Just think of all the wonderful and diverse programs operated by our faithful members. These great programs include our food collections, the interfaith blood drive, God’s Global Barnyard, and other social ministry activities. They also include our exceptional music programs, our Men’s Breakfast Group community support activities, WELCA, missionary support, Altar Guild, our youth trip to Detroit, and many, many more!



“God’s Work, Our Hands” is also the theme of the ELCA nation-wide outreach effort, and is a simple, easy-to-identify title. You will hear messages from members who are directly involved in all of these programs on most Sundays from mid-March through mid-June. We are doing this for several important reasons; 1) to inform regular worship attendees of the value and impact of these program, 2) to inform less regular attendees of the exciting work performed by the Good Shepherd congregation, with hopes of attracting new members and new participants in these programs, and 3) to convey to all that these programs need your faithful financial support to continue having an impact on our spiritual and community life.

Some of these messages will be talks; others will be videos, skits, music, artwork and additional means of communicating in vibrant ways! They will reflect who we are and who we can be at Good Shepherd. They will be presented at the end of most services, so they do not disrupt the reverence of the worship experience. The programs to be highlighted in these ways are also posted prominently in our MSP document, in order that candidates for Permanent Pastor can see and appreciate!

So please join us at Sunday worship at any of our three services to hear these uplifting messages about our mutual work to spread God’s word throughout his earthly kingdom!

Richard M. Struck
Council President

FROM OUR PARISH PROGRAM DIRECTOR

We are now in the season of Easter, and are rejoicing in the resurrection. What an amazing gift, that God was willing to give his only Son to die for our sins! As Eastertide progresses and we take the time to reflect on this gift, how can we be anything but grateful?

Through worship, youth events, Bible Study, etc., we also receive gifts. When you think about Good Shepherd, what are you grateful for? My first response to this question would be the people. We have so many wonderful people! From the dedicated ladies who come every Friday and fold bulletins; the men who stop by regularly to repair sinks, replace light bulbs, or change the clocks; the volunteers who work with our youth and help with worship; to the Sunday School teachers and the people next to us in the pews who share the peace, we are blessed with this community of believers.

Our music program is another huge gift. Brenda works passionately with people of all ages. She helps these folks develop their musical skills, and those of us who listen rejoice at the extreme talent here at this church.

Good Shepherd has so many great programs. There is the Men’s Breakfast group; Women’s Faith and Life; Food, Faith, and Friends; WELCA; as well as ministry teams that assist with Evangelism, Fellowship, Social Ministry, Stewardship, and the care of our property. The list could go on and on.

As we go through this Easter season, rejoicing in the resurrection, remember to take a moment and reflect on what it is at Good Shepherd that you are grateful for. Stop by the bulletin board in the Education Building and use a post-it note to share your thoughts. Good Shepherd is here because we care! Thank you to all of you who make this a great place to be.

Kathleen Harpster
Parish Program Director





Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 2015 Great American Cleanup



Time to roll up our sleeves and get it done: every year, over 3,000+ volunteers come out to help clean up local parks, streets and waterways. It's our way of giving the local ecology a lift. It's also an amazing teaching moment for kids (of all ages!) to understand the impact of the choices we all make. Will you join us this year? We need your help—this winter has been brutal and the debris is ridiculous. We will walk from Fellowship Hall to the train tracks in Pearl River.

Sunday April 26, 2015

Meet in Fellowship Hall - 11:30 am

Walk to the RR tracks to cleanup

**Back at Fellowship Hall at 2:00 pm
or earlier if your schedule requires.**

We are happy for any time you can contribute.

Supplies on Hand: grabbers, black bags, clear bags.

Please Bring: gloves, wet wipes, water to drink, a fun attitude!

Be Aware: Supervise children closely. Have children work in pairs. This safety measure also makes picking up litter easier – one child with an open bag and one with a glove or grabber.

- Drink plenty of fluids and avoid over-exertion.
- Use gloves when picking up litter and do not pick up anything that looks suspicious or dangerous.
- Do not rough-house or otherwise distract motorists.
- When near a road, wear orange vests, work in groups, and face oncoming traffic.
- Be aware of ticks and poison ivy (and other allergens).
- Do not overstuff bags, and get help with large objects. Watch for objects that may be poking out of the bag.
- Wash your hands after the cleanup and check for ticks.
- Regular trash goes in black bags. Cans and bottles go in clear bags.



SPRING HAS SPRUNG AT CREATIVE PLAY

After a wonderful Spring Break, the children were welcomed back to school by the arrival of their classroom caterpillars. Throughout the month of April, the children will observe the changes and stages from caterpillar to butterfly. In a few short weeks, the caterpillars will become painted lady butterflies and be released outside.



During the month of April, the children will have chapel services with Tim Kellogg, leading the children in story and song. Our Puppet Committee will also be having the Spring puppet shows, which will surely delight the children. There is always learning and excitement at Creative Play.

Applications are still being accepted for our Creative Play 3- & 4-year old program, as well as our Summer Camp and Kindergarten Enrichment program. We are proposing a new 5 day class for 4-year olds; please call the school to find out about this new program. Time for Twos and Toddler classes are being signed up for September; don't forget to call the school to get your child registered.

Pay It Forward for Mission

In order to provide another opportunity to support our missionaries in Slovakia and worldwide, Good Shepherd is re-branding our Missionary for a Day program to "Pay It Forward for Mission". Members and friends can select a day, a week or a month during the year to honor a person, an activity or a cause, by donating at least \$5 for a day, \$25 for a week or \$100 or more for a month. These funds will go directly into Good Shepherd's Missionary Fund, to which we have committed \$1,500 during 2015. For example, the Struck family initiated this program with a donation to "Pay It Forward" for the month of March in honor of Genevieve Smith, Jeanne and Judy Motz's mother, and those who made her memorial service so special. You may use the 'Missionary' envelopes available in church for this purpose, or submit your contribution through our electronic giving service.

You are invited to Food, Faith & Friends! **Tuesday, April 21 at 7 PM**

You are cordially invited to join Food, Faith & Friends on Tuesday, April 21, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., in the church parlor. Our group provides a great opportunity to meet new people in a more informal setting, learn a little bit more about our faith, ask questions, and eat a delicious meal together. Bring yourselves, an open heart, an open mind, and an appetite! Watch the church bulletin in early April for an announcement about our topic of the month. Child care is available if you let us know in advance. For more information or to RSVP, please contact Rich Bowman at rbbp@yahoo.com or (845) 627-6967, or email Kathleen Harpster in the church office at (845)735-2243



Join us for a Reformation arts tour in Germany!

Please join us for an enriching tour of Reformation sights and sounds in Germany, Oct. 22 - Nov. 2. Professional local tour guides will lead and teach us as we discover Reformation treasures in image and music as we prepare for the 500th anniversary of this world-changing event.

This tour is organized by two Luther Seminary staff members: Paul Daniels, head of arts and archives; and Mary Steeber, coordinator of volunteer programs. We will visit several sites on this tour, including Leipzig, Erfurt, Eisenach, Wartburg Castle, Weimar, Wittenberg and Berlin.

The tour will begin on Oct. 22 as we depart the U.S. on a transatlantic overnight flight to Berlin. The next day, we will travel to Leipzig, where we will enjoy dinner at the historic Auerbachs Keller and have ample time to learn about and explore the city. The week will continue with visits to museums and historic sites as we discover these Reformation treasures.

We hope you will consider joining us for this incredible trip! If you have questions, please contact Paul Daniels at pdaniels@luthersem.edu or 651-641-3205. You may also visit us [online](#) to register and learn more.



• Each year, the PAAS Dye Co. sells more than 10 million egg-coloring kits, which consumers use to decorate 180 million eggs.



2015 Music @ Noon Sacred Concert Series

Please join us in the serene beauty of our sanctuary, as we lift our hearts and souls to God in music.

FEBRUARY 15 - Sunday @ Noon

Sacred Arias & Songs of Love

Robert Callan, tenor

The Organ School Young Artist Recital

FEBRUARY 25, MARCH 4, 11

Candlelight Organ Meditations

Wednesdays, 12:30

MARCH 15 - Sunday @ Noon

Hymns of Faith, Love & Angels

Sanctuary Choir & Friends

APRIL 2 - Maundy Thursday, 7:00 pm

BEETHOVEN — MOUNT OF OLIVES

Sanctuary Choir & Renaissance Camerata

MAY 9 - Saturday evening, 7:00 pm

100% Chance of Rain

Sacristy Singers - God's Holy Bells

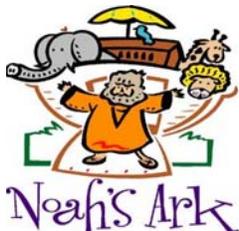
Sacred Youth Musical

MAY 17 - Sunday @ Noon

Clarinet Recital

Katherine Filatov, clarinet

Young Artist Series



SAVE THE DATE!!!
"100% CHANCE OF RAIN"
YOUTH MUSICAL
 Sacristy Singers & God's Holy Bells
 MAY 9TH at 7:00 p.m.



Learning & Service:

Confirmation Class meets monthly for grades 6th - 8th and holds four family sessions a year. All Confirmation instruction sessions take place **Thursdays from 7-8 pm in Fellowship Hall.**

6th grade Confirmation meets April 9th.

7th grade Confirmation meets April 16th.

8th grade Confirmation meets April 23rd.

6th-8th grade Confirmation Family Night meets April 30th.

Family Dinner at 6:15 pm. Sign-up to help with dinner; contact Tim Kellogg (tim@gspr.org).

Acolyte Training will be held Sunday, April 12th, at 11:30 am, in the Sanctuary. This training is for youth scheduled to acolyte for Sunday services between April 19th and May 10th. Visit gspr.org/worship to view our Acolyte Training video.

Family Bible Study for Confirmation students who are unable to attend their monthly learning session and families who desire to attend, will be held Wednesday, April 29th, from 6:30-7:30 pm. Confirmation students unable to attend their monthly learning session may contact Tim Kellogg (tim@gspr.org) about attending Family Bible Study if they will be missing a Confirmation session.

Our 7th grade Confirmation class project will be doing a reenactment of Jesus washing the disciple's feet, for their Confirmation project, on Maundy Thursday, April 2nd. Students should arrive at 7:30 pm to get ready. The reenactment will take place during the Maundy Thursday service.

A "Walk with Jesus" Good Friday Children's Service will take place on Friday, April 3rd, at noon. This is an excellent way for children to experience the story of Jesus' last days. Confirmation students will to serve as the cast of the story. Cast arrives at 10 am and has a pizza lunch following the service. This is a great service opportunity for Confirmation students', please contact Deanna Lauer (lauerwd@msn.com) if your Confirmation student is available to participate.

Our 6th grade Confirmation class project will take place Sunday, April 12th. Our 6th graders will be helping to lead Worship at 10:30 am. There will be a rehearsal for the students on Saturday, April 11th, from 1-2 pm. Students are expected to attend the rehearsal in order to complete their class project.

Upper Room Skit will take place during 10:30 am Worship, on Sunday April 12th. Every year, the Upper Room youth prepare and deliver a Bible-based skit for the congregation. This year they will delight you with depictions of Jonah.

Rise Up: Detroit Youth Team Building Session will take place this month. Watch *Cross Connections* for scheduling details.

High School Group (9th - 12th grade) members will participate in the *Keep Rockland Beautiful* event on Sunday, April 26th, from 11:30 - 2 pm. This is a great way to serve the community while building friendships. High School students interested in participating should contact Deb Frederick for more details about signing up (debfrederick@rocketmail.com).

Fellowship:

J-Crew Presents, Easter Eve Celebration for PK - 4th grade, on Saturday, April 4th, from 2-3:30 pm. Children come and learn about the Easter story, enjoy making crafts, and hunt for Easter Eggs! Let us know if you're interested in having your child participate in this wonderful event. Contact Tim Kellogg (tim@gspr.org).

H2O: Middle School, (5th - 8th gr.) Laser Tag will take place the afternoon of Saturday, April 11th. We will meet at the NY Sports Club in Palisades Mall. More details can be found in weekly *Cross Connections* or Youth Happenings emails. Contact Tim Kellogg about participating (tim@gspr.org). Signup by Friday, April 3rd.

Save the date:

"H2O"/Middle School (5th - 8th gr.)

Youth event at "Bounce," scheduled for Saturday, May 30th (details TBA).

"HSG"/High School (9th - 12th gr.)

High School Ma-He-Tu retreat, scheduled for May 15th - 16th (details TBA).

Youth Happenings

Christian Education

for adults

Adult Bible Study meets Wednesday evenings, beginning April 8th, in the pastor's office, from 7:30 - 9 pm. All are welcome to attend. No prior Bible Study experience is required to participate. **We will begin a study of the book of Jonah in April.** We take turns reading the Scriptures. We ask questions about the text. We share stories that relate to our lives. We usually bring our own Bibles, but it's okay if we need to borrow one. We have different levels of experience and comfort discussing the Bible. We all have questions. We laugh. We pray. We hope to see you there, whether it's your first time or you're a regular participant.

Theology Pub is for adults, ages 21 and over, and meets once a month at the Nanuet Hotel. Our next meeting is **Tuesday, April 7th, from 7:30 - 9:30 pm.** We hold a roundtable discussion on a variety of faith-related topics and scripture passages. We gather over dinner and drinks. We discuss the history of our topics, we ask questions about what the topics mean, and we often engage in friendly debate. Theology Pub is the study of God done in conversation. If you're interested in joining us for the first time or would like to know more, contact tim@gspr.org for more details. RSVP by Monday, April 6th, is requested if you plan to attend.

Dear Good Shepherd Congregation,

On behalf of all the members of the Good Shepherd Youth Group, we would like to thank all of those who have contributed and helped us to reach our Detroit goal. Our long journey to reaching this goal included many fundraisers, such as Pancake Breakfast, Oktoberfest, SuperBowl Subs, Easter Breakfast, Yard Sale, Carousel Cakes, and Hot Dog Sunday. All of the contributions put forth have made it possible for us to go to Detroit. During our fundraising journey, we have learned many important life skills, including leadership, stewardship, public speaking, and perseverance. We have also learned the importance of cheerful service. The most difficult part was advertising and getting the word out in the early stages. With the love and support of the congregation, we were able to conquer the problem. We look forward to the trip to Detroit for many reasons: the plane ride, learning about life in Detroit, meeting new people, and helping in the community. We expect that the experience will not only strengthen the bond within our youth group, but will also give us an opportunity to meet many other Lutherans and bond with other youth groups. We are very excited and honored to represent Good Shepherd this summer in Detroit.

Thank you again to all for your support and contribution's!

Sincerely,

Nick Bauman, Sophia Bauman, Chris Filatov, Laryssa Filatov, Casey Hampton, Bridget Klein, Stephen Klein, William Klein, Matt Lauer, David Martini, Katie Martini, Quinton Tramm

Thank You!!!



CONTEST FOR KIDS



Thrivent Wants

to know, "What's your favorite Bible story, and why?"

We all have a favorite Bible story. Maybe it's when Noah built the ark or when Jesus fed the 5,000. Thrivent Magazine wants to hear from kids as to what their favorite Bible story is, and why. It's the topic of our fourth annual Contest for Kids. Children Pre-K through grade 12 are eligible to enter a drawing or submit an essay. There are cash awards for top entries! Get all the details at Thrivent.com/contest.

WELCA

We finally got our March meeting in. It did start to snow but it was nice enough to wait for us to be finished. Our next meeting will be on April 7th. Pastor Morris will be our guest and the meeting should prove to be quite interesting. So, please join us.



Also, we are hosting a retreat here at Good Shepherd on Saturday, April 11th, from 9 AM until 2 PM. We will provide a continental breakfast and lunch. Pastor Peggy will be our leader. We have invited ladies from other Lutheran churches in the area, so this will be a very nice day of learning and fellowship. For more information on cost etc. please call Barbara Bow at 845-215-5866 or Mary Iseman at 845-623-7638.

Ladies, if you are a member of Good Shepherd, you are already a member of WELCA. We are all needed to continue our outreach programs and we are a vital part of our church. So, please join us. We have a short business meeting, a program, and of course, fellowship and very delicious refreshments.

God's blessing to you during this wonderful and joyous Easter season.

CALLING ALL GARDENERS

SOON THE SNOW WILL MELT AND BE ONLY A MEMORY... AND SOON WE'LL BE PLANTING AND WEEDING AND TRIMMING AND DEAD-HEADING—GETTING BACK TO THE SOIL.

KEEP YOUR EYE OUT FOR OUR PLANTING DAY IN MAY AND HELP US KEEP THE GARDENS OF GOOD SHEPHERD BEAUTIFUL. IF YOU WANT TO JOIN US, CALL THE CHURCH OFFICE 735-2243.

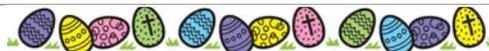


WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR EASTER EGG SHELLS

EGG SHELLS IN COMPOST (go green)

A common question is "can you put eggshells in compost heaps?" The answer to this is yes, you can. Adding eggshells to compost will help add **calcium** to the make-up of your final compost. This important nutrient helps plants build cell walls. Without it, plants cannot grow as fast, and, in the case of some vegetables like **tomatoes** and **squash**, fruit will develop blossom end rot because there is simply not enough building material (calcium) coming into the plant. Using eggshells in the vegetable garden compost can help prevent this.

(always wash your egg shells before composting)





3rd Annual Iron Chef Night

Saturday, April 18, 2015
6:00 pm

Please join us in Fellowship Hall and enjoy a gourmet presentation of appetizers, entrees, and desserts, all prepared by creative culinary members of our congregation.

Seating is limited to 50 guests. Reservations are required!

Attendance is on a first come, first served basis

Reservations must be made before April 12th

\$12.00 per adult, \$6 for children 12 & under

Wine and beer: \$4 each – limit of 2

You will participate in judging the best of the best and will have the opportunity to take home the chefs' "secret recipes." Please fill out the form below and send to the church office with your payment and "**Iron Chef**" indicated on the check. No tickets will be sold at the door and confirmations will be by e-mail or telephone.

Only 50 tickets will be sold! Deadline is April 12th!

3RD ANNUAL IRON CHEF NIGHT– April 18, 2015

NAME: _____

E-mail or telephone # for confirmation: _____

Persons attending: _____

Amount enclosed: _____

Wine: _____ Beer: _____ (Limit of 2/person)

CALLING ALL IRON CHEFS

Do you have a special dish you like to make?

Do you have a traditional dish you are proud of?

Or do you just take pleasure in serving great food?



The Good Shepherd Men's Group is hosting its third annual IRON CHEF NIGHT in Fellowship Hall on the evening of April 18. This event will provide you with the perfect venue to share your joy and interest with our church community. We are looking for enthusiastic participants who will bring their favorite prepared appetizer, entrée, or dessert for all to taste and enjoy. All ages are invited to participate in this fun-filled and delicious evening. Entries will be judged and prizes will be awarded.

For further details: Please call or email Craig Sloane at 845-642-1568 or csloane1@gmail.com

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 9:00 Golden Stitchers 6:00 Organ School –Sanctuary	2 Maundy Thursday 11:30 Staff Mtg. 4:30-5:30 Sacristy Singers 7:00-8:00 Concert Series- Beethoven's "Christ on the Mount of Olives"-Sanctuary 8:00 Holy Communion Service with Stripping of Altar	3 Good Friday 12:00 Children's Service "Walk with Jesus"- Sanctuary&FH 2:00 Tenebrae Service 8:00 Tenebrae Service	4 10:00-1:00 Altar set-up for Easter in Sanctuary 2:00-3:30pm Easter Eve celebration
5 EASTER SUNDAY 6:30 Sunrise Service/Holy Communion 7:30-11:00 Easter Breakfast—FH 8:30 Evening Bells Prelude Concert 9:00 Holy Communion Service 11:00 Holy Communion Service 6:00 AA/Fellowship Hall	6 5:00-6:00 Organ School-sanctuary 6:00-7:00 Evening Bells 7:00-8:00 Renaissance Camerata 7:30 Prayer Shawl Ministry 8:00-9:00 Canzona Youth Orch 9:00—Solos-Sanctuary	7 1:00 Piecemakers 1:30 WELCA—Parlor 7:00 Boy Scouts—FH 7:30-9:30 Theology Pub	8 9:00 Golden Stitchers 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 4:30 Executive Committee 6:00 Organ School –Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Bible Study-Pastor's Office	9 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 11:30 Staff Mtg. 3:45-4:15 Organ School 4:30-5:30 Sacristy Singers 5:30-6:30 Organ School 7:00-8:00 Evangelism-Parlor 7:00-8:30 Confirmation 6th Gr. 7:00-7:30 Solos-Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Sanctuary Choir	10 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/ UPK 2:45-6:30 Organ Lesson <i>VOICE articles due for May Issue</i> 7:45 AA/Fellowship Hall	11 9am-WELCA Retreat-FH 12-1pm-Organ Lesson/ Sanctuary 1-2:00pm-6th grade Worship rehearsal- Sanctuary 2:30-4pm-Laser Tag/ NYSC (5th-8thgrade)
12 EASTER 2 8:15 Holy Communion 9:30 Contemporary Worship 10:30 Holy Communion/SCS/ Upper Room Skit 11:30 Acolyte Training/Sanctuary 11:30 Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall 6:00 AA/Fellowship Hall	13 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK / CP Chapel 5:00-6:00 Organ School-sanctuary 6:00-7:00 Evening Bells 6:30 CP Teacher Mtg 7:00-8:00 Renaissance Camerata 8:00-9:00 Canzona Youth Orch 9:00—Solos-Sanctuary	14 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK / CP Chapel 1:00 Piecemakers 7:00 Boy Scouts—FH 7:30 CP Exec Bd Mtg 8:00 Women's Faith Life Group	15 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 9:00 Golden Stitchers/parlor 12:00 Interfaith Clergy-Parlor 6:00 Organ School –Sanctuary 7:00 Church Council 7:30-9:00 Bible Study-Pastor's Office	16 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 11:30 Staff Mtg. 3:45-4:15 Organ School 4:30-5:30 Sacristy Singers 5:30-6:30 Organ School 7:00-8:30 Confirmation 7th Gr. 7:00-7:30 Solos-Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Sanctuary Choir	17 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/ UPK 2:45-6:30 Organ Lesson 7:45 AA/Fellowship Hall	18 9:00 Men's Breakfast 12-1pm-Organ Lesson/ Sanctuary 6-9:00pm Iron Chef-FH
19 EASTER 3 8:15 Worship Service 9:30 Contemporary Worship 10:30 Holy Communion/Baptism 11:30 Acolyte Training/Sanctuary 11:30 Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall 6:00 AA/Fellowship Hall	20 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK / CP Chapel 5:00-6:00 Organ School-sanctuary 6:00-7:00 Evening Bells 7:00 Youth&Ed Bd meeting 7:00-8:00 Renaissance Camerata 8:00-9:00 Canzona Youth Orch 9:00—Solos-Sanctuary	21 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK/KE 1:00 Piecemakers 7:00 Boy Scouts—FH 7:00-8:30 Food, Faith & Friends	22 9:00 Golden Stitchers 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK/KE/ 6:00 Organ School –Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Bible Study-Pastor's Office	23 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK/KE 11:30 Staff Meeting 3:45-4:15 Organ School 4:30-5:30 Sacristy Singers 5:30-6:30 Organ School 7:00-8:30 Confirmation 8th Gr. 7:00-7:30 Solos-Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Sanctuary Choir	24 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/ UPK 2:45-6:30 Organ Lesson 7:45 AA/Fellowship Hall	25 12-1pm-Organ Lesson/ Sanctuary
26 EASTER 4 8:15 Holy Communion 9:30 Contemporary Worship 10:30 Worship Service/SCS/ Cherubs/Baptisma 11:30 Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall 11:30-2:00pm Keep Rockland Beautiful 6:00 AA/Fellowship Hall	27 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 5:00-6:00 Organ School-sanctuary 6:00-7:00 Evening Bells 7:00-8:00 Renaissance Camerata 8:00-9:00 Canzona Youth Orch 9:00—Solos-Sanctuary	28 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 1:00 Piecemakers 7:00 Scouts—Fellowship Hall	29 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK 9:00 Golden Stitchers 6:00 Organ School –Sanctuary 6:30 –7:30 Family Bible Study 7:30-9:00 Bible Study-Pastor's Office	30 9:30/1:00 Creative Play/UPK/KE 11:30 Staff Meeting 3:45-4:15 Organ School 4:30-5:30 Sacristy Singers 5:30-6:30 Organ School 6:15 Family Dinner(6th-8thgr) 7:00-8:30 Confirmation Family night (6th-8th Gr.) 7:00-7:30 Solos-Sanctuary 7:30-9:00 Sanctuary Choir		

