#### **CURRENT CONTRIBUTIONS\* AND WORSHIP FOR - Apr. 7, 2019**

<b>General Fund</b>	\$ 5763.00	Thur 12pm / 7pm	18/19
<b>Building Fund</b>	\$ 340.00	Nursery	0
<b>Endowment Fund</b>	\$ 0.00	Sunday - 8:30 am	55
<b>Memorial Fund</b>	\$ 0.00	Sunday - 10:45 am	60
All Other Funds	\$ 77.93	<b>WEEK TOTAL</b>	152

<sup>\*</sup>Contributions include online giving. See our website for online giving information.

#### THIS WEEK'S SERVANTS Apr 14, 2019

	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 4/18	Fri 4/19
Greeters - Parking	Bruce & Diane Davis	Andy & Lynn Schuster		
Readers	Esther B. / Vicki H.	Lauri K. / Christian W.		
Communion	-	-	A&L Schuster	
Worship Assistant	Bruce Davis	Christian Weidner	Andy Schuster	Jerry LaMott
Acolytes	Wyatt Beaty	Tyler Donnelly		
Ushers - Captain	Bruce Feller	Dan Fors		
- Assistant	TBD			
Projectionist / AV	Jeff Banks	Kevin Zook	???	???
Weekend Custodian	Cheryl Thiele			

#### **NEXT WEEK'S SERVANTS** Apr 21, 2019

	8:30 am	10:45 am	Thur 4/25
Greeters - Parking	Paul & Tricia Hickey	Colin & Vicki Harrison	
Reader	Pastor Tiaden	Pastor Tiaden	
Communion	Alexis G. / Jerry L.	George Wise	
Worship Assistant	Dale Zook	Steve Opdahl	John Hafner
Acolytes	Tricia Tiaden	Syler Gaustad	
Ushers - Captain	Bruce Feller	Dan Fors	
- Assistant	TBD		
Projectionist / AV	Jeff Banks	Joshua Thompson	
Weekend Custodian	John Hafner		

#### VISITORS:

Check out our website. www.berealutheran.org for more information about Berea. Copies of the April Eager Berean newsletter are also available at the information rack in the narthex.



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#### **Before & After Care Program:**

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# Berea Beacon

8:30am

#### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR



#### Sunday, April 14 – Palm Sunday

8:30 am Worship

9:40 am **Education Hour** 

- Bible Class, Sun Sch. Conf Class

10:45 am Worship &

3:30 pm **Girl Scouts** 

#### Monday, April 15 **NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

9:00 am Staff Meeting 10:00 am LWML Cards Meals on Wheels

Tuesday, April 16 A.A.

6:00 pm Men's Bible Study 7:00 pm

- Pastor's Garage

Meals on Wheels

#### Wednesday, April 17

8:00 am **Prayer Breakfast** 

- Baker's Sq., 98th & Lyn.

6:00 pm A.C.A.

**Church Council** 6:00 pm

7:00 pm Senior Choir

Meals on Wheels

#### Thursday, April 18 – Maundy Thursday

Worship Service 7:00 pm - Lord's Supper

Meals on Wheels

#### Friday, April 19 – Good Friday

No B4&Aft Care

7:00 pm Worship Service

Meals on Wheels

#### Saturday, April 20

9:30 am Easter Breakfast Set-Up

#### Sunday, April 21 - Easter Sunday

- Lord's Supper

8:30 am Worship

9:30 am Easter Breakfast

10:45 am Worship

 $\vartheta$  - On the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 10:45am, we offer a contemporary worship service

If you would like to place an announcement in the Beacon, please give it to the office in writing (note or to office email), by noon Tuesday for the upcoming Sunday.

#### YOUR BEREA STAFF

Rev. Dr. Kevin Tiaden, Pastor MUSIC

Paul Cordes, Music Director

Kerry Murphy, Choir Director

Penny Voxland, Music Assistant

#### **OFFICE**

Allen Petersen, Parish Administrator HaeKyung Thompson, Community Outreach Coordinator

#### BUILDING

Shawn Donnelly, Custodian

#### YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY DIRECTOR

Paige Fladland, DCE

#### BEFORE & AFTER CARE PROGRAM

Cheryl Thiele HaeKyung Thompson Kathleen Tiaden

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **EASTER BRUNCH**

Sign-ups are now posted on the east bulletin board for our annual Easter Brunch! Sign-ups!? Of course, there is the sign-up for all of the folks that wish to enjoy dining on the usual delicious food that is a served. But...this event also needs a number of fine folks to assist in making this happen! We could use your help for a variety of things: set-up, prep, serve, clean up, provide certain food/beverage items, etc.

This event is being put on courtesy of Berea's Church Council. Questions? Check with one of our fine council members. Sign up deadline: April 14<sup>th</sup>.

#### **EASTER FLOWERS**

*Today* is the last day to place your order for Easter flowers!

#### **PORTALS OF PRAYER**

The Apr-Jun 2019 issue is now available at the information rack by the Emerson Ave. doors. The Digest-sized version has an additional prayer supplement included due to a printing error in the devotional.

#### **VOTER'S MEETING**

Our Voter's Meeting will be held Sun., Apr. 28th after the second service.

#### **YOUTH GROUP**

Youth will be meeting on April 28th at 12noon! Lunch and activities!

#### **ADULT INFORMATION CLASS**

On April 29th, Pastor Tiaden will begin an adult information class series for those who wish to become members of Berea. Classes will be held on Monday evenings at 7:00pm. This session will run approx. 8 weeks. Tentative new member recognition date will be July 21st.

#### **IN OUR PRAYERS**

Prayer is a powerful tool and it is one of the easiest things we as Christians can do. You are always welcome to let the office know if you, a loved one, or a friend might be in need of prayer and we will include it in our prayers during worship. And, we rejoice when prayers are answered! If you no longer need to be included in our Sunday prayers, also please let us know.

#### FIRESIDE DECORATING COMMITTEE

The Church Council is looking for a few people to serve on a committee that will oversee the redecorating/freshening of the Fireside Room. If you are interested, see any member of the Council.

#### LADIES SPRING SALAD LUNCHEON ON MAY 11<sup>TH</sup> HAS BEEN CANCELLED

#### **SEMINARIAN UPDATE**

Read the latest from our adopted St. Louis seminarian, Kevin Peterson, on the east bulletin board.

#### **APRIL NEWSLETTER**

...is now in your mailbox!

## This Week's Birthdays

Andrew Kurkowski	4/15
Derek Fladland	4/16
Doris Long	4/16
Catherine Zook	4/18
Jerry Gatz	4/19
Christa Opdahl	4/20

#### May the Lord bless your special day!

(If your birthday is missing, please let the office know so we can update our records)

# Count Your Blessings ...a Stewardship Minute

"Tell the master of the house, 'The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?'"

#### Luke 22:11

Did Jesus really need this man's Upper Room? If the man had refused to let Jesus use it would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this room! It is likewise with us. The Lord needs none of us, but what an honor for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.

## LUTHERAN WOMEN'S MISSIONARY LEAGUE

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Spring WOMs are in mailboxes. Extra copies are available in the narthex information rack.

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Disappointing News...
Total income for Mites & Cards
for the first quarter of 2019 came
to \$72.68--\$50 less than
2018's income. Let's see if we can
bump it up in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter!

LWML Card Corner



Now available:

Easter (top rack of recycled table display)

#### Birthdays-

(Lots of nice birthday cards for Moms & Grandmas)

Thinking of You/Get Well

# Remembering Shut-ins & Our Prayer Listees:

Along with our prayers, Thinking of You cards are always welcome. Our card rack has lots to choose from!

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