

## FAITH LUTHERAN & NORTH NEW HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCHES

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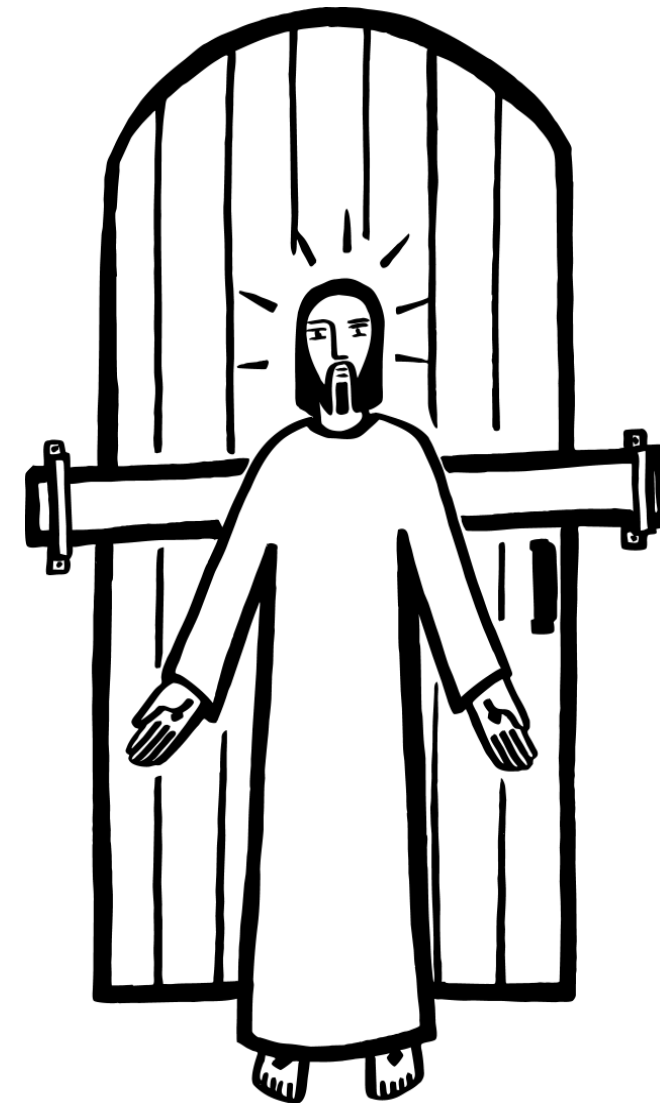
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**Sunday April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Easter**

**Service of the Word**



**NORTH NEW HOPE SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:** Sunday School at 9:30am before worship. Preschool through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Noisy Offering last Sunday of the month. Please be generous, this funds our Sunday School.

**FAITH LUTHERAN SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS:** Faith Sunday School is held during worship, inform ushers your child is attending & Josh/Chelsea will lead them to the Fireside room for lessons, crafts, treats, & fun!

**GREETING CARDS AT FAITH:** Greeting cards at Faith-Free Will donation

**COFFEE & CONVERSATIONS MONTHLY AT BOTH CHURCHES:**

**FAITH:** 1st Sunday during coffee hour. **N NEW HOPE:** 2nd Sunday before worship at 10:00am

**FAITH ALTAR FLOWERS FOR EASTER:** Please take your plants home today if you haven't already.

**NORTH NEW HOPE ALTAR EASTER LILLIES:** Please take your plants home today if you haven't already.

**PRAYERS FOR CONGREGATIONS IN TOMORROW RIVER CONFERENCE:**

This week we pray for our brothers & sisters of First English Lutheran Church of Wisconsin Rapids, their congregations and Pastor Cheryl Davis

**POTLUCK AND BIRTHDAY CAKE! APRIL 19<sup>TH</sup>:** At N New Hope 11:30am following their service to honor the 1<sup>st</sup> Communion students & Pastor Joyce's birthday (actual day!). All are welcome N New Hope & Faith. Bring a dish to pass and celebrate! Any questions, contact Michelle Raddatz 715-630-9504.

**ROSHOLT PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED:** Pancake Syrup, Rice, Frozen meat, Canned Fruit, and brown paper bags with handles. Can drop off donations Sundays & office hours. Rosholt Food Pantry open 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of the month 3-5pm. ***PLEASE***-If you have a need or know of families in need, Call Dawn Cherek 715-570-3045.

**AGING & DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER OF PORTAGE COUNTY:** ADRC Nutrition Program for seniors aged 60 and older. Rosholt ADRC dining site Nelson/Kaminski American Legion Hall. Meals are served on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays every month. Noon lunch. Suggested donation of \$5. ***RSVP Lisa, 715-347-4856.***

**SPRING 2026 PORTAGE COUNTY PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK:** April 20<sup>th</sup> 2026 11:30am to 12:30pm at the Rosholt Village Hall (101 S Main St) Bring any unwanted, unneeded or expired prescriptions and over the counter medication in their original containers for disposal.

**"THE BIG SING" APRIL 25, 2026 7PM:** At the Fox Cities Performing Arts Center in Appleton. See details, poster on bulletin board.

**MOUNT CARMEL NORWEGIAN CHRISTIAN HERITAGE TOUR:** Pastor Tim Peterson and his wife Donadee are tour hosts for a trip to Norway. August 14-28<sup>th</sup>, 2026 Participation is limited to 30 persons. See information on bulletin board. Contact information for Pastor Tim & Donadee in the trip information on bulletin board.

**PASTOR HEINTZ OFFICE HOURS:** Pastor Joyce will usually be in the office on Wednesdays during office hours.

**DEADLINE MAY NEWSLETTER** April 21, 2026 at 2 pm

**DEADLINE BULLETINS – WEDNESDAYS** 2 pm

### **Faith & N New Hope Joint Parish Staff**

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**Tuesday thru Friday Noon-3pm**

**Organist New Hope:** Lenore Peterson

**Musician Faith:** Jennifer Riese

### **Prayers for Healing**

*Please remember those who are ill or otherwise  
in need of prayer, especially:*

#### **FAITH**

John, Alice, Jackie, Dawn & Paul,  
Betsy & Al, Quinton, Todd, and Ken.

#### **NORTH NEW HOPE:**

Alyce, Berniece, and Cyndy.

*Please call or email the Church Office  
to add to or remove someone on the prayer list.*

**Preparation for Worship** – The glow of Easter remains! Our risen Lord has promised to be with us always. He welcomes all of us who have come to worship. Glory be to the Father, to the Son and to the Holy Spirit!

**Words of Welcome** – Help each of us, O Lord, to experience the same joy which the friends of Jesus felt when meeting the risen Christ.

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

Blessed be the holy Trinity, ☩ one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.**  
Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid:  
cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you  
and worthily magnify your holy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. Gracious God, **have mercy on us.**  
**We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly  
sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we  
have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that  
we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ.  
By grace you have been saved. In the name of ☩ Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God  
strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith. **Amen.**

**GATHERING SONG** *I Know My Redeemer Lives! vs 1-2-3-4 (Red Hymnal #619)*

### GREETING:

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.  
**And also with you.**

**CANTICLE OF PRAISE** *I'm, So Glad Jesus Lifted Me (Red Hymnal #860)*

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. Almighty and eternal God, the strength of those who believe and the hope of those who  
doubt, may we, who have not seen, have faith in you and receive the fullness of Christ's blessing, who lives  
and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

### FIRST READING: Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM: Psalm 16

- <sup>1</sup> Protect me, O God, for I take refuge in you;  
I have said to the LORD, "You are my Lord, my good above all other."  
<sup>2</sup> **All my delight is in the godly that are in the land, upon those who are noble among the people.**  
<sup>3</sup> But those who run after other gods shall have their troubles multiplied.  
<sup>4</sup> **I will not pour out drink offerings to such gods, never take their names upon my lips.**  
<sup>5</sup> O LORD, you are my portion and my cup; it is you who uphold my lot.  
<sup>6</sup> **My boundaries enclose a pleasant land; indeed, I have a rich inheritance.**  
<sup>7</sup> I will bless the LORD who gives me counsel; my heart teaches me night after night.  
<sup>8</sup> **I have set the LORD always before me; because God is at my right hand, I shall not be shaken.**  
<sup>9</sup> My heart, therefore, is glad, and my spirit rejoices; my body also shall rest in hope.  
<sup>10</sup> **For you will not abandon me to the grave, nor let your holy one see the pit.**  
<sup>11</sup> You will show me the path of life; in your presence there is fullness of joy,  
and in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

### SECOND READING: 1 Peter 1:3-9

Word of God, word of life. **Thanks be to God**

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:** *Halle, Halle, Hallelujah (Red Hymnal #172)*

*Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le-lu-jah.  
Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le-lu-jah.  
Hal-le, hal-le, hal-le-lu-jah.  
Hal-le-lu-jah. Hal-le-lu-jah.*

### GOSPEL: John 20:19-31

The holy gospel according to John **Glory to you, O Lord.**

The gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, O Christ**

### SERMON

**Rev Tryphine Schruba**

### HYMN OF THE DAY

*Thine Is the Glory*

**(Red Hymnal #376)**

### NICENE CREED

**(Red Hymnal p104)**

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Trusting in the power of Christ's resurrection to heal and redeem our broken world, let us pray for  
the needs of all creation.

...Merciful God, **receive our prayer.**

...God of resurrection power, use us and these prayers to proclaim the good news of new life to all  
the world, through Jesus Christ, our risen Savior. **Amen.**

### PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always.

**And also with you.**

### OFFERING:

**FAITH**

**N NEW HOPE**



Faith, Rosholt



North New Hope

**QR codes for giving**

**CANTICLE OF THANKSGIVING:** *We Are an Offering (Red Hymnal #692)*

**THANKSGIVING FOR THE WORD:** **(Red Hymnal p220)**

Let us pray. Praise and thanks to you, holy God,...

... For your Word of life, O God, **we give you thanks and praise.**

... through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be honor and  
glory forever. **Amen.**

### LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### BLESSING

The God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another,  
in accordance with Christ Jesus. **Amen.**

The God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that you may abound in hope by the  
power of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

The God of all grace ☩ bless you now and forever. **Amen.**

### SENDING SONG

*I Know My Redeemer Lives! vs 5-6-7-8 (Red Hymnal #619)*

### DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Share the good news.

**Thanks be to God.**