Looking Ahead

- Apr 26—Spring Clean Up Day, 9 am
- May 4—Confirmation & Youth Band Sunday
- May 7—Membership Classes begin
- May 18 and 21—Budget Town Hall Meetings
- June 1—Voters' Meeting, 11 am
- June 8—Save the date! Outdoor worship at Normandale Lake Bandshell, 10 am

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Easter Sunday Bulletin April 20, 2025

Happy Easter!

Welcome to St. Michael's Lutheran Church. Our mission flows from the grace of Jesus, to love our neighbors so that they may have hope in His name. We are glad you are worshipping with us today and hope you are blessed by the fellowship we have in Christ Jesus.

~ Pastor Pat, Pastor Ryan, and Pastor Hunde

Order of Service

Sunday is Coming
Hallelujah Chorus
Jesus Christ is Risen Today
Welcome / Announcements
Glorious Day

Invocation

Confession / Absolution Children's Message

Scripture Readings: Isaiah 65:17-25; 1 Cor. 15:19-26;

Luke 24:1-12

Message—Resurrection Hope, Pastor Ryan Alvey

Apostles' Creed

Offering

Choir: Praise the Lord!

Prayers / Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution / Communion

Thank You Jesus For the Blood / In Christ Alone /

King of Kings

Blessing

My Redeemer Lives

A Special Welcome to Our Guests

We are glad you are visiting today! Easter brings many guests and we hope that you find St. Michael's to be welcoming and inviting, because that is our mission. We are not a group of people who "have it all together." Instead we join together in the joy of Jesus' victory to receive His gifts of healing, support, and hope. We'd love to connect with you and answer any questions you may have or pray for you. Please **fill out the Connect card in the pew** and drop it in an offering plate.

Events & Opportunities

Coffee and Food After Services—Join us in the lobby today for hot coffee, cold brew, and light breakfast foods served by the youth. Free-will offering proceeds go toward the youth attending the National Youth Gathering this summer.

Nursery—Our nursery is staffed each Sunday during both services. Parents, please check in your child at the Connect Kids check-in kiosk in the lobby before dropping off at the nursery.

Connect Kids—St. Michael's offers Sunday school for kids aged 2 through 5th grade each Sunday at 10 am (no Connect Kids today.) Visitors are welcome. Just stop by the check-in kiosk in the lobby.

For the Record—Men, you're invited to a casual evening of connection, conversation and good tunes. Select a song and join Pastor Ryan and friends on May 1. Email pastorryan@smlcb.org for details.

Membership Class—Wondering about membership at St. Michael's? You are invited to three consecutive classes on Wednesday nights in May to learn about SMLC's mission, meet new friends, and find out how you can get involved and grow as a disciple. May 7, 14, 21—6:30 pm. Dinner provided! Register on Church Center or contact the church office at office@smlcb.org.

Spring Clean Up Day—Join in on Saturday morning, April 26, starting at 9 am and help spruce up our church grounds. Bring a rake and work gloves if you have them. Donuts and coffee provided.

Budget Town Hall Meetings—Save the date and plan to attend: Sunday, May 18 after the 10 am service OR Wednesday, May 21 after the midday service and lunch. More details to come.

Church Closed—The church will be closed on Easter Monday, April 21.