

The 5th Sunday of Easter April 28, 2024

10:00am

Welcome Home! It's GOOD to be home!

God's Vision for Faith: Energized by God's amazing love, Faith is a welcoming community: growing closer to and more like Jesus; making Christ known; joyfully serving each other, our neighbors, and all God's creation.

Welcome to Faith, a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA). Go to **www.faithshelton.org** for more information and inspiration.

NEW to Faith? Welcome Home! Fill out a *Welcome Home Card* to share contact info, request prayers, or get new nametags, and place it in the Offering Plate or the "OTM" (Offerings, Tithes, and Messages) located in the back of the sanctuary.

All are welcome to participate in processional Holy Communion, consisting of bread and grape juice. Gluten free wafers available as well.

Kids are welcome, too! Children's Bulletins are available for our youngest worshipers. The **Family Room** and **Linda's Corner** are family-friendly zones during worship.

All ages are welcome. Hearing assist devices are available near the OTM.

What's Happening around Faith:

- Today is LWR Quilt Sunday. Thanks to our "Sewing Saints" for their ministry of making quilts for Lutheran World Relief.
- This Wednesday is Grub and Games Night, 6:00-8:00pm. All ages welcome. Worship at 6pm; Pizza (provided by NAMI) at 6:30pm; Games from 7-8pm. Bring a friend and a game to share!
- Empty Bowls Benefit for Saints' Pantry, May 1, 8, and 15. Faith has been a long time supporter of this local, church-sponsored food bank.
- Youth Sunday, May 5. Next week you will get to meet some of the fourteen youth going to Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp this summer (July 21-26). Please consider being a camper sponsor, prayer partner, or pen pal!
- Connection Street Theatre presents our annual spring musical: *Something Rotten,* showing May 11&12; 17,18&19. Tickets online or at the door.
- NAMI Walk: Mental Health for All, Saturday, June 1st, 8am, Shelton High School Stadium.

Worship Ministers	April 28	May 5	May 12	May 19	
Readers	Penny Mee	Youth Doris Oliver Connie Payne		Connie Payne	
Faith Moment	Council Report	Youth	Mary Ann Wagner	Krysi Boyer	
Cantor/Worship Team	Choir	Choir/Youth	Ascension	Celebration	
Children's Message	Sue Barnard	Youth	Tyger Penson	Connie Himlie	
Servers	Richard Hall Larry Johnson	Youth	Mike Leitch Robyn Naval Janet List Terry Ray		
Acolyte	Malcolm Page Youth				
Ushers	Beverley Robert Dorina Sleep	Foster Bonville Youth	Richard Ross Bill Sleep	Bob Stone Terry Ray	
Bread/Altar Guild	Vic/Krysi Boyer	Karen Skare	Brenda Satrum Bert Pederson		
Flowers	Doris Oliver	Sandra Partridge	Arlene Sandifer		



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Prelude Janna Wood, Accompanist Welcome Home! **Council Report** Jan Ray, Council President **Faith Choir** "Hymn of Promise" **Barbie Nesmith Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness** ELW page 94 **Opening Hymn** "Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing" ELW 389 Greeting ELW page 138 Kyrie & Hymn of Praise "Glory to God" ELW pages 138-140 **Prayer of the Day Children's Message** Pastor Doug Reading 1 John 4:7-21 Bible 1740 John 15:1-8 **Gospel Reading** Bible 1537 "Abiding Love" Sermon, Rev. Dr. Douglas Peterson "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" Sermon Hymn ELW 631 **Apostles' Creed** ELW page 105 **Blessing of the Quilts** Karen Skare, Sewing Saints **Prayers of Faith Tithes and Offerings Holy Communion** Lord's Prayer (1958) "Lamb of God" Distribution ELW page 146 **Blessing and Benediction** Sending Song "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" ELW 733

Faith Calendar (April 28 - May 5, 2024)

"Welcome one another, as Christ has welcomed you..." (Romans 15:7)

Sunday	9:00a	Faith Choir (RM5); Confirmation (RM1)	
5th Sunday	10:00a	Worship (SANC)	
of Easter	11:30a	Historical Jesus (3DR)	
	1:00p	CST Rehearsal (GYM)	
Monday	11:00a	Staff (RM1)	
	5:30p	CST Rehearsal (GYM)	
	6:15p	YACs (1130 Fairmount)	
Tuesday	7:30a	Sandwich Club (KIT)	
	9:00a	Prayer Ministry (FRM)	
	6:30p	Great Bend Chorale (SANC)	
Wednesday	11:00a	Pastor's Bible Study: "1 John" (Zoom)	
	1:00p	Good Grief for Widows (3DR)	
	5:00p	Empty Bowls for Saints' Pantry (Shelton Civic Center)	
	6:00p	Bless This Night (SANC)	
	6:30p	Grub and Games(GYM)	
Thursday	2:00p	Grief Support (3DR)	
	5:30p	CST Rehearsal (GYM)	
Friday			
Saturday	8:30a	Men's Bible Study (RM1)	
Sunday	9:00a	Faith Choir (RM5); Confirmation (RM1)	
Youth Sunday!	10:00a	Worship (SANC)	
6th Sunday	11:30a	Historical Jesus (3DR)	
of Easter	1:00p	CST Rehearsal (GYM)	

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