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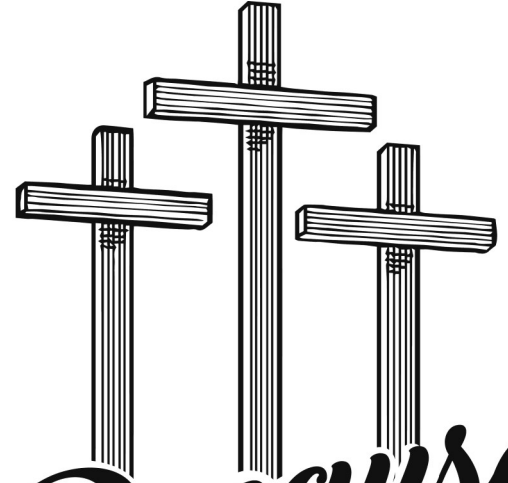
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“Making disciples by reaching the lost for Jesus Christ so that all experience help, hope, and home”

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*Because  
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# APRIL CHURCH CALENDAR



## FROM THE DESK OF PASTOR RON

### New Beginnings

Every year about this time I begin tomato and pepper seedlings. This both saves money and allows me to grow specific varieties that are hard to find, such as the hatch chili varieties that we enjoy. But there is always that waiting period, wondering if the seedlings are really going to germinate. Peppers are the more difficult because they take much longer and the success rate is lower in my experience, but the first sight of new sprouts causes me to bubble up with excitement as I tell Deanna, my seeds are up!!! It is such a thrill to watch the signs of new life and see them grow into healthy plants. I think this is much how we feel right now. We have been waiting for not 1 or 2 weeks but a whole year to get back to enjoying our life. I took my wife out on a date at a sit-down restaurant for the first time in 12 months and it has been good to get the coffee groups back together face-to-face. It is good for the soul. One thing this pandemic has done for me and I hope that it has for you, is that it has caused us to really appreciate just how important it is to fellowship with our church family. I have heard from several families the statement "Well, I guess we will be back in church soon."

This past year has been hard, but new growth, new things are on the horizon. I hope this experience has changed us all into becoming more grateful and more thankful people, appreciating the church family and relationship we have. I look forward to seeing you all, back in church real soon.  
Blessings, Pastor Ron



Women's Bible Study  
April 14th 9:30 A. M.  
in the Parlor  
Contact is Marilyn Minks  
for details

## Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

				1 MAUNDY THURSDAY 7:00pm	2	3
4 <u>Worship Committee</u> <u>12:00pm</u> HAPPY EASTER	5	6 <u>Trustee Mtg.</u> <u>7:00 pm</u>	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 <u>Missions 6:00 pm</u> <u>Christian Ed</u> <u>7:00pm</u>	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 <u>Membership</u> <u>5:50 pm</u> <u>Church Council</u> <u>7:00 pm</u>	21	22	23	24
25	26	27 <u>Deacons Meeting</u> <u>7:00 pm</u>	28	29	30	

### Little Bells of Easter by Fanny Crosby 1898

Little Bells of Easter, We will gently sway, ringing chimes for Jesus on this happy day; Nodding, gaily nodding, like the flowers we love, singing praises all our days for the King above. Bells of Easter gaily swinging to and fro, pealing out a gladsome lay as forth we go; Jesus lives forever is the news we bring, Blessed tidings of salvation, Christ is King. Little bells of Easter, swinging all in time, round about together hear our echoes chime; singing praise all our days to the King on high. Little Bells of Easter, happy hearts have we, in our Master's service faithful let us be; ever moving onward step by step we'll go, singing praise all our days while on earth below.

## REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES AT COUNTRYSIDE

SUNDAY	Sunday School	9:30 A.M.
	Morning Worship	10:45 A.M.
WEDNESDAY	Bible Study	7:00 P.M.
WEDNESDAY	Disciples of Wisdom Youth Group	7:00 P.M.

### KID'S COUNTRY VOLUNTEERS

#### APRIL

- 4 Carol Kirk & TBA
- 11 Dena Miller & Robin Lawrence
- 18 Gordon & Jane Warnken
- 25 Linda Cox & Heidi McCullers

### GREETERS & TECH BOOTH

#### APRIL

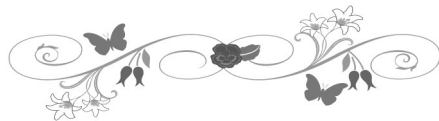
- 4 Mike & Melissa DeWitt
- 11 Richard & Linda Campbell
- 18 Louise Lyon /TBA
- 25 Chuck & Sandy Fann

Video/Sound Hunter Maxfield

### NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

#### APRIL

- 4 Loretta Moss
- 11 Joyce Ploog
- 18 Adam Fortna
- 25 Jamie Standage



## HAPPY APRIL

### BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

- |                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 Carol Kirk              | 19 Marilyn Minks      |
| 6 Judd McCullers          | 21 Brenda Horyna      |
| 9 Gordon & Jamie Standage | Chris & Carolyn Moore |
| 10 Loran Sneath           | 22 Addison Maxfield   |
| 12 Karen Potts            | 25 Shirley Patterson  |
| 14 Karrlita Fortna        | 30 Linda Cox          |
| 18 Carl Stickley          | Mike & Melissa DeWitt |

Here are fourteen essential salvation doctrines.

1. God's Unity
2. God's Tri-unity
3. Human Depravity
4. Christ's Virgin Birth
5. Christ's Sinlessness
6. Christ's Deity
7. Christ's Humanity
8. The Necessity of God's Grace
9. The Necessity of Faith
10. Christ's Atoning Death
11. Christ's Bodily Resurrection
12. Christ's Bodily Ascension
13. Christ's Intercession
14. Christ's Second Coming

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Here are a few Prophecies of Jesus' Death & Resurrection

Be hung on a tree as a curse for us  
 Be thirsty during his execution  
 Be struck on the head  
 Have soldiers cast lots for his coat  
 Be betrayed by a friend  
 Commit his spirit into God's Hand  
 Be buried with the rich  
 Be raised from the dead

### "EASTER" by Marilyn Minks

Easter has always been a favorite with me! I realize Christmas is a celebration of Jesus' birth, but without His death and resurrection His birth would be without meaning. In fact some of my family call Easter, Resurrection Sunday. Oh, I enjoy preparing plastic eggs filled with candy for an Easter egg hunt with the grandchildren. For each child there is a "special egg" with a note that they bring to me for a prize that is not candy. Sometimes it is money, a toy, sunglasses, just something that is special. But, my heart is filled with joy at the Easter Sunday service when I celebrate my Lord's resurrection. Through scripture I go to the grave with the women and see the empty tomb. I feel the thrill when we sing "Up From the Grave He Arose" and "Christ the Lord is Risen Today". It's Spring time, the flowers are beginning to bloom, and "Because He Lives", I too shall live! And that is something very "Special" to me.

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### "EASTER CELEBRATION" by Tom Eli

My youngest daughter was in Kindergarten when she ran up to me all excited. She had just memorized her first bible verse. It was a great verse. Psalms 34:4 "I sought the Lord and He heard me and delivered me from all my fears!" She would recite that verse anytime she had the opportunity. 45 years later she still remembers that truth. I hope it hasn't been lessened by all the noise!

Who would have thought a little over a year ago that we would experience the kind of upheaval and uncertain times we know today. A pandemic and then a contentious political climate try us all. It seems like this long drawn out ordeal has left us exhausted both mentally and physically. Gladly though, we as Gods children, have reason to rejoice. Soon, its Easter!

Easter represents so many things to us as His children.

Because of the resurrection we can have a fresh start.

Everything changed that day. No one is left out.

The songwriter paraphrased Rev. 22:17 proclaiming,

"Whosoever will, may come!" That invitation is still open today!

Dr. Warren Wiersbe addressed the importance of the resurrection when he wrote in his commentary on the New

Testament, "The Resurrection is not just important, it is of first importance," because all that we believe hinges on it!"

When I think about Easter my thoughts go to a verse in Isaiah 53:11 "He shall see of the travail of His soul, and shall be SATISFIED: by his knowledge shall my righteous servant justify many for He shall bear their iniquities!" Websters Dictionary defines the word satisfied this way, "Pleased or content with what has been experienced or received", "paid in full", and "persuaded by argument or evidence." HE left nothing undone!! As the old time preacher would say, "The work of Christ on the Cross was three things, it was perfect, complete, and finished!"

## STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT "WHAT AN EASTER SUNDAY"

*That I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death, If, by any means, I may attain to the resurrection from the dead.* (Philippians 3:10-11. (NKJV))

“Sharing began in the heart of God. He shared his universe with his creation. He shared heaven by sending his only begotten Son to redeem the world. He shares eternity with man through the power of the resurrection. Paul, in his great love for Christ, prays that he might “share his sufferings,” and he might be “like Him,” and that he might “attain the resurrection.”

If we love Christ as we should and are dedicated to him as we ought to be, we, too, will want to share not only his sufferings and his resurrection, but we will want to share in the work of His kingdom on earth.” (from *At The Lord's Treasury*, the Bethany Press, 1959)

In February, the Unified Budget giving of \$13,822 exceeded the actual expenditures by \$1,171 and the amount that giving has exceeded the expenditures for 2021 is \$2,426. which is a good start for 2021. We collected a lot of cans of soup which were delivered to the Reno Country Food Bank to help feed the hungry in Hutchinson.

As we come together this Easter Sunday, may we look back on a wonderful week of worship and remember the sacrifice that our Lord made for us by sending his son to die for us so that we might be saved and have eternal life . Let us not remember this for just a day, but throughout the entire year. Jesse Nininger and I will be sharing the gospel on Easter Sunday morning at the Reno County Correctional Facility for the first time in many months as things reopen from the pandemic. We ask that you pray for us to have the right message to share with the prisoners and that many will come to hear God’s Word that morning. As we reopen and start worshiping together, may we all work together to reach the lost in Hutchinson and build God’s kingdom on earth. – Rich McCullum



## FINANCIAL REPORT MONTHLY STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Unified Budget	February 2021	Year-to-Date
Budget Goals	14,349.25	28,698.50
Tithes & Offerings	13,822.22	28,178.38
Actual Expenditures	12,651.21	25,752.28
Overage (Shortfall)	1,171.01	2,426.10

### JAIL MINISTRY

The Jail Ministry team led by Rich McCullum will be going to the Reno County Jail April 4th sharing the Gospel with the inmates. Please pray for the inmates and the team.

### CROSS—ROADS AREA ANNUAL MEETING

Is April 24th at First Baptist Church , Newton, KS 200 W. 6th St. at 9:30 for fellowship and coffee. Mang Sonna, Executive Director of the Bethel Neighborhood Center is the keynote speaker, You can register your attendance with Cindy Fritz at 785-820-1640 or [cindyfritz@gmail.com](mailto:cindyfritz@gmail.com) A 5.00 registration fee can be paid the morning of the meeting. The fee will cover the lunch. The link to attend by zoom is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81962538705> Please register your attendance by April 17th.

### Special Worship Schedule

#### MAUNDYTHURSDAY

#### SERVICE

Maundy Thursday service is April 1st at 7:00 PM in the sanctuary. Come and enjoy a beautiful service remembering how Jesus shared with His disciples on the last Thursday night.

#### EASTER SUNDAY

April 4th

Children’s Easter Celebration

9:30 AM

Worship Service/ Kid’s

Country

