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One of the most important words in John's Gospel is the word "life." It is a translation from the Greek word "zoe" from which we get words like zoology, the study of living, breathing creatures. Zoe differs from the Greek word "bios" (from which we get biology) only slightly. Bios means living as opposed to being not living. Zoe adds an aspect of breathing and moving. However, in the New Testament, especially in John, the word zoe takes on a new and deeper meaning.

John's Gospel begins in epic fashion.

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made. In him was life, and the life was the light of men. John 1:1-4 In Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh, is life (zoe), the light of men.

And at the end of his Gospel, John reminds us of the importance of this life again.

These things are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. John 20:31

In the name of Jesus the Christ, and in no other name, is life (zoe).

Throughout John's Gospel we learn about this life and the essential nature of it.

Jesus will "be lifted up so that whoever believes in Him will have eternal life." John 3:15 The life of Jesus will become in us "a spring of water welling up to eternal life." John 4:14 The Father "raises the dead and gives them life, even so the Son gives life to whom He wishes." John 5:21 This is only the beginning.

Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life. Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming,

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and those who hear will live. For as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself. John 5:24-26

Jesus declares that He is "the bread of life," John 6:33-51 and that the one who lives upon Him will have eternal life. The one who follows Him has "the light of life." John 8:12 He lays down His life so that His sheep can have life. John 10:7-30 He says "I am the resurrection and the life." John 11:25 "He who loves his life loses it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it to eternal life." John 12:25 Real fulfilling life is found in trusting and valuing Jesus Christ above all else. It is not in pleasure-seeking, money, power, or any passing things.

and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God,

Jesus says, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father except through Me." John 14:6 Jesus gives eternal life "and this is life eternal, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent." John 17:2-3

Paul tells us that because of life in Jesus, those who are His now live under His reign and in His Kingdom characterized by "eternal life" (zoe). This is in contrast to the death that is in this world through the sin of Adam.

For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation. Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned-- for sin indeed was in the world before the law was given, but sin is not counted where there is no law. Yet death reigned from Adam to Moses, even over those whose sinning was not like the transgression of Adam, who was a type of the one who was to come. But the free gift is not like the trespass. For if many died through one man's trespass, much more have the grace of God and the free gift by the grace of that one man, Jesus Christ, abounded for many.

And the free gift is not like the result of that one man's sin. For the judgment following one trespass brought condemnation, but the free gift following many trespasses brought justification. For if, because of one man's trespass, death reigned through that one man, much more will those who receive the abundance of grace and the free gift of righteousness reign in life through the one man Jesus Christ.

Therefore, as one trespass led to condemnation for all men, so one act of righteousness leads to justification and life for all men. For as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous. Now the law came in to increase the trespass, but where sin increased, grace abounded all the more, so that, as sin reigned in death, grace also might reign through righteousness leading to eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 5:10-21th

REGIONAL PRAYER CONFERENCE

Friends and neighbors praying for our home and the people who live here

SATURDAY, APRIL 9

TIME:
2:00-5:30 PM
LOCATION:
GRACE BAPTIST CHURCH
1102 E Main St
Vermillion

A time of worship and prayer focused on revival and unity of believers in our area. Join with the local body of Christ in three sessions of prayer, both as a large group and in smaller breakout groups of various prayer styles.

Sponsored by a cooperation of area churches with special thanks to Grace Baptist Church for use of their facility.



sunday	monday	tuesday	wednesday	thursday	friday	saturday
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3 9a SS 10a Fellowship 10:30a Worship 6p Evening Study	4 6:30p Women's Study	5 8:30a CC 6:30p Women's Study 7p Deacon Board Mtg	6 9a Mom's Group 12p Community Study, Library 6:30p AIC Youth	7 9:30a Women's Study 12p Care Ministry Mtg, Joy Potzers 7:30p Men's Discipleship	8	9 2:30-5p Regional Prayer Gathering, Grace Baptist Vermillion
Palm Sunday 9a SS 10a Fellowship 10:30a Worship 6p Evening Study	6:30p Women's Study 7p Missions Com. Mtg	8:30a CC 6:30p Women's Study	9a Mom's Group 12p Community Study, Library 1:30p Women's Study 6:30p AIC Youth	9:30a Women's Study 7;30p Men's Dis- cipleship	7p Communion Service GOOD FRIDAY	16
Easter 8:30a Sonrise Service 9:15a Breakfast 10:30a Worship	9:45a Beresford Ministerial 6:30p Women's Study	8:30a CC 6:30p Women's Study	9a Mom's Group 12p Community Study, Library 6:30p AIC Youth	9:30a Women's Study 9:45a Bethesda Service 7:30p Men's Discipleship	6:30p CC Year End Mtg	9:30a CC Year End Mtg 3p Baby Show- er, Jackie Krebs
9a SS 10a Fellowship 10:30a Worship 6p Baptism Service	6:30p Women's Study	26 8:30a CC 6:30p Women's Study	9a Mom's group 12p Community Study 1:30p Women's Study 6:30p AIC Youth	9:30a Women's Study	29 Inneapolis	30 9a Pathways Bible Work- shop

Happy Birthday to:

1 Colleen Buss 2 Audrey Bird 3 Harlan Nielsen 6 Owen Hyronimus 7 Jen Gordon 9 Madison Erickson

9 Landry Sims

10 Doug Corwin
10 Jan Charrlin
14 Oliver Fahlberg

14 Oliver Fahlberg16 Connie Richards18 Ricky Gordon18 Aden Monen

19 Steve VanHofwegen

20 Nancy Corwin 20 Jackie Hovland 20 Lindsay Zylstra 24 David Lindsay 27 Logan Hovland 27 Julie Kelderman

Happy Anniversary to: 4 Clif & Sandra Carnes

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MINISTRY AND WORSHIP

April 3

AM: Acts 11:1-18

Theme: Jerusalem Report PM: Great Doctrines of the Bible

April 10, Palm Sunday

AM: Acts 11:19-30

Theme: The Church in Antioch PM: Great Doctrines of the Bible

April 15, Good Friday

7:00pm: Communion, The Cross of Christ

April 17, Easter

8:30am: Sonrise Service, Luke 23:50-24:12 9:15am: AIC Youth Breakfast Fundraiser

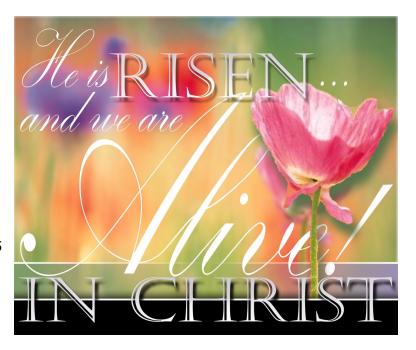
10:30am: The Road to Emmaus, Luke 24:13-35

April 24

AM: Acts 12:1-17

Theme: Peter In & Out of Jail

PM: Baptism Service



MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT

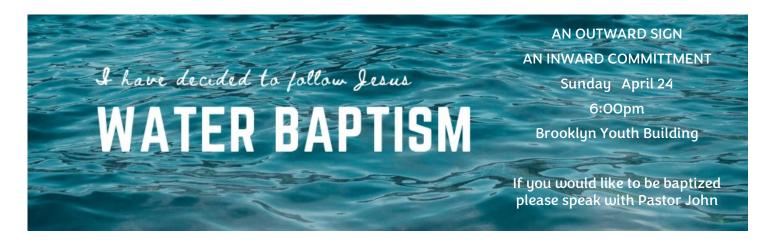
Date 4/3	Greeters D/M Nelson	Nursery Nancy Mochel	Storytime Sarah Wergin Elsie Bovill	Music/Missions Lindsay Zylstra	Scripture Reader Robin Leikvold
4/10	N/K Erickson	Paige German	Lindsay Zylstra Adell Zylstra	Missions Moment	Allen Sveeggen
4/17	M/K Bovill	Talisha Fahlberg	Sandy Fahlberg Nora Hyronimus	Open	Lindsay Zylstra
4/24	D/J Paulson	Karla Bovill	Nancy Mochel Owen Hyronimus	Hannah Bird	Reid Jensen
4/31	A/J Charrlin	Stacy Sims	Connie Schmidt Bethany Hoffman	Missions Moment	Marilyn Jensen
5/1	C/S Carnes	Nancy Mochel	Sarah Wergin Trevin Fahlberg	Open	Sandy Fahlberg
5/8	C/M DeLay	Paige German	Julie Saugstad Hannah Fahlberg	John Fahlberg	Dan Paulson
5/15	K/R Leikvold	Talisha Fahlberg	Lindsay Zylstra Sydney DeLay	Missions Moment	Jerrold Wynia
5/22	A Sveeggen	Karla Bovill	Sandy Fahlberg Jon DeLay	Open	Rhonda Wynia
5/29	R/M Jensen	Stacy Sims	Nancy Mochel Payden Hoffman	Sydney DeLay	Jeremy Saugstad

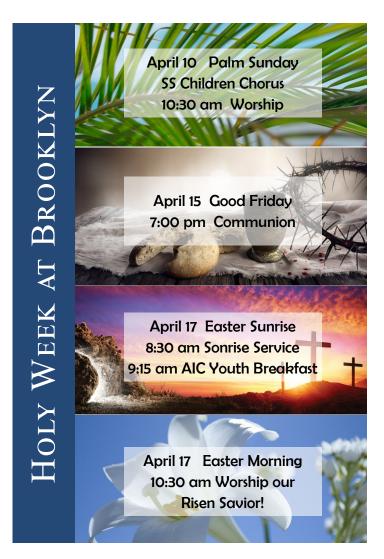
April Worship Leader: Brian Fahlberg

Sound Tech: Ben Fahlberg **Keyboard:** Connie Twedt

May Worship Leader: John Fahlberg

Sound Tech: Chris Smith **Keyboard:** Doreen Fahlberg





According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.



