

SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Menno, South Dakota

Rev. Michael Hecht	Pastor
Cindy Herrboldt	Organist
Jennifer Herrboldt	Pianist

10:30 AM – Worship Service April 09, 2023
Easter Sunday – Resurrection Day!

Meditation: *"Later, Joseph of Arimathea asked for the body of Jesus, but secretly because he feared the Jews. With Pilate's permission, he came and took the body away. He was accompanied by Nicodemus, the man who earlier had visited Jesus at night, Nicodemus brought a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about seventy-five pounds. Taking Jesus' body, the two of them wrapped it, with the spices, in strips of linen. This was in accordance with Jewish burial customs. At the place where Jesus was crucified, there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb, in which no one had ever been laid. Because it was the Jewish day of Preparation and since the tomb was nearby, they laid Jesus there."* John 19:38–42 NIV

Prelude Music Jennifer Herrboldt

Welcome / Announcements / Opening Prayer

*Hymn: #367 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Our Time of Offering

Invitation to Give Acts 2:23,24 NIV

Hymn: #368 "He Lives" (passing of offering plates)

***Lord's Prayer** sung on page #631

***Apostles' Creed** words on screen

Kingdom Kids: "Dying to Live"

Special Music: "10,000 Reasons" by the Handbell Choir

The Holy Scriptures

Luke 24:1–12

Large Print NIV 1984 Edition, pg. 1642

Sermon: "He Is Not Here, He Has Risen!"

*Hymn: #357 "Christ Arose"

Benediction:

Postlude (*denotes standing for those able)

The congregation will be ushered out after the Benediction.

Ushers: Taylor Freier and Amanda Rames

Office Hours for Pastor Hecht:

Tuesday – Friday: 8:00 AM to Noon (Church Office)

Afternoons: Visitation or Church Office

Church: 387–5334 Parsonage: 387–2855

Pastor Mike's Cell #: (605) 660–1803

Church Web Page: salemreformedchurch.com

Opportunities

Greeters Today: Ben and Julie Crick

Greeters April 16: Shirley Mettler

Sunday Prayer Time: 8:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.

Praise Music: 10:15 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

Announcements

Welcome: We extend a warm welcome to our visiting guests this morning. Please sign our guest book in the Narthex. We ask God's blessing upon you and we pray that you will return and worship with us again soon.

Easter Lilies: THANKS to all who have shared Easter Lilies in memory of loved ones! We rejoice in the words Jesus spoke in **John 11:25,26 – "I AM the Resurrection and the Life. He who believes in Me will live, even though He dies; and whoever lives and believes in Me will never die. Do you believe this?"**

Easter Breakfast: Special Thanks to the High School Youth for serving such a delicious breakfast this morning! Thanks to the youth, parents, and our youth advisors for making this possible!

Scotland Community Choir: The Scotland Community Choir will present their Easter concert on Wed, April 12, @ 7:30 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Scotland. All are welcome!

Confirmation Sunday: Confirmation for our 8th Graders will take place on Sunday, April 16th at 10:00 a.m. There will not be Sunday School Classes on that day.

MOCC Annual Meeting: The Menno–Olivet Care Center Shareholder's Annual Meeting will be held Sunday, April 16 @ 1:30 p.m. in the Menno School/City Gym.

Meals-on-Wheels: Special Thanks to those who helped deliver noon meals to the elderly during the month of March!

Cherub Choir: The Cherub Choir will plan to sing in church on Sunday, May 7th. Please have your children here by 9:15 a.m. on Sunday mornings for practice and then Sunday School.