

Pastor's Corner

St. Augustine said: “God loves each of us as if there were only one of us.”

April is the month each year the Christian Church reflects and remembers the crucifixion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ 2,000 years ago. It is a time when we celebrate Holy Week, share in the sacrament of communion, attend Sunrise and worship services, and... have Easter Egg hunts for children, spend the day with family and friends, and enjoy wonderful food.

That is not how the first Easter was experienced. No, when the tomb in which Jesus was buried was found empty fear and anxiety consumed those closest to Jesus. They had no thoughts of joyous times together that day as they were in fear for their lives. Anxiety was upon them, and they hid behind locked doors. Then, a wonderful think happened, “The doors were shut, but Jesus came and stood among them, and said, “Peace be with you.” (John 20:26)

Jesus appeared to them and spoke these words which have echoed throughout the last 2,000 years and to us today. Regardless of what the world says, there is Good News and His name is Jesus Christ and He Is Alive, and all the powers of the world cannot and will never be able to prevent the love of God and the peach that His son is for whomever believes in Him.

This Easter season lets rejoice and be joyful for Jesus Christ is the risen savior; He is alive – He is alive indeed!

Let us be reminded: Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and Hallelujah is our song.

For the parents reading this: “Easter egg hunts are proof that your children can find things when they really want.” Unknown

Blessings and Happy Easter, Pastor Jim

**VBS**

**To Mars and Beyond**

*June 4- 7th*

**Volunteers Needed**

**Sign-up Sheet at Welcome Center**

**BIBLE WORD SEARCH!**

BASIC WORD OF THE BIBLE

G	E	N	T	I	L	E	B	I	B	L	E	D
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JESUS CHRIST	PRAY	MIRACLE
SALVATION	TITHE	NAZARETH
JEW	MINISTRY	BETHLEHEM
GENTILE	BIBLE	JERUSALEM
HOLY SPIRIT	HOLY	BAPTIZE
GOD THE FATHER	SACRIFICE	TEMPTATION
PERSECUTE	FAITH	SIN

Prayer Requests	Beverly and Hugh Dennis	Dallas Richardson	Israel
	Stephanie Dennis	Carol Brake's Family	Our Country & Leaders
	Ashley and Levi Dennis	Mark Dortch	Unspoken Requests
	J-Bird	Todd Wallace	
	Elaine Siders	Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wallace	
	Pastor Jim	Duane Bennett	
	Ray Ward	Joe Stitt	
	Tommy Welker	Neal Whitford	
	Patsy Wallace	Families of Covenant School	

Sunday School

9 AM

Sunday Worship

10 AM

Worshipful

Wednesday

5 - 7 PM

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Upcoming Events

April 9th  
Easter Sunday

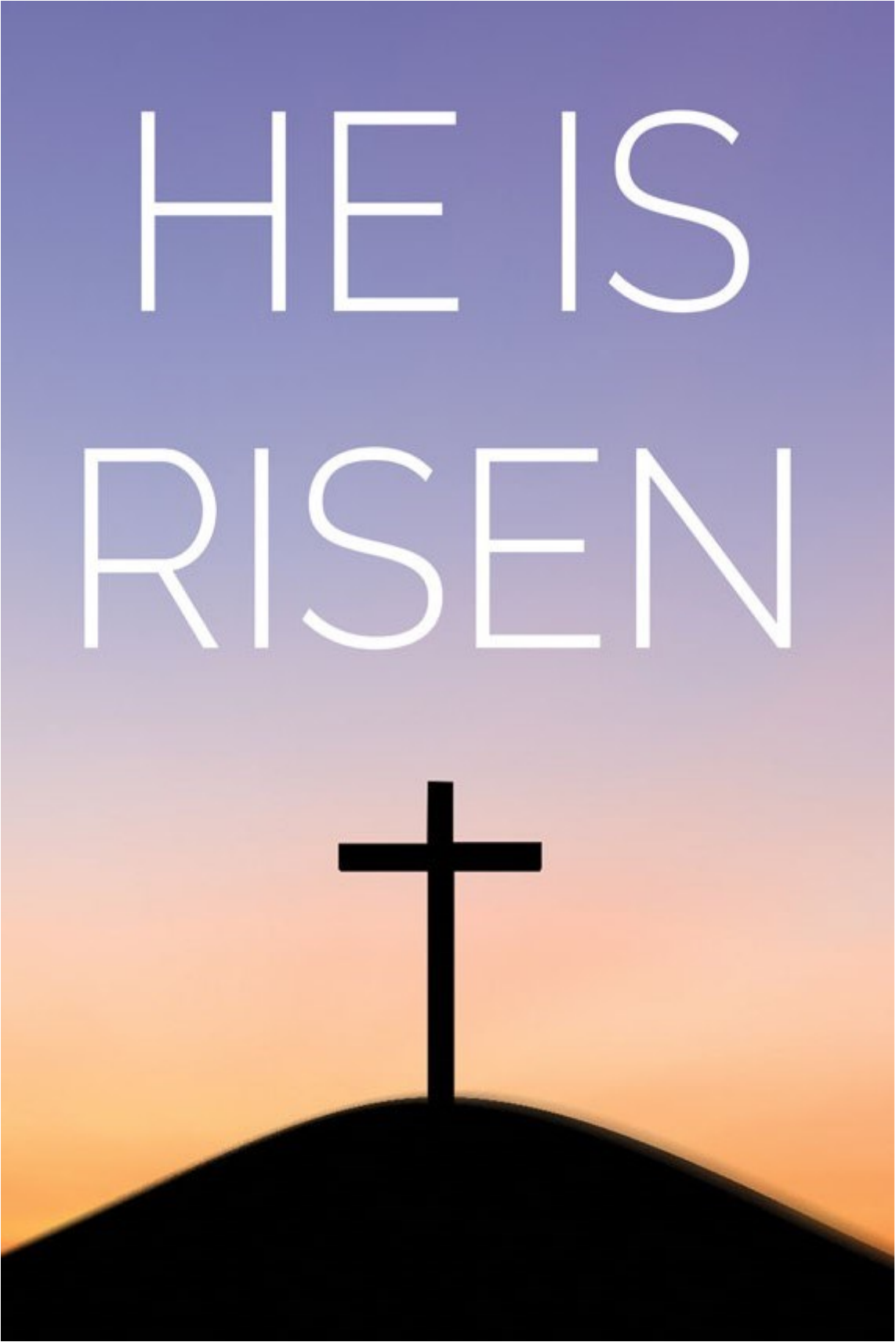
April 16th  
Board Meeting

April 27th - 28th  
District Assembly

May 6th  
Fish Fry  
4:00 - 6:00 pm

May 21st  
Board Meeting

VBS  
June 4 - 7th





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**JOIN US FOR  
EASTER**

**WORSHIP / TEACHING / KIDS MINISTRY  
SUNDAY, APRIL 9**

**SUNRISE SERVICE 7:30 AM  
BREAKFAST 8 AM  
SUNDAY SCHOOL 9 AM  
WORSHIP SERVICE 10 AM  
EGG HUNT 11 AM**