

**Christ is Risen! Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia, Alleluia!"**

## Welcome!

Here's what's happening in the life of our church.

### This Week's Schedule

- Worship – April 19 @ 10:30 AM
- Special Congregational Meeting to elect new Church Council members – April 19 after the 10:30 AM service
- Wednesday Evening Prayer Text Group resumes – April 22 @ 7:00 PM
- Coffee Group – April 23 @ 10:30 AM
- Citywide Neighborhood Cleanup, with a station at Sandalwood Park – April 25 in the morning – Time to be announced.
- Southern Ohio Synod Discipleship Day –April 25 9:30 AM-4:00 PM at Abiding Christ Lutheran Church in Fairborn

### Upcoming Events

- Messy Church – April 27 @ 5:30 PM
- Yard Prep for the Summer - May 6th from 9 AM-12 PM
- Sunday Brunch Church – A Community Building Event– May 17 @ 2:00 PM

### Special Congregational Meeting – Sunday, April 19 after the 10:30 AM Service

We will hold a brief congregational meeting at this time to elect new members to the Church Council.

### Upcoming Yard Cleanup Day

- Wednesday, May 6th from 9 AM-12 PM –Spring outside workday. We'll deal with leaves, weeds, as well as prepare flower and garden beds and other outdoor chores.

Please bring tools (we recommend your put your names on them), and gloves you can. We will have some available also. Snacks and water will be available. We'll have sign up sheets in the back of the church.

### Neighborhood Community Events

The Service and Community Building Committee (fka the Outreach Community) has set dates for two of its traditional neighborhood-wide programs:

- "Welcome to Summer" will be on Wednesday, Mary 27 in the evening.
- "Welcome the School Year" will be on Wed., August 5 in the evening.

More details will be published closer to the time of the events.

### Ministry Needs

NRLC has several ministries that depend on your support of donated items and financial gifts! This month our community outreach ministries are asking for the following items:

**Fourth Tuesday Wish List:** Toilet paper, sunglasses, cleaning supplies, sponges, and ponchos

**Food Pantry Wish List:** The things that we currently need the most are cereal (we already have corn flakes), canned meats, canned fruit, jelly, toilet paper and paper towels, but anything will be accepted!

#### Welcome Home Wish List:

Toothbrushes, toothpaste, razors, deodorant, shaving cream, and kitchen utensils (especially can openers, spatulas, bigger mixing spoons, mixing bowls).

### Altar Flowers this Week

The flowers on the altar this Sunday have been given by Sondra Elliott in honor of Mel's birthday.

### Serving NRLC at Worship this week on April 19

Worship Leader	Pr. Richard Freudenberger
Musician	Dana Peters
Worship Assistant	Andrea McGriff
Communion Assistant	Romona Carver
Ushers	Joe Hasejager & Becky Gruber
Lay Reader	Carolina Van Luvender
Sound Board	Jim Bannan
Live Stream	Suzie Bannan
Counters	Janet Ridenour & Susan Dyer

### Serving NRLC at Worship next week on April 26

Worship Leader	Minott Gaillard
Musician	Dana Peters
Ushers	Joe Hasenjager & Jim Martinson
Lay Reader	Susan Dyer
Sound Board	Dick Jones
Live Stream	Carolina Van Luvender
Counters	Andrea & Mark McGriff

**[Click Here](#)** to link to the online schedule for those that are serving at NRLC on upcoming Sundays.  
**PLEASE NOTE:** The Excel spreadsheet has different pages for different years. Go to the bottom of it and click on "2026" to get current listings.

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**April Birthdays**

04/22	Michelle Liddy
04/22	Cathy Maxwell
04/23	Donna Marsh
04/26	Sarah Fletcher
04/30	Brendan Bannan