

March Birthdays: Jack Wolicki (3/11), Shizuko Shirai (3/15), Seishi Matsui (3/17), Michiko Stewart (3/18), Nancy Kishino (3/19), Sachiko Fukami (3/31)

Announcements:

Taiko Class—New session will start on Monday, April 2.

Next week—We will be having a potluck and birthday celebration!

This week's activities: Wednesday—Soup Supper at LCR at 6pm. Lenten Service at 7pm. We are asking everybody to bring soup. **Thursday—** Bible Reading Class at 10:30pm.

Yard Sale— will be held on Saturday, March 24 by LCR Youth Group. Start going through your closets and bring items to JM office by March 22.

Easter Eggstravaganza— Saturday, April 7 from 8:30~11:30am.

Seder Meal— Maundy Thursday, April 5 at 12pm. We are having our annual Seder Meal in Bercaw Hall. Please sign up with Aiko or call church office.

Prayers: Health: Ichiro & Esther Fujita, Michiko Jordan, Chizuko Miller, Yukiko & Kai Hoshi, Teruko Matsui, Shizuko Shirai, Toyomi Shigaki's mother, and Noriko Imai's father. **Travel:** June Yoshinari, Eiko Tanaka.

LCR Japanese Ministry March Schedule

3/1, 8, 22, 29	Bible Reading Class	10:30AM	Joyce's Library
3/1, 15	Japanese Ministry Office Meeting	1:00PM	JM Office
3/3	Special Piano Charity Concert	6:00PM	Sanctuary
3/4, 11, 18, 25	Christianity 101	10:30AM	Bercaw Hall
3/5, 12, 26	Japanese Taiko Lesson	1:00PM	Bercaw Hall
3/5, 26	English Conversation Class	2:00PM	Joyce's Library
3/7	Soup Supper at 6PM and Worship at 7PM		King of Glory
3/8	CCN Health Education Class & Lunch	11:30AM	Bercaw Hall
3/13, 27	Irvine Bible Study	10:30AM	Aiko G's House
3/14	Soup Supper at 6PM and Worship at 7PM		Newport Harbor
3/21	Soup Supper at 6PM and Worship at 7PM		LCR
3/24	LCR Youth Group Yard Sale	7:00AM	LCR
3/28	Soup Supper at 6PM and Worship at 7PM		King of Glory

LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

Worship Services: Traditional Worship 8:30 a.m.
Praise Service 10:00 a.m.
Japanese Worship 11:15 a.m.

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FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT



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The Theme of 2012

**“He is good to everyone and
has compassion on all he made”**

PSALM 145:9

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Prelude (*seated*)

Greeting and Announcements

Opening Hymn (stand) “Sho o Aogimireba” Not in ELW
Japanese Hymn 21 No. 579

Blessing In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.

Invocation Let us draw near with a true heart, and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching him, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to grant us forgiveness.

Confession O most merciful God,
We poor sinners confess to you, that we are by nature sinful and unclean, and that we have sinned against you by thought, word, and deed. Wherefore we flee for refuge to your infinite mercy, seeking and imploring your grace, for the sake of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Absolution Almighty God, in his mercy has given his Son to die for us, and for his sake, forgives us all our sins.
Amen.

Kyrie Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

Hymn (seated) “by the Babylonian Rivers” Not in ELW
Japanese Hymn 21 No. 164

Prayer of The Day: O God, rich in mercy, by the humiliation of your Son you lifted up this fallen world and rescued us from the hopelessness of death. Lead us into your light, that all our deeds may reflect your love, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Lesson	Numbers	21: 4– 9
Second Lesson	1 Ephesians	2: 1-10
Gospel (stand)	John	3:14-21
Hymn (seated)	“Break Now the Bread of Life”	ELW No. 515 Japanese Hymn 21 No. 56
Today’s Message	“For God so Loved the World”	Rev. Yutaka Kishino
The Apostles’ Creed (stand)	I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God’s only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.	
Offering and Prayer	Prayers of the Church	
Holy Communion		
Communion Hymn	Japanese Hymn 21 No. 81	(First verse only)
The Lord’s Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.	
Communion Hymn	Japanese Hymn 21 No. 81	(2nd and 3rd verses)
Benediction		
Threefold Amen		
Closing Hymn (stand)	“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”	ELW No. 759 Japanese Hymn 21 No. 441