

April Birthdays: Aiko Lin (4/8), Stuart Payne (4/17), Kayoko Balsler (4/19)
Pastor Carl (4/29)

Announcements: *Next Sunday is a 10am Joint Service.*

There is no Japanese Service next Sunday.

There will be a Cherry Blossom Luncheon following the service.

This week's activities: **Monday**— Taiko Class at 1pm, English Conversation Class at 2pm. **Tuesday**— Irvine's Bible Study at 10:30 am at Aiko G.'s house. **Thursday**— "Bible Reading Class" at 10:30am.

Worship for the Children: on May 6, we will be having a special children's blessing service. This is a great opportunity to invite your grandchildren, neighbor's children, and as many children as you know!

Annual Mothers' Day Luncheon: Saturday, May 12. You don't want to miss this fun event. Let's sign up today!

Prayers: Health: Ichiro & Esther Fujita, Michiko Jordan, Chizuko Miller, Yukiko & Kai Hoshi, Tamotsu Tanaka, Teruko Matsui, Michiko Jordan, Teruko Yasumatsu, Toyomi Shigaki & her mother, Noriko Imai's father, and Satoko Adachi's mother.

Travel: Hiroko Schwartz

LCR Japanese Ministry April Schedule

4/1, 8, 15, 22	Christianity 101	10:30AM	Bercaw Hall
4/2,9,16,23,30	Japanese Taiko Lesson	1:00PM	Bercaw Hall
4/2	English Conversation Class	2:00PM	Joyce's Library
4/5	The Passover Seder	12:00PM	Bercaw Hall
	Maundy Thursday Service	7:00PM	KOG
4/6	Good Friday Service	12:00PM KOG, 7:00PM	LCR
4/8	Easter Sunday Service and Potluck		
4/10, 24	Irvine Bible Study	10:30AM	Aiko G's House
4/11~14	AAPI (Asian and Pacific Islander Community) Conference		
4/16	Line Dance Class	2:00PM	Bercaw Hall
4/19, 26	Bible Reading Class	10:30AM	Joyce's Library
4/28	Tustin Bible Study	1:30PM	Rev. Adachi's
4/29	Joint Service	10:00AM	LCR
	Cherry Blossom Luncheon	11:15AM	Bercaw Hall

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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Third Sunday of Easter



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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) "Father Most Holy" ELW No. 415
Japanese Hymn No. 24

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) "There is No Name So Sweet on Earth" Not in ELW
Japanese Hymn No. 168

Prayer of The Day: Holy and righteous God, you are the author of life, and you adopt us to be your children. Fill us with your words of life, that we may live as witnesses to the resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever, Amen.

First Lesson Acts 3: 12– 19
Second Lesson 1 John 3: 1 - 7
Gospel (stand) John 24: 36 –48

Hymn "Over and Over, Like a Mighty Sea" Not in ELW
Japanese Hymn 2 No.171

Today's Message "We are Witnesses of Christ" 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 died, 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. 79 (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. 79 (Third verse only)

Benediction
Threefold Amen

Closing Hymn (stand) "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee" ELW No. 836
Japanese Hymn 21 No.158