

Events

Sundays

- Sunday School for kids, youth & adults (11-11:45am)
- Treehouse Support Group (6:30-8pm)

Wednesdays

- Community Night: all-church dinner (5:45pm); Kid Connect, Youth Connect, Adult Bible Study, & Choir Rehearsal (6:30pm)
- Sing and Study: second and fourth Wednesdays (10am-12pm)

Upcoming Events

- Women's Lunch, May 4 (10:30am-12:30pm)
- World Vision 6K for Water, May 18



Staff Team

Matt Kennedy -- Lead Pastor

Michele Arndt -- Pastor of Worship & Discipleship

Karina Johnson -- Pastor of Youth & Ministry Development

Cheryl Mendez -- Director of Children & Family Ministries

Jenny Currie -- Choir Director

Jon Holter -- Business Administrator

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Giving

Please remember the opportunity for giving at Roseville Covenant Church. This is one way we partner with God's mission in our community. To give by cash or check, find an usher after the service or use the drop box in the lobby. To give online, use the link in the QR code.



4/21 General Fund Offerings		4/21 Total Weekly Offerings by Fund	
Weekly Actual	\$9,537	General	\$9,537
Weekly Budget	\$13,268	Benevolence	\$0
		Building	\$50
YTD Offering	\$539,987	Outreach Missions	\$0
Year to Date Budget	\$496,709		
YTD Better/(Worse)	\$43,278	Total	\$9,587

Welcome to Worship!

April 28, 2024

9:30am

God will wipe away all tears from their eyes;
 there will be no more Death,
 and no more mourning or sadness
 or weeping or pain....
 Look, I am making all things new....
 I will freely give water to the thirsty,
 water from the spring of the water of life.

Revelation 21:4-6

Today's passage includes the shortest verse in the entire Bible, "Jesus wept" (John 11:35). But this verse is more than a piece of trivia. It is a window into the heart of God as he works his miraculous power.

The raising of Lazarus is one of Jesus's most remarkable miracles, but this incredible act of healing is more than just a measure of Jesus's power. The story tells us why God wages war against sin, death, and devil. God is a friend to his people, and his power is tied up with his love.

Our task as we look at this conversation between Jesus and his friends Mary & Martha is to hear his words not only as historical record or theological rhetoric, but a word he speaks to each of us intimately and personally. As we bear suffering and grief in this life, our task is to listen for the voice of God speaking lovingly to us, "I am the resurrection and the life" (11:25), because he speaks it still to every broken heart.



Worship Service Information

Prayer Stations: You may receive prayer for physical, emotional or spiritual needs, or offer a prayer of thanksgiving. Prayer ministers are standing at prayer stations in the back corners of the sanctuary to pray with you after the **Offering** and to the end of the service. This prayer time is private and confidential; whatever you share will not be brought up again by the prayers unless you initiate. Whether this is your first time here, or you have been here for years, receiving and offering prayer is available for you.

Kids: There is a nursery available for kids ages 3 and under. Shortly before the sermon children preK-3rd grade will be invited to **KidJam** and 4-5th graders will be invited to **Kid45**; a slide will be shown on screen at that time. During **KidJam** and **Kid45**, kids participate in special activities and Bible lessons just for them. Children are always welcome to stay and experience the entire worship service; their presence and voices are precious to us and to the Lord.

Worship Service Order

Prelude

(Consider using this time to quiet your heart in preparation for worship)

Announcements

Welcome and Call to Worship

Bev & Alan Bergstrom

Worship Through Music

How Firm a Foundation (Hymn 437)

The Goodness Of Jesus

Anthem: *My Feet Are Tired, But My Soul Is Resting*

Choir

Words & music by Frances Smith Thomas; arr. by Shawn Kirchner

(See words below)

Scripture Reading: *John 11:1-7, 17-45*

Sermon: *Foul Stench and Fresh Air*

Pastor Matt

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Doxology

Response Song

Come Out Of That Grave (Resurrection Power)

Sending

Postlude

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My Feet Are Tired, But My Soul Is Resting

My feet are tired, but my soul is resting;

I'm walking for the glory of the Lord. Hallelujah!

My feet are worn, but my soul is shining;

I'm walking for the glory of the Lord. Hallelujah!

My feet cry out, but my soul is singing!

I'm walking for the glory of the Lord. Hallelujah!