ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR FAMILY ★ KIDS ★ YOUTH

KIDS

TODAY

Nursery is available for ages 0 - 2
Children's Worship for PreK - 4th Grade.
Activity supply stations are in the Java Stop and lobby.

YOUTH GROUP

Parents, if you are not receiving the Youth News by email, contact katie.snyder@elmhurstcrc.org to be added to the list!



Sign up for Small Groups Mar 30 - Youth 5th Sunday Serve, 10am

Apr 6 - MS Large Group, 5:30-7pm

Apr 13 - HS Large Group, 5:30-7pm

Apr 20 - Easter Sunday, No Large Group

Apr 27 - Fun Night

FAMILIES

Check out the **Family Resource Table** in the lobby for Lent; * Holy Week, and Easter children's books and devotionals.

Spring Hill Camp, Jun 23-27 for completed K - 5th grade. We still have a few spots available! More info at elmhurstcrc.org/events

Middle and High Schoolers can be involved with Spring Hill by either becoming a Volunteer Counselor in Training or a Paid Counselor. Email kara.hackert@elmhurstcrc.org



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LENT 2025

March 23, 2025 WELCOME!

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Jesus

GATHERING

Welcome

Great Are You Lord Abide Confession & Reflection

Choir: Lamb of God Prayer Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

Kids to Children's Worship (PreK-4th grade)

LISTENING

Message: *Live a Lot* John 11:38-43 Prayer

RESPONDING

Offering Ain't No Grave Graves Into Gardens

SENDING

Announcements & Blessing

Pastor: Gregg DeMey
Music Team: Erin Pacheco, Leader
Doug Bardolph, David Hendricks
Ayden Oquendo, Billy Heschl
Angela Buikema
Nina Schroeder, Choir Director
Robyn Vitson, Accompanist

John 11:43-44

Jesus called in a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet wrapped with strips of linen, and a cloth around his face.

Questions for Reflection

What did the Holy Spirit say to you while you listened to today's teaching?

Did the Spirit invite you to respond in any way?

Who can you share this with so that they can support you in prayer?

What will you need to do to take action on what you heard?

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are in the season of Lent, the 40-day period of prayer, reflection, and preparation for Easter.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Palm Sunday - 10am Maundy Thursday - 7pm Good Friday - 7pm Easter Sunday Outdoor Sunrise Service- 6:15am Easter Sunday - two identical services - 8:30am & 10am

Pray this week for Pastor Jeff and his wife, Pam, who are serving with our ministry partner, Nurmay Missions in Africa.

Prayer Service Come experience a time of deep prayer and spiritual renewal. Whether seeking peace, healing, or support, this is an opportunity to connect with God and others in prayer. Tomorrow, Mar 24, 7 pm.

Join Our Team: Now hiring a Director of Congregational Engagement, responsible for the inward development of the community of believers - connecting us in fellowship while becoming lifelong followers of Jesus. Full job description and application online at elmhurstcrc.org/join-our-team

Covenant Education Plan (CEP) - Parents: last opportunity TODAY, to attend a meeting, after the service in the Upper Gathering Area. Both parents must attend a meeting to participate in our program for families in Christian day school education.

5th Sunday Serve - NEXT SUNDAY - March 30

Sign up at elmhurstcrc.org/events

Options: Pack food and deliver, Visit Indigo memory care, Jubilee furniture landscape clean up and clothes sorting. Blood Drive spots also available.



More Ways to Connect

PRAYER & E-NEWS: elmhurstcrc.org/subscribe DAILY DEVOTIONALS: elmhurstcrc.org/podcasts or text DEVOS to 630-748-8172 for text reminders elmhurstcrc.org/thisweek Church office: 630-600-5100