



# MAIN STREET NEWS

SIoux FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA

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## Easter-A Very Special Day

Each day is a gift from God. It is this gift we celebrate and cherish every day of the year. A gift that too often is not celebrated, but taken for granted by many of us. Martin Luther states in the Morning Prayer, "I pray that You would keep me this day also from sin and every evil, that my doings and life may please You." The season of Lent should be a time of repentance, humility, and gratitude that we are people who have been redeemed by the blood of Jesus. Each of the 40 days of Lent should point to the incredible events of Easter Sunday.

We are now living in the fear of a virus that spreads quickly and easily. The news tells us that we, not God, are in control and must do many things we do not do normally. Wash hands often, use hand sanitizer, do not assemble in large groups, don't get any closer than 6 feet from another person, and stay

at home. These are the behaviors that our government and local officials say we must do in order to avoid getting sick. We are doing everything we can do to stay healthy physically, in a season when we all should be focused on is our spiritual wellness. How do we do that?

The Bible tells us to be in the world, not of the world. For every hour you spend watching the news, spend the same amount of time in studying the Scriptures. The time you spend washing and sanitizing, spend equal time in prayer. If your church is assembling for worship, go but be careful. The point is to not let the news control your life. Let God do that. Main Street Living can be a great addition to your worship life during this time. Check with your church office for time and station. Remember, the greatest day of the year is approaching Easter! It is the day we celebrate God's greatest gift to us. Salvation! **Happy Easter as we focus on the Resurrection of our Lord.**

## Special Easter Presentation-a Special Pastor

The Easter message this year will be given by the Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer, President of Concordia Seminary in Saint Louis, Missouri. The message is based on John 20: 1-18, which takes us from the first visit to the empty tomb to the appearance of Jesus to the disciples in the upper room. We take the journey again, but this time with a leading theologian of The Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod.

"On Main Street" (sound familiar?) was a program produced by Lutheran Hour Ministries around the turn of the century. The talk show format discussed the issues of the day and was hosted by Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer. That's Right! The same Dale Meyer! Now, 19 years later Rev. Meyer returns to Main Street Living to tell us of the amazing Resurrection of Jesus Christ which we celebrate on Easter. To Rev. Dr. Meyer we say welcome back to Main Street Living. The Easter sermon can be seen on [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com)

## Holy Land – The Eternal Rock Tour

This tour is a journey through the Holy Land. Walk where Jesus walked. You will see lots of rocks on this tour, but look beyond the rocks and see the Eternal Rock – Christ Jesus our Lord. Our journey begins in Nazareth where the Angel Gabriel appeared to Mary. We visit the place where Mary visited Zechariah and Elizabeth. In Bethlehem we see where Jesus was born and laid in a manger. "And she gave birth to her firstborn son and wrapped him in swaddling cloths and laid him in a manger, because there was no place for them in the inn." Luke 2:7 We will see the Jordan River and visit the Hosanna Road where Jesus made his triumphal entry into Jerusalem - the reason we celebrate Palm Sunday. The journey makes a stop in the Garden of Gethsemane, follows the Via Dolorosa, sees the empty tomb and much more. Please tune in April 5<sup>th</sup> to take the tour. DVD's of this program will also be available for sale at: [www.mainstreetliving.com](http://www.mainstreetliving.com).

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### **Sioux Falls — KDLT**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer, Pres.-Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. Bob Moeller-St. John – Pipestone, MN
- April 26-Rev. Ken Soyk-St. Peter Lutheran-Parkston, SD

**Check Local Listings for time and channel in your area**  
**Station Call Letters will vary throughout the state**

### **Fargo — KVRB**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer-Pres, Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. Kirk Lee-Immanuel LC-Parkers Prairie, MN
- April 26-Rev. Clarke Jahnk-St. Andrew LC-W. Fargo, ND

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### **Duluth-KBJR**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer-Pres, Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. Kirk Schield-Christ LC-Two Harbors, MN
- April 26-To Be Announced

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### **Sioux City-KCAU**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer-Pres.-Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. David Daumer– Faith LC-Orange City, IA
- April 26-Rev. Merle Mahnken-Immanuel LC-Schleswig, IA

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### **Lincoln-KLKN**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer-Pres.-Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. Adam Moline-Good Shepherd LC-Lincoln, NE
- April 26-Rev. Merle Mahnken-Immanuel LC-Schleswig, IA

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### **Twin Cities-WFTC**

- April 5-Holy Land: The Eternal Rock Tour
- April 12-Rev. Dr. Dale Meyer-Pres.-Concordia Seminary
- April 19-Rev. Jesse Davis-Faith LC-Minneapolis, MN
- April 16-Rev. Kurt Weber-Golden Valley Lutheran Church-Golden Valley, MN

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### **Lutheran Hour Programming**

April 5-Special presentation– The Holy Land: Eternal Rock Tour-A tour hosted by Rev. Nabil Nour-Edited by Chad Zinnel

April 12-Easter Is-A Puzzle Club animated program by Lutheran Hour Ministries

April 19-This is the Life award winning series-three days, The Big Little Lie

April 26-This is the Life award winning series-Miracle in Chinatown

**Both This is the Life, and worship services from all locations are posted on the web site**