



# Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church

*Connecting with God; Connecting with Others; Connecting others with God*

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## **Easter 2021**

### *Devotionals from Pastor Sell*

#### **Friday, May 7**

I was stopped at the intersection of Esbenshade Road and East Main, diagonally across from the Sheetz. On the wires above the street was a scrawny looking bird. It was skinny and the feathers looked odd. It walked back and forth balancing on the wire bobbing its head. It was strange and I thought the bird would just fall to the ground. Then, suddenly, it stretched to its full height and flew off – a little wobbly, but it flew. A few seconds later it soared.

Many times, when life “socks it to us” we can feel like that scrawny looking bird balancing on a tight rope. Will we get through it? Is there an end to the tunnel? Faith tells us to hang in there, take a deep breath and you will get through it. Faith tells us once the problem is behind us, the world will look a little different and we will be stronger. Having the perspective of faith makes all the difference.