Be RENEWED in Christ!

**Blessed be the God
and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
By his great mercy he has given us new
birth into a living hope through the
resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,
and into an inheritance that is imperishable,
undefiled, and unfading,
kept in heaven for you.
~ 1 Peter 1:3-4**

Let us know, let us press on to know the Lord; his appearing is as sure as the dawn; he will come to us like the showers, like the spring rains that water the earth. ~ Hosea 6:3

So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! ~ 2 Corinthians 5:17

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds. ~ Romans 12:2

I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the live I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. ~ Galatians 2:19b-20

For as the earth brings forth its shoots, and as a garden causes what is sown in it to spring up, so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring up before all the nations. ~ Isaiah 61:11

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of any works of righteousness that we had done, but according to his mercy through the water of rebirth and renewal of the Holy Spirit. ~ Titus 3:4-5

So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. ~ Colossians 3:1-2

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and sustain in me a willing spirit. ~ Psalm 51: 10, 12

~ Joy Lutheran Church Evangelism Committee, Parker, Colorado ~