



“The Resurrection was the greatest ‘eucatastrophe’ possible in the greatest Story — and produces that essential emotion: Christian joy which produces tears because it is qualitatively so like sorrow, because it comes from those places where Joy and Sorrow are at one, reconciled, as selfishness and altruism are lost in Love.”

J.R.R. Tolkien

GATHERING SONG.....GLORIOUS DAY

WORDS & MUSIC: MARK HALL, MICHAEL BLEAKER

One day when Heaven was filled with His praises, one day when sin was as black as could be,
 Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin, dwelt among men - my example is He.
 The Word became flesh and the light shined among us, His glory revealed.

Living, He loved me. Dying, He saved me. Buried, He carried my sins far away.
 Rising, He justified freely forever. One day He's coming: oh glorious day, oh glorious day.

One day they led Him up Calvary's mountain. One day they nailed Him to die on a tree.
 Suffering anguish, despised and rejected, bearing our sins, my Redeemer is He.
 The hands that healed nations stretched out on a tree and took the nails for me.

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer. One day the stone rolled away from the door.
 Then He arose; over death He had conquered. Now He's ascended, my Lord evermore.
 Death could not hold Him, the grave could not keep Him from rising again.

One day the trumpet will sound for His coming. One day the skies with His glory will shine.
 Wonderful day my Beloved One bringing. My Savior, Jesus is mine.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**.....CHRIST THE LORD IS RISEN TODAY

NO. 217

***CALL TO WORSHIP**FROM 1 PETER 1:3-5

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Praise the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

He has given us new life and hope. He has raised Jesus from the dead.

God has claimed us as his own.

He has brought us out of darkness. He has made us light to the world.

Alleluia! Christ is risen.

He is risen indeed. Alleluia!

***INVOCATION**

***HYMN OF ADORATION**.....MY JESUS, I LOVE THEE

NO. 364

CONFESSON OF FAITHTHE APOSTLES' CREED¹

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell²; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic³ Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN.

SHEPHERDING PRAYER.....ELDER FRANK MYERS

READING OF GOD’S WORD.....1 CORINTHIANS 15:12-22

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Please take a moment to record your attendance in the black folder as it is passed down the row.

OFFERTORY.....BEHOLD THE LAMB

CHOIR

CONGREGATION SINGS WHEN DIRECTED:

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;
Hark! how the heav’nly anthem drowns all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,
and hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

**Almighty God,
in raising Jesus from the grave,
you shattered the power of sin and death.
We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear,
bound by the ways that lead to death.
We waste your gifts,
wander from your ways,
and forget your love.
We overlook our neighbor,
and are constantly fixated on ourselves.
Forgive us.
Change our lives and make us new,
that we may know the joy of abundant life
given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.**

Please silently confess your sin before the LORD.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**.....1 PETER 2:24

“He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed.”

***DOXOLOGY**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

TAKE A MOMENT TO GREET YOUR FELLOW WORSHIPPERS!

***FELLOWSHIP HYMN**IN CHRIST ALONE

WORDS & MUSIC: KEITH GETTY & STUART TOWNEND

In Christ alone my hope is found, He is my light, my strength, my song;
this Cornerstone, this solid Ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My Comforter, my All in All, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! who took on flesh fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness scorned by the ones he came to save:
Till on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied -
For every sin on Him was laid; here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day up from the grave he rose again!
And as He stands in victory sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am His and He is mine - bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath Jesus commands my destiny.
No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand;
Till He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

¹Although not written by the apostles, the Apostles’ Creed is a concise summary of their teachings. It originated in the 2nd century and developed into its present form by the 6th century.

²By referring to Jesus’ descent into hell, the Christian embraces three truths. First, we acknowledge the reality of Jesus’ suffering 33 years of temptation. Second, he received the full sentence of hell on behalf of his people while on the cross. Thirdly, he experienced the reign of death by remaining in the tomb after the crucifixion.

³The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, or geographic barriers.

SERMON.....JOHN 16:16-22

¹⁶ "A little while, and you will see me no longer; and again a little while, and you will see me." ¹⁷ So some of his disciples said to one another, "What is this that he says to us, 'A little while, and you will not see me, and again a little while, and you will see me'; and, 'because I am going to the Father'?" ¹⁸ So they were saying, "What does he mean by 'a little while'? We do not know what he is talking about." ¹⁹ Jesus knew that they wanted to ask him, so he said to them, "Is this what you are asking yourselves, what I meant by saying, 'A little while and you will not see me, and again a little while and you will see me'? ²⁰ Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice. You will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy. ²¹ When a woman is giving birth, she has sorrow because her hour has come, but when she has delivered the baby, she no longer remembers the anguish, for joy that a human being has been born into the world. ²² So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you."

***HYMN OF RESPONSEIT IS FINISHED**

WORDS: JONATHAN EVANS & BENJAMIN FRANCIS MUSIC: JEFF KOONCE

Hark, the voice of love and mercy sounds aloud from Calvary!
See, it rends the rocks asunder shakes the earth and veils the sky!
"It is finished, it is finished," hear the dying Savior cry.
"It is finished, it is finished," hear the dying Savior cry.

"It is finished," O what pleasure, do these charming words afford.
Heavenly blessings, without measure, flow to us from Christ the Lord.
"It is finished, it is finished," saints the dying words record.
"It is finished, it is finished," saints the dying words record.

Finished all the types and shadows, of the ceremonial law;
Finished all that God had promised; death and hell no more shall awe.
"It is finished, it is finished," saints from hence your comfort draw.
"It is finished, it is finished," saints from hence your comfort draw.

Tune your harps anew, ye seraphs; join to sing the pleasing theme;
Saints on earth and all in heaven, join to praise Immanuel's name.
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Glory to the bleeding lamb!
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***BENEDICTION**

SERMON Notes

JOHN 16:16-22

THE SHOCK OF SORROW

THE EXPLOSION OF JOY

BULLETIN BOARD

OPPORTUNITY FOR PRAYER Following the morning worship service, a pastor and an elder will be available at the front of the sanctuary to talk with you, pray for you, or answer questions you may have.

RELAY FOR LIFE: SURVIVOR'S LUNCHEON HELP!!! The annual Relay For Life Survivor's Luncheon is in 2 weeks! This is the largest community event that TPC hosts during the year and we will need help on Saturday morning, April 9th. Would you be willing to greet our 300+ visitors, help park cars, cook burgers, stuff bags, or help in the kitchen? The event will take place **SATURDAY, APRIL 9TH FROM 12 NOON UNTIL 1:30**. Volunteers are needed starting at 10:30 AM. If interested, please sign up on the information counter. For more info see Cheryl Walling.

ORANGEBURG WALK FOR LIFE Orangeburg Walk for Life, a fundraiser benefiting DAZZ Orangeburg, will be Saturday, April 2nd. More information and a sign up sheet are on the information counter. Jane Junquet is Trinity's contact person.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL June 13-16 will be here before you know it, and we still need lots of volunteers! We especially need workers in **crafts, nursery, group leaders, and gospel "counselors."**

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK

Ministry Partners: Pamyla Burrack, Nancy Matsinger

Our Troops: continue to pray for our troops around the world

Church of the week: Metro North PCA, Goose Creek; Howard Cole, pastor

TRINITY FAMILY

Brush Babb, Rotie Salley, & David Pregnall: returning from Peru today

Linda Wells: ongoing treatment for breast cancer

Cheryl Walling: recovery from recent surgery

Lee Ann Smith: continued treatment for and recovery from illness

Bill Taylor and family: mourning the death of his daughter, Margaret Stillinger

Ann Betsill: at Calhoun Convalescent Center

Willie Lou Jackson: at home in Orangeburg

Grace Myers: ongoing physical therapy

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THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

VOLUNTEERS	TODAY		APRIL 3 RD	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-1		Christine Mims Joseph Sawyers	Lisa Watford	Daniel & Brooke Pantaleon
2-3			D'lynn Polson Susan Gonzalez	
USHERS	Weyland Burns, Alan Ulmer, Jeff Folk, Gregg Waters		Randy Zeigler, Brian Henson, Bob Beckett, Sam & Evan Lambrecht	

FINANCIAL UPDATE

BUDGET RECEIPTS	\$4,172
BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY	\$6,971

STAFF

Sean Sawyers, Lead Pastor
John Mark Patrick, Assoc. Pastor
Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students
Mary Beth Myers, Middle School Ministry
Louise Beckett, Choir Director
Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist
Ann Axson, Bookkeeper

Church office hours:
9:00am to 5:00pm
Monday - Thursday

CALENDAR

SUN 3/27	7:00AM 10:30AM	SUNRISE SERVICE @ THE GARDENS MORNING WORSHIP
MON 3/28	6:00AM	SESSION PRAYER MEETING
TUE 3/29	6:00AM 5:30PM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY LADIES BIBLE STUDY
WED 3/30	12:00PM 6:45PM	MEN'S LUNCH BIBLE STUDY CHOIR PRACTICE
SUN 4/3	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 6:00PM	INTERCESSORS SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP 2:42, KIDS 4 CHRIST