



building God's Church...blessing our community

EASTER SUNDAY

APRIL 21, 2019

**REFLECTION & PREPARATION**

**\*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!**

**\*DOXOLOGY**

**\*INVOCATION**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE** .....O PRAISE THE NAME

WORDS AND MUSIC: MARTY SAMPSON, BENJAMIN HASTINGS & DEAN USSHER

I cast my mind to Calvary where Jesus bled and died for me.

I see His wounds, His hands, His feet. My Savior on that cursed tree.

His body bound and drenched in tears, they laid Him down in Joseph's tomb.

The entrance sealed by heavy stone, Messiah still and all alone.

Oh praise the Name of the Lord our God. O praise His Name forever more.

For endless days we will sing Your praise. Oh Lord, oh Lord our God.

Then on the third at break of dawn, the Son of heaven rose again.

O trampled death, where is your sting? The angels roar for Christ the King.

He shall return in robes of white, the blazing sun shall pierce the night.

And I will rise among the saints, my gaze transfixed on Jesus' face

**SCRIPTURE READING**.....ISAIAH 24

**HYMN OF ADORATION** .....BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD ABOVE

WORDS & MUSIC: CHARITIE LEES BANCROFT AND VIKKI COOK

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea;  
A great high priest whose name is love, Who ever lives and pleads for me.  
My name is graven on His hands; My name is written on His heart.  
I know that while in heav'n He stands, No tongue can bid me thence depart,  
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, And tells me of the guilt within;  
Upward I look and see Him there, Who made an end of all my sin.  
Because a sinless Savior died, My sinful soul is counted free,  
For God the just is satisfied To look on Him and pardon me,  
To look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there the risen Lamb, The perfect spotless righteousness,  
The great unchangeable I AM, The King of glory and of grace.  
One with himself I cannot die; My soul is purchased with His blood,  
My life is hid with Christ on high, With Christ my Savior and my God,  
With Christ my Savior and my God.

**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.”

**COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

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

**Visiting?** Please fill out a **Connect Card** and bring it to the Welcome Table in the Narthex after the service.

**OFFERTORY** .....YET NOT I BUT THROUGH CHRIST IN ME

WORDS AND MUSIC: JONNY ROBINSON, RICH THOMPSON AND MICHAEL FARREN

What gift of grace is Jesus my redeemer  
There is no more for heaven now to give  
He is my joy, my righteousness, and freedom  
My steadfast love, my deep and boundless peace  
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus  
For my life is wholly bound to his  
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing: all is mine!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

The night is dark but I am not forsaken  
For by my side, the Savior He will stay  
I labor on in weakness and rejoicing  
For in my need, His power is displayed  
To this I hold, my Shepherd will defend me  
Through the deepest valley He will lead  
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

No fate I dread, I know I am forgiven  
The future sure, the price it has been paid  
For Jesus bled and suffered for my pardon  
And He was raised to overthrow the grave  
To this I hold, my sin has been defeated  
Jesus now and ever is my plea  
Oh the chains are released, I can sing: I am free!  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me

With every breath I long to follow Jesus  
For He has said that He will bring me home  
And day by day I know He will renew me  
Until I stand with joy before the throne  
To this I hold, my hope is only Jesus  
All the glory evermore to Him  
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:  
Yet not I, but through Christ in me!

**SERMON** .....JOHN 20:19-29

<sup>19</sup> On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." <sup>20</sup> When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. <sup>21</sup> Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." <sup>22</sup> And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. <sup>23</sup> If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you withhold forgiveness from any, it is withheld."

<sup>24</sup> Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup> So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in his hands the mark of the nails, and place my finger into the mark of the nails, and place my hand into his side, I will never believe."

<sup>26</sup> Eight days later, his disciples were inside again, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." <sup>27</sup> Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side. Do not disbelieve, but believe." <sup>28</sup> Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" <sup>29</sup> Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

# SERMON NOTES

**\*HYMN OF RESPONSE**.....WORSHIP CHRIST THE RISEN KING  
No. 225

**\*BENEDICTION**

TRINITY READING TOGETHER					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
ISAIAH 25	ISAIAH 26	ISAIAH 27	ISAIAH 28	ISAIAH 29	ISAIAH 30

**REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK**  
**Ministry Partners:** Aaron & Rachel Halbert - serving with MTW in Honduras  
**Our Troops:** pray for our troops and their chaplains around the world  
**Church of the week:** Grace Coastal Presbyterian, Bluffton; Samuel Joyner, pastor

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**TRINITY FAMILY**  
**Sam Lambrecht:** recovering from heart attack and surgery  
**Claudia Wilkes:** recovering from ankle surgery  
**Ray Steffen:** recovering from heart attack  
**Lawton Porter, Connie's infant grandson:** recovery and therapy after brain aneurysm surgery  
**Linda Wells:** neuropathy, improved stamina  
**Mark Cash:** recovering from back surgery  
**Willie Lou Jackson:** at Tyler Restmore home in Orangeburg  
**Christie Churchwell:** relief from headaches  
**Ann Betsill:** at Calhoun Convalescent Center

# BULLETIN BOARD

## LOWCOUNTRY PRESBYTERY MEETING AT TRINITY ON TUESDAY

Pastors and elders from the Lowcountry Presbytery will gather at Trinity on Tuesday, April 23 for their quarterly worship and business meeting, and you are welcome to attend. The worship service begins at 9 am and will include communion. The business meeting follows at 10:15.

## VBS WORKDAY THIS SATURDAY

Come to the first of three VBS workdays this Saturday, April 27, from 9 am to noon. The next two workdays will be held May 18 and June 8. This year's VBS is June 17 through 20, and the theme is PROOF Pirates. PROOF stands for Planned, Resurrecting, Outrageous, Overcoming, Forever - all aspects of God's grace. We are collecting empty paper towel rolls, along with pirate costumes and decorations. A sign-up sheet for volunteers is on the information counter - we will begin enrolling children mid-May.

## TRIP TO COLUMBIA FIREFLIES GAME ON MAY 1

Are you ready for some baseball? A trip to see the Columbia Fireflies is planned on Wednesday, May 1. We'll leave the church at 9:30 am for the 11 o'clock game. Tickets are \$14 - bring extra money for concessions. Please sign up at the information counter if you are interested in joining us!

## BBQ CHICKEN FUNDRAISER FOR LAWTON PORTER

A fundraiser to help defray medical expenses for Lawton Porter is planned on Saturday, May 11 at the Orangeburg County Fairgrounds from 4 to 7 pm. Tickets for the BBQ chicken dinner and bake sale can be purchased from Connie Porter or Edith Ann Lambrecht.

## SENIOR RECOGNITION IS MAY 19

Save the date for our Senior Recognition on Sunday, May 19. A luncheon honoring our high school graduates is planned after the worship service that day. More details to come.

## UPDATED DIRECTORY AVAILABLE

Copies of the updated church directory are available on the information counter. If you would like us to mail you a copy, call the church office or email Karen at [office@trinityorangeburg.com](mailto:office@trinityorangeburg.com).

# THIS WEEK @ TRINITY

SERVING	APRIL 21		APRIL 28	
	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP	SUNDAY SCHOOL	WORSHIP
0-3	No Sunday School	Mary Beth & David Myers	Debbie Carter	Jennifer & Ira Cash
USHERS	Mark Ford, Bubba Morrell, David Myers, Les Carter			

STAFF	
John Mark Patrick, Pastor Dr. Sam Lambrecht, Families w/ Students Mary Beth Myers, Middle School Ministry Susan Ulmer, Women's Ministry Deborah Finkelstein, Pianist Karen Ford, Administrative Assistant Ann Axson, Bookkeeper	
ELDERS	DEACONS
Mark Ford Steve Hawley Sam Lambrecht Dan Steffen Alan Ulmer	Les Carter Bubba Morrell Daniel Pantaleon
Deacon Assistants: Larry Adicks, Linda Bonnette, Brian Henson, Terri Morrell, Lyle Polson, Jerry & Lee Ann Smith, Randy Zeigler	

CALENDAR		
SUN 4/21	7:00AM 10:30AM	SUNRISE SERVICE AT THE GARDENS MORNING WORSHIP
TUES 4/23	6:30AM 9:00AM 5:30PM	MEN'S BIBLE STUDY LOWCOUNTRY PRESBYTERY AT TPC WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY
SAT 4/27	9:00AM	VBS WORKDAY
SUN 4/28	8:30AM 9:15AM 10:30AM 6:00PM	PRAYER SUNDAY SCHOOL MORNING WORSHIP 2:42, YOUTH & KIDS 4 CHRIST

FINANCIAL UPDATE	BUDGET RECEIPTS		FAITH PROMISE RECEIPTS	
		\$3,155		\$150
FINANCIAL UPDATE	BUDGET NEEDS WEEKLY		FAITH PROMISE BUDGETED WEEKLY	
		\$5,678		\$1,042

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