PRAYER NEEDS FOR OUR PEOPLE

OUR MEMBERS
Linda Bailey
Andy Beaudoin
Dennis Davis
Carol Echols
Erby Garrett
Mark Godfrey
Joey Hilliard
Lillie Jones

OUR LOVED ONES
Braeden Bagley
Lucas Bartlett
Sharon Bennett
John Bridges
Matt Conley
Nolan DeRamus
Beverly Hadley
Jean Huffine
Nick Lawrence
Amanda Lowe
Marie Moody

Jeff Sperin Phillip Zeigler

OUR LOVED ONES ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY Imani Blocker, USA

Alex Mullen, USCG
Adam Stewart, USCG

Generous gifts have been given in memory of: Jimmy Dickens

Please be in prayer for Lillie Jones and her family during their time of grief on the passing of her Sister-in-Law, Rosa Perry McLauren.

Be in prayer for Cecilia Givens, Mark Jackson's sister, who is receiving care at Piedmont Hospital.

Jacob & Alex Rose

Fellowship Lunch Immediately after worship plan to attend! BECAUSE FAMILIES EAT TOGETHER!

We are having a **Fellowship Lunch** following the Worship Service on Sunday, **April 30**. The meal is free, with participants asked to bring a side dish to share. The meat for the meal will be provided.

FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER Wednesday, April 26th, 6 PM



Menu:

Fried Chicken Homemade Macaroni & Cheese Cabbage Rolls

(Please Mark Number Attending and 1	put in offering box.)
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Adults	(\$ 8)	

Children 4-12 (\$ 4)

____ Children 3 & Under (Free)

Name: _____

ON HOLY WEEK

What a wonderful week it was. Maundy Thursday's Tenebrae Service was a very meaningful time of reflection on Jesus' suffering. The Cross Walk was a public expression of community unity. Our Sunrise Service and Breakfast commemorated the joy of the original resurrection morning! And the cross of fresh flowers is a wonderful visualization of the hope of the resurrection – God has the last word. Thank you to all who helped make Holy Week so special.





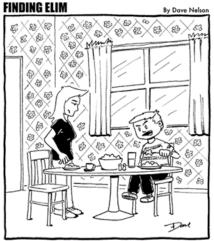
QUOTABLES:

"Do not abandon yourselves to despair. We are the Easter people and hallelujah is our song.."

— Pope John Paul II (1920-2005)

"Our Lord has written the promise of resurrection, not in books alone, but in every leaf in springtime."

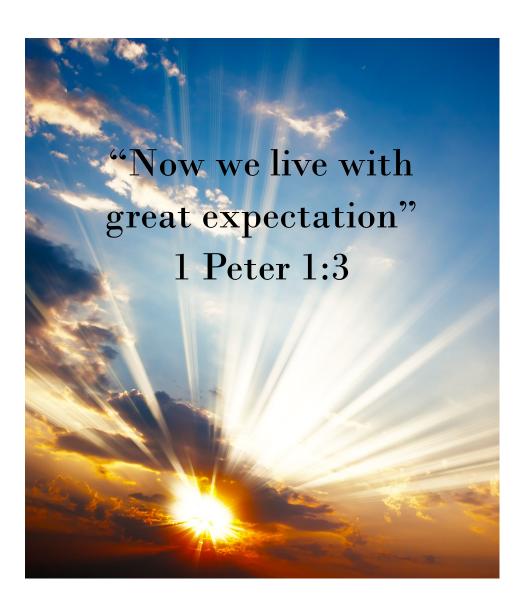
— Martin Luther (1483-1546)



I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT IS, BUT I'M PRETTY SURE I GAVE IT UP FOR LENT.

FINDING ELIM

Another excellent Christian cartoonist is Dave Nelson. His series "Finding Elim" is based on his Midwest upbringing and Elim Covenant Church. At his website Nelson gives permission for churches to use his cartoons free of charge.



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Order of Worship

Prelude

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 118:24,29

This is the day that the Lord hath made!

Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good!

And his mercy endures forever!

HYMN How Great Thou Art 77

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed

Let us unite in this historic confession of the Christian faith.

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

GLORIA PATRI 71

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We welcome you in Christian love. And as members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation, we renew our covenant to faithfully participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified. Amen.

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

God is good, All the time!

HYMN In The Garden 314

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CHORUS He Is Lord 177

He is Lord, he is Lord! He is risen from the dead and he is Lord! Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess, that Jesus Christ is Lord.

CHORAL ANTHEM

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Psalm 16, Selections

1 Keep me safe, O God, for I have come to you for refuge.

2 I said to the Lord, "You are my Master! Every good thing I have comes from you."

5 Lord, you alone are my inheritance, my cup of blessing. You guard all that is mine.

7 I will bless the Lord who guides me; even at night my heart instructs me.

8 I know the Lord is always with me. I will not be shaken, for he is right beside me.

9 No wonder my heart is glad, and I rejoice. My body rests in safety.

10 For you will not leave my soul among the dead or allow your holy one to rot in the grave.

11 You will show me the way of life, granting me the joy of your presence and the pleasures of living with you forever.

SCRIPTURE

1 Peter 1:3-9

3 All praise to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. It is by his great mercy that we have been born again, because God raised Jesus Christ from the dead. Now we live with great expectation, 4 and we have a priceless inheritance—an inheritance that is kept in heaven for you, pure and undefiled, beyond the reach of change and decay. (1 Peter 1:3-4)

MESSAGE

Christianity 101

Hymn

Hymn Of Promise

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BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



It is so nice to have you join us this morning at Burns Memorial UMC! We are glad you are here!

If you have any questions about the service, restrooms, hearing devices, nursery, children's activity bags or anything else, please ask one of the Ushers.

THIS WEEK AT BURNS			
Monday, April 17 Morning Movers	10:30 AM		
Tuesday, April 18 Morning Movers Zoom Bible Study	10:30 AM 6:00 PM		
Wednesday, April 19 Bible Study Morning Movers	10:00 AM 11:15 AM		
Thursday, April 20 Morning Movers	10:30 AM		
Friday, April 21 Morning Movers	10:30 AM		
Saturday, April 22 NA Open Meeting	9:00 AM		
Sunday, April 23 Sunday School Choir Practice Worship Service NA Open Meeting	9:30AM 10:15 AM 10:55 AM 5:00 PM		

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY					
LITURGIST SONG LEADER	Bruce Moore	USHER CAPTAIN	Wayne Allen		
PIANIST & CHOIR DIRECTOR	Mike Kelley	SUNDAY COUNTERS	Ann Poss Fredda Jackson Ellen Conley		
Nursery Worker	Colleen Browne	AV TECHNICIANS	Thomas & Jordan Donaldson		