

## PRAYER NEEDS FOR OUR PEOPLE

### **OUR MEMBERS**

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

### **OUR LOVED ONES**

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

Jacob & Alex Rose  
Jeff Sperin  
Phillip Zeigler

### **OUR LOVED ONES ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY**

Imani Blocker, USA  
Alex Mullen, USCG  
Adam Stewart, USCG

Please be in prayer for Karin Dickens and the Dickens family during their time of grief.

Please pray for the families of the victims of the Covenant School shooting and pray for the surviving children, teachers and their families.

The tornados this past week cost many lives and caused many to lose everything. Please pray for everyone affected by the storms that passed through the southeast.

## HYMN FAVORITES:

We love to include your favorite hymns in the worship service! One of today's hymns is "Love, Mercy and Grace." It was requested by one of our newest members. This hymn is one of 398 hymns written by Austin Miles (1868-1946). His most famous song is "In The Garden."

## QUOTABLE:

"Egg hunts are proof that your children can find things when they really want." — Anonymous

"When Christ entered into Jerusalem the people spread garments in the way: when He enters into our hearts, we pull off our own righteousness, and not only lay it under Christ's feet but even trample upon it ourselves."

— Augustus Toplady (1740-1778) Anglican Minister, Hymn Writer, best known for his hymn "Rock Of Ages"



## HOLY WEEK 2023:

(Pictures from Holy Week 2022)

### **MAUNDY THURSDAY TENEBRAE SERVICE**

The word "Tenebrae" is Latin for darkness and for centuries it has been used to refer to an evening service reflecting on the suffering of Christ. A feature of the service is the gradual extinguishing of candles, representing the light of our Lord Jesus Christ being given for humanity. This very meaningful service is a mixture of reading and hymns and concludes with holy communion – 6 PM, Thursday, April 6.

### **GOOD FRIDAY CROSS WALK**

A long standing tradition at Burns is to participate as the start of the annual Good Friday Cross Walk. The two mile walk starts at Burns, walking to Ascension Lutheran, then Hillcrest Baptist, and ending at St. Joseph Catholic Church. We will have the Burns Church bus stationed at St. Joseph's to transport people back to Burns – 10 AM, Friday, April 7.



### **SUNRISE SERVICE & EASTER BREAKFAST**

The best way to start Easter Sunday is with a Sunrise Service! We gather outside at the crosses, and then move into the Family Life Center for breakfast. If it rains we will have it all inside – 7 AM, with breakfast following.

### **EASTER EGG HUNT**

Much like the Kentucky Derby is the "best two minutes in sports," the Easter Egg Hunt is the most exciting 3 minutes of the year! We meet at the playground, (sorry adults, this is for kids 2-12 years old) – 10 AM, Easter Morning.

### **FLOWERING THE CROSS**

Another neat Easter morning tradition here at Burns is to bring fresh cut flowers to decorate a freestanding cross placed in the sanctuary. Everyone is welcome to bring flowers and help decorate it. We will have it set up in the sanctuary by 9:30 AM.



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT Majesty, Worship His Majesty 176

VIDEO CLIP Hosanna

CALL TO WORSHIP From Psalm 51

Hosanna to the Son of David!

**Hosanna in the highest!**

Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

**Hosanna in the highest!**

INVOCATION

HYMN Hosanna, Loud Hosanna 278

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed 881

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 communion of saints, the holy universal church,**

**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. Amen.**

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

God is good, **All the time!**

HYMN Love, Mercy And Grace

RESPONSIVE PRAYER from the Book of Common Prayer

O Lord, show your mercy upon us,

**and grant us your salvation.**

Give guidance to your people,

**and make your people joyful.**

Grant that we may all truly and humbly serve you;

**that your Name may be glorified on the earth.**

Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten,

**nor the hope of the poor be taken away.**

Lord, keep this nation under your care,

**and guide us in the way of justice and truth.**

Create in us clean hearts, O God,

**and uphold us with your Holy Spirit.**

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER 895

**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 Alleluia 186

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

CHORAL ANTHEM

SCRIPTURE Matthew 21:1-11, NIV

As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the

Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, "Go to

the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied

there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me.

(Mt 21:1-2 NIV)

MESSAGE Parade, Protest March Or Funeral Procession?

HYMN Let Us Break Bread Together 618

RITUAL OF HOLY COMMUNION 12

HYMN Beneath The Cross Of Jesus 297

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 3

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

Tuesday, April 4

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

Zoom Bible Study 6:00 PM

Wednesday, April 5

Bible Study 10:00 AM

Morning Movers 11:15 AM

Thursday, April 6

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

Maundy Thursday Service 6:00 PM

Friday, April 7

**Church Office Closed for Good Friday**

Good Friday Cross Walk 10:00 AM

Pick up hams at FLC 10:00 AM

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

Saturday, April 8

NA Open Meeting 9:00 AM

Sunday, April 9

**EASTER SUNDAY**

Sunrise Service 7:00 AM

Breakfast by the UMM 7:45 AM

Easter Egg Hunt 10:00 AM

Worship Service 10:55 AM

NA Open Meeting 5:00 PM

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

LITURGIST Bruce Moore USHER CAPTAIN Wayne Allen

SONG LEADER

PIANIST & CHOIR DIRECTOR Mike Kelley SUNDAY COUNTERS Ann Poss Fredda Jackson Ellen Conley

NURSERY WORKER Colleen Browne AV TECHNICIANS Thomas & Jordan Donaldson