



EASTER

THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

APRIL 1, 2018

MORNING WORSHIP

THE SILENT MEDITATION UPON ENTERING THE SANCTUARY

*Grant me more and more of the resurrection life; May it rule me, may I walk in its power,
and be strengthened through its influence.*

~ A PURITAN PRAYER

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude Sinfonia from *Easter Oratorio* J. S. Bach

The Striking of the Hour

The Choral Introit *An Easter Acclamation* Dale Peterson
Composed for the Chancel Choir of Trinity Presbyterian Church

Alleluia! Sing alleluia! Christ the Lord is ris'n today.
This is the day of days the vict'ry has been won.
This is the day of days, the vict'ry of God's Son!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Christ the Lord is ris'n today.
Alleluia! Alleluia! All creation join to say,
This is the day of days for Christ defeated death.
This is the day of days, for Christ now lives again!

On the morn of the third day, the women came to the tomb.
The angel of the Lord said to them: "The Lord whom you seek is not here.
For He has risen as He said! He's risen as He said."

This is the day of days the vict'ry has been won.
This is the day of days, the vict'ry of God's Son!
This is the day of days for Christ defeated death.
This is the day of days, for Christ now lives again!

Alleluia! Christ is risen! Alleluia! Christ is risen! Alleluia!

✠ The Call to Worship	Portions of 1 Corinthians 15	(8:30) Mr. Curles (11:00) Mr. Howell
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Minister: Christ the Lord is risen from the dead!

People: Indeed, He is risen!

Minister: Death is swallowed up in victory!

People: O Death, where is your sting? O Hades, where is your victory?

Minister: My beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is NOT in vain in the Lord!

✠ The Hymn No. 277 *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* EASTER HYMN

✠ The Confession of Our Faith

The Apostles' Creed
(Inside front cover of the *Trinity Hymnal*)

✠ The Prayer of Adoration and Invocation

† The Lord's Prayer

Our Father Which art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

✠ The Doxology OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

The Reading of the Word

I Corinthians 15:14-20a
Page 1222 in the Pew Bible

† The Hymn No. 283

Alleluia! Alleluia!

ODE TO JOY

The Morning Offering

The Christian Greeting

The Anthem

Christ the Lord is Risen Again
Chancel Choir

John Rutter

Christ the Lord is risen again! Christ hath broken every chain!
Hark, the angels shout for joy, singing evermore on high, Alleluia!

He who gave for us His life, who for us endured the strife,
Is our Paschal Lamb today! We too sing for joy and say Alleluia!

He who bore all pain and loss, comfortless upon the cross,
Lives in glory now on high. Pleads for us, and hears our cry. Alleluia!

Now He bids us tell abroad, how the lost may be restored.
How the penitent forgiven, how we too may enter heaven. Alleluia!

Thou, our Paschal Lamb indeed, Christ, today Thy people feed;
Take our sins and guilt away, that we all may sing for ay, Alleluia!

The Personal Meditation and Preparation of the Heart

*Children aged four through kindergarten may leave to attend Children's Church.
Following the worship service, please pick up your children from the Children's Chapel
in the Covenant Building (E-100).*

The Sermon

RESURRECTION CERTANTIES

Mr. McRoberts

The Comfort and Hope of the Resurrection

I Corinthians 15:14-20a

The Dedication of the Front Entrance

Opening Sentence

Peace be to this house, and to all who worship therein. Peace be to those that enter, and to those that go out there from. Peace be to those that love it and that love the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Opening Prayer

O Lord Jesus Christ, Who is the one foundation and the chief cornerstone of Your Church: bless what we now do in Your name, and let this entrance be to us and to our children the symbol and pledge of Your presence and Your free salvation given to all who call upon You. Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings, with Your most gracious favor, and further us with Your continual help; that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in You, we may glorify Your holy Name, and finally, by Your mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



The Response

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;
This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To all who mourn and long for comfort;
This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To all who struggle and desire victory;

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To all who sin and need a Savior;

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To all who are strangers and want fellowship;

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

To whoever will come—

This church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Scripture

I Samuel 12:24

Only fear the Lord and serve Him faithfully with all your heart. For consider what great things He has done for you.

The Statement of Humble Acceptance

We accept this Gift as a sacred trust, and shall treasure it with reverence and gratitude. And now in the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ, we dedicate this Gift to the glory of God, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Prayer of Consecration

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, without Whom no word or work of ours avails, but who does accept the gifts of our hands for the beautifying of Your Sanctuary: bestow Your blessing upon us now as we dedicate this entrance to Your glory, for the use and adornment of this holy place. Accept it, we pray, as we set it apart from all common and unhallowed uses, ever to be devoted to the service of Your Church and the honor of Your holy name.

Lord Jesus Christ, You stretched out Your arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of Your saving embrace. Make this entrance a symbol of that lavish and boundless love to all those who enter here, and so clothe us in Your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know You to the knowledge and love of You. Through Christ we pray, Amen.

The Declaration

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, I do now declare this entrance to the house of God to be set apart from all profane and common uses, and consecrated to the worship and service of Almighty God: to whom be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and forever. Amen.

† The Hymn No. 274

Thine Be the Glory

MACCABAEUS

† The Benediction of God's Grace and the Congregation's AMEN

Minister: Now the God of peace, Who brought up from the dead the great Shepherd of the sheep through the blood of the eternal covenant, even Jesus our Lord, equip you in every good thing to do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to Whom be glory forever and ever.

People: AMEN

† The Choral Response *Hallelujah, Amen from “Judas Maccabeus”*
Chancel Choir with Youth Choir

G. F. Handel

Hallelujah! Amen.

O Judah, rejoice, O Judah, in songs divine,
With cherubim and seraphim harmonious join,
Hallelujah! Amen.

† The Postlude IV. *Vivace* from Concerto for Three Trumpets and Timpani G. P. Telemann



Join us at 5:00 p.m. for
Awaken Sunset Service
Riverwalk Stadium



TRINITY CHURCH WOULD LIKE TO THANK OUR GUEST INSTRUMENTALISTS:

Robert Murray, *trumpet*
Kevin Whalen, *trumpet*
Harold Villalta, *trumpet*
Lauren Murray, *oboe*
Eric Thomas, *oboe*
Stephanie Patterson, *bassoon*
Weiru Shengs, *violin*
Lorna Wood, *violin*
Emma Dansak, *viola*
Chin Mei-Li, *cello*
Ethan Lindblom, *percussion*

2018 EASTER LILIES

Appreciation is expressed to all who provided lilies for the sanctuary. All have been provided to enhance the worship of our God and are given to His glory alone. The plants may be picked up on Monday morning, April 2, from 9 until 10 o'clock in the sanctuary.

Anna Madeline Adams by the Tony Godwin Family
Anne and Hugh Adams by the Raymond Taylor Family and the Harrison Taylor Family
Mrs. Carol Celeste Austin by Mr. and Mrs. Watkins Cook Johnston III and family
Hana Barton by Jim Reedy, Pat Reedy, Shanna Reedy, Connor Stoots and Jon Reedy
Mrs. Gloria Baudin by the John Albritton Family
Mr. and Mrs. Clinton C. Berry by their families
Marie Alexander Bone by Caroline Weiss
Mr. Herman Bopp by Betty Bopp; Susan and Bob Brown
Betsy Boykin by her family
Liz and Raymond Boykin by their family
Mr. Raymond Boykin, Sr. by Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Griffin
Dr. and Mrs. William R. Britton by Judge and Mrs. Reese H. McKinney, Jr.;
Judge and Mrs. Joel F. Dubina
Miss Elizabeth Newman Brown by Susan and Bob Brown; the Tony Godwin Family
Mr. and Mrs. Chesley B. Brown by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald C. Brown, Sr.
James R. Cantrell, Sr. by Betty Jo and Albert Cantrell
Jimmie Cantrell by JoAnn Morgan
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carnes by the John Albritton Family
Mr. John Marvin Carroll by his family; Gibson Graham and family
Mr. and Mrs. John Branch Carroll by Georgia Carroll
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Chapman, Sr. by the Lewis Chapman Family
Dr. and Mrs. George Clark by Judy and Kyle Kyser
Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. Clark by Mrs. Warren H. Goodwyn and family
Mr. and Mrs. Howard G. Clark by Mrs. Marlow Reese and family
Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeSaussure Clarke by Mr. and Mrs. Robert James Allan
Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Kirby Clements, Jr. by Mr. and Mrs. George Clements;
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sasser
Dr. John A. Coleman, Jr. by the John Albritton III Family
Mr. and Mrs. William B. Connor by Cindy and LD Fitzpatrick
Mary Elizabeth Judkins Cook by Florence and Tommy Giles
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony B. Covey by Mrs. Warren H. Goodwyn and family
Mr. and Mrs. Anthony B. Covey by Mrs. Marlow Reese and family
Henry F. Crenshaw by JoAnn Morgan
Mr. and Mrs. Felix Crocker by Lynda and Ronny Crocker
Mrs. Irene Curles by The Reverend and Mrs. Patrick Curles
Rosemerry and James Earl Dean by Tina Gamble and family
Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Dean by JoAnn Morgan
Ida Lee Dozier by Mr. and Mrs. Michael Griffin and family

Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. DuBose, Sr. by JoAnn Morgan
Mr. and Mrs. George Dubina by Judge and Mrs. Joel Dubina
Mr. and Mrs. George S. Edwards by Tina Edwards and family
Mrs. Betty Fay Fatzinger by Betty Bopp; Susan and Bob Brown
Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Felder by Chelle and Brian Felder, Mary Frances, Cassie, and Amelia
Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Fitzpatrick by Cindy and LD Fitzpatrick
Martha and Walton Fleming by Diane and John Hall
Mr. Stephen Michael Fox by his family; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Blackwell, Anne Banks, Duncan, Mason, and Chandler
Mary Inzer Walthall Gamble by John Gamble and family
Mr. and Mrs. E. Murfee Gewin, Sr. by E. Murfee Gewin, Jr.
Eleanor and D. T. Giles by Florence and Tommy Giles
Dr. and Mrs. Robert Gillett by Spud and Nancy Seale and Jennifer and Brooks Seale
William E. Glasscock, Jr. by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rudder
Gordon Gray Godwin by the Tony Godwin Family; Susan and Bob Brown
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Godwin by the John Albritton Family
Judge and Mrs. John L. Goodwyn by Mrs. Warren H. Goodwyn and family
Mr. Warren H. Goodwyn by Mrs. Warren H. Goodwyn and family
Mr. and Mrs. William J. Gordy by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.; Judge and Mrs. Joel Dubina
Mr. and Mrs. John William Graham by Georgia Carroll
Mr. and Mrs. John William Graham by Gibson Graham and family
Dolly and John Hall by Diane and John Hall
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Halstead by Lynda and Ronny Crocker
Mr. and Mrs. Bain Hamilton by the Lewis Chapman Family
Mr. Nicholas Stallworth Hare by Bonnie Hare Shanahan and family
Stephanie Holt Harmon by her family; the Tony Godwin Family; Joy H. Lowe
Menza L. Head, Jr. by Menelle and John Weiss
Mr. and Mrs. Menza L. Head, Sr. by Menelle and John Weiss
Carol Brewbaker Hodges by Judy and Kyle Kyser; Gay Phillips
Dr. Dan Hogan by Susan and Bob Brown
Nell Hornady by Joy H. Lowe
W.C. Hornady by Joy H. Lowe
Mrs. Fran G. Howland by the John Albritton Family
Virginia Foxworth Jacks by Susan and Bob Brown; the Tony Godwin Family;
the Jesse McKenney Williams IV Family
Colonel Craige Jackson by Susan and Bob Brown
James Troy Jackson by the Tony Godwin Family
James Troy Jackson by the Bill Jackson Family
Robert Montjoy Jackson by the Bill Jackson Family
Al Johnson by Chelle and Brian Felder, Mary Frances, Cassie, and Amelia
Clayborne Stanford Johnson by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and family; Ginger and Jon Barganier
Mr. and Mrs. Walton B. Johnson by Mr. and Mrs. Spears R. Rhodes
Mr. and Mrs. Watkins C. Johnston, Sr. by Mr. and Mrs. Watkins Cook Johnston III and family
Clayborne Stanford Johnson by the Tony Godwin Family

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Kehres by Judge and Mrs. Joel Dubina
Miss Jessie Kelso by the John Albritton Family
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wallace Kennedy by III, Mr. and Mrs. Watkins Cook Johnston III and family
Allen Luckey Knox by Anita K. Berry
Sybil Baxter Knox by Anita K. Berry
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Emery Kyser by Judy and Kyle Kyser
Mrs. Jean Bellingrath Laneby the John Albritton Family
Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Leighton by Mr. and Mrs. Tim Howe
Richard W. Lightfoot III by his family
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lowder by their families
B.R. Lowe by his family
B.R. Lowe, Jr. by Joy H. Lowe
Cathy Lowe by her family
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Lumpkin by Spud and Nancy Seale and Jennifer and Brooks Seale
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Manley by Mr. and Mrs. Spears R. Rhodes and family
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Matheny by Susan and Bob Brown
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leon McCaleb by Mr. and Mrs. Ronald C. Brown, Sr.
Reese Howell McKinney, Sr. by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
Cathy Ann McKinney by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
Ruth Robertson McKinney by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
Will Berry McKinney by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
Mrs. Ella Boyd Rambo McLean by the John Albritton Family
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mead by Judge and Mrs. Joel Dubina; Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
Judy Moody by Mary James and Stuart Newsome
Mr. and Mrs. Faul W. Morgan by JoAnn Morgan
Kenneth F. Morgan by his family
Drew Morris by Susan and Bob Brown
Drew Morris by the Tony Godwin Family
Mrs. Helen C. North by Caroline Weiss
Candance Brannon Ozerden by Lynn Weissman and Lynda Taylor
Mr. and Mrs. John Haygood Paterson, Jr. by Mr. and Mrs. John Stallings and family
Joseph D. Phelps, Jr. by his family
Judge Joseph D. Phelps by his family
Joy Pierce by JoAnn Morgan
Sue McKinney Pollock by Judge and Mrs. Reese McKinney, Jr.
David Franklin Prince by his family
Eleanor and James Pruett by the Pruett Family
Mrs. Hazel Nicholas Quiggins by Jim and Elisabeth Byram
Phillip M. Reagan by the Tony Godwin Family
Margaret and Warren Reese by the Gene Reese Family
Mr. George Marlow Reese by Mrs. Marlow Reese and family
Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Rhodes by Mr. and Mrs. Spears R. Rhodes
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Robinson by The Reverend and Mrs. Patrick Curles
Shannon Vaughn Robinson by Patsy Vaughn

Gay Townsend Rue by her family
Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Karon Sasser by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sasser
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Seale by Spud and Nancy Seale and Jennifer and Brooks Seale
Mr. Jimmy Shanahan by Bonnie Shanahan and family
Mrs. Sharon Shearer by Mr. and Mrs. Spears Griffin
Mr. Kenneth Sibley by Mrs. Rebecca Sibley and family
Elizabeth Cecile Smith by Caroline and Davis Smith, Anne Emery and Houghton; Judy and Kyle Kyser;
the Tony Godwin Family; Susan and Bob Brown
May Handey Smith by Menelle and John Weiss
Mrs. Frances McCurdy Smith by the John Albritton Family
Olivia Greer Spurlin by Watson and Suzanne Spurlin, Mark and Jessica Spurlin
Ellen Griffin Stephenson by Anne Thompson and Dudley Griffin
Lollie Belle and Tom Taylor by the Raymond Taylor Family and the Harrison Taylor Family
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Martin Teague by Genie and Randall Rhodes
Mr. Barry Teague by the Teague Family; Susan and Bob Brown
John A. Thompson by Elisabeth Thompson
Mr. Wallace Tidmore by Susan and Bob Brown
Sra. Blanca Luisa Davalos de Vainstein by Mr. and Mrs. Robert James Allan
Derrell Lynoid Vaughn, Sr. by Patsy Vaughn
Lt. Guy Waller, Jr. by Sandra Waller
Cpt. & Mrs. Guy Waller by Sandra Waller
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ward by Mrs. Robert Weiss, Jr.
Arthur Pelzer Webber by his family
Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Weiss, Sr. by Mrs. Robert P. Weiss, Jr.
Mr. Robert P. Weiss, Jr. by the Weiss Family
Wynona and Hubbard White by the Wynona White Wilson Family
Jesse McKenney Williams III by the Jesse McKenney Williams IV Family
Kathryn Elliot Patterson Williams by Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Patterson; Susan and Bob Brown;
the Tony Godwin Family
Mr. and Mrs. Miller Grieve Williams, Sr. by Mrs. Pat Thomas, Sr. and family
Mr. Pat Thomas Williams, Sr. by Mrs. Pat Thomas, Sr. and family
Jim Wilson, Jr. by the Wilson Family
Rupert Wilson by Joyce Wilson
Ruth and Jim Wilson, Sr. by the Wilson Family



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