

***Easter Sunday***  
**April 9, 2023**

***Leading in Worship Today***

Welcome and Announcements		
Prelude		Christopher A. McCroskey
Call to Worship	<i>"We Welcome Easter Morning"</i>	Choir
Centering Words		
*Hymn	<i>"Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"</i>	302
Opening Prayer Lord's Prayer		895
Prayer of Illumination		
Gospel Reading	Matthew 28:1-10	Page 36 (N.T.)
Sermon	<i>Tragedy to Triumph: Unexpected Reality</i>	Rev. John D. Jordan
*Affirmation of Faith	<i>"Apostles' Creed"</i>	881
*Gloria Patri	<i>"Glory Be to the Father"</i>	70
The Presentation of Tithes & Offerings		
Offertory		Christopher A. McCroskey
*Doxology	<i>"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"</i>	95
Cantata		Insert
*Benediction		
*Benediction Response	<i>"May the Lord, Mighty God, Bless and Keep You"</i> May the Lord, Mighty God bless and keep you forever, Grant you peace, perfect peace, courage in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see God's face and God's grace forever, May the Lord, Mighty God, bless and keep you forever.	Choir
*Postlude		Christopher A. McCroskey

Pastor: *John D. Jordan*                      Time Together: *Joyce Robinson; Ruth Frady*  
Choir Director: *Christopher A. McCroskey*      AV Director: *Marie Stiles*  
Church Musician                                      AV Assistant: *Chris Derrick*

***VISITORS ARE WELCOME*** in the service of worship! Please make use of the visitor's tags (located in the pew backs) to help us better welcome you as a visitor to Trinity this morning. We ask that you also please fill in the pew pad as it passes to register your attendance with us. **Large print hymnals** are available from the ushers. An ***INFANT AND TODDLER NURSERY*** is provided during the worship hour. Parents: please ask an usher for assistance.

You may join as a member into the life and work of this congregation by Confession of Faith or by Transfer of Membership from another church. If you would be interested in becoming a member, please speak to the pastor.

\*The Congregation May Stand

***TODAY'S LOVELY FLOWERS*** are given to the Glory of God in ***celebration of Easter*** and in loving memory of ***Carolyn Hardee*** by ***her family***.

**“AS MEMBERS OF THIS CONGREGATION, WE WILL FAITHFULLY PARTICIPATE IN ITS  
MINISTRIES BY OUR PRAYERS...**

Patsy Zeigler    Becky Derrick    Cristen Hipp    Dale Wells    Patsy Shuler    Christopher McCroskey  
Jimmy Grahl    Latson Lewis    Steve Aiello    Kaye Floyd    John Ballentine    Dan Greshel  
Jack Stevens    Kathy Aiello

**Shut-Ins:** Shirley Butler; Esther Carter; Gillett Hipp; Linda Maloch; Jean Raynor; Claudia Sineath; George Taylor

**Family and Friends:** **Lauren Edwards** (*granddaughter of Hilda Edwards*); **Andrea Johnson, Gary Spence** (*former members*); **Gloria Erd** (*friend of Lynn Martin*); **Pearl Geddens** (*mother of Tom Geddens*); **Beverly Lipscomb** (*sister-in-law of John Jordan*); **Ross Deal** (*grandson of Mary Kamoroff*); **David Williamson, Nancy Wilson, Jimmy Dawkins** (*friends of Jeanette Hornsby*); **David Turner** (*brother of Pam Turner*); **Chip Mixon** (*friend of Tommy Gleaton*); **Ron Walker** (*friend of Tommy & Chris Gleaton*); **Merit Takach** (*friend of Joyce and Brent Robinson*); **Frankie Hendrix** (*cousin of Billy Pearson*); **James Boggs** (*father of Claire Boggs*); **Stacy Coggins** (*daughter of Steve Aiello*); **Dan & Leslie White** (*brother & sister-in-law of Steve White*); **Mary Ann Rentz** (*stepmother of Marty Johnson*); **Alva Humphries** (*friend of Marty Johnson*); **Bill Areheart** (*friend of Bonnie Ramsey*); **Hayley Beaudoin** (*niece of Edwa Meek*); **Addie Kinard** (*cousin of coworker of Edwa Meek*); **Chip Hooker** (*Wayne Hooker's father*); **Robert Bradley** (*Business Associate of Simon Ross*); **Gary Becton** (*friend of Mark Branham*); **Florence Lee Carter, Monnie Tiller** (*friends of Chris Derrick*); **Adrin & Linda Hargett** (*stepfather and stepmom of Christopher McCroskey*); **Alexa Lookingbill, Lynn Presley** (*wives of coworkers of Kathy White*); **Teddy Derrick** (*uncle of Arvan Derrick*); **Haidee Baehr** (*friends of Ruth Frady*); **Denise Paul, Scott & Karen Nelson** (*cousins of Gale Frady*); **Dan Conner, Max Johnson** (*friends of Gale Frady*); **Wayne Blair** (*son of Dot Johnson*); **Walt & Janet Beck** (*friends of Jo Ann Heiting*); **Adam Lavender** (*son of Phil Lavender*)

**If you have a friend or family member on the Prayer List, we ask you to please keep us updated. If no word is received, we will trust that our prayers have been answered and remove the name. To update us, please call the office or e-mail us at [trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com](mailto:trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com).**

**OUR PRESENCE ...**

Attendance 04/02    Sunday School    10    Morning Worship:    32

**OUR GIFTS ...**

General Fund 04/02    \$ 4,835.00

**OUR SERVICE.”**

***Church Calendar***

**4/10    Exercise Class Will Not Meet**  
Office Closed  
**4/12    T.a.G., 7 p.m.**  
**4/13    Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m.**

**Readings for April 16**

1 Peter 1:3-9  
Psalm 16  
John 20:19-31

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*“The Waving of Palms”*

*“From an Upper Room”*

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Soloist: Dan Greshel*

*“Via Dolorosa”  
Soloist: Kathy Seppamaki*

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**Tuesday, April 18  
11 a.m.**

The Grief Support Group will meet on Tuesday, April 18, at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room.



**Sunday, April 23**

Taste of Trinity, our church-wide covered dish luncheon, will be held on Sunday, April 23. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to share great food and great fellowship!



***COLUMBIA COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND'S SPRING CONCERT  
APRIL 30, 2023, 4:00 PM  
AIRPORT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM***

As we conclude our 42<sup>nd</sup> season, I'd like to thank everyone who has supported us through your attendance at our concerts. It means so very much to our group and to me personally that you take time out of your busy schedule to hear us perform. The music for this concert is listed on the flyer located on the round table in the Gathering Area. I'd also like to especially thank Chris Derrick who graciously agreed to drive the church bus for our last three concerts. He has a prior commitment and won't be able to drive the bus to this concert, and I know everyone will miss having him as their chauffeur. We'll strike up the band at 4 pm on Sunday, April 30, and we hope to see you there!



Centering Prayer is a form of prayer to increase awareness of God's presence. It involves opening one's heart and mind to God's presence, deepening one's relationship with God, and freeing one from attachments that prevent this relationship. To learn more and practice Centering Prayer, join John Tuesday, May 2, at 11:00 a.m. or Wednesday, May 3, at 5:45 p.m.



**Jewel's Pink House & Second Time Around Sale  
May 6, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

Mary Percy Russell has offered to the church all of Jewel's Pink House inventory to sell for the benefit of God's Helping Hands. The committee (Kay Jordan, Patsy Boggs, Sue Ballentine & Marie Stiles) met with Mary and discussed the logistics as well as an idea of holding a tea party in conjunction with the sale in memory of Jewel and her talent of hospitality.

If you wish to participate by donating a finger food item, assisting with set-up on **Friday, May 5 (not May 4 as previously listed)**, passing out flyers to your neighbors to advertise the event or helping serve refreshments on May 6, please contact Kay Jordan (803-315-0673) and let her know how you are willing to help. (Finger foods needed are cheese straws, peanuts, and small servings of desserts.)

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**Easter 2023**

**A Gift was given to the glory of God and in honor of:**

John & Patsy Zeigler by Tom Geddens.

Our Church Family by Lynn Martin and family.

Trinity Choir by Lynn Martin and family.

Jackie Eitel by Lynn Martin and family.

John & Kay Jordan by Lynn Martin and family.

Our Trinity Family by Mary Kamoroff.

**A Gift was given to the glory of God and in loving memory of:**

Maurice Robinson by Joyce Robinson and family.

Tommy Johnson by Marty Johnson.

Oren Edwards by Hilda Edwards and family.

Our daughter, Ann Zeigler Derrick, by John & Patsy Zeigler.

Our parents, Grady & Lucile Chavis and Johnnie & Marguerite Zeigler, by John & Patsy Zeigler.

Altie Hooker by Wayne & Charlie Hooker.

Ray Culbreth by Wayne & Charlie Hooker.

Preston Cantrell by Betty Cantrell.

Preston Cantrell by Artie, Ian & Candance.

Harvey & Ruby Stiles by Jim & Marie Stiles.

Torrence & Grace Broome by Jim & Marie Stiles.

Arnold Heiting by Annie.

Charles & Josephine Von Glahn by Annie Heiting.

Charles L. Von Glahn by Annie Heiting.

Bernard & Amanda Heiting by Annie Heiting.

Chuck Martin by Tom Geddens.

Jewel Percy by Tom Geddens.

Charles & Jackie McNeill by Tom Geddens.

Ed & Florence Turner by Pam Turner.

Jack, Regis & Billie Stevens by Jack Stevens.

George & Carolyn Hardee by Lynn Martin and family.

Chuck Martin by his family.

Donald & Mary S. Martin by Lynn Martin and family.

Trinity Saints by Lynn Martin and family.

Charles McNeill by Mark, Mary Sue & Latson Lewis.

Jackie McNeill by Mark, Mary Sue & Latson Lewis.

Helen Hook, her dear friend, by Mary Sue Lewis.

Their dear niece, sweet Mayce Collard by Mark & Mary Sue Lewis.

Carolyn McNeill by Mark & Mary Sue Lewis.

Jerry Trantham by Jeanette Hornsby.

Bill Hornsby by Jeanette Hornsby.

Emmaline McDonald by Jeanette Hornsby.