

This Week and Beyond

Sunday, April 27

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Graduate Reception
11:00 am Traditional Worship
5:00 pm Youth Group

Tuesday, April 29

6:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal

Wednesday, April 30

6:00 pm Lenten Bible Study
7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 1

11:00 am Lenten Bible Study

Sunday, May 4

8:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship
5:00 pm Youth Group

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

- Jean and Marlee Carey
- Ruby Spearman
- Caron Cannon
- Pam Kelley
- Debby Maier
- Family of Margret Adams, Sister of Betty Rozier
- Jennifer Lewis, Sister of Brooke Henderson
- Aundrea Clem, Daughter-in-law of Lynne Clem
- Linda Dale Keener, Gary Mathis' brother-in-law's mother
- Jim Martin, Brother of Sally Smith
- Conflict in the Middle East and Ukraine
- Our Church

Our Stewardship As of 04/22/25

Offering week of 4/20/25	\$8,875
Weekly need to meet 2025 budget	\$10,404
Balance in General Fund	\$15,002
Estimated expenses for 04/30/25	\$13,859
Reserve Fund	\$10,000
2025 Apportionment Paid	\$2,000
2025 Received for Budget	\$150,306
2025 Expenses paid (including mortgage principal)	\$145,645
2025 Budget	\$541,018

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April 27, 2025 | Second Sunday of Easter

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP 8:45 AM		
*Opening Song	“I Believe” Phil Wickham, Chris Davenport, Jonathan Smith	Praise Team
Welcome and Announcements		Jeff Fogle
Scripture Reading	Acts 5:27-32 Pew Bible Page 94	Mike Cauble
*Song of Praise	“Rest On Us” Brandon Lake, Elyssa Smith, Harvest Bashta, Jonathan Jay, Rebekah White, Tony Brown	Praise Team
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Michael
Pastoral Prayer		
*Gospel Reading	John 20:19-31 Pew Bible Page 88	
Sermon		
Song of Reflection	“You Are My King (Amazing Love)” Billy J. Foote	Praise Team
A Service of Holy Communion	“The Great Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer”	Hymnal Page 13
*Closing Song	“O Come To The Altar” Chris Brown, Mack Brock, Steven Furtick, Wade Joye	Praise Team
*Those who are able may stand.		

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.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP 11:00 AM		
Pre-Service Music	“Rejoice, the Lord Is King” John Darwell/Arr. Cindy Berry “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” with “Sonata No. 1” Lowell Mason/W. A. Mozart/Arr. Gail Smith “I Love to Tell the Story” William Fischer/Arr. John Leavitt	Ralph Boggess
Ringing of the Bell Tower Bell		Ushers
Welcome and Announcements		Pastor Michael
Recognition of McKelvey Scholars		Rebekah Fogle
Prelude	“God So Loved the World” (John 3:16-17) John Stainer/Arr. Lonnie Dorgan Handbell Trio: Bunny Deener, Janet Hall, Jim Blalock	
Call to Worship	“We Will Glorify the King of Kings” Twila Paris	Chancel Choir
*Hymn	“Rejoice, the Lord Is King”	Hymn Number 715
Recognition of Graduates		Pastor Michael
Scripture Reading	Acts 5:27-32 Pew Bible Page 94	Marilyn Clardy-Haislip
Children’s Sermon		Pastor Michael
Anthem	“Man of Sorrows! What a Name!” Gordon Young	Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer		Pastor Michael
*Hymn	“My Faith Looks Up to Thee”	Hymn Number 452
*Apostles’ Creed		Hymnal Number 881
*Gospel Reading	John 20:19-31 Pew Bible Page 88	Pastor Michael
Sermon		
Offertory	“I Know That My Redeemer Liveth” from Messiah G. F. Handel	Ralph Boggess
*Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	Hymn Number 95
*Hymn	“I Love to Tell the Story”	Hymn Number 156
*Benediction		Pastor Michael
*Benediction Response	“Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim” William Croft	Chancel Choir
*Postlude	“I Love to Tell the Story” William Fischer	Ralph Boggess

*Those who are able may stand.

Instrumentalist: Ralph Boggess, Organ/Piano