

Each Sunday during Lent, we'll focus on a Lent event on the banner on stage. The events begin at the bottom of the banner and build up to the resurrection. Each pair of blocks is linked by the color of the frame around the embroidered picture. Audrey and Anne made the banner together—Anne did the embroidery and Audrey did the piecing and quilting.

#### The Empty Tomb

Matthew 28:2-7: There was a violent earthquake, for an angel of the Lord came down from heaven and, going to the tomb, rolled back the stone and sat on it. His appearance was like lightning, and his clothes were white as snow. The guards were so afraid of him that they shook and became like dead men.

The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who was crucified. He is

not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay. Then go quickly and tell his disciples: 'He has risen from the dead and is going ahead of you into Galilee. There you will see him.'



The bright yellow star stitch signifies the brightness of the angel of the Lord.



The spiral that makes the stone shows it was rolled away.



The tomb is made with broken (or half) cross stitches to symbolize that Jesus broke the power of sin.

Imagine you were at the empty tomb and the angel spoke to you! What emotions would you experience?

#### **Advance Dates**

Good Friday service, 7 pm, April 18, communion

ESL meets every Thursday evening 7:00-8:15.

Sunday School meets every Sunday at 9:30 am except Apr 20, 27 (Easter Break). The last day will be May 11.

Youth Group meets on alternate Wednesdays at 6:30 pm. Meeting dates are Apr 9, May 7,14

Jun 8, Pastor Bill & Sandy's last Sunday

Jun 15-Jul 13 Pastor Hank Bruinsma Jul 20—pastor TBA



# Terra Ceia Christian Reformed Church

3298 Terra Ceia Road Pantego NC 27860

Sunday, April 6, 2025

Sunday Service at 10:30 am

service streamed at www.facebook.com/TerraCeiaCRC

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#### **Order of Service**

Welcome

\*Call to Worship
\*God's Greeting & Mutual Greeting
\*New Life

Prayer of Confession God's Words of Assurance

> Children's Message Because He Lives

Congregational Prayer \*Be Thou My Vision

## Matthew 27:11-50 Being Like Jesus

Offering \*More about Jesus

\*Benediction
\*He Is Lord

Organ: Gerda Children's Message: Anne Preaching: Bill Vis



#### The Quiet Space...

is located off the foyer. It is available during worship for a variety of possible reasons—an unhappy child, a discreet reason, or to view the live stream on FaceBook.

## **Nursery Available**

If you would like to use the nursery, please let the greeter know and they will make sure an attendant meets you there.

#### This Week at TC CRC

Sunday, April 6 Fifth Sunday in Lent

9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service 11:30 am Fellowship Meal 12:45ish Game Time

#### Wednesday, April 9

6:30 pm Youth Group

**Thursday, April 10** 7:00 pm ESL class

#### Sunday, April 13 Palm Sunday

9:00 am Council Meeing 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship Service 11:30 am Fellowship

# Everyone Welcome after the service today

#### **FELLOWSHIP MEAL**

Join us for a farewell lunch for Bernie & Ruth who are moving to Michigan. Even if you didn't bring food, please join us... there's always plenty!

#### **GAME TIME**

After lunch, everyone is invited to play games in the fellowship hall for an hour or two...cards, dominoes, or Scrabble, your choice!

## **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

**April \***9 Daren H

- \*10 Nancy DH \*18 Carl VS
- \*19 Andrew VS

#### **Prayer Praises & Requests**

- Our congregation as we make decisions about our future
- The Pastor Search Team
- Our ministries this week: Sunday School, ESL, Youth Group
- Disaster Relief Team in Windsor, NC
- Comfort for Molly VW's family mourning her father's death
- Healing for
  - Aaron, Brian's brother-inlaw, with Chronic Graft vs. Host Disease
  - Pastor Bill Hoogland driving a small car pulling a big boat to Ontario
  - Dave S...struggling
  - Mr. Ed, Eagle's Wings volunteer, hospitalized with pneumonia
  - Joanne, Holly's neighbor, recovering from pneumonia
  - Kendra, Ken & Carol's granddaughter, who is pregnant and has a growth on her ovary.
- Answered prayers
  - Devon's good progress after shoulder surgery.
  - Joanne, Holly's sister, is improving after her stroke.
     She raised her leg six inches from the bed!

#### **Fellowship**

Please launder towels after your service.

- Apr 6 Leslie VS, Jan DH
- Apr 13 Charlene M, Jeanne VS
- Apr 20 Easter Breakfast instead of fellowship
- Apr 27 Deb VS, Jan VS
- May 4 Amy VS, Sandra M

#### **Greeters**

Please alert nursery attendant if needed.

- Apr 6 Audrey
- Apr 13 Gerda
- Apr 18, Good Friday Jan VS
- Apr 20 Kenneth
- Apr 27 Audrey
- May 4 Gerda

#### Nursery

- Apr 6 Anne M, Amy VS
- Apr 13 Holly VS, Lily M
- Apr 18 Good Friday Carl VS, Emily VS
- Apr 20 Gerrit & Selene VS
- Apr 27 Leslie, Charlene
- May 4 Kenneth & Jeanne VS
- May 11 Deb & John VS



## EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 20 EVERYONE INVITED!

#### 9:00-9:30 am Breakfast

served in the fellowship hall by Audrey, Billy & Anita, John & Anne

#### 10:00 am Worship Service

No coffee hour after church

Share this invitation with your family, friends & neighbors!