



EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 12, 2020

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PRELUDE *He is Risen! He Is Risen!* Alexander & Burroughs  
Mrs. Teresa Wheeler, Organist

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* EASTER HYMN

*Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!  
Sons of men and angels say, Alleluia!  
Raise your joys and triumphs high, Alleluia!  
Sing, ye heav'ns and earth, reply, Alleluia!*

*Love's redeeming work is done, Alleluia!  
Fought the fight the battle won, Alleluia!  
Death in vain forbids Him rise, Alleluia!  
Christ hath opened paradise Alleluia!*

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES Mr. Phil Kirk

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Dr. Jolly

*We believe in God, who raised Jesus from the dead. In Christ, we have come to know forgiveness and grace which brings joy to our wounded lives. We believe God calls us to share His Good News and that Christ will work through us to redeem the world.*

*We feel God has called us to be His church at Ridge Road, where we will celebrate life in its fullness, love and serve others, seek justice, resist evil and proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, as Lord.*

*We affirm that in life, and in death and in life beyond death, we are never alone. Christ is with us, because Christ is risen, indeed! Amen.*

MORNING PRAYER Dr. Jolly

SPECIAL MUSIC *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* Arr. By Larry Shackley  
Mr. Kerry Johnson, Minister of Music

SERMON TEXT *Matthew 28:1-10* Mr. Kirk

SERMON *Dawn Over Darkness* Dr. Jolly

COMMUNION & PASTORAL BENEDICTION Dr. Jolly

POSTLUDE *He Is Exalted* Twila Paris  
Mrs. Teresa Wheeler, Organist

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## NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

### DIAL-A-PRAYER: 919.787.8823

A special Easter prayer is now available, thanks to Joel Cresimore! You may be aware that Joel has provided this service for many years, and we are so grateful.

Save the number (919.787.8823) to call for uplifting and meaningful prayers, and be sure to call now for an Easter prayer.

### PENNY ATWOOD

We will honor Penny Atwood, who is retiring after more than 30 years as the Director of the RRBC weekly preschool. We are collecting contributions for a love gift to honor Penny. You may send your donation to the church office. Please make checks payable to Ridge Road Baptist Church and be sure to put *"Penny Atwood love gift"* on the memo line.

### PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE

The Committee will not be meeting in person, but is continuing to work via conference calls, online meetings and by email.

Please continue to pray for the work of the Committee and church. To provide feedback or input, call members of the committee or email [ridgeroadbaptist@gmail.com](mailto:ridgeroadbaptist@gmail.com). Those emails will be forwarded to the full committee.

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## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

### CHURCH MEMBERS:

Joe Ellen

Terry Kemp

Bonnie Kemp

Patricia Lynn

Jackie McDuffie

Helen Prevette

Betty Bridger

Linda Pleasants

Jackie Nutt

Felicia Goodman

Betty Duke

Bob Hines

Rev. Carlisle Franks

Mary Ashleigh Craver

### FRIENDS & FAMILY:

Anne Allen (former church member)

Karen McCormick (friend of Rhonda Thomas)

Jennifer LeMay (daughter of Jo Cresimore)

Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)

Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson)

Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)

Lynda Creech (mother of former member Paige Kay)

Lisa DeSchreiber (niece of Jane Edward)

John Tyler (friend of Ashlee Kirk)

Tom Keiningham (brother-in-law of Sue Johnson)

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

A conference call line is available for any committees that would like to hold a meeting by phone. Please contact Ashlee Kirk for that information ([ridgeroadbaptist@gmail.com](mailto:ridgeroadbaptist@gmail.com)).

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## ONLINE GIVING

Secure Online Giving is available at [www.rbch.com](http://www.rbch.com) through EasyTithe.

You may also send payment to the church through your bank by setting up Ridge Road Baptist Church as a payee. Contact your financial institution directly for instructions for online banking.

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