

# SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 2020

### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

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PRELUDE

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna/All Glory Laud and Honor Mrs. Teresa Wheeler, Organist Arr. By Sam Ellson

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES

**UPDATE**Mary Ashleigh Craver

#### LENTEN PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Dr. Steve Jolly

Almighty Lord, in a day of celebrating Your Son's wonderful entry into Jerusalem, it is so easy to see ourselves in the crowd cheering the coming of Jesus as the Messiah. We wish to let the world know we welcome Your Living Word and to make Jesus King of our lives.

But we remember that same crowd they abandoned Jesus when he did not provide tons of magic bread or destroy the Romans or crown Himself king using a sword. Much like the crowd, we can grow silent when You don't give us what we want. We slip away if You call us to a sacrificial love that might cost us our power, rather than increase it. When we really understand what claiming You as our King will cost us, our cheering can end and we abandon You for less demanding gods.

Accept the confession of our contrite hearts and grant us Your loving mercy. Forgive our fickle ways and lead us to true discipleship through following Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON** Dr. Jolly

MORNING PRAYER Dr. Jolly

SPECIAL MUSIC

I Will Enter His Gates/This is the Day

Arr. By Mark Hayes

SERMON TEXT Habakkuk 2:6-11, Luke 19:28-44 Rhonda Thomas

**SERMON** When the Stones Make Music Dr. Jolly

PASTORAL BENEDICTION Dr. Jolly

POSTLUDE Lift Up Your Heads TRURO

### **NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **HOLY WEEK - DAILY DEVOTIONALS**

For Holy Week at Ridge Road, in the absence of our gathering, we're sending out a daily devotional beginning Monday, April 6. They will also be posted on our website in the Blog section (under Resources & Media menu).

May this provide you some moments of reflection and insight as we prepare our hearts for Easter Sunday and Christ's resurrection.

### **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. Those emails will be forwarded to the full committee.

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

#### **CHURCH MEMBERS:**

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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)
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John Tyler (friend of Ashlee Kirk)

# **ONLINE GIVING**

Secure Online Giving is available at <a href="https://www.rrbch.com">www.rrbch.com</a> 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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