



# First Presbyterian Church

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024

Easter Sunday



*He Is Risen* by He Qi

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## Order of Worship

Prelude

*Organ Concerto in F Major, op. 4, no. 5*

G. F. Handel

Bruce Stevens, organ

“I Know That My Redeemer Liveth,” from *Messiah*

G. F. Handel

Margaret Taylor Woods, soprano

Easter Greeting

Rev. Amy Starr Redwine

One: Christ is risen!

**All: Christ is risen indeed!**

Introit

“Since by Man Came Death,” from *Messiah*

G. F. Handel

Chancel Choir

*Since by man came death, by man came also the resurrection of the dead.*

*For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive.*

1 Corinthians 15:21-22

\*Call to Worship (from Psalm 118)

Rev. Josh Andrzejewski

One: This is the day the Lord has made!

**All: We will rejoice, and be glad in it!**

The Lord is our strength and our song, and has become our victory!

**You are our God; we will exalt and praise you!**

Give thanks to the Lord, who is good!

**Whose faithful love endures forever!**

Let us worship God.

\*Hymn 232

“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today”

EASTER HYMN

\*Prayer of Confession

**Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, overlook the poor and hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we ignore the cries of the oppressed and are indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us remember your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of abundant life in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord.**

\*Passing the Peace

Time for Young Disciples

Cate Henderson

*Children ages 3 years through 5th grade are invited to Children’s Chapel.*

*They may be picked up on the playground following worship.*

\*Hymn 246 (vv. 1, 2, 5)

“Christ Is Alive!”

TRURO

Prayer for Illumination

Rev. Amy Starr Redwine

Scripture Reading

Luke 24:1-12

NT p. 84

**\*Please rise in body or in spirit.**

Sermon	“What’s Love Got to Do with Memory?”	
Anthem	“Hallelujah” from <i>Christ on the Mount of Olives</i> Chancel Choir	Ludwig van Beethoven
	<i>Hallelujah! unto God’s Almighty Son. Praise the Lord, ye bright angelic choirs, In holy songs of joy. Man, proclaim His grace and glory! Hallelujah! unto God’s Almighty Son. Praise the Lord in holy songs of joy.</i>	
Call to Offering		Rev. Derek Starr Redwine
Offertory	<i>Lift High the Cross</i>	arr. Harold Burgmayer
*Doxology (Prayer of Thanksgiving)		LASST UNS ERFREUEN
	<b>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures here and low. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia! Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!</b>	
Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer (Hymnal p. 35)		
One:	Christ is risen!	
<b>All:</b>	<b>Christ is risen indeed!</b>	
	<b>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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.</b>	
*Hymn 260	“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”	HYFRYDOL
*Charge and Benediction		Rev. Amy Starr Redwine
Postlude	Toccata, from Organ Symphony 5	Charles-Marie Widor
	<i>Please take home an Easter lily for you and a friend!</i>	

**Instrumental Ensemble:** Audrey Pride, violin; Elizabeth Kilpatrick, violin; Jocelyn Smith, viola; Schuyler Slack, cello; Pinghua Ren, bassoon

Join us for **Lemonade on the Lawn** and enjoy refreshments and fellowship on the front lawn after worship! While you’re there, take a picture in the front of the **Easter flower cross** outside the Cary Street doors.



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**This week's usher team includes:** Laura Bland, Peter Toms, Blanche Toms, Ken Horton, Jim Purser, Pratt Cook, Connie Gottwald, Kim Basmajian, Ann Latstetter, David Williams, Caley Cantrell, Alison Herring  
*If interested in serving as an usher, contact Ken Horton (ksmmfour@aol.com)*

**Elders at the doors:** Clark Lewis, Susan McNulty, Jim Purser

*Flowers in the Sanctuary and Memorial Corridor were arranged by Terry White.*

**Flowers in the Memorial Corridor** were given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Lawrence Brevard Cann, Jr., Constance Cann Hancock, C. Cabell Hancock, Jr. and Virginia Coleman Hancock by Brian Cann.

### Please keep in your prayers those with special concerns:

- Lee Brown, cancer treatment
- Sally Brown, cancer treatment
- Nancy Bruni (*Ben Bruni's mother*), cancer treatment
- Bobby Cobb, health concerns
- Philip Coleman Davis (*Melissa Mintz's father*), in hospice care
- Vernon Glenn, recovering from surgery
- Hannah Gray, health concerns
- Jay Johnston, health concerns
- Lawrence Mauck (*Becky and Newby Mauck's son*), recovering from surgery
- Barbara Mitchell (*Judy Noble's mother*), in hospice care
- Jane Neer, health concerns
- Byrd Newton (*Emily Laux's father*), health concerns
- Betty Proffitt (*Jenny Morris' mother*), health concerns
- Ray Slabaugh, health concerns
- Sharon Spencer, health concerns
- Percy Wootton, health concerns
- Rebecca Wurst, cancer treatment

### Those Rejoicing:

- Neely and Rick Barnhardt on the birth of their grandson, William "Walker" Barnhardt, on March 14. Walker's parents are Katie and Chris Barnhardt

### We pray for members and family serving in the military:

Tripp Bowles, Jenny Sigel Burkett, Zach Kirk, Mason Louthan, Anne Marks, Nathan Thomas Meade, Peyton Spivey, Pierce Tarry, and Will Watkins.

### How can we pray for you?

You can submit concerns and celebrations at [fpcrichmond.org/prayer](http://fpcrichmond.org/prayer) or let one of our pastors know.



**THE EASTER LILIES ARE GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

*Our parents* by Kelly and Pete Winters

*Christine Carol Chapman Young* by Marty and Joe Godsey

*Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Hawk and Mr. and Mrs. Ken LeFevre, II* by Cindy and Ken LeFevre

*Loved ones* by Meg Deacon

*Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Withers, Mr. and Mrs. Richard deForest Robertson, Mrs. Julie Belew Stephenson, and Mrs. Holly Crittendon* by Libby and Greg Robertson, and their children, Hillary and Burrell Crittendon, Kate and George Stephenson, and Mimi and Wit Robertson

*Buddy Harlan* by Betty Harlan

*John Bryson and Buddy Harlan* by Jay, Sally, Madeline, and John Bryson

*Edythe and Charles Larus Reed and Charles Larus Reed, Jr.* by Ann Reed and family

*K.K. McCart* by Mary and Sam Hixon

*Edgar Forrest Jessee, III* by Forrest Jessee family

*Joan Crosby* by her loving family

*Rob Crosby* by his loving family and friends

*Barbara Wiltshire, "BB"* by Avery, Bailey, Riv, Miller, and Eliza

*Doug Davis* by his wife, Ingrid Davis

*My mother, Carol Spearman* by Janet Winslow

*Linda Bryan* by Julie, Bryon, Ashtyn, and Noah Bratt

*Robert Patrick Moore and Elizabeth Reynolds Moore* by Ellen and John Walk

*Lally Jennings and Leila, John, and David Haw* by Cynthia and Shep Haw

*Our grandparents, Shirley and Katie Wilson and Samuel and Ruth Doudiet,* by Taylor and Rainey Wilson

*Sam and Marine Modisett* by their children and grandchildren

*Loved Ones* by Vaughan and Russ Aaronson

*Wilhelmina "Willa" Rudd* by The Rudd Family

*Our son, Bruce C. Gottwald Jr.,* by Nancy and Bruce Gottwald

*Our parents* by Missy and Jim Ryan

**THE MUSIC MEMORIALS ARE GIVEN IN LOVING MEMORY OF:**

*Dr. Marshall W. Smith* by his wife, Sheila, and children, Heather, Matt Cooper and Matt Smith

*True and Charlie Luck* by Cynthia and Shep Haw

*Genevieve Jenkins Farley, Pianist, 1920-1942* by Carol and Bill Collier

*Dr. Randolph Halloran* by Deborah and John Miller

*Mary Jane Sisler* by Mike, India, Audrey, and Emmett Sisler

*Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Blanchard and Richard H. Barnhardt* by Rick and Neely Barnhardt

**AND IN LOVING HONOR OF:**

*Claire F. Barnhardt* by Rick and Neely Barnhardt

*FPC Choir and Jason Brown* by Missy and Jim Ryan



# DISCOVER FIRST

**Sunday, May 5**  
**3:30pm**

This is a class for anyone who wants to learn more about First Presbyterian Church. Maybe you are ready to join our congregation, or maybe you are still seeking and just want to learn a bit more about our church, well, this class is for you!

After the class, participants will have the option to become members.

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