

Welcome to Terra Ceia CRC! We invite you to join us for a potluck lunch after the morning service in the Fellowship Hall.

## Today's Worship

**Morning message:** John 12:12-26

### With Jesus, and Viewing His Parade

John admits that the earliest disciples did not understand Jesus' donkey ride into the Jewish capital during Passover. Why have people usually called it His Triumphal Entry and not His Death March?

**Preaching:** Bryce Mensink

**Offerings:** General Fund

## Maundy Thursday

**7:00 pm** Worship & Communion

### Who Are These Men?

We will look at the men gathered around "The Last Supper" table in order to learn about their personalities and character.

## Easter Worship

**9:00 am** Breakfast

**10:00 am** Worship

**Morning Message:** John 20:1-18

### With Jesus, and Tears Wiped Away

## Praise & Prayer Requests for

- ♥ Bonnie W (World Renew) who is receiving chemo every other week for stage 1 pancreatic cancer in preparation for surgery.
- ♥ Frank, Gerda's friend, who is battling brain cancer.
- ♥ Safety for farmers who are beginning field work again.
- ♥ Safety and refreshment for all those traveling during Easter break.
- ♥ The crops that may be endangered by these latest frosts.
- ♥ New volunteers for the Yokefellow ministry.
- ♥ Those mourning the loss of loved ones.
- ♥ Our ministries this week—Coffee Break & Story Hour, Feed the Fire, and Yokefellows.

## Announcements

**Fellowship Dinner Today:** Today, we welcome the Disaster Response Team working in Tarboro. We look forward to sharing lunch with you after the service.

### Bible Study Prep for Wednesday:

**Women:** Chapter 12 and Conclusion "Talk about Happily Ever After!" and "Have You Got It?" in *The Girl's Still Got It* by Liz C. Higgs. We will discuss questions on pp. 194-196.

**Men:** Chapter 6: "Grace on the Fringe" in *More Than We Deserve, Greater than We Imagine* by Max Lucado. Study Questions pg. 179-182.

**Refreshments:** Mariah VS

**Easter Break:** Sunday School classes will not meet on April 1 and April 7.

**Pulpit Supply:** Since Pastor Bryce and Jan will be away on April 8, Pastor Mark Knetsch (Raleigh) will lead our worship that day.

**Book Club:** The next book is *The Zookeeper's Wife*. Discussion is set for Tuesday, April 10, at Jenny/Grace's home. See Anita to join the "read"!

**Women's Bible Study:** The Wednesday night Women's Bible study group will finish the study of Ruth this week! We plan to begin our new study, *Anxious for Nothing* by Max Lucado on April 11th. This is a great time to join us if you have not already. Books are \$8 and Mariah will order them for the group.

**Iron Chef Competition:** Eagles Wings Food Pantry's spring fundraiser is planned for Thursday, April 12 at the Christian Church in Washington. Three local chefs will compete for your vote as the best. If you are interested in attending, see Gerda R.



**Deacons Report:** Please prayerfully consider your faith-promise pledges, which is the method our congregation uses for mission support. In 2017, our pledged support was \$4691. So far, our 2018 commitment is \$2432; and we have not received pledges from many of you. Consider the amount that you can promise for the missionaries that our church has agreed to support financially. We encourage all to give and give generously! Thank you.

**Take another look:** Our worship banners use purple—which indicates Lent. Why? First, it is associated with mourning and so anticipates the pain and suffering of the crucifixion, and, second, because purple is the color associated with royalty, and celebrates Christ's resurrection and sovereignty.

## Volunteers

### Greeters

March 25 Austin & Amber VS  
April 1 Julie & Jordan P

### Nursery (during morning worship)

March 25 Holly VS, Emily VS  
April 1 Laurel M

### Fellowship

March 25 Beth H, Jan DH  
April 1 [No fellowship hour]

### One-on-one with Jordan (morning worship)

March 25 Jan DH  
April 1 Holly VS

## Council Members

Elders: John VS, John M, Arie DH  
Deacons: Kenneth VS, Justin VS, Devon R

## Book Club is reading The Zookeeper's Wife

by Diane Ackerman

### A true story in which the keepers of the Warsaw Zoo saved hundreds of people from Nazi hands.

After their zoo was bombed, Polish zookeepers Jan and Antonina Zabinski managed to save over three hundred people from the Nazis by hiding refugees in the empty animal cages. With animal names for these "guests," and human names for the animals, it's no wonder that the zoo's code name became "The House under a Crazy Star." Best-selling naturalist and acclaimed storyteller Diane Ackerman combines extensive research and an exuberant writing style to re-create this fascinating, true-life story—sharing Antonina's life as "the zookeeper's wife," while examining the disturbing obsessions at the core of Nazism.

## This week at TC CRC

### Sunday, March 25 PALM SUNDAY

9:30 am Sunday School  
10:30 am Morning Worship  
11:45 am Fellowship Dinner

### Monday, March 26

7:00 pm Yokefellows at Hyde Co. Prison

### Tuesday, March 27

9:30 am Coffee Break, Story Hour & Nursery  
7:00 pm Yokefellows at Tyrrell Co. Prison

### Wednesday, March 28 FEED THE FIRE

6:00 pm Supper – open for all!  
7:00 Bible studies

### Thursday, March 29

7:00 pm Maundy Thursday Worship

### Sunday, April 1 EASTER

9:00 am Breakfast  
10:00 am Morning Worship



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Mar 25 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Morning Worship Praise Sunday 11:45am Fellowship Dinner	26 7:00pm Volelflows at Hyde Co. Prison	27 Ben H 9:00am Eagle's Wings Food Pantry OPEN 9-11:30 & 2:5 9:30am Coffee Break - Story Hour - Nursery 7:00pm Volelflows at Tyrrel Co. Prison	28 Charlene M 6:00pm Feed The Fire Supper 7:00pm Feed The Fire Bible Studies	29 7:00pm Maundy Thursday Service	30	31 9:00am Eagle's Wings Food Pantry OPEN 9-11 10:30am Bridal Shower for Laura Claire
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