

Today's Worship

10:00 am Worship

Morning Message: John 20:1-18
With Jesus, and Tears Wiped Away

Praise & Prayer Requests for

- ♥ Couples who are anticipating marriage.
- ♥ Bonnie W (World Renew) who is receiving chemo every other week for stage 1 pancreatic cancer in preparation for surgery.
- ♥ Safety and refreshment for all those traveling during Easter break.
- ♥ Those mourning the loss of loved ones.
- ♥ Yokefellows as they visit prisoners who may be especially lonely at Easter.
- ♥ Eagles Wings as they collect and distribute food for the hungry of Beaufort County.
- ♥ **Uganda:** Due to civil war in South Sudan, nearly one million civilians fled the country in 2016, seeking refuge in Uganda. The Bidibidi refugee camp has now become home for hundreds of thousands of South Sudanese families. Although the Ugandan government has been gracious and welcoming, many wish to return home. Please pray that God brings peace to South Sudan and resources to people who have been resettled. [World Renew]
- ♥ **Canada:** The trial of Gerald Stanley for the death of Indigenous youth Colten Boushie has made obvious again the deep rift between Indigenous peoples and the descendants of immigrants to Canada. Pray for healing. [Centre for Public Dialogue]
- ♥ **Generations:** Many young adults struggle to find their place in the church, and this struggle affects not only them but also their parents and grandparents. Almost every family in the CRC is personally acquainted with this struggle in some way. Please pray for them as they navigate their situation, and for Faith Formation Ministries

as we seek to encourage all generations on this journey. [Faith Formation Ministries]

- ♥ **Exams:** Senior students will be taking oral comprehensive exams this month as they prepare for graduation and ministry beyond seminary. Pray that the exams will not cause undue anxiety but will bless the students in knowing how much they have learned through their studies. [Calvin Theological Seminary]
- ♥ **Asia:** A missionary couple who have been serving in eastern Asia for the past several years were not able to renew their visa. Pray for this couple as they return to North America and discern where God is leading them next. [Resonate Global Mission]

Announcements

Easter Break: Sunday School classes will not meet today or April 7. Coffee Break will not meet this Tuesday.

Pulpit Supply: Pastor Mark Knetsch (Raleigh) will lead our worship next Sunday.

Iron Chef Competition: Eagles Wings Food Pantry's spring fundraiser is planned for 6 p.m. 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.

Next Fellowship Dinner: On Sunday, April 15, we will host the Disaster Response Team working in Tarboro. Please bring 2 large side dishes to share at the fellowship meal.

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.

Witness to The Risen Christ: Hallelujah! Christ is Risen! Now what does he desire from us? Join Groundwork as we study an interaction between Peter and the resurrected Jesus in John 21 to learn one more lesson about grace and forgiveness, and hear his call to earnestly bear witness to Jesus Christ and his saving work in our lives. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com

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...for kids... What to do during Easter break?

The Miracle of Easter: Have you ever wondered what it would be like to meet Jesus? Or to be in Jerusalem the very week Jesus was crucified and raised from the dead? **You're invited to explore the miracle of Easter on this week's Kids Corner.** Subscribe for free at getkidscorner.com. Find more great resources for kids and parents at www.kidscorner.net. This month's offer includes an **Easter story puppet show craft.**

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Volunteers

Greeters

April 1 Julie & Jordan P
April 8 Greg K & Crystal C

Nursery (during morning worship)

April 1 Laurel M
April 8 John M, Charlene M

Fellowship

April 1 [No fellowship hour]
April 8 Charlene M, Audrey Z

One-on-one with Jordan (morning worship)

April 1 Holly VS
April 8 Ken VW



This week at TC CRC

Sunday, April 1 EASTER

9:00 am Breakfast
10:00 am Morning Worship

Monday, April 2

7:00 pm Yokefellows at Hyde Co. Prison

Tuesday, April 3

7:00 pm Yokefellows at Tyrrell Co. Prison

Saturday, April 7

10:30 am Bridal Shower at Mariah's

Sunday, April 8

10:30 am Morning Worship
5:30 pm Evening Worship

Council Members

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