

# *The Chapel in the Pines*

**March 17, 2024**

*Living in the Light of the Resurrection*

## **The Fifth Sunday in Lent**



**The flowers on the Communion table this week are given to the Glory of God by the Moss family.**

**The Chiming of the Trinity**

**The Prelude**

**The Concerns, Celebrations, and Prayers of our Chapel Family**

**The Preparation**

## **The Invocation and the Lord's Prayer**

**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 trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,  
forever and ever...Amen.**

### **\*The Call to Worship**

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me.  
**Do not cast me away from your presence,  
and do not take your Holy Spirit from me.**

The Lord makes a new covenant with us and writes the law upon our hearts.  
**The Lord is our God and we are God's people.**

Let us seek the Lord  
**and treasure God's word in our hearts.**

**\*Hymn**                      #440 O for a Heart to Praise My God

- 1** O for a heart to praise my God,  
A heart from sin set free,  
A heart that always feels Thy blood  
So freely shed for me!
  
- 2** A heart in every thought renewed  
And full of love divine;  
Perfect and right and pure and good,  
A copy, Lord, of Thine!
  
- 3** Thy nature, gracious Lord, impart;  
Come quickly from above,  
Write Thy new name upon my heart,  
Thy new, best name of Love.

Amen.

The grace and peace of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ be with you all.  
**And, also with you.**

### **The Passing of the Welcome Pads**

### **The Call to Confession**



## The Prayer of Confession

Compassionate Lord,  
forgive us when we falter on this Lenten pathway;  
when the road ahead seems too uncertain and we are afraid.  
We admit that following Jesus is not an easy task.  
Jesus requires us to be willing  
to make the ultimate commitment of our whole lives  
and we hesitate and hold back.  
Draw us back to you, Lord.  
Give us confidence and courage to face the future with hope.  
Let us place our trust in you  
that the message of peace and mercy  
you have given to us through Jesus Christ  
may be offered to others  
through our own witness to your healing mercy.

## The Declaration of Forgiveness

**\*The Psalm of Thanksgiving and Praise**      Adapted from Psalm 51

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love;  
**according to your abundant mercy, blot out my transgressions.**

Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
**and put a new and right spirit within me.**

Do not cast me away from your presence,  
**and do not take your holy spirit from me.**

Restore to me the joy of your salvation,  
**and sustain in me a willing spirit.**

**\*Hymn**      #267 Come, Thou Almighty King

**1** Come, Thou Almighty King,  
Help us Thy Name to sing,  
Help us to praise:  
Father! all-glorious,  
O'er all victorious,  
Come, and reign over us,  
Ancient of Days.

**3** Come, Holy Comforter,  
Thy sacred witness bear  
In this glad hour!  
Thou, who almighty art,  
Now rule in ev'ry heart  
And ne'er from us depart,  
Spirit of pow'r.

**2** Come, Thou Incarnate Word,  
Gird on Thy mighty sword,  
Our prayer attend!  
Come, and Thy people bless,  
And give Thy Word success:  
Spirit of holiness,  
On us descend.

**4** To Thee, great One in Three,  
Eternal praises be,  
Hence evermore;  
Thy sov'reign majesty  
May we in glory see,  
And to eternity  
Love and adore.

Amen.

## The Prayer of Illumination



**A Reading from the Old Testament**      Jeremiah 31:31-34  
*The days are surely coming, says the Lord,  
when I will make a new covenant...*

**The Choir's Anthem**              That Wondrous Cross              Price/Besig

**The Homily**      God Keeps Trying

**The Prayers of the People**

**Living in the Light of the Resurrection** - The Apostle Paul

**The Invitation to the Offering**

**The Offertory**

**\*The Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise God all creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

**\*The Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**\*Hymn**                      #404 The Solid Rock              (verses 1 &2)

**1** My hope is built on nothing less  
Than Jesus' blood and righteousness;  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame,  
But wholly lean on Jesus' name.

**Refrain:**

On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand -  
All other ground is sinking sand,  
All other ground is sinking sand.

**2** When darkness veils His lovely face,  
I rest on His unchanging grace;  
In ev'ry high and stormy gale  
My anchor holds within the veil. **[Refrain]**

**3** His oath, His covenant, His blood,  
Support me in the whelming flood;  
When all around my soul gives way,  
He then is all my hope and stay. **[Refrain]**

**4** When He shall come with trumpet sound,  
O may I then in Him be found,  
Dressed in His righteousness alone,  
Faultless to stand before the throne. **[Refrain]**



## \*The Charge and Benediction

Choir                      An Old Irish Blessing                      White

## \*The Postlude



## Prayers for Chapel



Patty and Jackie Madden, Anthony Tuliano, Janet Hegeman, Evangeline Caliandro, Laurie Stevens, Little Daniel Auman, Koran Sanders, Lerici Racine, Neida Crow, Kerra Paduano, Kathy Steele, Harry Wahlquist, Walter Hundley, Esther Robinson's sister Judy, Cindy Hess, Lynn Garbarino, Elaine Bertino, Mary Farley, Kitty Price, Kerri Klein, Jean Schmidt, Ed Barry, Bill Bohl, Bob Lovin, Dwight and Faye Jessup, D.J. Kirit, Steve Hall, Phil Westerman, Lucy Dunn Martin, Jerry Hyatt, Ann Rorie, Michael Taylor, Gerry Crow, Rev. Bill and Marty Bruner, Marie Steensen, Debbie Franklin, Mary Herold, Nancy Cecchini, Mary White, Robert Allen, Joseph Rickards, Mary Faas, Paul Infuso, Nell Otsby, Bill Conclin, Debbie Franklin, Sharon Hacker, Barb Conrad, Bill and Bev Myers, Leah Tourt Cicero, Kate Halus, Patricia Lewin, Joe and Laura Klimasz.

## Friends:

## Prayers for Chapel Family:

Bud Holzerland, Dave Westerman, Butch and Mary Kay Allen, George Hoffman, Glenda Clendenin, Mary Tuft, Phillip Thingstad, Dick and Sue Van Horne, Jane and Jeff Lowe and Jenny, Peggy Olson, Katy Swain, Pat Griffin, Marilyn and Jimmy McCaskill, Johanna Moran, Shirley Percival, Bob Dantzer, Meta Evans, The family of Tamara Lee; Edward, Kinsey, Rebekah, and Anna, Charles Hinson, Sue Barry and John Shaunessey.

## March / April Announcements

### Looking Ahead!

<b>Sunday-March 17</b>	9:00 am	Fifth Sunday in Lent
<b>Wednesday-March 20</b>	3:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
	4:30 pm	Chapel Choir
<b>Sunday-March 24</b>	9:00 am	Palm Sunday
		Easter Cantata—Colors of Grace
<b>Wednesday-March 27</b>	3:00 pm	Lenten Bible Study
<b>Thursday-March 28</b>	5:00 pm	Maundy Thursday
<b>Friday-March 29</b>	Noon	Good Friday
<b>Sunday-March 31</b>	9:00 am	Easter Sunday
<b>Wednesday—April 3</b>	4:00 pm	Chapel Choir
<b>Thursday—April 4</b>	3:00 pm	Fran's Friends
<b>Sunday—April 7</b>	9:00 am	2nd Sunday after Easter
<b>Tuesday—April 9</b>	6:00 pm	Bunco 4 Missions
<b>Wednesday—April 10</b>	4:00 pm	Chapel Choir
<b>Friday—April 12</b>	10:00 am	Mission Team
<b>Saturday—April 13</b>	8:00 am	Men's Fellowship

### Maundy Thursday Service

The Worship Team will be our hosts for a covered-dish soup, bread, and dessert supper in the fellowship hall following the service. So as to be fully prepared the Team has asked that we make reservations by Tuesday, March 26th by calling the Chapel office at (910) 400-5188 or emailing [citp10@7lakeschapel.com](mailto:citp10@7lakeschapel.com).

### Birthdays



<b>Monday, March 18</b>	Leslie While
<b>Thursday, March 21</b>	Alicia DeLong
<b>Thursday, March 21</b>	Helen Scholl



### Altar Flowers

#### March

**3-24** Sandy Cifranic  
**3-31** Pastor Paul James

#### April

**4-7** Jon & Dorene Tichenor  
**4-14** Bill & JoAn Moses  
**4-21** Alicia DeLong  
**4-28** **Volunteer Needed**  
**3-31** Pastor Paul James

### Anniversaries

<b>Tuesday, March 19</b>	Bob & Pat Dantzer
<b>Wednesday, March 20</b>	Bruce & Vicki Bedder



### Coffee Fellowship

#### March

**3-10** Sue Dell'Acqua  
**3-17** Phyllis Young  
**3-24** **Volunteer Needed**  
**3-31** **Easter Sunday—No Coffee Fellowship**



To sign up for Coffee Fellowship:  
**Call:** Church Administrator 910-400-5188  
**Email:** [citp10@7lakeschapel.com](mailto:citp10@7lakeschapel.com) OR Sign up on the Podium outside the fellowship hall.





# Holy Week Events



## **Palm Sunday**

**Sunday, March 24, 2024**

**9 :00 am**

To begin Holy Week the Chapel Chancel Choir will present their Easter Cantata, *The Colors of Grace*. As we respond to this inspiring and meaningful music we will be joining those who line the streets of Jerusalem waving their palm branches and shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

## **Maundy Thursday**

**Thursday, March 28, 2024**

**5:00 pm**

We will gather in the sanctuary at 5:00 and remember Jesus' Last Supper with his disciples, the final instructions he gave to them before his death, and like them we will celebrate Holy Communion. Following the service we will come together in the fellowship hall for a covered-dish soup, bread, and dessert supper.



## **Good Friday**

**Friday, March 29, 2024**

**12:00 Noon**



We will join those who are witnessing the crucifixion of Jesus as we retell the story of Good Friday through scripture and song. This service will include the Stripping of the Church as darkness comes over the land and we hear Jesus say, "Father, into your hands I commend my spirit."

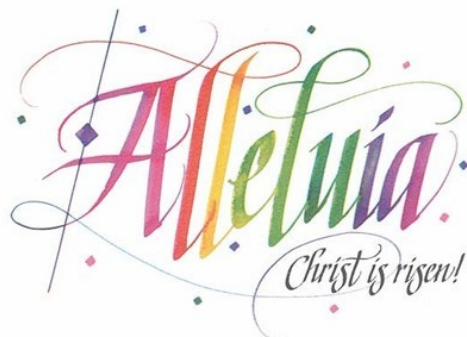
## **Easter Sunday**

**Sunday, March 31, 2024**

**9:00 am**

What a blessing it will be for all of us to join together and celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord. The service will include the Reappointing of the Church and the observance of the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Don't forget to bring your Spring flower cuttings to adorn the cross and to greet one another with the words, "Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!"

**\*All Holy Week Services will be in-sanctuary and online\***



*Alleluia*  
*Christ is risen!*





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