**THE WORSHIP OF GOD**  
April 5, 2015  
Resurrection Celebration

**CHIMES OF THE TRINITY**

**PREPARING FOR WORSHIP & INVOCATION**

Kristen Muse  
*Please sign the Friendship Pad.*

**ORGAN PRELUDE**

Sonia III ........................................... Felix Mendelssohn  
Patty Page, organist  
Bradley M., acolyte

**THE STORY OF EASTER**

Matthew 28:1-8, NRSV

**HYMN MEDLEY**

_Law in the Grave He Lay_ .................................................. _Christ Arose_  
_Low in the Grave He Lay._ ................................................. _Christ Arose_  
Up from the grave He arose, with a mighty triumph o'er His foes;  
He arose a victor from the dark domain,  
And He lives forever with His saints to reign.  
He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

**BAPTISM**

Jeanette Culpepper  
Grayson M.  
Mary P.  
Clay V.  
Susan Vick

**CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

He is Lord, He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

**EASTER PROCLAMATION**

**MINISTER**  
Christ is risen!  
**PEOPLE**  
He is risen, indeed!  
**MINISTER**  
The stone has been rolled away and the tomb is empty!  
**PEOPLE**  
Jesus Christ has won the victory over sin and death!  
**MINISTER**  
By his resurrection we are given new life and new hope!  
**PEOPLE**  
Glory to you, O risen Christ, now and forevermore!  
**ALL**  
Hallelujah! Amen.

**PROCESSIONAL ANTHEM**

_On the Third Day___ ........................................... Allen Pot  
Chancel Choir, Brass Ensemble and Handbells

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**HYMN OF CELEBRATION, 159**

_Lift High the Cross_ .................................................. _Choir Leader_  
Those who wish to sing with the Chancel Choir on the Hallelujah Chorus please proceed to the choir loft.

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**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Gail Dickens, Chancel Choir

**OFFERTORY**

_Weep Ye In The Lamb_ .................................................. Allen Pot  
Chancel Choir and Brass Ensemble  
Carter Benge, conductor

**PARENT/CHILD DEDICATION**

Jerad and Bethany Casias and their infant son

**PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS**

**Benediction**

**CHORAL RESPONSE**

_Hallelujah Chorus_ .................................................. G.F. Handel

**CHIMES OF THE TRINITY**

**ORGAN Prelude**

_Te Deum (Symphony 85)_ ........................................... C.M. Widor  
Patty Pace, organist

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**WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 5–EASTER SUNDAY**

7:00 AM  
Sunrise Service (Amphitheater at Meredith College)

9:45 AM  
Sunday School

10:45 AM  
Morning Worship/Baptism

**MONDAY, APRIL 6–CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

5:00 PM  
Capital Priorities Task Force (Rm. 170)

6:30 PM  
2nd-5th Grade Dance Class (FCL-Student Lounge)

**TUESDAY, APRIL 7**

6:00 AM  
Early Risers-Men (FCL-Gym)

7:00 AM  
Men's Bible Study (Conference Room)

10:00 AM  
Painting with Luraines (FCL-Student Lounge)

12:00 PM  
Lunch Express (FCL-Gym)

12:00 PM  
Fellowship Class Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)

5:30 PM  
HBBC Ladies Basketball (FCL-Gym)

6:30 PM  
HBBC Softball vs. Windstorms (Lions Park)

6:30 PM  
Haley Class Men's Bible Study (FCL-Student Lounge)

7:00 PM  
Yoga (Rm. 124)

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8**

6:00 AM  
Early Risers-Women (FCL-Gym)

9:45 AM  
Boot Camp (FCL-Gym)

11:00 AM  
Fit Over Fifty (FCL-Gym)

5:00 PM  
Family Night Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)

5:00 PM  
Gym Tunes for Children (FCL-Gym)

6:00 PM  
Music and Missions

6:15 PM  
The Gathering--Dr. George Braswell(Fellowship Hall)

6:15 PM  
Revolutionary Parenting Class (FCL-Rm. 218)

6:15 PM  
Student Gathering

7:15 PM  
Student Ministry Search Committee (Rm. 263)

7:30 PM  
SPS (Rm. 224)

7:30 PM  
Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

**THURSDAY, APRIL 9**

6:00 AM  
Early Risers-Men (FCL-Gym)

10:00 AM  
Tob Ch (FCL-Student Worship)

12:00 PM  
Lunch Express (FCL-Student Lounge)

5:30 PM  
Evening Fitness Class (FCL-Gym)

5:30 PM  
Step Up Ministry (FCL-Student Lounge)

8:30 PM  
HBBC Softball vs. Padres (Lions Park)

**FRIDAY, APRIL 10**

6:00 AM  
Early Risers-Women (FCL-Gym)

**SATURDAY, APRIL 11**

7:30 AM  
Early Risers-Men (FCL-Gym)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 12**

8:30 AM  
SONShine in the Park (Moore Square)

8:30 AM  
Stephen Ministry Continuing Education (Conference Room)

9:45 AM  
Membership Matters (Rm. 263)

9:45 AM  
Sunday School

11:00 AM  
Morning Worship (Sanctuary)

4:00 PM  
Mission/Evangelism Committee (Conference Room)

5:00 PM  
Student Vespers

5:30 PM  
Fireside Fellowship (Contact kmuse@hbbc.org for location)

6:00 PM  
Handbells Rehearsal
About Today’s Worship

Thank you to the Decorations Committee for the beautiful Sanctuary decorations. This Sunday we have decorated the Sanctuary with Easter lilies. If you donated a lily and would like to take one home, please pick one up at the close of service. The rose on the pulpit today is given in honor of the birth of Paul and Megan Mahoney’s son on March 30. His proud grandparents are David and Peggy Mahoney.

We welcome our Brass & Percussion Ensemble and the Handbell choir to worship today as they lead in worship. Our brass and percussion ensemble today: Trumpet 1/2—Lucy Austin, Trumpet 1—Erik Saveridge, Trombone 1—Dan Patrick, Trombone 2—Jonathan Hayes, Horn—Whitney Beaver, Tuba—Richard Austin, Gail Dickens.

A special invitation is extended to all who would like to sing the Hallelujah Chorus with the Chancel Choir at the conclusion of the service. Copies of the music will be provided.

2015 Easter Missions Offering

We have the opportunity to help spread the Good news across the world by giving to the Easter Missions Offering. In the pews and around the church, you can find an Easter Offering Envelope, which you can place your offering in and designate which missions fund the offering will go to. You may also give by going to www.hbbc.net and selecting the Easter Missions Offering and the fund of your choice in our giving portal. Thank you for helping reach the goal of $20,000 toward the spread of the gospel!

Wednesdays in April

Coming Wednesdays in April during The Gathering, we will have Dr. George Braswell leading a four week series, titled “Understanding and Communicating With Religious Neighbors.” Beginning April 8, each Wednesday night will be dedicated to a different world religion that has a growing presence in Central North Carolina, what they believe, and how we can engage them in meaningful conversations. Accompanying the series, members can learn more by reading Dr. Braswell’s book From Iran to America: Encounters with Many Faiths. Books will be available to purchase on Wednesday nights and through the week in the church office. All proceeds from book sales will go to scholarships for students entering ministry. We hope to see you there as we explore ways to engage people of other faiths.

Membership Matters—Starting Sunday, April 12

Do you have questions about HBBC, or are you praying considering becoming a member? Are you seeking more information about deepening your relationship with Christ? Do you have questions about HBBC? If you answered yes to any of these questions, please join us for a new class being offered that deals with all of these issues. Membership Matters, a five week discussion group, will be offered beginning Sunday, April 12, from 9:45-10:45 am. There is no charge to attend the class. To sign up, please call the church office or email Christine Moore (cmoore@hbbc.org).

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Operation Inasmuch

Sign ups for 2015 Operation Inasmuch are outside of the Fellowship Hall and on our website www.hbbc.net. We won’t be complete without you! If you are puzzled about how you can serve more, Operation Inasmuch is just around the corner on April 25th. Breakfast begins at 7:30 (55 persons) in the Fellowship Hall followed by a devotion and seed off at 8:30. Projects will start at 9:00 and end at 2:00. There are 14 different projects available to sign up for; take a look at each and see where you “fit” best!

We also have a list of objects we need donated. Pick up a copy of Happenings or check out the website to see how you can help!

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