# TRENHOLM ROAD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



OUR MISSION: COME AND WORSHIP, GROW IN FAITH, SHARE THE WORD, GO AND SERVE



Today is "Holy Humor Sunday." For centuries, Easter Monday and "Bright Sunday" (the Sunday after Easter) were observed by the faithful as "days of joy and laughter". These customs were rooted in the reflections of early church theologians that God played a practical joke on the devil by raising Jesus from the dead. Easter was "God's supreme joke played on death." Let us celebrate (and laugh) together!

# A SERVICE OF WORSHIP

for

#### SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

# April 16, 2023, at 8:45am & 11:00am

The flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in honor of Will Minton's 2nd birthday by Marshall, Zach and Tinsley Minton.

# "ON YOUR MARKS"

# I'VE GOT SOME SPLAININ' TO DO

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. James McCoy-Bruce

#### **GETTIN' READY MUSIC**

Morning Has Broken, by Brickman

# \*AN INVITATION TO JOYFUL WORSHIP

Leader:	People of God, did you hear the one about the crooked painter who watered down his paint on a church steeple?
Everyone else:	No! What happened?
Leader:	The first rain it all ran off.
Everyone else:	No!
Leader:	The preacher found out and caught the man.
Everyone else:	And what did he say?
Leader:	He said REPAINT, AND THIN NO MORE!
Everyone else:	(Groan)
ALL:	This is the day that the Lord has made! We will rejoice – and laugh – in it!

#### \*SING

"Joy to the World"

# The Apostles' Creed

# \*REMEMBERING WHAT WE BELIEVE (8:45 am)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate. was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and in life everlasting. Amen **\*GIVING CREDIT WHERE CREDIT IS DUE** 

"Glory Be to the Father" Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

#### THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT (11:00am)

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism is celebrated for Landon Masters.

# SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

#### **RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS**

We welcome Landon Masters and Joshua Day into the fellowship of Trenholm Road UMC.

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the Church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. Amen.

BAPTISM RESPONSE Make Me a Servant **TFWS#2176** Make me a servant, humble and meek, Lord, let me lift up those who are weak. And may the prayer of my heart always be: Make me a servant, make me a servant, Make me a servant today.

#### UMH 39-43

# "GET READY"

# GOD SPEAKS

The Lord dealt with Sarah as he had said, and the Lord did for Sarah as he had promised. Sarah conceived and bore Abraham a son in his old age, at the time of which God had spoken to him. Abraham gave the name Isaac to his son whom Sarah bore him. And Abraham circumcised his son Isaac when he was eight days old, as God had commanded him. Abraham was a hundred years old when his son Isaac was born to him. Now Sarah said, "God has brought laughter for me; everyone who hears will laugh with me." And she said, "Who would ever have said to Abraham that Sarah would nurse children? Yet I have borne him a son in his old age

The Word of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.** 

# CHILDREN'S TURN (11am)

What is our prayer for these children?

Our prayer is that our children will grow up to be like Jesus: strong, loving, brave, and full of grace and truth; and that we will help them.

Following the presentation, children in 4K through 1st grade are invited to attend Little Church in the Riser Room on the third floor of the Leisure Ministries Building.

# **DUET'S TURN**

Then Sings My Soul, by Mary McDonald

# PASTOR'S TURN

They Named Him Laughter

# SING A NEW SONG!

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

# LIFTING OUR JOYFUL HEARTS

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

The pastor offers the morning prayer.

# LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, let Your holy name be known, let Your kingdom come, and Your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today the bread that we need, and forgive us our wrongs -- and OK, we'll forgive those who have done wrong to us, too. Do not lead us into trial, but save us from evil. For we want for You alone to rule in our hearts. You have power to transform, and in the light of Your smile is Your glory. **Amen.** 

# Genesis 21:1-7 NRSVUE

Pastor James

Kyle and Linda Collins

Reverend James McCoy-Bruce

# MUSIC FOR GIVING

This Is the Day the Lord Has Made, by Mark Hayes

# \*GIVING BACK TO GOD

# \*PRAISING GOD 'CAUSE IT'S HIS FIRST

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

# <u>"GO!"</u>

# \*ONE LAST SONG...WITH FEELING

"Up from the Grave He Arose"

\*GO WITH GOD

# **\*CONGREGATION RESPONDS**

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 arose! He arose! Hallelujah! Christ arose!

# \*HEADIN' OUT TO SERVE MUSIC

Prelude in Classic Style, by Gordon Young

# Preacher

Reverend James McCoy-Bruce, Senior Pastor

# Worship Assistants

Will Cranford, Acolyte Caroline Brandes, Crucifer Judy Krummich, 8:45 am Lay Reader Tut Underwood, 11:00 am Lay Reader Bob Henry, Chris Younts, Usher Captains

# Musicians

Trenholm Road Sanctuary Choir Kyle and Linda Collins, *Soloists* Randy Moore, *piano* Sarah Fletcher, *Director of Music* 

# SCAN TO GIVE



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#### ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING REPORT

#### Attendance

8:45 am - 205 people 11:00 am - 344 people

#### March 2023

Annual Budget, \$1,528,470 Month-to-Date Receipts, \$106,676 Month-to-Date Expenses, \$129,726 Difference, (\$23,050)

Year-to-Date Receipts, \$353,509 Year-to Date Expenses, \$393,129 Difference, (\$39,620)

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Christian Sympathy:** To Jan Fary at the death of Dave Fary. A memorial service will be held at TRUMC on Monday, April 17 at 11:00 a.m.

#### Seamstresses needed!

Handy with a sewing machine and/or needle and thread? The Youth lounge is being updated and we need new slip covers made for some of the couches! Contact Linda if you're interested in helping! youth@trumc.org



#### TV Ministry Help Needed!

Our TV Ministry touches hundreds if not thousands of people each week, but we

need your help to keep it going! Camera operators and video editors needed. Please fill out this form if you are interested in being trained! <u>https://forms.gle/13v8Z9qfgUXZMMyZ6</u> or scan QR code above.

#### Women in Faith Study

will have one more 6<u>-week study</u> before taking a break until fall. We will begin on Wednesday, April 19 and continue through Wednesday, May 24, noon -1:30 pm, with the book <u>Belonging: 5</u> <u>Keys to Unlock Your Potential as a Disciple</u> by Karoline M Lewis. **Please reply to Beth Corley at** <u>bethcorley402@gmail.com</u> to confirm your intention to participate.

# PRAYERS WITHIN TRUMC CONNECTION

- Sandy Harris Harriet Shuler Carol Mosser Allen Stokes Rodney Cleveland Maxine Reynolds, *mother of Amy Craighead* Eddie Drayton Jan Fary Sharon Lentz Nancy Cooper Nancy Howarth, *grandmother of Nathan Cox* John Bolin
- Jess Torres Myra Torres Debby Joyner Stella Wilkins Robbie Bowers Vernon Bowen Beth Leaptrott Pam Prim Jack Hollis Paula Wilson Suzanne Wise

#### Laity Sunday



# Out of many hearts, one heart Out of many callings, one calling

Laity Sunday, April 23, is fast approaching! Both worship services on that Sunday will be led by members of our elected leadership and will be a time of celebrating our shared ministry together. Serving is more than "just doing." AS UMC Discipleship Ministries puts it, "Lay Ministry is the work of mission or ministry to which each believer is called. As Christians we are all called to this ministry or priesthood - not just clergy. Each of us has a responsibility to proclaim the Good News and reach out to others in love." Please come to this "do not miss" opportunity to join with your lay leadership in worship, celebration, and commitment to what God is doing with us and through us!

#### Youth Boys and Men's Outing



Friday April 28<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm, USC vs. Auburn Baseball Game, \$20 for youth and \$40 for adults. More information and to registration here

<u>https://forms.gle/dB7xX5aJZp9QBweq9</u> or with the QR code above. A minimum of 20 participants are needed!

#### Something New is Blossoming at TRUMC



An adult Sunday School class will be starting in September 2023, and you are invited to be a part! This class is reaching out to younger adults under the age of 40, but all are welcome. Interested? Join us for Duck Donuts in the Dining Room on Sunday May 7 at 9:45 a.m. And stay tuned for updates regarding a social during the summer.

If you'd like to serve on our leadership/design team, or if you have any questions, please contact Ann Baggett at <u>annwbaggett@gmail.com</u> (<u>mailto:annwbaggett@gmail.com</u>), or text 803.360.6148.

All are welcome, spread the word!

#### Children's Updates

The TRUMC family is invited to attend the Children and Youth Celebration Sunday on Sunday, April 30. The children will present a musical at 9:30 am. The musical will be held in the sanctuary and all parents and adult Sunday School classes are welcome to attend. There will only be (1) ONE worship service at 10:30am. The youth will lead the worship service. The Missions team will sponsor a Picnic Lunch on the front lawn at 11:30 am. Proceeds will go towards the El Salvador trip.



#### Youth Updates

MYF Tonight at 5:30 pm. Be there!

#### Lattes with Linda

Monday April 17, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Starbucks in Trenholm Plaza

#### Discipleship

Wednesday April 19 - making placemats with the children for Kairos Prison Ministry

#### High School Summer Mission Trip: Salkehatchie:



Pick your own camp or join Linda June 11-16 at Creekfront- register using the QR code at left. <u>Deadline</u> <u>THIS THURSDAY April 20 for</u> <u>Creekfront!</u> Scholarships available! Email Linda when you register!

#### "Club 56", 7th and 8th graders

Outing to Heathwood Ropes Course, Rescheduled to Saturday May 13, 10:00 AM - Noon

#### Lock in Stats:

MYF Behavior Count: Need 45/Current 33 MYF Newcomers: Need 20/Current 4 Sunday School Attendance: Need average of 15/Current average 16.3 Discipleship attendance: Need average of 5/Current average 2.1 Youth Participants in Church service: On track

#### **Book Club**

TRUMC Book club meets on Monday, May 1 at 6:30 pm in the parlor to discuss <u>The Curious</u> <u>Charms of Arthur Pepper</u> by Phaedra Patrick.

#### **Harvest Hope Donations**

Please donate cereal during April – May for Harvest Hope.

#### TRENHOLM RD UMC STAFF

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Trenholm Road UMC is a Stephen Ministry Congregation with specific congregation members trained to offer care to people who are hurting.

