

Weekly Words

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**Holy
Week**
SCHEDULE
INSIDE

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THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH WELCOMES YOU

WELCOME TO ALL NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS

Please complete the information card and place it in the offering plate or hand it to one of the ushers.

WE, THE PEOPLE OF HOLY COMFORTER

Though very diverse politically and socially, care for each other and care deeply for how our faith is manifested in the community. We believe all people are equal in God's hand. Our nurturing congregation has an appreciation for diverse perspectives and opinions. We grow through a continually evolving and questioning discussion regarding our faith, God, and society. We welcome all, without reservation, into our Christian body to be part of a loving and sharing family.

WE CARE

Please call the church office at 336-227-4251 if you or someone you know needs visitation, prayers or other assistance because of illness or inability to attend worship service.

MISSION STATEMENT

To worship God, revealed to us as Creator, as Jesus the Christ, & as the Holy Spirit, and experience God's presence within the church family, nurturing each other through a comprehensive parish program while affirming each other's individual ministries and responding to Jesus' continuing call to minister to others.

Remember to bring flowers from
your yard or your neighbors yard
(with permission) on Easter Sunday!

**LET'S FILL UP THE CROSS
WITH COLORFUL FLOWERS**



THE GOSPEL OF

MARK

On Palm Sunday the Passion Gospel of Mark will be read. If you were assigned to read on Sunday, March 24th, Martha Stewart has agreed to lead the practice session.

**PRACTICE WILL BE IN THE SANCTUARY AT 10AM
SATURDAY, MARCH 23.**



Palm SUNDAY

MARCH 24

We will have two services.

8:15AM

IN-PERSON ONLY

10:30AM

IN-PERSON & REMOTE

**Join us for light refreshments
(hot cross buns) in the GREAT HALL
at 9:30am and to make palm crosses.
Then we will process to the church
for our second service that day.**

THURSDAY, MARCH 28
SPEAKER: RICK MOORE

Our speaker March 28 will be Rick Moore. Rick enjoyed a long career as an engineer, focusing on industrial site location and permitting for large energy developments. He spent most of his career in Wyoming and Montana, where he worked for the state of Wyoming and later consulted with industrial and government clients across the western US. He moved to North Carolina a few years ago to be close to his daughter; he and his wife now live in Whitsett.

He will speak to us about nuclear energy, its history and future trends. He has particular expertise and experience addressing the nuclear waste issue.

TWIN LAKES

8AM for breakfast | 8:45 for the program
Coble Rehabilitation Center

If you have questions about the location or programs, contact Bob Kirchen (kirchenrv@gmail.com), Richard McBride (mcbride@elon.edu) or Phil Savage (savageboatman@bellsouth.net).



MEN'S
BREAKFAST

maundy thursday

MARCH 28



At **6:00PM** join us in the
Great Hall for a sandwich supper
followed by our service at

7:00PM in the Sanctuary.
There will be an optional
Foot Washing and then
The Stripping of the Altar.

GOOD

MARCH 29

Friday



12:00PM

At 12PM join us in the Sanctuary for Holy Eucharist Rite I service including the **READING OF THE PASSION STORY According to John read by The Rev. David Williams.**

MARCH 29



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STATIONS

OF THE

CROSS



7:00PM

At 7PM come to the AUDITORIUM and listen to the STATIONS OF THE CROSS, depictions of Christ's journey to the Stations of the Cross.

The Great Vigil of Easter

MARCH 30

7:38PM
SUNSET

For our Saturday service we will BEGIN AT SUNSET, 7:38pm. Our service consists of four parts: the Service of Light (kindling of new fire, lighting the Paschal candle, the Exsultet); the Service of Lessons (readings from the Hebrew Scriptures interspersed with psalms, canticles, and prayers); Renewal of Baptismal Vows; and the Eucharist.

EASTER

Sunday

MARCH 31

We will have two services.

8:15AM

IN-PERSON ONLY

10:30AM

IN-PERSON & REMOTE

Come celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Then join us in the Great Hall at 11:30am for special Easter treats after the second service.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL
SUNDAY 31 MARCH



**EASTER
EGG HUNT**

GROVE AT 10:00AM

Easter morning come to our Easter Egg Hunt in the Grove at 10:00 sharp! **Teens who want to hide eggs for the younger kids - Please be here at 9:30. BRING YOUR OWN BASKET!**

In case of rain we will hold the Egg Hunt in the Great Hall! Contact Jocelyn Safrit for questions: (336) 260-7557.

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