

The Order of Service for the Worship of God  
Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church  
April 17, 2016  
Fourth Sunday of Easter

**WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME**

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Dear God, we are aware of so much in the world that distracts us from your presence. We are assaulted by our daily responsibilities and even our desire for leisure. Still our thoughts. Make us present in this moment of worship that we can receive your presence, your peace. Reveal in this hour the opportunities to use the gifts that you have given us to serve your people. In Jesus' name. Amen.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Leader: The grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.  
People: **And also with you.**

PRELUDE "Sheep May Safely Graze" J.S. Bach (1685-1750)  
ASU Saxophone Quartet arr. by B.A. Evans  
**ASU Saxophone Quartet**  
Darby Teander, soprano saxophone Andres Orench, tenor saxophone  
Mitchell Powers, alto saxophone Luke Taylor, baritone saxophone  
**Dr. Scott Kallestad, Professor of Saxophone Studies**

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: How wonderful are God's works! In wisdom God made them all.  
People: **The sea, the creeping things, all living things both great and small show forth the glory of God.**  
Leader: May the glory of God endure forever.  
All: **We will sing praise to God as long as we live.**

+HYMN "God Is Here" No. 409  
Tune: ABBOT'S LEIGH

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Almighty God, we have seen your power and glory in the face of your Son, whom you raised from the dead and received unto yourself. By sending us your Spirit, you have shared that same power with us; yet we have turned it aside, trying rather to live by our own strength, on our own terms. We confess that we have not lived and witnessed according to your call. Forgive our stubborn resistance, and fill us with the Spirit that raised Jesus from the dead; so that we may rise from the ashes of our weakness, to the strength which you freely give us by your gracious and mighty hand.**

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.  
People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

+RESPONSE "Gloria Patri"  
**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.**

**WE HEAR GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED**

RECOGNITION OF RUMPLE'S CONFIRMANDS

TIME WITH CHILDREN Cameron Womack

ANTHEM "One Faith, One Hope, One Lord" Craig Courtney

*One faith, one hope, one Lord, one church for which He died.*

*One voice, one song we lift in praise  
to Him Who was and is and shall be evermore.*

*There is one body, one Spirit, as you were called to one hope.*

*One Lord, baptism and faith, one God and Father of all,  
Who is in you all.*

*Though we be many people, diverse with various gifts,  
we are given to each other for the unity of faith,  
that we grow in the knowledge of the Son of God,  
in the fullness of Christ.*

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON Psalm 104:24-34; p. 524

SECOND LESSON 1 Corinthians 12:3-13; p. 163

SERMON "Unity in Diversity" Dave McCollum

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *Apostle's Creed*

**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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on 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 Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

+HYMN                    “Longing for Light, We Wait in Darkness”                    No. 314  
Christ, Be Our Light (Verses 1, 2 and 5)    Tune: CHRIST, BE OUR LIGHT

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

OFFERTORY                    “Salvation is Created”    Pavel Tchesnokov (1887-1944)  
ASU Saxophone Quartet                    arr. by E. Jennings

+DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**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. Amen.**

**WE GO TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD**

+HYMN                    “Lord, Speak to Me That I May Speak”                    No.722  
Verses 1, 4 and 5                    Tune: CANONBURY

+BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE                    Fugue in G Minor; *the “Little Fugue”*                    Bach  
ASU Saxophone Quartet                    arr. by R. Stevens

+Indicates those who are able may stand.

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Welcome to Rumble Memorial Presbyterian Church. We hope that you will feel welcomed in this time of worship. Our church, organized in 1887, is a member of Salem Presbytery, the Synod of Mid-Atlantic, and the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.).

Leading worship: Dave McCollum, Director of Music; Cameron Womack, Liturgist, Dave McCollum, Director of Music, Sanctuary Choir; Jonathan Asbell, Accompanist; Austin Dyer, Acolyte; Joe and Judy Carr, Cullie and Sylvia Tarleton, Ushers and Greeters

Child care is provided for children ages infant through 5 years old during worship in the Keys Church Nursery area downstairs, staffed by Michelle Knoud and Hannah Peterson.  
**Volunteer NEXT Sunday: Sylvia Tarleton**

Children's Church: After "Time with the Children", all children ages K-2<sup>nd</sup> grade are invited to follow our adult leaders to the Butterfly Classroom upstairs for their own worship time. Children may be picked up by their families in the classroom after worship (from the lobby, take the stairs or the elevator to the top floor). **Volunteers NEXT Sunday: No Children's Church – Youth Sunday**

The flowers today are given to Molly Kirkland, Riley Kiker, Carlton Dyer, Darmody Tausche and Andie Waugh. We are so proud of the amazing Christians that you are. We pray that God will be at the center of your life always! Lots of love to you all, Danny and Jackie Kirkland.

Please plan to join us next Sunday, April 24 for Youth Sunday.

**Love Offering** – During the month of April, Rumble will be collecting a love offering for Rev. Charlie Landreth. You may place your donation in the offering plate or bring it by the church office. Please be sure to note "Charlie Love Offering" in the memo line.

Today we welcome new members who have completed a six week Confirmation curriculum.

**Carlton Dyer**, daughter of Rob and Jackie Dyer. Carlton's mentor is Mary Holstein.

**Riley Kiker**, daughter of Gaines and Susan Kiker. Riley's mentor is Lou Moore

**Molly Kirkland**, daughter of Danny and Jackie Kirkland. Molly's mentor is Norma Suddreth.

**Darmody Tausche**, daughter of Ed and Melissa Tausche. Darmody's mentor is Alice Salthouse.

**Andie Waugh**, daughter of Wes and Lynne Waugh. Andie's mentor is Shirley Harris.

**Dr. Scott Kallestad, professor of saxophone studies**, is a native of North Dakota, earning his Bachelor of Science in Music Education from the University of North Dakota. After directing junior and senior high school bands in Minnesota for several years, Kallestad earned the Master of Music and Doctor of Music Arts degrees from the University of North Texas, majoring in Saxophone Performance (with minors in Jazz Studies and Instrumental conducting). Dr. Kallestad brings over 20 years of

instrumental teaching experience to the Hayes School of Music. An accomplished performer and clinician, Dr. Kallestad teaches and performs on all the saxophones. He has presented clinics on a variety of saxophone topics, including altissimo techniques, and "How to Practice". He has soloed with school concert bands and jazz ensembles at all levels. He has performed with a great variety of ensembles, including bands, orchestras, jazz bands, jazz combos, jazz/fusion groups, saxophone quartets, new music ensembles, and more. Dr. Kallestad lives near Boone with his wife and twins.

**AppFaithHealth Program** – Enrollment for the AppFaithHealth program will be during the month April. If you would like to enroll, please complete the enclosed form and return to the church office. It is important that your name on the application must be the same as your name on your driver's license.

Thanks to everyone who contributed food during March for the BR CARES pantry. April's food item for collection on the last Sunday with the Pennies for Hunger Offering is **Peanut Butter**. **Thank you** for helping to alleviate hunger in our area. If you are interested in helping with the **O.A.S.I.S shelter Spring cleanup**, or in **volunteering with Red Cross** prevention education in our schools, please **contact Debora Smith, 828 773-1966** or [deborawsm@gmail.com](mailto:deborawsm@gmail.com). **Thank you** for being a part of **Rumble's ministry in our community**.

We invite Rumble members to participate in **Summer Salt Shakers and Lunch Bunch**. Dinner groups will meet in the evening in member homes June through October. The Lunch Bunch is a group that meets in area restaurants at lunch for fun and fellowship. Sign-up will be through May 15. Let us know of your interest by filling out the form in the pew pads or display case.

**The Year of the Bible:** Answers to last week's - Question (1) The important woman judge in Israel is Deborah. (Judg. 4-5) (2) It is especially significant that Jesus, in healing the leper, touches him with his hand, indicating God's love for one who is "untouchable." (Mark 1:41) This week's question (1) Which judge is asked to become king in Israel but refuses, saying that the Lord is to rule over Israel?

Please send in any articles or items for the May **Slate and Stone** by Monday April 25.

Blowing Rock CARES sends **Thank you to our Youth Group** who helped unload food for BR CARES on the past two Sunday afternoons.

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