

RUMPLE: CALLED TO WORSHIP AND EMPOWERED TO SERVE

Second Sunday Lunch is today after worship. The Fellowship Committee will be making some delicious Shepherd's Pie (even a vegetarian option) served with salad and dessert.

Easter Lilies The forms to order an Easter Lily in honor or in memory of a loved one, or make a gift to the Music Fund are in the pew pads. Please complete the form and place in the offering plate. Today is the deadline to submit forms.

Church directories are here! Please pick up one copy per family in the office reception area this morning.

Our Good Friday service is a combined worship service at First Presbyterian of Boone (131 Big Valley St.) and will last about 30 minutes.

Easter Sunday will be a busy day at Rumple! The Worship Committee plans to have friendly faces in the church parking lots from 8-12 to welcome visitors and help with any parking issues. We ask that members and friends of Rumple help with this effort by riding in one family car that morning. If you attend the breakfast, 9:00 worship, or the children's activities at 10:15, try to vacate your parking space by 10:45 (or sooner) to allow space for folks attending 11:00 worship. The 9:00 service will be identical to the 11:00 service, with the same special music. If you can attend the early service to make space for visitors at 11:00, please do!

Rumple will receive the One Great Hour of Sharing offering on Easter Sunday, April 21. Fish boxes for children are available from Holly. Children are invited to return their fish boxes for worship on Easter and envelopes will be in the pews for other gifts on Easter Sunday as well. The three programs supported by One Great Hour of Sharing are: Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People. Our Puerto Rico mission team this summer will be working with Presbyterian Disaster Assistance.

The deadline for the May Slate and Stone is April 23.

Blowing Rock CARES and Casting Bread (Faith Bridge Methodist) Food Pantries will share the profits from the final Savor Blowing Rock event, *Gospel, Grits, and Gravy* to be held on May 5 from 8:30 to 11:00. For more information, please see the poster in the display outside the sanctuary.

Rumple Staff

Kathy BeachPastor
Holly BannanDirector of Discipleship
Dave McCollumDirector of Music
Eric LukeAccompanist
Hazel SmitheySecretary
Cassidy NoonerYouth Intern
Kalie GorhamCommunications Intern
Julie AndersonNursery Supervisor
Heather Sigmon Custodian

Rumple's Ruling Elders: (2019) Davis Hankins, Misty Mayfield, Kim Rogers, Cullie Tarleton (2020) Jim Crowell, Jerry Hutchens, Jane Rogers, Lynne Waugh (2021) Kathy Earley, Emily Leonard, Curt Salthouse (Clerk), Mike Steele

We have many modes of communication here at Rumple. To stay up-to-date on upcoming events, please check our website, Facebook page, and *eNews*. To be added to the weekly email list, email Hazel, at office@rumplechurch.org.
www.rumplechurch.org
www.facebook.com/rumplememorialpresbyterianchurch/

Please keep in your prayers:

Family of Susan Chesson, who died 4/10; Michael Gray, recovering from back surgery; Buz Helms, at Glenbridge; Palmer Horton, granddaughter of Paul and Candice, Brenda Lentz, family and friends of Elayne Bishop who died on 4/3; David Bartlett, radiation treatments; Gus Newton, Byron and Charleen Logan, Don Saunders, Jim Burgess, Roger Broeker, Barbara Scott, Bill and Pat Magruder, Recie Craig, Erin Tobin and Drew Taylor, serving in the military; Mark Johnson's mother, Bettye; Gus and Miriam Newton's son-in-law, David; Carol Capristo's mother, Ruby Vincent; Ann Rhyne's cousin, Bonnie; Jan McClure, Holly Bannan's mother; Grover Gore, Susie Reynolds, sister of Patty Laubach; Meg Wagner, neighbor of Leslie Novilla; Stanley Coffey, son of Betty Coffey, Al and Ellen Smith, missionaries in Belarus, Germany and Russia.

Please contact Hazel in the church office if you have other prayer concerns to add.

Sunday April 14

12:00 Second Sunday Lunch (FH)
5:00 Youth (YC)

Monday April 15

4:00 Finance Committee (L)
4:30 Walking to the Cross Group

Tuesday April 16

11:00-4:00 Rotary Blood Drive (FH)
9:30 Bible Study (L)

Wednesday April 17

10:00 Staff Meeting (L)
2:30 KICKS/Fusion
4:30 Walking to the Cross Group

6:00 Handbells

7:00 Sanctuary Choir

Thursday April 18

7:00 Maundy Thursday Worship

Friday April 19

12:00 Worship with First Presbyterian in Boone

Easter Sunday April 21

7:00 Sunrise Worship in Memorial Park
7:45 Community Breakfast (FH)
9:00 Worship with special music
10:15 Easter Egg Hunt and Butterfly release
11:00 Worship with special music

Youth Cottage FH-Fellowship Hall
RH-Rumple House KMC Keys Music Center
PS-Pastor's Study ACU-Adult Classroom Upstairs

Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church

The Order of Service for the Worship of God
April 14, 2019
Palm/Passion Sunday



WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Let us worship God in spirit and in truth as we make this Lenten journey.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

CHORAL INTROIT

“Hosanna Processional”

Children's Choir

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Holy Lord, God of might, heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest!

+THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

Luke 19:28-40; p. 78

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

No. 196

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God, we join the festal procession with branches in hand. We bless you and praise you, Lord, for the safety of this place. But we confess; we will not go where you are going. We admire Jesus but we hesitate to follow him. We stand at the roadside with hearts like stones. Even they must cry out, but they are heavy with what they know: that when your adversaries gather, we will flee from you. When accusations mount, and insults shame you, our shame will be our turning back. We too have and will betray you, O God. Have mercy on us, Lord. Deliver us.

+SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

+KYRIE

“Lord Have Mercy” (sung responsively)

Evan Adair, cantor

Lord Have Mercy.... Christ Have Mercy..... Lord Have Mercy

+ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

Bold font indicates all say or sing in unison. +Indicates those who are able may stand. * Used by Permission CCLI# 3145863

+RESPONSE OF PRAISE “God of Grace and God of Glory” No. 307
God of grace and God of glory, on thy people pour thy power; crown thine ancient church’s story; bring its bud to glorious flower. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage, for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

The children are invited to bring their own offerings forward with them and place them in the offering basket. Children, Kindergarten—first grade can leave with their leaders for children’s church following the prayer.

+PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Let your Word, O God, break open our hearts his day through the power of your Holy Spirit, that we may enter into this coming Holy Week with the same mind that was in Christ Jesus our Lord.

ANTHEM

“Hallelujah and Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord”
Traditional Muscogee (Creek) Indian and Cameroon processional, arr. Mark Burrows

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Philippians 2: 5-11; p. 186

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

“After the Parade” Kathy Beach

RESPONSIVE PRAYER

Loving God, you rode a donkey and came in peace, humbled yourself and gave yourself for us. We confess our lack of humility. As you entered Jerusalem, the crowds shouted “Hosanna: ‘Save us now!’” On Good Friday they shouted “Crucify!” We confess our praise is often empty. We sing “Hosanna,” but cry “Crucify.” We confess that we want to be accepted and take the easy way. We do not stay true to your will. Forgive us, Lord, and help us to follow in the way of obedience into this Holy Week, and to the joy of Easter new life. Amen.

WE RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS

OFFERING OF OUR LIFE AND LABORS

OFFERTORY

+DOXOLOGY

No. 708

We give thee but thine own, what e’er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

HOLY WEEK REFLECTION

The Fear and Feeding of the Sheep By Ann Weems

THE LAST SUPPER

Luke 22:14-23; p. 81

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table
Communion Anthem (see text on next page)
Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer
Words of Institution
Sharing the Bread and Cup
Prayer after Communion

WE JOURNEY WITH JESUS INTO THIS HOLY WEEK

THE BETRAYAL AND ARREST OF JESUS

Luke 22: 47-62; p. 82

HOLY WEEK REFLECTION

A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd By Tom Troeger

+SENDING HYMN

“What Wondrous Love Is This”

No. 215

Text: American folk hymn Music: Carlton R. Young (stanza 1)

Tune: WONDROUS LOVE

+CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

WORSHIP NOTES

Leading worship: Kathy Beach, Pastor; Breanna Meadows, Liturgist; Davis Hankins, Jim Crowell, Readers; Dave McCollum, Director of Music, Sanctuary Choir; Eric Luke, Accompanist; Ushers and Greeters: Jim and Karen Clabough, Bob and Janet Stout; Elders serving Communion: Emily Leonard, Kathy Earley, Mike Steele

Communion Anthem: “And Can It Be?”

Charles Wesley (1738), arr. Dan Forrest

And can it be? Amazing love, how can it be? And can it be that I should gain an interest in the Savior’s blood? Died He for me who caused His pain? For me who Him to death pursued? He left His Father’s throne above, so free, so infinite His grace; emptied Himself of all but love, and bled for Adam’s helpless race; ‘Tis mercy all, immense and free; For, O my God, it found out me. No condemnation now I dread, Jesus and all in Him is mine! Alive in Him, my living Head, and clothed in righteousness divine. Bold I approach the eternal throne and claim the crown through Christ my own. Amazing love, how can it be that Thou, my God shouldst die for me? Amazing love!

The flowers today are designed by Jean Baskin and are very symbolic ...

The palm branches denote honor and triumph over death; *the red rose*, Christ and the blood He shed for our sins; a crown of thorns, placed on the head of Christ to mock and cause Him pain; *the cross*, the crucifixion of Jesus the Christ; *the candles*, Christ the light of the world; *the color purple*, noble or royal birth; *the bible*, which we as Christians believe to be inspired by the Word of God.

Large Print Hymnals and Assisted Listening devices for worship are available in the narthex. If you would like to use a “Sound Mate” while in worship, please see Kent Leonard (at the soundboard) or an usher for assistance. Please recycle your bulletin; place it on the table in the back entrance or the recycle bin in the office workroom.

Today we celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. The communion table is an open table. All who trust in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are welcome to share in the meal. We will celebrate Communion by intinction today. Please come forward to a communion station, take a piece of bread and dip it in the cup. If you are unable to come forward, the elders will come and serve you in your seat.

The beautiful quilt, hanging in the chancel, is a wonderful addition to our Lent and Easter worship. As we continue this journey into Holy Week and Easter, this quilt adds another visual dimension to our worship experience.

A Nursery is provided each Sunday morning (9:30-12:15) for infants through five years old in the Keys Church Nursery area on the downstairs level of the education building. Please ask an usher to direct you to the nursery.

There is **Children’s Church for students in Kindergarten and 1st grade**, after our Time with Children in the service. Children’s Church is now located downstairs in the Nursery area. You can pick them up at the conclusion of the service. Our students in 2nd grade and older will remain in the sanctuary. There are updated worship clipboards at the entrance of the sanctuary for any child to use during worship.

Welcome to all who have come to worship God at the Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church this morning. If you are a guest or a visitor, this church family welcomes you. We invite you to fill out a visitor card or leave your contact information on the fellowship pad. The Rumple family would love to get to know you and share information about the ministries and missions of Rumple. If you would like to receive weekly news from Rumple, please leave us your email address with that noted. If you have questions, please speak to Kathy or one of the ushers, elders or staff.

Would you like to become a member or an affiliate member of Rumple? Rumple will host a Welcome Class on Sunday morning April 28 at 9:30 in Kathy’s study. Anyone interested in learning more about Rumple or joining Rumple as a member or affiliate member is encouraged to attend this class. Those who wish to join will then be received by the Session at 10:30. Please let Hazel, in the church office, know if you plan to attend, at office@rumplechurch.org.