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Thursday, April 18 at 6:30pm Maundy Thursday service No Wed night Prayer meeting, Choir and other groups will meet.



Sunday, April 21 6:30am Sunrise Service at Raleigh Memorial Park 11:00am Worship at CVBC



# Sunday, April 28 Quarterly Business Meeting and Catered Meal

Smithfield's Chicken and BBQ will be catering the meal following our meeting. The meal will include Fried Chicken, BBQ, Hushpuppies, Slaw and other sides, and assorted desserts. Cost will be \$10.00 per person. Make checks payable to CVBC and turn in with your offering. <u>Please sign up in</u> <u>the narthex by Wed, April 24.</u>



# THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

This is Holy Week. While we celebrate the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus every Sunday, it is this week when Christians around the world focus with laser like attention on the most significant, life changing event in all of history. I am convinced that skeptics and nonbelievers will always be around to discredit, disbelieve, denounce and criticize anything related to Jesus. That is their choice. That

is part of the "free will" that God gave to human beings. But I put my faith and trust in Jesus who said, "Whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life" (John 3:16) and who prayed, "Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory.(John 17:24). Jesus also said, "He who does not believe is condemned already because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God." (John 3:18)

Easter is about victory over sin, evil, death and the grave. It is about being liberated from the slavery of sin. It is about transformation, new life, hope and eternal life.

The resurrection of Jesus Christ is mentioned 104 times in the 260 Chapters of the New Testament,. The resurrection empowered the disciples who were accused of "turning the world upside down." The resurrection became the most prominent subject of the Apostles teaching and preaching. The resurrection became the inspiration by which the disciples were willing to die a martyr's death rather than denounce their faith. Christianity is the only Faith whose founder was resurrected from the grave.

Revelation 5:12 says, "Worthy is the lamb that was slain to receive power and riches and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing." Let us celebrate the resurrection, our faith and the victory that we have in Jesus Christ.

In His Love, Charles

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## Weekly Church Calendar

EACH SUNDAY:
\*9:45am Sunday School
\*11:00am Worship Service
\*Child care provided downstairs.
EACH TUESDAY:
6:30pm Triangle Toastmasters
EACH WEDNESDAY:
9:00am-12:00pm Hope Pantry is open
6:30pm Children and Youth Mission groups
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6:30pm Choir Practice
EACH THURSDAY:
8:00pm Gamblers Anonymous
MONTHLY: (4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month)
Young Hearts (Senior Adults)

# Calendar of Events:

Thursday, April 18
6:30pm Maundy Thursday
No Wed night Prayer meeting, Choir and other groups will meet
Sunday, April 21
6:30am Sunrise Service at Raleigh Memorial Park
11:00am Easter Worship service
Monday, April 22
Office closed for Easter
Thursday, April 25
Young Hearts luncheon
Sunday, April 28
Quarterly Business Meeting and Catered Meal
Deadline to turn in Hygiene kits

Attendance	4/14
Sunday School	28
Worship Attendance	39

Deacon for week:4/21Elizabeth BestDeacon for week:4/28Sue Edwards

Properties for April Whitt Stallings Ushers for April Ben Best Randy Walker

Cecil Brown Francis Viano



Week of April 14-20 Gregg Small Week of April 21-27 Anne Jenkins

Share the Sonshine is an outreach ministry to those who are unable to attend church on a regular basis due to health reasons. We can all be a part of this ministry by praying for these individuals, sending cards, making a phone call or a visit.

## **PRAYER CONCERNS:**

#### HOME:

Sandi Robinson – recovering from back surgery Gregg Small Phyllis Goodwin

### **REHAB & CARE FACILITIES:**

Jean Greene – Snow Hill Asst. Living - Snow Hill, NC Mary Cain – 806 Springmoor Circle 27615 Anne Jenkins - Morningside of Raleigh Room 132 Johnnie Grubbs – Cambridge Hills of Pittsboro **HOSPITAL:** 

George Shore - Rex Hospital



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering Our church goal: \$600.00

Received to date: \$661.00

The Children on Mission thank you for your breakfast contributions, \$106.00 was raised!



Sunday, April 28, is the final day for collecting Hygiene Kits in cooperation with Church World Services. Our goal is 200 kits. Instructions for completing the kits are available in the Narthex or Church Office. If you prefer that someone assist you in purchasing and preparing items for the kits you may give your money to Iva Snyder or Lynda Weaver and they will be happy to help you. The cost should be around \$10 for each kit. *Please give cash or check to Iva or Lynda by April 21, Easter Sunday.* 



**Young Hearts lunch outing ~ Thurs, April 25** The Young Hearts are going to **Side Street Restaurant** located at 225 N Bloodworth St. *"Soups, salads & sandwiches, plus sweet treats, served in a quaint space with an old-fashioned feel"* Meet at the church to carpool at 10:30 or meet at location at 11:00am, on-street parking is available. Please sign-up in the lobby. Also note: restaurant policy is cash only for charges under \$10.00.