

Easter Sunday  
April 20, 2025

Prelude	Christopher A. McCroskey	
(As the Prelude begins, prayerfully prepare your hearts and minds for worship.)		
Greeting, Announcements and Prayer		
*Call to Worship		
Roll away the stone of doubt.		
<b>The tomb is empty!</b>		
Easter’s empty surprise,		
brimmed full of meaning.		
<b>Christ is risen!</b>		
The tomb is empty.		
It could not contain Him.		
<b>Christ is risen!</b>		
Hope is alive.		
New life is possible.		
<b>Christ is risen! Sing alleluia!</b>		
Shout for joy.		
Death is no more.		
<b>Christ is risen! Sing alleluia!</b>		
<b>Christ is risen, indeed!</b>		
*Hymn of Praise	“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” (vs. 1-3)	302
*Opening Prayer		
<b>Lord of Life, submitting to death, you conquered the grave. By being lifted on a cross you draw all peoples to you. By being raised from the dead you restored to humanity all that we had lost through sin. Throughout these fifty days of Easter, we proclaim the marvelous mystery of death and resurrection. For all praise is yours, now and throughout eternity. Amen.</b>		
*Responsive Reading	“I Am the Resurrection and the Life”	Insert
*Affirmation from Corinthians and Colossians		888
*Psalter	Psalms 118:14-29 (Response 2)	839
Passing of the Peace: <i>Let us greet one another with love and peace.</i>		
“Let the Children Come!”	Patsy Boggs	
(Those 3 years of age through 8 years of age may go to Children’s Church.)		
Special Music	“They Could Not”	Kathy Seppamaki

Scripture Lessons	Acts 10:34-43 1 Corinthians 15:19-26	Pages 123-124 (N.T.) Page 167 (N.T.)
*Hymn	“Lamb of God”	TFWS 2113
Prayer of Confession		
The Lord’s Prayer		
<b>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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.</b>		
Presentation of Tithes & Offerings		
Offertory		Choir
*Doxology		95
<b>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen</b>		
*Gospel Lesson	John 20:1-18	Pages 110-111(N.T.)
Easter Meditation		
		Rev. Darlene L. Kelley
*Hymn	“Now the Green Blade Riseth”	311
Celebration of the Great Thanksgiving for Easter		
		Insert
*Closing Hymn	“Christ Is Risen”	307
*Benediction		
*Benediction Response	“May the Lord, Mighty God, Bless and Keep You”	Choir & Congregation
*Please Stand As You Are Able		

Leading in Worship Today

Pastor:	Rev. Darlene L. Kelley	AV Director:	Marie Stiles
Music Director:	Christopher A. McCroskey	AV Assistant:	Chris Derrick
		Time Together:	Joyce Robinson; Slone Taylor
<b>VISITORS ARE WELCOME</b> in the service of worship! Please make use of the visitor’s tags (located in the pew backs) to help us better welcome you as a visitor to Trinity this morning.			

Today’s Lovely Flowers are given to the Glory of God.

“AS MEMBERS OF THIS CONGREGATION, WE WILL FAITHFULLY PARTICIPATE IN ITS MINISTRIES BY OUR PRAYERS ...

Patsy Shuler	Marilyn Lloyd	Tom Lloyd	Ruth Frady	Libby Strickland	Christopher McCroskey
Rhett Hook	Diane Muszynski	Cristen Hipp	Latson Lewis	English Percy	Hannah Glanz
Kaye Floyd	Ray Frady				

**Shut-Ins:** Gillett Hipp; Linda Maloch; Jean Raynor

**Family and Friends:** **Lynn Rhode** (*sister of Patsy Shuler*); **James Leonard** (*previous coworker of Mark Lewis*); **Kathleen Varnadore** (*Ted & Ruth Frady’s neighbor*); **Paul Frenzel** (*friend of Chris Derrick*); **Sissy Henry** (*former member of Trinity*); **Sean & Tucker Smith** (*cousins of Darlene Kelley*); **Sonny Hardee** (*brother of Lynn Martin*); **Colby Martin** (*son of Donna Muszynski*); **Lynne Powell** (*friend of the Ballentines and Branhams*); **Ima Thibodeaux** (*friend of Christopher McCroskey*); **Keith Jordan** (*nephew of John & Kay Jordan*); **Ann Cullum** (*friend of Bob Strickland*); **Malcolm Skipper** (*grandfather of Matthew Skipper*); **Bryan Collard** (*brother-in-law of Mary Sue Lewis*); ; **Charlyn McNeill**, **Michael McNeill** (*sister & brother of Mary Sue Lewis*); **Missy Abrams** (*stepdaughter of Lissa Abrams*); **Mary Davis** (*daughter of Bob & Libby Strickland*); **Chuck Hardee** (*cousin of Lynn Martin*); **Bruce Beatty**, **Sandra Hornsby**, **Gloria Erd** (*friends of Lynn Martin*); **Pearl Geddens** (*mother of Tom Geddens*); **Ross Deal** (*grandson of Mary Kamoroff*); **Nancy Wilson** (*friend of Jeanette Hornsby*); **David Turner** (*brother of Pam Turner*); **Ernie & Betsey Hendrix**, **Chip Mixon** (*friends of Tommy Gleaton*); **Ron & Janet Walker** (*friends of Tommy & Chris Gleaton*); **James Boggs** (*father of Claire Boggs*); **Robert Bradley** (*Business Associate of Simon Ross*); **Monnie Tiller** (*friend of Chris Derrick*); **Adrin & Linda Hargett** (*stepfather and stepmom of Christopher McCroskey*); **Haidee Baehr** (*friends of Ruth Frady*); **Denise Paul**, **Scott & Karen Nelson** (*cousins of Gale Frady*); **Dan Conner**, **Max Johnson** (*friends of Gale Frady*); **Janet Beck** (*friend of Jo Ann Heiting*); **Adam Lavender** (*son of Phil Lavender*)

If you have a friend or family member on the Prayer List, we ask you to please keep us updated. If no word is received, we will trust that our prayers have been answered and remove the name. To update us, please call the office or e-mail us at [trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com](mailto:trinityumcwc@sc.rr.com).

OUR PRESENCE ...

Attendance 04/13 SS: 11 Worship: 34

OUR GIFTS ...

General Fund 04/13 \$ 8,930.88

OUR SERVICE...

OUR WITNESS.”

Upcoming Events

04/21 Exercise, Class, 10:30 a.m.

Hot Topics & Cold Beer, 7 p.m.

04/23 The Pines @ Trinity, 11:45 a.m.

GLIA Articles Due

Choir, 6 p.m.

T.a.G., 7 p.m.

04/24 Exercise Class, 10:30 a.m.

04/25 Office Closed



We are collecting a Love Offering for *Cristen Hipp* to help with the expenses of her twins born on March 15. Offerings can be given on Sundays or mailed or dropped off at the Church Office. If writing a check, please note Love Offering in the memo line. Because this is a Love Offering for a specific individual, they will not be tax deductible.



**Monday, April 21**

The group will meet at WECO on **Monday, April 21, at 7 p.m.** If you have any questions, please see Slone Taylor or Patsy Boggs. If you are interested in attending and would like email or text message updates, please email Slone Taylor at [Slonetaylor21@yahoo.com](mailto:Slonetaylor21@yahoo.com) or text her your cell phone number to (803) 397-7294 and she will add you to her list.



**Sunday, April 27**

Taste of Trinity, our church-wide covered dish luncheon, will be held on **Sunday, April 27**. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to share great food and fellowship!

**Please Note:** The Ministry Team will meet immediately following Taste of Trinity.



**Grieving with God  
Tuesday, May 13  
11 a.m.**

All who are on the journey of grief are invited to join us on Tuesday, May 13, at 11 a.m. in the Conference Room. Retired Hospice and Palliative Care Chaplain from Richland Hospital, Jerry Fonte, will facilitate the discussion.



**Saturday, May 24**

The Trinity Ladies Group will meet at Lizard's Thicket on Hwy 1 at 9:30 a.m. on **Saturday, May 24**. They typically meet on the third Saturday of each month, but will be meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday in May. Contact Marie Stiles at (803) 463-9706 if you are interested in being added to the group email and text for notification.