April 20, 2014

Wallace Presbyterian Church

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

(During this time the friendship pads are passed to be signed)

Minute for Mission

Choral Call to Worship

"This Is the Day that the Lord Has Made"

This is the day that the Lord has made and I will be exceeding glad! This is the day that the Lord has made and I will sing my Maker's praise! This is the day the Lord has made; I will rejoice and give God praise! Who is like unto our God the Lord, strong and mighty? Who is like unto our God who reigns above in glorious splendor? You are the Rose of Sharon, the Lover of my soul. You are my heart's Desire; my soul implores me to exalt your holy name. *Your name is music unto my ears;* And I must sing of the great love you've shown to me because my heart will not be still.

Opening Sentences

Elder Bill Saunders

11:00 O'Clock

Mark Hayes

Leader: Rejoice! There is great news! Christ is risen!

All: Christ is risen, indeed!

Leader: Let all the earth proclaim the joy!

All: Let all heaven show forth in praise.

Leader: Alleluia!

All: Alleluia!

*Congregational Hymn

Ludwig van Beethoven

"Alleluia, Alleluia! Hearts to Heaven"

- 1. Alleluia, alleluia! Hearts to heaven and voices raise: Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise; He who on the cross a victim for the world's salvation bled, Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, now is risen from the dead.
- 2. Alleluia, Christ is risen! Death at last has met defeat: See the ancient powers of evil in confusion and retreat; Once he died, and once was buried: now he lives forevermore, Jesus Christ the world's Redeemer, whom we worship and adore.
- 3. Christ is risen, we are risen! Set your hearts on things above: There in all the Father's glory lives and reigns our King of love; Hear the word of peace he brings us, see his wounded hands and side:

Now let every wrong be ended, every sin be crucified.

4. Alleluia, alleluia! Glory be to God on high! Alleluia to the Savior who has gained the victory! Alleluia to the Spirit, fount of love and sanctity! Alleluia, alleluia to the Triune Majesty!

*Prayer of Confession

Gracious Father, you sent your Son to die and rise to new life in order that death might be brought to an end and that we might live a new life in him. We confess that we often have chosen to remain captive to doubt and fear and ways that lead to death. By our thoughts, words, and actions, we have scorned your love, diminished the lives of others, and defaced your image in us. Heavenly Father, forgive us for Jesus' sake. Help us by his resurrection power to live no longer for ourselves but for Jesus Christ, who died and rose again for us. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri Hymn #579

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

Anthem	"On the Third Day"	Harlan
On the this	d day at the rising of the sun, there came those who	loved Him,
	king Him who died, Christ the crucified, on the third	-
	y found the stone was rolled away, And they entered	
	lied, Christ the crucified, on the third day, And an a	
	He is not here for He is risen! Jesus Christ, the cruc	
	own Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His thr	
	! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its	
	Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee	
A	nd hail Him as thy matchless King through all etern	
	rown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and si	
Th	ose wounds, yet visible from above, in beauty glorif	ied:
	All hail, Redeemer, hail! For Thou has died for me	
	Thy praise and glory shall not fail throughout eterni	ty.
	Amen, Amen!	-

Glory Be to the Father

Prayer for Illumination

God of life, your Spirit raised Jesus from the dead. Your Spirit inspired the prophets and writers of Scripture. Your Spirit draws us to Christ and helps us to acknowledge him as Lord. Send your Spirit now to give us deeper insight, encouragement, faith, and hope through the proclamation of the Easter gospel; through Jesus Christ, our risen Savior. Amen.

Epistle Lesson		Elder Bill Saunders		
	1 Corinthians 15:12-20, 50-58	+Pages 166, 167		
*Hymn #371	"Lift High the Cross"	CRUCIFER		
Gospel Lesson	Mark 16:1-8	+ Pages 51, 52		
Sermon "No Ending, Just the Beginning" Dr. Philip K. Gladden				
A Time for Silent Reflection Pastoral Prayer with The Lord's Prayer				

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering

Offertory

Adapted from our Christmas Cantata "The Heart of Christmas" Let there be joy on the mountain, singing in the valley. Join the holy hosts of angels shouting, "Christ the Lord is alive!" Mary came early to the tomb to pray, only to find that the stone was rolled away. "The tomb is empty, surely he's not dead." Let there be joy on the mountain, singing in the valley. Join the holy hosts of angels shouting, "Christ the Lord is alive!" Mary, why are you weeping? Do not be afraid. No sorrow now, no sadness he's risen from the grave. Sing alleluia this joyful Eastertide, the Son of God is risen on high! Glory to God, peace on the earth. Let there be joy, joy!

Running to see Peter with the news, she fled. "They've taken Jesus from the tomb," she said,

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

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.

*The Affirmation of Faith: (from Romans 8:31-39) What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will hardship, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor rulers nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God *Hymn #123 "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" EASTER HYMN

*Benediction

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand.

"Joy on the Mountain"

Pepper Choplin

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, April 20	EASTER SUNDAY/THE DAY OF RESURRECTION	
• •	7:00 am	Early Easter Service, First Baptist Church
	9:40 am	Opening Assembly
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship/One Great Hour of Sharing Offering
Monday, April 21		Church office closed for Easter Holiday
Tuesday, April 22		Coffee & Doughnuts, Room 304
	7:00 am	SonRise Worship, Room 304
Wednesday, April 23	10:00 am	Bible Study, Room 304
	6:00 pm	Handbells
	7:30 pm	Choir Practice

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENT

- Thanks to our special musicians today, Bill Palmer on trumpet, Grayson Casteen on baritone horn, and Zach Casteen on percussion.
- The church office will be closed on Monday, April 21 in observance of the Easter Holiday.
- **This morning** we receive our annual One Great Hour of Sharing offering. The purpose of this inter-denominational offering has remained the same: to collect special gifts to assist those in need. While specific allocations differ in each denomination, all use their One Great Hour of Sharing funds to make possible disaster relief, refugee assistance, and development aid. Thank you for your contributions!
- Please join the minister for a Bible study on Wednesday, April 23 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 304 (across from the Music Room).
- **Congratulations** to Lea Taylor, granddaughter of Rebecca Eaddy, who was inducted into the academic organization, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, at East Carolina University on Sunday, April 13.

04/06: Watts & Tracey Carr



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04/06: Jewel & Leon Wells

d 04/13: Jay & Joey Fussell

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YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

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Rick Phaneuf

04/06: Joe Wallace w & Kendrick Minchew Freddy Hall, Leader 04/13: Raechel Woodard & Cameron Blue Harvey Knowles Rick Wayne Casteen

OPENING & CLOSING: April 1-15: Dave Wells



The Bair Foundation Announces

Foster Parent Training Classes *"Spring-up and Foster!"* OPEN HOUSE: Friday, 4/25/2014 4:30-7:00pm

TRAINING CLASSES (To be determined)

Classes are held for 6 weeks at Kenansville Baptist Church 114 Routledge Street Kenansville, NC 28349 (910)-202-9337 hsmith@bair.org

So many children in our area need a loving home. Invest in our future! Be a foster parent. Our classes meet in the evenings on Tuesdays and Thursdays . They are informative, fun, and explore the many aspects of Professional Parenting. Call Hilary Smith at 910-202-9337 to reserve your spot in class. Is 2014 your time to make a difference in a child's life?



Karen Bittner-recovering from surgery,Bill Blalock-Rehab-Wilmington, Myree Bland-recovering from surgery, Avalee Bowman-The Oaks at Mayview, Raleigh, Alyssa Byrd-2 yr. old with leukemia from Spivey's

Corner, Tammy Callahan-(Frankie Coleman's daughter, stroke) Warren Cavenaugh, Brain Tumor, Rose Curth-Brain Cancer, Helen Glass-cancer, Emily Godwin and baby Aiden-viral infection, Herman Hardy, Annie Johnson, recovering from knee surgery, Ozelle Kennedy-(Joell Parker's Grandmother), SPC William Krupitzer-(nephew of Linda Burroughs), Wright Lanier family, Pippa Larsen-one year old diagnosed with AAL, a form of leukemia, (friends of Nick & Lee Baker), Nicholas McGowen, home, Sharon Moore, Lori Pierce family, Glenn Powell, Suzanne Powers (part-time resident at River Landing battling cancer), Judy Robinson, Bill Saunders, Evelyn Shaver, Michael Sumner, Bettisue Tillman-Dayspring, Rusty Walker, recovering from surgery, Kelsea Webster, Verlie Wells-Rosemary, Marjorie Williams-(Ronnie Williams Mother), Members and friends in the armed services: Jason Payne.

THE SKY FAMILY PRESENTS

CELTIC REVIVAL! The Gospel in Blazing Irish Dance and Fiddles



7:00pm Sunday, April 27

Warsaw Presbyterian Church

203 East Hill Street Warsaw 910-293-4922

Love offering will be taken (suggested \$10 adult, \$5 children)

Prince Edward Island's Premier Irish Dance Show



SPRING PLANT SALE

Saturday, April 26, 8:00-11:00 am 4810 Wrightsville Avenue Presbyterian Counseling Center Annual Fund Raiser



Kirkwood Sunday, May 4, 2014

10:00 am Coffee, juice, doughnuts, fellowship 11:00 am Worship/Vesper Area with Communion 12:00 noon Lunch in Dining Hall Relaxation, Recreation, Fellowship after Lunch

Lunch Menu Fried/Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Side Salad, Biscuits, Cake w/Icing & Cobbler Lunch cost is \$6 per person. Please complete the reservation form and return to the church office by Sunday, April 27.

KIRKWOOD SUNDAY LUNCH RESERVATION May 4, 2014

NAME





He has been raised.

-Mark 16:6



Easter Sunday The Day of Resurrection

April 20, 2014 Eleven O'clock in the Morning