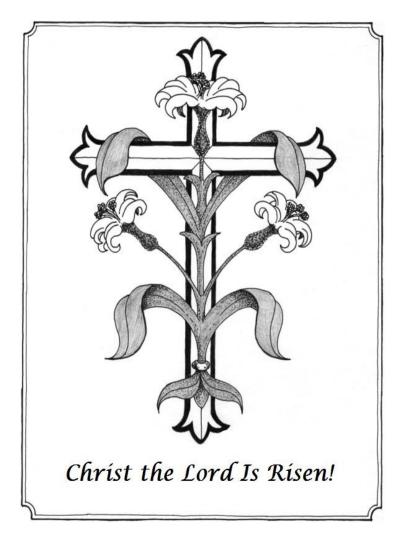
# TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Called by God to be the heart, voice, hands and feet of Christ where the Spirit leads us.

# SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 27, 2016	RESURRECT	ION DAY
FLOWERING OF THE CRO	SS	
Welcome and Announ	ICEMENTS	
Prelude	"My Spirit Be Joyful" "Fanfare"	Bach Handel
that Christ died, hangi	om the dead on the third day in glory to reign. re tell to all the world:	V;
PRAYER OF THE DAY *PROCESSIONAL HYMN	<i>"Jesus Christ is Risen Toda</i> (Interlude after Verse 3)	/″ No. 232
* <b>PRAYER OF CONFESSION</b> Gracious God, we have how on the third day, C <b>Still we look for the liv</b> You rolled away the sto <b>Still we look for the liv</b> You sent messengers to	heard the good news: hrist rose again. <b>ing among the dead.</b> ne from the tomb.	

## Still we look for the living among the dead.

[silent confession] Forgive us, Lord, we pray. Teach us to trust your promise and to believe the good news of salvation:

Christ is alive; Jesus is risen from the dead. Amen.

## \*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...we rejoice in the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Amen.

## \*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.

## \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. And also with you!

ANTHEM	"On the Third Day"	Pote
PRAYER OF ILLUMINATIC	DN	
<b>OLD TESTAMENT LESSON</b> This is the word of the I	N Isaiah 65: 17-25 Lord. <b>Thanks be to God.</b>	Page 696
*Hymn	"The Day of Resurrection!"	No. 233
<b>EPISTLE LESSON</b> This is the word of the I	I Corinthians 15: 19-26 Lord. <b>Thanks be to God.</b>	Page 176
CHILDREN'S ANTHEM	"It's Easter Day"	Stafford

MOMENTS WITH THE CHILDREN

CHILDREN'S ANTHEM "Mary Told the Good News" Horman

GOSPEL LESSONLuke 24: 1-12Page 90This is the word of the Lord.Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Too Good NOT to be True" Patrick Dennis

## \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – THE APOSTLES' 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.

## **PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER** *Hymnal, page 35*

#### PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY

No. 606

#### \*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

We praise you, O God, and give you thanks that you have given us such joy, such grace, and such hope, in the resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord. Let our lives be proof of that good news. Let all our words and actions, our love and service bear witness to your resurrection power; for the sake of our living Lord, Jesus Christ. Amen.

*HYMN	"Thine Is the Glory"	No. 238
*CHARGE AND BENED	ICTION	
POSTLUDE	"Toccata"	Farnam

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

**Today's worship leaders are** Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Diane Prevary, *Parish Associate*; Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Sarah Cothern, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*; Walter Hogan, *Elder*; Craig Moore, *Trumpet*; Children's Choir; Chancel Choir; Tintinnabulation

We welcome our visitors and guests today and invite you to sign the friendship pads when they are passed in the pews. Please share your contact information with us. If you are visiting Tuckahoe please join us in Duntreath Hall following worship for a time of fellowship.

#### **Pastoral Care Concerns:**

Hospitalized or recovering: Lauretta Bower, John Campbell, Kaye Keyes, Fred Martin, Stacey Orcutt and Patty Withrow

We extend our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort to Patty Withrow on the death of her sister, Betty, on Thursday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. A memorial service will be held at a later date and details will follow.

**Nursery helpers** are Virginia and Allison Neil, Terry Brady, Logan Albertson, and Jessica Lurey. **The acolyte** is Kyle Smith.

There will be no after-worship fellowship time this morning so that families may enjoy the egg hunts and have additional time with their families to enjoy the day together. **Today you will have the opportunity to contribute to the 2016 One Great Hour of Sharing.** This special offering supports the Presbyterian Hunger Program, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, and the Self Development of People program of the Presbyterian Church (USA). Please note the insert pertaining to this special offering in today's bulletin.

Nursery rooms 102 and 104, for children ages infant - 23 months and 2-3 years old, are available during worship. For age 4 years old through 1<sup>st</sup> grade, Children's Church will be held following "Moments with the Children", in room 209 with Becky Goode and assistants, who will meet the children in the narthex and go with them to the Godly Play room. Please note: Children's Church participants will meet parents outside in front of Wilson Hall, where we will gather for the egg hunts. Children in nurseries need to be picked up by parents and then gather in front of Wilson Hall.

Immediately following worship, there will be egg hunts for children age toddler through 4 years old and 5 years old through 5th grade. We will gather in front of Wilson Hall where groups will be separated and given instructions by Becky Goode and assistants.

Next Sunday, the first Sunday of April, we will collect the monthly CentsAbility offering during the Time with Children this morning. Remember the hungry in our community with your contribution.

The church office will be closed tomorrow, Easter Monday.

There will be no Wednesday Night Supper or programs this week.

Following Easter week, Tuckahoe's Meditation Group will continue to meet on Thursday nights from 6:30 to 7:30. We started the group as a Lenten practice and have found the experience so fulfilling spiritually and communally, we are committed to continuing! Please join us for this hour of contemplation and peaceful fellowship. We meet in the parlor and anyone is welcomed! If you have questions, email <u>Sarasommers@comcast.net</u>.

There are numerous ways you can serve Tuckahoe throughout the church year!

- 1. If you are interested in giving flowers for the chancel on any given Sunday, please add your name to the Flower Calendar outside the church office. You may donate in memory of or in honor of someone, or simply give them to the Glory of God.
- 2. Please consider signing up to host our Fellowship Time after church one Sunday. There are many open Sundays on the calendar in the hallway between the narthex and Duntreath. Please "keep it simple"... lemonade or punch and a few cookies are all we need!

Permanent nametags for all members of Tuckahoe are available today. If you haven't picked up your name tag, please pick it up following worship today in the Resource Center between the Narthex and Duntreath. These magnetized nametags will be stored during the week on the beautifully constructed metal framed areas in the Resource Center and the Park Avenue entrance to the sanctuary. So grab your nametag, place it in your favorite spot on one of the boards and pick it up each Sunday when you arrive for worship. This is such a great way for us to put names with faces and give visitors a chance to greet us by name!

"Sharing our Blessings" seems to be a challenging and yet representative title for what we at Tuckahoe are already doing to help others, and for how we want to do even more with the many blessings God has showered on us. We will provide monthly updates of what our congregation is doing to improve lives in the world, in our country, and in our own back yard. These things are possible through your generous support.

Are you a great communicator? For most of us, learning skills that will improve our ability to talk with and hear what another person is really saying, is desirable. "Listening and Speaking from the Heart" will be April 9th, in Wilson Hall, from 9:30 to noon. It will be a fun and interactive morning of learning together. This event is designed to help us listen and speak from the heart in all areas of life. It will be an opportunity for personal growth, for high school youth and adults, to learn skills and strategies to express ourselves and listen to others. Plan now to attend. Register by calling the office or noting your intention to attend on the Fellowship pad Sunday or email Ginger Spence on at mosesbulrushes@gmail.com.

ADDITIONAL TEXTS FOR TODAY'S LECTIONARY: Acts 10:34-43; Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; Acts 10:34-43; John 20:1-18

# LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 3:

First Reading: Acts 5:27-32 Psalm: Psalm 118:14-29 Second Reading: Revelation 1:4-8 Gospel: John 20:19-31

## THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, Ma	rch 27	EASTER DAY
9:30	AM	Sunday School
11:00	AM	Worship - Flowering the Cross
After V	Vorship	EggHunts
Monday, Ma	arch 28	CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
10:30	AM	Meals on Wheels
7:00	PM	TPC Book Club @ the home of Jean Hayes
Tuesday, Ma	arch 29	Office hours 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Wednesday,	March	30 Office hours 9:00 a.m. – 3: 00 p.m.
9:30	AM	Staff Meeting - Workroom
7:30	PM	Adult Handbell Rehearsal - Sanctuary
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