ORDER OF WORSHIP

APRIL 8, 2018 ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Joe Collins

*GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

PRELUDE "Because He Lives" Handbell Choir

PRESENTING THE CROSS PRESENTING THE LIGHT

INTROIT "In This Very Room" Soloist: Mary Beth Wyatt

Accompanist: Meredith Bowen

*HYMN "He Lives" No. 310

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Joe Collins

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CORNER Jeanna Spiker

OFFERING

Offertory "It Is Well with My Soul" Meredith Bowen

*Doxology No. 95

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 20:14-16 NT, Pg. 107

MESSAGE "That Moment of Recognition" Rev. Joe Collins

HOLY COMMUNION No. 12-16

ANTHEM "The Holy City" Soloist: Bill Sneed

Accompanist: Mary Etta Stephenson

*CLOSING HYMN "Victory in Jesus" No. 370

*BENEDICTION Rev. Joe Collins

*POSTLUDE "Recessional" Fedak

*Please stand if able

CHANCEL FLOWERS:

The flowers are placed in the church today to the glory of God and in loving memory of our "Aunt Nannie" Miss Vangie Turner by Chad & Crystal Thornburg, Rhonda Wehunt and their families.

EVANGELISM TRAINING: Anyone interested in learning how to confidently share their faith in Jesus Christ more easily is invited to start "The Way of the Master" series with the youth on Sunday nights at 6:00. We will begin this training series on Sunday, April 8. See Jeanna Spiker or Eric Packard for more details. LET'S GO MAKE DISCIPLES! You are encouraged to attend this class if you are planning to go on the mission trip this summer.

Lola Allran Circle will meet on Monday at 2:00pm in the Church Parlor.

The Vera Eaker, Callie Beam and Aunt Pearl Circles will all meet together on Monday, April 9, at 6:00pm. The speaker will be Karen Dixon, director of The Crisis Pregnancy Center of Gaston County, North-West. We will be giving a "Baby Shower" of items needed for the Center.

The Evangelism Committee will meet on Tuesday, April 10, at 7:00pm.

United Methodist Women Spring Luncheon will be held on Saturday, April 14, at 10:30am. Tickets are \$10.00 and if you would like to purchase a ticket, please contact Phyllis Thornburg or the church office.

Youth: If you are helping with the Cherry Blossom festival you need to meet in front of the Eagle Office on Main Street by 10:00am on Saturday, April 14. Every church member is invited to help us at our booth to pass out church information and "share the word".

The youth will sponsor a **coffee bar** on Sunday, April 22, beginning at 9:30am. The proceeds raised will go toward Sara Baity's summer mission opportunity with Carolina Cross Connection. Cost will be by donation.

There will be a community **Children's Choir camp** on June 11 - 14 for children who are 4 years old - 6th grade from 9:00am - 3:00pm each day. There will be a concert held on Thursday evening, June 14. The cost is \$50.00 per child. If you would like more details, please see Jeanna Spiker.

If you would like to volunteer in ministering to children through VBS please contact Jeanna Spiker or the church office. **Vacation Bible school** will be held July 8 - 12.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Sunday, April 8

8:45am - Early Worship 9:45am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship

6:00pm - Youth

Monday, April 9

2:00pm - Lola Allran Circle

6:00pm - Callie Beam Circle

6:00pm - Aunt Pearl Circle

6:00pm - Vera Eaker Circle

(Guest Speaker, Karen Dixon)

Tuesday, April 10

7:00pm - Evangelism Committee meeting

Wednesday, April 11

5:30pm - UMK's

6:00pm - Youth Bible Study

6:30pm - Chancel Choir rehearsal

Thursday, April 12

7:00am - Youth Prayer Breakfast at Homefolk's

8:00am - Prayer Time in Parlor

Saturday, April 14

10:00am -Youth (Cherry Blossom Festival)

10:30am - UMW Spring Brunch

Sunday, April 15

8:45am - Early Worship

9:45am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship

6:00pm - Youth

APRIL USHERS:

Ron Hovis, Larry Gunnell, Steve Beam, Darin Webb, Tim Moss

NURSERY WORKERS

April 8 - Phyllis Thornburg

STEWARDSHIP REPORT APR. 1, 2018

Previous Total	\$74,230.15
Offering	\$7,771.50
Total To Date	\$82,001.65
Needs To Date	\$92,236.69

ATTENDANCE – APRIL 1, 2018

Sunday School																			77
Worship	_	 _	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	264

PRAYER LIST (Members)

Cone Carpenter, Joanne Carpenter, Janet Carter, Buzz Eaker, Peggy Gardo, Lori Gibson, Aura Ann McGinnis, Barbara McGinnis, Sue Nolen, Debbie Payseur, Karleen Price, Frances Putnam, C.V. Thornburg, Gary Thornburg, Earlene Williams, and all our homebound and nursing home members.

PRAYER LIST (Family & Friends)

Bill Allen, Carolyn Beam Branton, Ray Branton, Shaunda Camp, Paul & Carol Cornwell, Cornelia Moss, Mary Wheatley, Jack Whitworth and our loved ones in the military.

LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY:

#Ethan Beck, Aron Dickerson, Kenny Greene, Jessica Lovell, *Travis Kiser, *Cody Spiker. #Church Member; *Stationed in the Middle East