

## Birthdays

26 - Jet Tosco  
28 - Lisa Wardo

## CONCERNS

*Marian Grant family, Homeless children, Phyllis Munson,  
Gay's sister-Brenda, Karen Goelzer family,  
Marian Carney's husband, Priscilla Bennett, Scott Jones.  
Our Nations Immigrants, Leigh Brown's sister-Susan, Aaron Kalevick,  
Josue Salvador, Paxton West,  
Ada Cashdollar, Jim Cashdollar, Luke Cashdollar.*

*Mary Alice Woods, Tressie Starrette, Nellie Grant, Ernie Hendrix,  
Mary Ruth Godfrey, Rosemary Rector, Ernestine Lanford, Barbara Robinson,  
Mary Jean Grose, Beecher Grose.*

*Those facing tough times: those who are mentally ill, those who are affected by violence, those who are incarcerated, those dealing with addictions in our community and in our world: Children who are a part of the Guardian ad Litem program, local law enforcement officers and fire fighters.*

*Those in the military: Molly Murphy, Greg West, Josh Wingfield, James Puliam, Mark Staley, Adam Ivey, Austin Frutig, Zach Spoor, Mary Jane Johnson, Travis Clower, Logan Frutig, Caleb Sisk.*

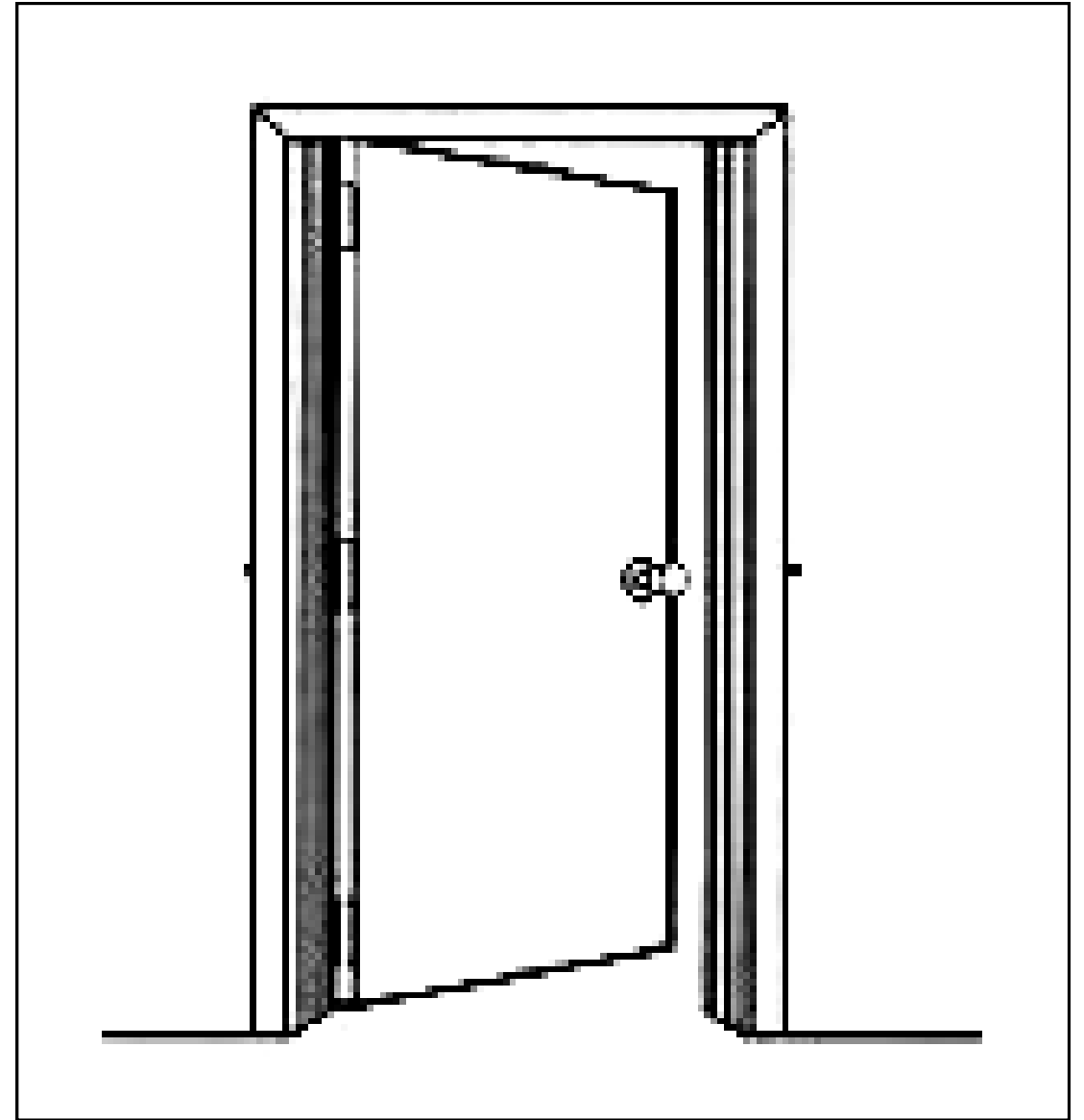
*WELCOME TO ALL who have chosen to worship with us today. We pray that your being present will bring joy and peace and presence of God to you.*

*You are welcome to be a participant in the church activities at Grace.*

*If you would like more information or are interested in joining as a covenant participant as we seek to discern and live out God's call to us, please speak to our pastor or a covenant participant.*

*You may also contact us by phone at 704-872-5130, or by email at [gracestatesville@gmail.com](mailto:gracestatesville@gmail.com). Visit our website at [www.gracestatesville.org](http://www.gracestatesville.org).*

# Encounters with Jesus



## Community of Grace

March 26, 2017

The Season of Lent	
GATHERING	
The Prelude	
The Welcome and Announcements	
The Choral Opening	“Give Us a Vision, Lord”
RESPONDING	
*The Call to Worship	
<i>Leader: Create in me a clean heart, O God,</i>	
<i>People: And put a new and right spirit within me.</i>	
<i>Leader: Restore to me the joy of Thy salvation,</i>	
<i>People: And uphold me with a willing spirit.</i>	
*The Invocation	
*The Hymn of Praise	"I Sing The Mighty Power" #12 all verses
The Offering	
Children’s Time	
<b>Prayer of Confession</b>	
<i>People:</i> Before God, with the people of God we confess to our brokenness: to the ways we wound our lives, the lives of others, and the life of the world.	
<i>Leader:</i> May God forgive you, Christ renew you, and the Spirit enable you to grow in love.	
<i>All: Amen</i>	
ENGAGING	
Prayers of the People	
Reader’s Choir	Mark 14:3-9
The Choral Meditation	"As Long As I Have Breath"
Encounter with Jesus	“The Anointing at Bethany: A Time For Extravagance”
SOJOURNING	
*The Hymn of Commitment	“When I Survey The Wondrous Cross” #224 1,3,4
* The Benediction	
*The Choral Benediction	"Kyrie Eleison"
*The Postlude	
<i>*All who are able, please stand</i>	

<u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>
March 27 - Lenten Ladies. Meet at the home of Nichole Tilley. 5:30pm
Friday - March 31, 5pm and Saturday - April 1, 8am - Spring cleaning at the church
April 9 - Palm Sunday- Intergenerational Service
9:00am - Church Conference
April 14 - Good Friday Service - 6:00pm
April 16 - Easter Cantata -11:00am
No Sunday School
April 30 - Stuffing ‘Stop Hunger Now’ boxes at Trinity Episcopal. After Worship
<u>Assignments</u>
<u>Second Hour Helpers</u>
Today - Louise Grose and David Comer. Alt. Bryan Starrette
April 2 - Keith Stroupe and Bryan Starrette. Alt. Sydney Koppelmeyer
April 9 - Xochitl Koppelmeyer and Phyllis Rogers. Alt. Marsha Angell

<u>Church Maintenance</u>	Budget
<u>Before next Sunday</u> - Starrette/Lippard	Needed year to date: \$19,971.24
April 9 - Coarsey	Received year to date: \$32,402.98
April 16 - Stroupe/Johns	Over budget: \$12,431.74
	Weekly needs: \$1664.27