



Out of the Heart

A newsletter for and about
Trinity Avenue
Presbyterian Church and
its ministry
For people who minister
from the heart of God

April 1999

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HOLY WEEK

March 28 - Palm Sunday

Palm processional and anthem by Angelus and Chapel Choirs, music by the Chancel Choir.

April 1 - Maundy Thursday

Special service at 7:00 pm includes a drama and musical commentary by the Chancel Choir on the Last Supper and Crucifixion.

April 2 - Good Friday

April 4 - Easter Sunday

Celebration of the resurrection with music for chorus and orchestra, including festival hymn settings for the congregation.

**HE'S
ALIVE!**



**I
am the
RESURRECTION
and the
LIFE.**

**He who
believes in
me will
LIVE,
even though
he dies.**

John 11:25

Coming Events:

- April 3: 11:00 AM Easter Egg Hunt
- April 4: Easter
Daylight Savings Time Begins
9:45 AM Brunch
12 PM Lemonade on the Lawn
- April 18: Family of Faith Campaign Kickoff
- April 25: Musical - So Long Joe
- May 14-16: Spring Retreat

From the Pastor



A number of years ago I sat on a sofa with Grace Savage while she reminisced about her husband. What I remember most of this conversation was when she told me that on the day her husband died she could not understand why the world kept going. She said, "I would look out the window and the traffic kept moving. I couldn't understand why the world didn't know that they had just lost someone who was beautiful."

I often think about Grace's words as I travel in funeral processions that weave through congested intersections. The world doesn't know any better. I think too about her words as we approach Holy Week. Because I know it is easy to keep driving while Jesus is on trial. Without too much difficulty we can keep our appointments while our Lord bears the weight of the cross. It is easy to speed by the funeral procession. But don't! The joy of Easter is found in knowing the one who bore our pain and died our death. I invite you to stop during Holy Week and join us on Thursday at 7:00 p.m. for a time to remember someone who *was* and *is* beautiful.

In Christ,

Donovan Drake

THANKS DOUG!

Because of a dissertation deadline and the demands of fatherhood, Doug James, our DCE, notified the Session of his need to stop work at TAPC on Easter Sunday. Doug has been a wonderful asset for our church. He developed our Sunday rotation model for our young children, brought our resources up to date and has helped organize as well as facilitate many of the day to day ministries of the church. Please take time to thank Doug for his ministry at TAPC. We will express a more formal "thank you" to Doug and Valarie during our 9:45 a.m. Easter Brunch.

FAREWELL FROM DOUG

As Easter Sunday will be my final day here at Trinity Avenue, I want to express my sincere appreciation for the support and encouragement I have received over the past two years. I am confident that "*He who began a good work in you will be faithful to complete it.*" Thanks to the hard work of the CE Committee, the support of Session and office staff, and the active participation of church families, we have seen revitalization in our children's 'workshop rotation' Sunday School, Kids Klub, youth events and adult small groups. Thanks to the Blake and Carr family endowments, we have added resources to enhance the Carr Library and our ministry to children and families. As I leave, God has provided leaders in a solid CE Committee, Children's Ministry Team, and an Adult CE Committee to oversee the educational ministries.

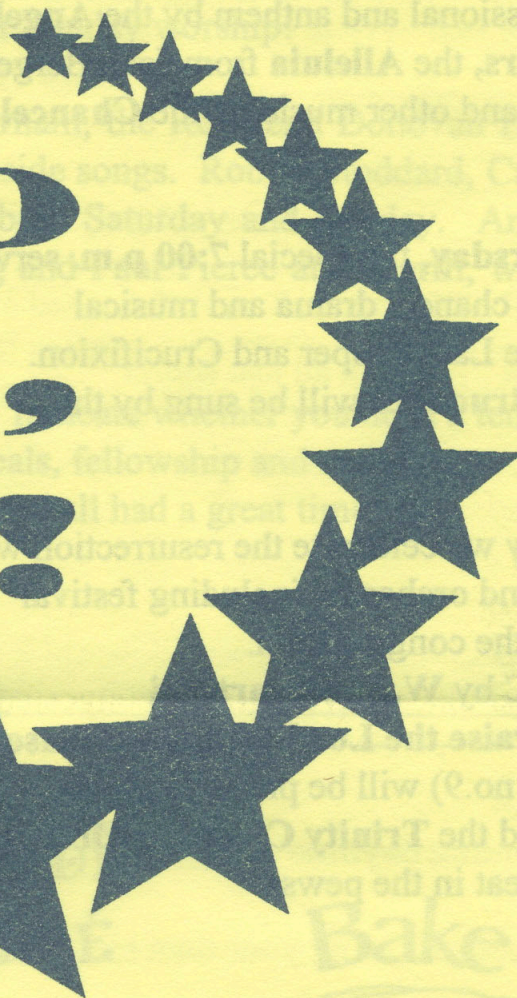
Regarding my plans, I have written two master's theses at Princeton Seminary (one received the award in practical theology), and I look forward to working from home to write my Ph.D. dissertation (*Practical Theology, Northwestern University/Garrett Seminary, IL*) and to raise our son, Matthew. I trust that God will use my research (how one's theology impacts teaching practices) to enhance the quality of Christian education in both the Church and seminary. While this study is with seminary faculty, I plan in the future to write resources for church leaders. Thanks again for your prayers and support.. (PS - At least I'm not moving to Singapore!)

MUSICAL NOTES

ANGELUS AND CHAPEL CHOIRS

Present

So Long, Joe!



Music by
Cathy Malmstrom

Text by
Libby Calhoun

A Musical based on the Old Testament story
of Joseph and his Eleven Brothers

SUNDAY, APRIL 25, 1999
at the 11:00 a.m. service
in the Sanctuary

MUSICAL NOTES

MUSIC FOR HOLY WEEK

Music for Holy Week begins on Palm Sunday with a palm processional and anthem by the **Angelus and Chapel Choirs**, the **Alleluia** from Jean Berger's **Brazilian Psalm**, and other music by the **Chancel Choir**

On **Maundy Thursday**, the special **7:00 p.m.** service includes a moving chancel drama and musical commentary on the Last Supper and Crucifixion. Music by **Anton Bruckner** will be sung by the **Chancel Choir**.

On **Easter Sunday** we celebrate the resurrection with music for chorus and orchestra, including festival hymn settings for the congregation.

The **Te Deum in C** by **W.A. Mozart** and **G.F. Handel's Praise the Lord with One Consent** (Chandos Anthem no.9) will be presented by the **Chancel Choir** and the **Trinity Chamber Orchestra**. Come early for a seat in the pews!

We gratefully acknowledge the support of the Russell N. and Maelee P. Barringer Music Endowment which has enabled us to have the participation of the orchestra musicians on Easter Sunday.

Chapel and Angelus Choir Schedule for April

Sunday, March 28 Palm Sunday
Chapel and Angelus choirs sing. Rehearsal at **9:30 a.m.** for the **11:00 a.m.** service.

Sunday, April 4
No rehearsal for **Chapel** choir.

Wednesday, April 7
No rehearsal for **Angelus** choir.

Sunday, April 11
No rehearsal for **Chapel** choir.

Saturday, April 17
1st dress rehearsal for **So Long, Joe** at **9:30 a.m.** for both choirs.

Sunday, April 18
Combined rehearsal for both choirs at **12:15 p.m.**

Saturday, April 24
2nd dress rehearsal for **So Long, Joe** at **9:30 am (Chapel Choir)** and **10:00 a.m.** for **Angelus & Chapel Choirs**.

Sunday, April 25
Spring musical **So Long, Joe** during the **11:00 a.m.** service.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

How Do You Spell R-E-T-R-E-A-T?"

Church Spring Retreat
 Presbyterian Point, Kerr Lake
 May 14-16, 1999

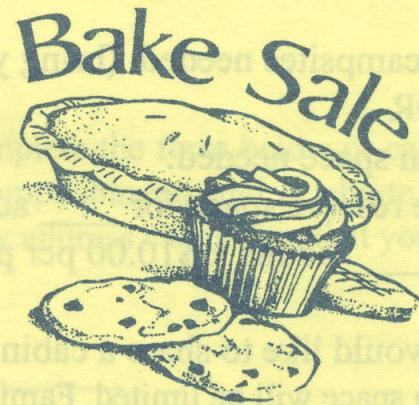
Everyone is invited to join in on the fun at our Annual Church Spring Retreat on Kerr Lake at Presbyterian Point Camp. This year our theme is "How do you spell R-E-T-R-E-A-T?" You won't want to miss out. Even if you can't attend the whole weekend, please drive up for Saturday events or Sunday worship!

Our featured Guest Speaker comes all the way from North Durham, the Reverend Donovan Drake! Harry Jansen, Director of Music Ministry, will also lead us in worship and fireside songs. Robert Stoddard, Camp Director, and his crew of workers will provide us with breakfast and lunch on both Saturday and Sunday. And our own Christian Education Committee, led by Lisa Drummond's meal planning and Paul Pierce at the grill, will prepare a feast on Saturday night!

Please REGISTER by April 25 if you plan to attend in any way. Indicate whether you need a tent site or cabin space, or whether you just plan to drive up for the day and enjoy the meals, fellowship and activities. Last year over 80 people, including children and dogs, attended and all had a great time!



CHURCHWIDE YARD SALE



Bake Sale

The Churchwide Yard Sale is to take place on Saturday April 24th from 8 AM to 12 PM. Items can be brought to the church refectory during the following time periods:

- Tuesday April 20th from 12 - 6 PM
- Wednesday April 21 from 12 - 6 PM
- Thursday April 22 from 12 - 8 PM
- Friday April 23 from 12 - 8 PM

We will also be having a bake sale and silent auction. Please bring your baked goods on Friday between 12 - 8 PM or early Saturday morning. If you need to have items picked up, please contact Bridgett Ray at 493-5631 to arrange for a pickup time.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

SPRING RETREAT REGISTRATION How do you spell R-E-T-R-E-A-T? May 14-16, 1999

Please fill out and return to the church office by April 25 (checks payable to TAPC).

Family / Individual Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Number of Adults _____

Number of Children _____ (Children's Ages): _____

Number of Pets _____ Dog _____ Cat _____ Other: _____

I/We will attend: (check all that apply)

- Friday night
- Saturday breakfast
- Saturday lunch
- Saturday dinner
- Sunday breakfast
- Sunday lunch

LODGING:

Not needed; attending daytime only

of campsites needed (bring your own tent) x \$10.00 per site per night = _____

OR

Cabin space needed:

Please reserve space for _____ adults and _____ children
_____ adults x \$10.00 per person, per night OR **\$25.00 max. per family, per night** = _____

I/we would like to share a cabin with _____ family
(Cabin space will be limited. Families and friends will be placed together if possible)

MEALS:

Maximum per family per meal = \$15.00

<input type="checkbox"/> # people over age 5	x	\$5.00 Sat. breakfast	=	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> # people over age 5	x	\$6.00 Sat. lunch	=	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> # people over age 5	x	\$5.00 Sat. dinner	=	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> # people over age 5	x	\$5.00 Sun. breakfast	=	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> # people over age 5	x	\$6.00 Sat. lunch	=	_____

TOTAL COST = _____

(** Scholarships available. Contact Pastor Drake.)

Please complete and return this form to the church office with payment by April 25,
OR mail it to Trinity Avenue Spring Retreat, 927 W Trinity Ave., Durham, NC 27701

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

Moses: Barefoot in Egypt

June 21 - 25, Camp New Hope

It's not too late to register your children (4 years - 5th grade) for a Summer Camp they will not forget! Over 125 kids from several area churches will join at Camp New Hope in Hillsborough for a week of Bible study, crafts in the marketplace, bread-making and eating, drama, games, and swimming in the awesome pool! Registration forms are available in the church office with all the details. Registration is DUE by April 15th Contact Ruth Petrea at 477-7634 with any questions.

Support your Youth Mission Team to Jamaica
Rain or Shine!

Yard Sale, April 24 (8 am - 12 noon)

We've enjoyed their candy bar and Counter Culture Coffee sales. We had a delicious Tex-Mex chili dinner after church. Now, the moment where YOU CAN PARTICIPATE! Our youth will sponsor a TAPC Yard Sale to raise funds for their Mission Trip to Jamaica this June. We need as much 'stuff' as you can bring, and as much 'time' as you can give to help sort, label, price, and carry items!

SCHEDULE:

Saturday, April 17 - **DROP OFF** at TAPC refectory (9:00 am - 1:00 pm)

*Youth will be able to pick up some large items on April 17

Sunday, April 18 - 5:00 pm - All Youth help to sort items

Friday, April 23 - 7:00 pm - Final sorting and pricing

Saturday, April 24 -

7:00 am - Youth arrive

8:00 am - 12 noon - YARD SALE

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm - Clean-up

Senioritis -- Countdown to Graduation!

If you will graduate from high school, college or graduate school this spring, please complete the form below or call the church office at 682-3865 to let us know by April 16th. We want to honor your accomplishments and celebrate your 'commencement' with you and your family. If possible, let us know of your plans and any address changes so that you can receive our church newsletter.

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

Degree: _____ in (field) _____

From (school): _____



Future plans: _____

New Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ New email: _____

Special Awards: _____

April 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 MAUNDY THURSDAY 6:15 PM Choir 7:00 PM Service	2 GOOD FRIDAY Office Closed	3 Set clocks FORWARD one hour tonight! 9:30 AM Choir Rehearsal 10:00 AM Girl Scouts 10:30 AM Orchestra & Choir Rehearsal 11:00 AM Easter Egg Hunt
					Public Schools out	
4 Daylight Savings Time Begins EASTER Havener Baptism 9:00 AM Communion 10:00 AM Brunch 10:00 AM Rehearsal - chancel choir & orchestra 11:00 AM Worship/no communion 4:00 PM No youth mtg	5 Easter Monday-Office Closed 10:30 AM Circle #2 6:30 PM Cub Scouts 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	6 10:00 AM Circle #1 4:00 PM DPC - TAPC 7:30 PM Handbells	7 5:00 PM Weigh Down 7:00 PM Administration Committee 7:00 PM No choir tonight	8  11:00 AM Primetimers Luncheon 12:00 PM WDS Easter vacation 7:15 PM Arthritis Support Group		10
					Public Schools out	
11 H hearts & hands deadline 9:00 AM Communion 9:45 AM S. School 10:30 AM Chancel Choir 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM Chapel Choir 4:00 PM No Youth Meetings	12 10:30 AM WDS Chapel time 6:30 PM Cub Scouts 7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:00 PM Circle of Faith 7:30 PM Circle #4-Corlis Wood	13 10:30 AM Circle #2 - tba 11:00 AM Joint Staff Meeting 7:30 PM Handbells	14 Staff Newsletter deadline 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 5:00 PM Angelus Choir 5:00 PM Weigh Down 7:00 PM Capital Campaign training 7:00 PM Chancel Choir	15	16	17 9:00 AM Yard Sale Drop Off 9am-1pm 9:30 AM Musical Dress rehearsal 1:00 PM Girl Scouts
18 Congregational Newsletter deadline Eagle Scout Recognition Scott Bartholomew baptism 9:00 AM Communion 9:45 AM S. School 10:30 AM Chancel Choir 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM Chapel Choir 4:00 PM Confirmation	19 11:00 AM Staff Mtg 6:30 PM Cub Scouts 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	20 12:00 PM DCIA 7:30 PM Handbells	21 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 5:00 PM Angelus Choir 5:00 PM Weigh Down 7:00 PM Chancel Choir 7:00 PM Outreach Committee 7:00 PM PW Coor.Team 7:00 PM Session	22  5:00 PM Soup Kitchen	23 7:00 PM Yard Sale Final Prep	24 Yard Sale 8am-12pm Rain or Shine! 9:30 AM Musical Dress rehearsal
25 Pennies for Hunger 9:00 AM Communion 9:45 AM S. School 10:30 AM Chancel Choir 11:00 AM Musical 11:00 AM Worship 12:15 PM Chapel Choir 4:00 PM Confirmation	26 10:30 AM WDS Chapel time 11:00 AM Staff Mtg 1:30 PM Mailing Team 6:30 PM Cub Scouts 7:00 PM Boy Scouts	27 7:30 PM Handbells	28 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 5:00 PM Weigh Down 7:00 PM Chancel Choir 7:00 PM Diaconate	29	30 WDS Carnival	
					Cub Scouts overnight	

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Presbyterian Women plans to award an honorary membership this year. If you would like to nominate someone, please call Marie Grauerholz at 682-0758. The nominee should be someone who has been actively involved in Presbyterian Women.

Upcoming Events:

April 17 The Annual Spring Gathering for PW of the Presbytery will be held at First Church in New Bern. Registration is at 9 AM, gathering at 10 AM. The speaker will be Frances Cowan. Lunch will be served. Please contact Marie Grauerholz if you are interested in attending.

April 21 PW Coordinating Team Meeting

June 10-13 The Presbyterian Women Synod of the Mid-Atlantic will have it's Summer Gathering of the Massenetta Springs Conference Center in Harrisonburg, VA. Dr. Isabel Rogers will lead the Bible Study. The topic will be "Psalms: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow"

Please mark your calendars!

NEWSLETTER INFO

Our next newsletter deadline will be Sunday, April 18th. Hearts & Hands information must be in by Sunday, April 11th. Please have all your articles to the church office as soon as possible, but please, no later than the deadlines.

PRIMETIMERS

Please join us on Thursday, April 8th at 11:00 am; our guest speaker will be **Mayor Nick Tennyson**. You may sign up on the friendship pads or call the church office at 682-3865. We look forward to seeing you!



Easter Egg Hunt

Circles

Moderators

- Circle 1** - Virginia Barrett (489-5596)
- Circle 2** - Phyllis Cagle (489-4760)
- Circle of Faith** - Lisa Drummond (477-9818) and Ruth Petrea (477-7634)
- Circle 4** - Carol Van Hise (596-2051) and Teresa Roberts (403-1921)

Circle Meetings in April

- Circle 1** - Tuesday, April 6th, at 10:00 AM in the parlor.
- Circle 2** - Monday, April 5, at 10:30 AM at the home of Betty Blanchard. Project will be items for the Caring House.
- Circle of Faith** - Monday, April 12th, at 7:00 PM in the parlor.
- Circle 4** - Monday, April 12th, at 7:30 PM at the home of Corlis Wood. Please bring home supplies for The Shelter.

TRINITY'S ANNUAL
EASTER EGG HUNT!!!
SATURDAY, APRIL 3
@ 11:00 A.M.

Every bunny bring your basket and help find the hundreds of candy filled eggs hidden around Trinity Avenue Presbyterian Church! As always, we will have a wonderful time - refreshments will be served after the bunny hop is completed.

Please call Suzanne Freeman at 383-9088 if you have any questions.

p.s. Any donations of plastic eggs which we can fill with candy will be greatly appreciated!

**TRINITY AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
ENDOWMENT REPORT
December 31, 1998**

FUND NAME	TOTAL ENDOWMENT PRINCIPAL *	INCOME AVAILABLE 12/31/1998	USE AUTHORIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION
Andrews, Elizabeth Benevolence * *	\$3,010.66	\$335.29	Church Pastor
Barber, Luther Undesignated	\$65,860.58	\$7,652.19	Session's Discretion
Barringer (Family) Youth & Family	\$4,183.80	\$383.36	Christian Ed. Director & CE Committee
Barringer (Music) Music	\$110,608.29	\$2,978.73	Music Director & Music Committee
Bennett (Bldg) Building Maintenance	\$97,887.48	\$7,304.13	Session's Discretion
Betts, Maude Christmas	\$11,851.90	\$149.10	Endowment Committee
Blake, Bob & Hildur Christian Ed.	\$14,399.14	\$808.67	Christian Ed. Director & CE Committee
Carr, Daniel Library	\$22,640.85	\$3,641.34	CE Dir., CE Committee & Church Librarian
Cloister Garden Landscaping	\$8,518.34	\$680.52	Endowment Committee
Crabtree Scholarship	\$22,572.56	\$6,014.79	Awarded by Session scholarship committee
Fuss, Mary K. Undesignated	\$5,521.58	\$741.29	Session's Discretion
Henry, Michael Scouting	\$15,950.69	\$2,039.20	Scout committee
Hobbs, Clara Pastor's Discretion	\$7,572.32	\$337.61	Church Pastor
Mickey, Bruce Scouts	\$1,102.67	\$113.00	Cub or Scout Committees
Rightsell Operating Exp.	\$25,083.42	\$1,072.78	Session's Discretion
Schellenberger Undesignated	\$20,906.44	\$3,142.78	Session's Discretion
Wilson, Becky Undesignated	\$1,311.56	\$202.69	Session's Discretion
TOTAL	\$438,982.27	\$37,597.49	

* Total Endowment Principal is based on actual amount of money given initially, or by later contribution, to the endowment.

** Some of the Elizabeth Andrews money was moved to the Endowment in Feb. 1997 so it could gain interest. The total amount, principal and interest, is immediately available for benevolence needs.

REACHING OUT TO OTHERS

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Durham Congregations in Action would like to pass on opportunities for several community involvements. The first is a plea for tutors for a 5 week Saturday Academy at Eastway Elementary School to work with students who are at risk of failing this year. The Saturdays are April 17 through May 15. To give your time to help save a child, call Carol Johnson at 560-3650.

Good Work is a local non-profit organization that works with individuals who want to start or expand a small business by providing loans, training sessions and support. Please call 682-8463 for more information.

(Dot Faulkenbury)

HELP FEED THE HOMELESS

Do you want to be a doer of the word and put your faith into action? Working at the Community Shelter for the Homeless is a great way to do it! TAPC prepares and serves dinner at the shelter on the 4th Thursday of every month. You can help by doing any of the following: prepare a dish or buy supplies and deliver them to the church in advance, be at the church from 5 pm until 6:30 pm to do last minute preparation, transport the food to the shelter and serve from 6:30 pm until 8 pm or meet at the shelter and take pots and pans back to the church and clean and lock up from 7:30 until 8:30 pm. The menu is always the same: BBQ chicken, corn, slaw, rolls, beverage and dessert. Sign-up sheets will be up on the bulletin board outside the kitchen so stop by and sign up today! Families are encouraged to attend and even the younger set can help out (we've had 6, 7, and 8 year olds who have been great helpers). Recipes are provided and are very simple. Upcoming dates are: March 25th, April 22nd, and May 27th. Please call Marion or Paul Pierce with any questions (528-1073). Thank you!

(Marion Pierce)

Prayers

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Joan Austin's mother (Marie Austin)

Harriet Barr's aunt (Canary Dyer)

Maelee Barringer

Bill Bennett

Chris Berry's father (Ray DiNunzio)

Mary Lou Carr

Etheline Cupp

Julie Draeger's father (J.W. Brown, Sr.)

Lisa Joyner

Anne Pearson

Elaine Ross's father (Embler Sluder)

Flora Woods

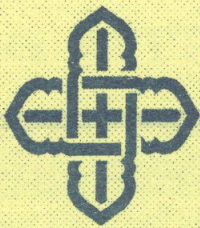
Steve Yova's mother (Olivia Yova)

**and all our shut-ins*

If you know of someone in need of prayer, please contact the church office or the Congregational Care Committee's moderator, Marie Grauerholz, at 682-0758.

If you need to add or remove someone from this list, please call the church office at 682-3865. We depend upon you to help us keep this list updated.





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RESPONSIBLE APRIL 1 - APRIL 30, 1999

INFANT NURSERY (6 wks. - 14 mos.)

04 Paid
11 Len Stockburger 471-4073
18 Noel & Kathy Tillett 383-4679
25 Jennifer & Nick Tennyson 403-8446

WALKERS (14 mos. - 2 yrs.)

04 Paid
11 *Volunteer Needed*
18 *Volunteer Needed*
25 Kirsten Berlin 471-5048

2S AND 3S

04 Paid 544-7142
11 Susie Gilbert 286-2689
18 *Volunteer needed*
25 Bob & Margaret Clarke 384-9898

4S AND 5S

04 Paid
11 Paul & Marion Pierce 528-1073
18 *Volunteer Needed*
25 Bruce Lobaugh 493-4418

9:00 AM COMMUNION

04 Hildur & Bob Blake
11 Ann & Barry Wood
18 Carol Kurtz
25 Pat & Don McIntire

USHERS

09:00 Don McIntire
Pat McIntire
11:00 Tom Hadzor (in charge)
Peter Holland
Jon Inglefield
Bruce Lobaugh

GREETERS

04 Doors Tony & Dianne Moore
Ramp Helen Hilderman
11 Doors Ed & Evelyn Coman
Ramp Martha Sparks
18 Doors Frank & Harriet Barr
Ramp Melanie Gunderson
25 Doors Shuford & Julia Dobson
Ramp Dot Faulkenbury

COUNTERS

04 Jim Elkins (in charge)
Peggy Waters & George Hare
11 Bill Waddell (in charge)
Steve Edwards & John Reeves
18 Tom Beavers (in charge)
Betty Beavers & Bill Wilcox
25 Jim Vander Weide (in charge)
Gail Vander Weide & Tom Hadzor

CLOSING

04 Bill Wilcox 493-1966
11 Bobby Stockburger 471-9028
18 Daryn Berlin 471-5048
25 Jim Petrea 477-7634

SANCTUARY GUILD

APRIL

Marie Grauerholz 682-0758
Suzy Ward 490-6551

ACOLYTE PARENT IN CHARGE

04 Nancy Carstens 382-1962
11 Peggy Waters 382-2971
18 Suzanne Freeman 477-8182
25 Mary Gunderson 933-5570