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EASTER DAY  
SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 1949  
TRINITY AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Durham, North Carolina

PRAYER OF PREPARATION  
upon entering the sanctuary

O Thou who makest the stars, and turnest the shadow of death into the morning: On this day of days we meet to render Thee, our Lord and King, the tribute of our praise; for the new life of the springtime, for the everlasting hopes that rise within the human heart, and for the Gospel which hath brought life and immortality to light. Receive now our thanksgiving, reveal Thy presence, and send into our hearts the Spirit of the Risen Christ. Amen.

ORGAN PRELUDE "Easter Dawn" Hodson  
SANCTUS Children's Choir

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

CALL TO WORSHIP

"The Lord is risen indeed: Hallelujah. I am He that liveth, and was dead, saith the Lord; and behold, I am alive for evermore. Hallelujah!"

ADORATION -- LORD'S PRAYER

"Glory be to Thee, O Father Almighty, who as on this day didst raise up Thy Son from the dead and makest us partakers of His victory over sin and death.

Glory be to Thee, O Christ, who for us men and for our salvation hast overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life.

Glory be to Thee, O Holy Spirit, who dost lead us into all truth as it is in the risen Christ.

Blessed be Thou, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God, who bringest life and immortality through Thy Gospel, and blessed be Thy glorious name for ever and ever. Amen."

HYMN OF EASTER JOY No. 118

"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed

GLORIA PATRI

ANTHEM Children's Choir  
 "An Easter Carol" -Leopold Damrosch  
 SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM  
 RESPONSIVE READING Revelation 21; 22  
 Selection 53, Page 50  
 ANTHEM "The Holy City" Adams  
 PASTORAL PRAYER  
 Choral Response "My Voice Shalt Thou Hear"  
 WELCOME TO VISITORS  
 TITHES AND OFFERINGS  
 PRAYER OF DEDICATION  
 OFFERTORY "Sheep May Safely Graze" Bach  
 DOXOLOGY  
 SERMON William C. Bennett: Minister  
"UNDER THE SYRIAN STARS"  
 PRAYER OF CONSECRATION  
 BENEDICTION  
 Choral Response "God Be With Thee"  
 ORGAN POSTLUDE "Easter Reccessional" Mallard

' "Mary!" said Jesus.  
 "Rabboni!" she cried.'  
 John 20:16

#### AN EASTER CAROL

'Sweetly the birds are singing At Easter Dawn;  
 Sweetly the bells are ringing On Easter Morn;  
 And the words that they say On Easter Day  
 Are "Christ the Lord is risen!"

Birds, forget not your singing At Easter Dawn;  
 Bells, be ye ever ringing On Easter Morn;  
 In the spring of the year When Easter is here  
 Sing "Christ the Lord is risen!"

Easter buds were growing Ages ago;  
 Easter lilies were blowing By water's flow;  
 All nature was glad, No creature was sad  
 For Christ the Lord is risen!'

RECEIVED INTO THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CHURCH on Thursday evening at the Communion Service:

By Profession of Faith and Sacrament of Baptism:

Mr. Arthur Hinton Hampton, Helen Jane Bowden, Mary Jane Farmer, William T. Farmer, Jr., James A. Walker, Jr.

By Profession of Faith:

Barbara Bell, Edward Thomas Brawley, Marshall A. Brinkley, Jr., William Henry Carr, Gwen Dickerson, Ann Best Dula, Fred Perry Dula, Sarah Josephine Dula, Marie Graham, Boyd White Harris, III, Danielle Jones, Robert Walker Jones, Ranson Jackson Massengill, Jr., Billy Glenn Parrish, Robert L. Skillen.

By Letter of Transfer:

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall A. Brinkley, Sr., Mrs. Arthur Hinton Hampton, Mrs. Paul M. McCain, Mrs. D. J. Smith.

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FELLOWSHIP SUPPER FOR THE YOUNG PEOPLE 6:15 P.M.

Following the supper this evening, members of the Pioneer and Senior Fellowships will lead the Easter program, "He Lives."

TRINITY AVENUE YOUTH FELLOWSHIP will entertain the young people of all the Presbyterian Churches of the city on Tuesday evening, April 19th at 7:30. Special feature of the program will be the sound film, "The Unfaithful Servant." There will be recreation and refreshments following.

REMEMBER THE WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHURCH SUPPER AND MID - WEEK SERVICE. Mr. Bennett is leading a forum service on "Man and the Church." Everyone is urged to attend.

THE FLOWERS in the Sanctuary today are in memory of Mr. P. A. Sloan, Sr., former Elder in the Trinity Avenue Church.