

EASTER SUNDAY

TO BE AND TO MAKE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

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Welcome to Buncombe Street United Methodist Church. You may find additional information at either of the Information Centers or on our website at www.bsumc.com. One center is in the office lobby by Sisk Hall, and the other center is in the main lobby just behind the Sanctuary. The centers are open before and after each of the worship services. Information about Sunday school is available at each center. If you would like to become a member of our church family, contact Stacy Phillips in the church office at 864-371-6084. We are happy to help you find your place here!

THOSE SERVING TODAY

Greeters

8:45 AM Liz Philpot, Eric Spadavecchia, Jane Spadavecchia, Jenny Gilreath, John DeWorken, Bill Griffith, Ryan McCart, Susie Taft, Paul Harrison, Tom Bates 11:00 AM Cher Hoskins, Kathleen Howze, Richard Merritt, Hunter Fridy, Martin Fridy, Heather Scalzo Ushers

8:45 AM John Korybski, Steve Thrailkill, Ken Troutman, Noland Meyers

11:00 AM Michael Helms, Jim Patterson, Miles Loretta, Jeannette Roberts, Steve Roberts

Offering Tellers

David Stevenson, Chuck Turlington, Burke Royster, Jr.

Offering Steward

8:45 AM Bill Adkins

11:00 AM Tony Barnhill

Crucifer

8:45 AM Janet Malaska 11:00 AM Jackson Morrissey

Paschal Candle

8:45 AM Carter Johnson 11:00 AM Reed Morrissey

Acolytes

8:45 AM Anna Kate Byford, Ellis Welborn 11:00 AM Michael Morrissey, Joshua Keable

Children's Nursery

BSUMC's nursery, staffed by paid, trained, & caring employees, depends on church member volunteers to assist in each room during each of the services. Contact Gayle Quay (gayle.quay@bsumc.com, 864-371-6089).

ONLINE GIVING

Manage your giving to God through the church from the church website and the Online Giving tab (https://secure.accessacs.com/access/login.aspx).

HOSPITAL LIST

"Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them. . . " James 5:13-14

March 25, 2018

Total Morning Attendance	. 1,08
Sunday School Attendance	740



If you are a stockholder in a closelyheld corporation, consider having the corporation make a gift to your church. For more information about BSUMC's Endowment Fund, contact

Julia Sibley-Jones (864-720-1634; julia.sibley-jones@bsumc.com), or visit the church website.

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHT

We tend to think that giving our money is a big deal, but it's actually God's training wheels for growing a generous heart. (Chip Ingram)

THIS WEEK AT BSUMC

Sunday, April 1, 2018

10:00 AM Chancel Choir Brunch (Truluck) 10:00 AM Confirmation Class (217)

10:00 AM Young Adults (District Office)

Monday, April 2, 2018

10:00 AM Worship Staff (115)

10:30 AM Mandy Bullock (Drake)

12:00 PM Scheduling Committee (115)

4:00 PM Rushingbrook Children's Choir (Choir Room)

6:00 PM Men's Basketball (Drake)

6:00 PM Staff-Parish Relations Committee (102)

6:15 PM Rushingbrook Singers (Sanctuary)

Tuesday, April 3, 2018

9:30 AM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)

10:30 AM CDC Chapel (Memorial Chapel)

10:30 AM Program Staff (102)

1:15 PM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)

5:30 PM Essential Christian Theology for Grown-Ups (301)

7:00 PM Young Adults Dinner (One Plaza)

8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous (217)

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

9:45 AM CDC 3K Music (Choir Room)

10:30 AM CDC 4K Music (Choir Room)

12:00 PM Music and Arts Ministry Board (Choir Room)

5:30 PM Carillon Choir (Handbell Room)

5:30 PM Circles (Sisk, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217)

6:30 PM BSA Troop 9 (Scout Hut)

6:45 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Thursday, April 5, 2018

9:30 AM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake)

12:00 PM Stewardship Committee (102)

12:00 PM The Way Bible Study (217)

1:15 PM Well-Balanced for Seniors (Drake) 4:00 PM Rushingbrook Children's Choir (Choir Room)

6:30 PM Eagle Review Board (Various)

Friday, April 6, 2018

4:00 PM CDC Afterschool Music (Choir Room)

8:00 PM Narcotics Anonymous (217)

Saturday, April 7, 2018

8:00 AM Basketball Tournament (Drake)

4:00 PM Worship Set-Up (Sisk)

To learn more about future events planned at BSUMC, visit our website at www.bsumc.com and click on the calendar link.

MIDWEEK DINNER — APRIL 4, 2018

There will not be a midweek dinner this week. Plan to join your church family for Bluegrass & BBQ at the Trinity Campus on April 11.

Donations by check given through the church must be made out to Buncombe Street United Methodist Church. If you wish your donation to go to a specific ministry, i.e. ZOE Ministry, it can be sent directly to the ministry or make the check out to Buncombe Street UMC indicating on the memo line how you wish your donation to be directed. The bank will not honor a deposit to the church account that is made out to another agency.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Please stop by the **Prayer Quilt** in the Sanctuary lobby to tie a knot and offer a silent prayer for **Bob McCleskey**.

Volunteer receptionists will be needed at the Trinity Campus for three to four weeks beginning on **April 11** to cover for administrative assistant Lynn Mangum, who will be out of the office on medical leave. Duties will primarily be limited to answering phones and maintaining a presence in the office during the morning business hours. If you can commit even to one day during this time, it will be most appreciated! For more information, please contact Lynn Mangum (*lynn.mangum@bsumc.com; 864-233-8114*).

Communion servers are needed in the traditional worship service the **first Sunday of each month**. If you are interested in serving at the 8:45 AM service, please contact Liz Philpot (864-380-859; liz@philpotlawfirm.com). If you are interested in serving at the 11:00 AM service, please contact Becky Barnhill (864-901-3274; rbarnhill@greenville.k12.sc.us).

Anyone who has an **interest in being involved in weddings** at either campus of BSUMC is welcome to attend a meeting in Room 102 on at 3:00 PM on **Tuesday, April 10**. The purpose is to educate prospective new volunteers and to discuss volunteer needs for upcoming weddings. Contact Stacy Phillips (*stacy.phillips@bsumc.com*; 864-371-6084) with any questions.

B-Street Women Ministry is partnering with **Fostering Great Ideas** to provide suitcases for foster children who often use trash bags to carry their possessions. You are invited to join in this mission project and provide a new carry-on size suitcase or a duffel bag so a child can "carry on" to their next placement with dignity. Contact Judy Brown (judylbrown5975@gmail.com). Donations may be left in Rev. Roy Mitchell's office.

It's baaaack — our weekly **Par 3 Twilight Golf**! This event is held weekly on Mondays at 6:00 PM at the Cross Winds Par 3 course. The 9-hole fee is \$9 per player. Play begins **Monday, April 16**, and will go through September 24, but will pause on May 28 (Memorial Day weekend), and September 3 (Labor Day weekend). This year we're planning to grab a bite to eat at Tipsy Taco after play. Come join in and invite a friend.

Compass Classes for prospective new members are planned next month. Session 1 will be offered at the Downtown Campus on Wednesday, April 18, or Sunday, April 22. Session 2 will be offered on Wednesday, April 25, at the Downtown Campus, or Sunday, April 29, at the Trinity Campus. All classes begin at 6:00 PM and finish at 7:30 PM. Childcare is available upon request. Registration is open on the church website (www.bsumc.info/compass).

BSUMC is sponsoring United Ministries' **Uniting for Change luncheon**, which will be held at the Hyatt Regency at 11:30 AM on **Thursday, April 19**. Kathryn Edin, author of **\$2.00 A Day – Living on Almost Nothing in America** will be the guest speaker. BSUMC has 20 spots at our tables, and guests will be invited to attend a meet-and-greet in Orders Parlor at 7:30 PM on **Wednesday April 18**. Please email Kristin Dollar (*Kristin.dollar@bsumc.com*) if you would like to attend.

Save the date for **B-Street's Greatest Show** on **Sunday, April 22**, from 5:00 to 6:30 PM. This church-wide talent show will be part of the all-day **"B-Street Bash"** sponsored by the youth ministry, and proceeds will go towards middle school and high school mission trips. (bstreetyouth.com/bash)

Attention, Women. You are invited to attend the **B-Street Women's Annual Spring Dinner** on **Thursday, April 26**, from 6:30 PM until 8:00 PM in Sisk Hall. The guest speaker will be Kathy Sheppard who will speak on "Spring Cleaning." Registration (\$15 per person) will begin on **Sunday, April 8**. Register in the Sanctuary lobby between services or online at https://tinyurl.com/bstwomenspringdinner.

Join us for **Bluegrass & BBQ** at the Trinity Campus on **Wednesday, April 11**, from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM. Delicious food will be available for purchase from two of the Upstate's finest food truck vendors — Wholy Smoke BBQ and Pink Mama's Ice Cream. The musical entertainment will be provided by the Young Appalachian Musicians group, The Sweet Potato Pie Kids.

A class for parents of **children to be baptized at BSUMC** in the coming months will be offered on **Sunday, April 15**, at 6:00 PM in Room 114. Childcare will be provided. If you have not attended a baptism class in the past, we encourage participation in order to understand the meaning, purpose, and practice of baptism in the United Methodist Church. Contact Stacy Phillips (*stacy.phillips@bsumc.com*; 864-371-6084) to register for this one-hour meeting.

A Family Picnic for Youth and Confirmand families will be held at Legacy Park on April 29 from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM. This event brings the current families of the youth together with the confirmands and their families. B-Street Youth will provide barbecue, paper goods, and utensils. We ask that everyone bring a two-liter or gallon beverage to share and chose either a side, salad, or dessert to share as well. Please use the Sign-Up Genius to let the planners know what you will bring (http://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054eacab2ca5f85-family).

You are invited to attend a **Dementia Workshop Lunch & Learn** on **Tuesday, May 8**, at the Trinity Campus. The presentation will be made by the Gardens at East Side. The cost of \$5 includes lunch. Registration will close on **May 5**. Please email Rev. Putnam to RSVP (*gputnam931@aol.com*).

If you like to travel, come join your church friends as we cross the big pond for a **trip to Germany and Austria**! The trip will be from **September 29 to October 14**. Call Larry Crane for more information (864-235-1013).

8:45AM & 11:00AM

As you begin your worship, you are invited to study the bulletin for persons and Remember the volunteers and staff members who make our corpor musicians, clergy, and yourself, so that in ou

PRELUDE

GREETING

CHIMING THE HOUR

VOLUNTARY An Easter Fanfare setting, Giomo

We ask for your prayerful silence during the Voluntary as you prepare your hearts for worship.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

UMH 302

The cross symbolizes the Gospel message, Christ crucified and risen. Fire and light are Biblical symbols for the presence of God, here present with his people.

*Collect of the Day

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: Grant that we, who celebrate with joy the day of the Lord's resurrection, may be raised from the death of sin by your life-giving Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*PSALTER

Psalm 118:1-2, 14-15, 19-24

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever.

Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever!"

The Lord is my strength and my might; he has become my salvation.

There are glad songs of victory in the tents of the righteous.

Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

*GLORIA PATRI UMH 71

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.

First Lesson Isaiah 25:6-9 Pew Bible, OT p. 652

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PASTORAL PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*OFFERTORY HYMN He Lives UMH 310

TRADITIONAL SERVICES

d activities to include in your silent prayers of intercession and thanksgiving. rate action possible: ushers, acolytes, custodial and support staff, Ir common worship, God may be glorified.

*Offertory Prayer

OFFERTORY "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" with "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus"

setting, Courtney

*Doxology UMH 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Anthem

To the Lamb on the Throne

Forrest

Worthy the Lamb. Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim, and publish abroad his wonderful name.
The name all-victorious of Jesus extol; his kingdom is glorious and rules over all. Worthy the Lamb.
"Salvation to God who sits on the throne!" let all cry aloud, and honor the Son.
The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim, fall down on their faces and worship the Lamb. Worthy the Lamb.
God rules in the height, almighty to save; though hid from our sight, his presence we have.
The great congregation his triumph shall sing, ascribing salvation to Jesus our King. Worthy the Lamb.
Then let us adore and give him his right, all glory and power, all wisdom and might.
All honor and blessing with angels above, and thanks never ceasing and infinite love. Worthy the Lamb.

*GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 16:1-8

Pew Bible, NT pp. 54-55

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"Resurrection Day!"

Dr. Howell

*Affirmation of Faith

Apostles' Creed

UMH 881

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 Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Recessional Hymn

Up From the Grave He Arose

UMH 322

The cross and light lead us out — God's presence going with us to proclaim the Gospel.

*BLESSING OF THE PEOPLE

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

"Hallelujah" Chorus from Messiah

Handel

*CHIMING THE TRINITY

Postlude

Praise the Lord with the Drums and Cymbals

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BUNCOMBE STREET EASTER ENSEMBLE

Brian Garland, trumpet Jordan Chase, horn Gary Robinson, timpani Anthony Romagnuolo, trumpet Joe Hughes, trombone Linda Davis, bass trombone

We are grateful to members of the Carillon Choir for ringing in worship this morning.



8:45 AM & 11:00 AM CONTEMPORARY SERVICES

All are welcomed for worship in Sisk Hall

"Using Our Scars for His Glory" Rev. Justin Gilreath

John 20:24-29

