

Riverlawn Presbyterian Church
Expressing Our Love to God in Worship
April 13, 2025 — 10:30 am Service
Palm Sunday

Chris Kilbert, Pastor
Pam Johnson, Choir Director/Organist
Linda Wilson, Liturgist
Anita Stonestreet, Pianist

Joining in Worship

Prelude *All Creatures of Our God and King* arr. Lockaby
Duet: Molly Page and Kaitlyn Wilcoxon

Singing Praise *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* #297

***Confessing Our Sins**

***Receiving Forgiveness**

Giving Back to God
Offertory *Simple Gifts* Shaker Melody
Soloist: Betty King

***Doxology**

Cantata: Whispers of the Passion

***Singing Praise** *All Glory, Laud and Honor* #300

Receiving God's Blessing

Postlude *Majesty* arr. Carter

(We ask that you please remain in your pews until our acolytes have extinguished the candles and the Postlude has ended. Thank you.)

*Congregation please stand if able.

There will be no Junior Church today. Children are welcome to remain in the sanctuary for the service and the presentation of the cantata.

We ask that you please turn off your cell phones/mobile devices for the duration of the worship service. This will greatly reduce the likelihood of losing the broadcast for those worshipping with us virtually. Thank you for your part in helping us provide every opportunity for our church family and beyond to worship the Lord together.

GUESTS

We are glad that you could worship with us today! We hope you will join us again!

FELLOWSHIP

Please join us in the gym for refreshments and fellowship after the service today.

***Sunday School** for both children (ages Pre-K—5th grade), (6th grade—12th grade) and adults begins at 9:30 a.m.

***Deacons will meet** after service today to prepare shut-in Easter baskets.

***Join us this Wednesday for Family Night** beginning at 5:30. Dinner will be pizza, salad and dessert. After dinner at 6:15, there will be an Eggs-stravaganza Easter Egg Hunt and crafts for all ages. Hopping you will join us and invite your friends!!

***Romans Small Group Study** is canceled this week.

***Choir Rehearsal** will be Thursday at 7pm.

***Good Friday Tenebrae** - Join us for a special time of worship on April 18th, at 7:00pm. The service of Tenebrae progresses from light to dark. As each candle is extinguished, it symbolizes the shadows that surrounded Jesus and the Cross. Choir will meet Friday at 6:40.

***Come worship the Risen Christ!** Join us for The St. Albans Easter Sunrise service next Sunday, April 20 at 7:00am at **Cunningham Memorial Park**, the Upper Mausoleum.

***Join us at 10:30 Easter morning** to worship our Risen Savior and participate in the flowering of the cross.

***One Great Hour of Sharing**—Join with Presbyterians worldwide in sharing God's love with our neighbors-in-need around the world by providing relief from natural disasters, food for the hungry, and support for the poor and oppressed.

Riverlawn Presbyterian Church strives to:

Purge ourselves of pride by focusing on glorifying God
Teach the truth through fellowship & discipleship
Demonstrate a life of love through service to others
Share the gospel of Jesus Christ with those in need

Purge Pride, Teach Truth, Live Love
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### **Nurturing Faith**

**April 13:** Palm/Passion Sunday Today begins Holy Week, when we remember the events between Jesus' entry into Jerusalem to this death of the cross before his resurrection. On Thursday, we celebrate Maundy Thursday, the night when Jesus gave his disciples a new commandment – to love one another. Make a list of ways you can show your love to your family members this week and do so.

#### **JUNIOR CHURCH**

No Junior Church today.

#### **TODDLER NURSERY/PRE-SCHOOL**

Sharon Herndon

#### **BUILDING SECURITY**

Week of April 13 – Pat Croghan

Week of April 20—Ron Claar

#### **AFTER-CHURCH LOCK-UP**

April—Mimi Albert and Mary Reppert

#### **VISITATION TEAMS**

Week of April 13 – Pastor Chris (304- 539-1514)

Week of April 20 – Mary Reppert (304-419-2755) / Sharon Herndon (304-444-2071)

#### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Brittany Ragle (Mimi Albert); Cathy Lothes (Jane Lothes); Pam Mullins (Paul Mullins); Shirley Hyatt (Larry Hyatt); Jeana Meadows/JJ Callaghan/Michael Burton/Vikki Williams/Randy Fizer (Wanda Smith); Jason Haught (Gayle Michael); Ruth Watts (Anne Giersch); Beth Ann Taylor (Kathy Barnes); Sherry Ellis; Kay Craigo/Tony Craigo/Niki Michels (Susan Bryan); Phyllis Kellam/Betty Steen (Doris Kellam); Joanna Keller; Jill Snyder; Joe Lothes; Missy Sneed; Carroll Miller; Dale Dodrill (Randy Dodrill); Darrell Williams (Mary Kathren Watson); Robin Burnam; Eddie Mcfall (Linda Ross' son); Mike VonDuben (Gayle Michael); Greg Cook; Kathy Barnes; Arlis Miller (Joe Lothes); Gretna Michels (Susan Bryan); Angel Grover (Brenda Petry); Lori Goodwin (Brenda Petry); Elizabeth Thompson (Bill Bryan); Janet Young; Mick Hughes (Caroline Dodrill); and for the Global Church that we may embody the gospel to all.

Prayer list for churches of WV Presbytery and our Nyeri partnership church of the week of **April 13:** Church: Gathaith; Parrish: Gura; Elk Hills Presbyterian Church, Charleston; Glenville Presbyterian Church.

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