



The Link

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**SIGHT,
SOUND
AND
SILENCE: STILL LENT**

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

April 7, 2019 ❖ The Fifth Sunday in Lent

Epistle Lesson: Ephesians 1:15-23

Gospel Lesson: John 9:1-7

Sermon: "Sights of Faith"

Chancel Choir Anthems:

"Be Thou My Vision" - arr. Sorrenson

"Open Thou My Eyes" - Rutter

Midweek Lenten Service

April 10 - Noon

First United Methodist Church

Rev. Terry Williams, preaching

A light luncheon will follow the service.

THIS I BELIEVE: DEVOTIONS FOR A LENTEN JOURNEY

This year's devotions focus on the beliefs which guide our thoughts and actions. We invite you to reflect on your life and consider sharing a story which illustrates what you've come to believe, how you reached these beliefs, and how your beliefs have grown or changed through the years.



COMMUNITY TEA(L) PARTY TO BENEFIT MY SISTER'S HOUSE

A community tea part will be held at Benvenue Country Club on Sunday, April 7 from 2:00-4:00 p.m. Tickets are \$20 and all proceeds benefit My Sister's House. For more information, call Emily or Stacie at 252-316-8444.

My Sister's House offers empowerment support groups for domestic violence and sexual assault survivors. For information call Dalena Raya @ 252-316-8444.

CHRISTIAN MEN'S FELLOWSHIP HOME TELETHON

Tune into WHIG on Sunday afternoon, April 7, to support the Christian Men's Fellowship Home as they raise funds for their ministry. Our Alleluia Choir will sing between 2:00-2:30 p.m.

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:

The University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Ed Astin

At Home:

Hazel and Alfred Ayscue, 5031 Brassfield Drive (03)

Leo Bishop, 3801 Woodlawn Road (04)

Clayton Brown (Doris Booth's brother), 2609 Tyler Rd., Chesapeake, VA 23321

Anne Chappell, 1129 Strawbush Road (04)

John Covolo, 3637 Litchfield Drive (03)

Anne Crane, 5105 Corner Rock Drive, Rolesville, NC 27571

Bill Etheridge, 7298 Billy-Buck Lane (03)

Scott Farber (Patty Schirman's brother), 11218 S. Utah, Davenport, Iowa 52802

Chris Glasgow, 408 Piedmont Avenue (03)

Ed Harris (Connie Griffin's brother), 108 Edinborough Court (03)

Ethel Hines, 125 Cobblestone Court (04)

Wayne Macklin, PO Box 217, Red Oak, NC 27868

Erin McAuliffe, 34 Winders Creek (04)

Linda Millar, 8 Golden Eye Cove (04)

Harlon Mosely, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)

Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)

Louise Riddick, 1221 Cheshire Lane (03)

David Ozment (Debbie and Tim Ozment's son), 1249 Green Tee Lane (04)

Michael Riley (Brenda Culpepper's son)

Tim Sawyer, 2409 Winstead Road (04)

Jean Smith, 23 Weatherstone Drive (04)

Joe Stanton, PO Box 41, Nashville, NC 27856

Nancy Stewart, 106 Ballyhoo Street, Georgetown, SC 29440

Rita Strickland, 71 Shearwater Court, Georgetown, SC 29440

Sandy Thorpe, Wrightsville Beach, NC

Brent Tyndall, 1730 River Birch Hollow, Tallahassee, FL 32308

Our Members-at-Home

Virginia Cobb, 1111 Main Street #305, Danville, VA 24541

Carlton Kimbro, Liberty Commons, 121 Racine Drive, Wilmington, NC 28403

Grace Monroe, 3752 Loblolly Drive (04)

Audrey Scarboro, 724 York Street (03)

Dear Lakeside Family,

Throughout the last several months I have been comforted by your cards, calls, and conversations filled with well-wishes and encouragement. Your expressions of love and caring have been a true blessing and aided in my healing and recovery. Than you for your love and friendship.

Fondly, Stancil Barnes

I appreciate all of the visits, cards, calls, food, and prayers during my recent illness. I still have time to go with healing, but I am so much better and look forward to coming back as soon as I can.

Love, Anne Chappell

We offer our sympathy to Judy Wallace and her family in the death of her son, Price Cherry, on March 31. A service to celebrate his life will be held at Lakeside on Saturday, April 6, at 2:00 p.m.

We offer our sympathy to Tim and Debbie Ozment and their family in the death of his mother, Agnes Ozment, on April 1 in Greensboro, NC.

YOUTH NEWS

Let's go bowling! This Sunday we will meet at church at 3:00 p.m. and go out to the Bowling Center. Bring \$10. Friends are welcome to join us.

It's time to begin planning for summer activities: Youth helpers are needed for VBS June 10-14 (Be sure to register by the May 16 deadline); Please return registration forms and fees for Gatekeepers by 5:00 p.m on May 31. See you all on Sunday.
Elizabeth

VBS EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION

Register online for VBS at <https://goodshepherdrmt.org/vbs-registration/>. Early Bird registration for members of participating churches ends April 15. Then, registration will be open to the community through May 30. Classes may fill up!

CANDY FOR PALM SUNDAY

The Children's Committee needs small, individually wrapped candies (no hard candy) for our Easter Egg Hunt on Palm Sunday. Chocolate should be in a sealed package that will not leak if it melts (no foil wrap, please). Please bring the candy to the office by Wednesday, April 10.

SPRING BOOK STUDY

In a world of division and misunderstanding, is it possible to have meaningful conversation and maintain friendships when you disagree with someone? Our next small group study will explore how to live together and learn from one another. A new book titled *I Think You're Wrong But I'm Listening: A Guide to Grace-Filled Political Conversation* by Sarah Stewart Holland and Beth Silver will guide our discussion. The five-week study begins on Tuesday, April 30, at 7:00 p.m. and Wednesday, May 1, at 10:00 a.m. Books are \$15 each and will be available in the church office soon. Please contact the church office to sign up and invite a friend!

MUSIC NOTES

The Cherub and Alleluia choirs will sing in worship on Palm Sunday. Rehearsal will be in the sanctuary at 9:15 a.m. The Lakeside Ringers will lead us in worship on Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday.
Amy

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - Sheila Whitley and John Derbyshire

Ushers - Group I, Grady Pittman, Captain

Crucifer - Spencer Edwards; Acolyte - Anna Adkins

Nursery - Alicia Hamrick; Extended Session - Catherine Matlack

Audio Booth Volunteer - Don Raper

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2019 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$609,228

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$11,716	\$152,307
Through March 31	\$9,280	\$129,092
Variance	-\$2,436	-\$23,215

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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, April 4

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom

Sunday, April 7

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer

11:00 a.m. Worship

12:15 p.m. Cherub and Alleluia Choirs Rehearsal and Lunch, Youth Room

1:00 p.m. Preschool through 2nd Grade Activities, Preschool Building

2:00 p.m. Alleluia Choir on WHIG for Christian Fellowship Home Telethon

3:00 p.m. Youth Depart for Bowling

5:00 p.m. Flute Choir Rehearsal

Monday, April 8

7:00 p.m. WMU Group 10, Parlor

Wednesday, April 10

12:00 p.m. Lenten Service and Luncheon, First United Methodist Church

6:30 p.m. Lakeside Ringers Rehearsal

7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 11

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor

3:30 p.m. heARTw♥rks, Children's Classroom

PALM SUNDAY LUNCHEON

Following worship on April 14, we will enjoy a covered dish luncheon in Robbins Hall. The church will provide fried chicken and drinks. You are asked to bring additional casseroles, vegetables, fruits, or desserts to share. An Easter Egg Hunt for all children will follow the meal.