

NO JESUS, NO PEACE KNOW JESUS, KNOW PEACE

CALENDAR

SUNDAY	11AM-12PM	WORSHIP SERVICE
SUNDAY	12PM-1PM	CONGREGATIONAL LUNCHEON
SUNDAY	630PM-730PM	STEPPING STONES GROUP
SUNDAY	8PM-9PM	TROLLEY SQUARE LITERATURE GROUP
1ST MONDAY	6PM-7PM	HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS GROUP
MONDAYS	730PM-830PM	THE SIMPLICITY GROUP
2ND & 4TH TUESDAYS	11AM-1PM	LYDIA'S LUNCH (WOMEN'S STUDY)
WEDNESDAY	9AM-1130AM	BLUE ROCK CHORUS
WEDNESDAY	530PM-630PM	FIRST STOP WEDNESDAY GROUP
WEDNESDAY	7PM-8PM	MORE WILL BE REVEALED GROUP
4TH THURSDAYS	7PM-8PM	SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR
THURSDAY	8PM-9PM	TROLLEY SQUARE LITERATURE GROUP
FRIDAY	530PM-630PM	FIRST STOP FRIDAY GROUP
1ST SATURDAY	10AM-12PM	NA COMMITTEE GROUP MEETING
SATURDAY	11AM-3PM	TOWER TREASURES THRIFT SHOP

OUR MISSION

REVIVE, RENEW AND EXTEND THE TRADITIONAL CONGREGATION AND
EXPLORE ALTERNATIVE CHRISTIAN FORMS TO EQUIP PARTICIPANTS TO
LEAD THE NEIGHBORHOOD INTO GOD'S DREAM FOR OUR HUMAN
COMMUNITY: LOVE, PEACE, CHARITY, MERCY, FORGIVENESS,
OPPORTUNITY AND JUSTICE.

SUNDAYS AT ELEVEN
WILL GET YOU CLOSER
TO HEAVEN



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Easter Sunday
March 31, 2024

CALL TO WORSHIP:

WORSHIP LEADER

(Liturgist) The tomb is dark, but empty

(All) **The one you are looking for has overcome the darkness**

(Liturgist) The stone has been rolled away

(All) **The one you are looking for has overcome death.**

(Liturgist) The burial clothes are put aside

(All) **The one you are looking for is alive!**

(Liturgist) Christ is Risen!

(All) **Christ is Risen Indeed!**

(All) **Let us worship our Risen Savior!**

OPENING HYMN*: NO. 177 – HE IS LORD

1ST SCRIPTURE READING: 1 CORINTHIANS 15:1-11

Now I would remind you, brothers and sisters, of the good news that I proclaimed to you, which you in turn received, in which also you stand, through which also you are being saved, if you hold firmly to the message that I proclaimed to you--unless you have come to believe in vain. For I handed on to you as of first importance what I in turn had received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the scriptures, and that he was buried, and that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, then to the twelve. Then he appeared to more than five hundred brothers and sisters at one time, most of whom are still alive, though some have died. Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles. Last of all, as to one untimely born, he appeared also to me. For I am the least of the apostles, unfit to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God. But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me has not been in vain. On the contrary, I worked harder than any of them--though it was not I, but the grace of God that is with me. Whether then it was I or they, so we proclaim and so you have come to believe.

2ND SCRIPTURE READING*: MARK 16:1-8

When the sabbath was over, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they

went to the tomb. They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man, dressed in a white robe, sitting on the right side; and they were alarmed. But he said to them, "Do not be alarmed; you are looking for Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has been raised; he is not here. Look, there is the place they laid him. But go, tell his disciples and Peter that he is going ahead of you to Galilee; there you will see him, just as he told you." So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them; and they said nothing to any one, for they were afraid.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN*: NO. 314 – IN THE GARDEN

SERMON: REVEREND DARIUS BROWN, PASTOR

OFFERING: REVEREND DARIUS BROWN, PASTOR

OFFERTORY*: THE DOXOLOGY NO.95

PRAISE GOD, FROM WHOM ALL BLES-SINGS FLOW; PRAISE HIM, ALL CREA-TURES HERE BE-LOW; PRAISE HIM A-BOVE, YE HEAVEN-LY HOST; PRAISE FA-THER, SON, AND HO-LY GHOST. A-MEN.

CLOSING HYMN*: NO. 310 – HE LIVES

BENEDICTION:

(IN UNISON)

(All) **Because the tomb is empty, your life can be full, so go into every place and every day as people brimming with the love of God. Be graceful in spirit, hopeful in word, faithful in deed. Live for the risen Christ as Christ lives in you. Alleluia and Amen!**

Please respond in bold.

* Standing, if comfortable and able.

Liturgist: Mrs. Deborah C Lloyd

Musician: Mr. Anthony Davis Jr

Mt. Salem Operating Income vs. Expense (Please Support the Church!)

