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Requiem for the Living
DAN FORREST



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8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Worship Services

March 30, 2014



The Mission of St. James is to:

"Follow Jesus. Love Others. Change the World."

Enter To Worship

Depart To Serve

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP

March 30, 2014

But about the resurrection of the dead—have you not read what God said to you, “I am the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob?” He is not the God of the dead, but of the living.

Matthew 22:31-32

THE OPENING VOLUNTARY

Introit-Kyrie

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord,
And let perpetual light shine upon them.
Hear my prayer, for unto Thee all flesh shall come.
Lord have mercy; Christ have mercy; Lord have mercy.

*THE WELCOME

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.

WORSHIPING GOD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

The Offertory

Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts
Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory.
Hosanna in the highest!

*The Doxology No. 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.

*THE APOSTLES' CREED No. 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.

*THE GLORIA PATRI “Glory Be to the Father” No. 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.

THE GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 23:34-38
p. 26 NRSV

Vanitas Vanitatum

Vanity of vanities, all is vanity!
Merciful Lord Jesus, grant them rest.
Full of tears, he said,
Let the day perish wherein I was born.

THE PSALTER Psalm 130 No. 848
Response

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Revelation 7:14b-17
p. 250 NRSV

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
Have mercy on us; grant them rest.
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,
Grant us peace; have mercy on us; grant them rest.

THE GOSPEL LESSON John 16:20-24
pp. 110-111 NRSV

Lux Aeterna

May light eternal shine upon them, O Lord,
In the company of Thy saints forever; for Thou art merciful.
Let perpetual light shine on them.

Come unto me, all ye who labor and are heavy laden,
And I will give you rest.
Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord,
And let perpetual light shine upon them.
Grant us peace.

*THE BENEDICTION AND CHARGE

*THE CLOSING VOLUNTARY Scheidt
"Christ lag in Todesbanden"

Congregation stands, as you are able

**Give to One Great Hour of Sharing
so that UMCOR can respond to Disasters. Thank you for
supporting One Great Hour of Sharing with your gift today.**

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by the Life
Enrichment Living Water Class.

St. James United Methodist Church Choir

Jeffrey Ward, conductor
Frances Cain, organ

Lee Adams	Landon Digh	John McDonald	Larry Talbert
Karen Army	David Dosser	John Olsson	Steven Vinolas
Kate Avery	Cheryl Esarey	Woody Peele	Michele Ward
Cayla Bryson	Kyle Harner	Mark Richardson	Cindy Watson
John Tyler	Brittany Kaehler	Alise Rowan	Carol Wigent
Brumfield	Chris Larson	Dane Sergeant	Don Wigent
Debbie Creech	Laura Little	Lanie Shive	Rachel Webb
		Katherine Swank	Amanda Whitmore

St. James United Methodist Church Orchestra

Christine Gustafson, flute
Margaret Amy, oboe
Mary Burroughs, horn
Vanda Darr, harp
Jonathan Fick, percussion
Chris Ellis, violin
Wendy Bissinger, cello
Frances Cain, organ

The Ministers and the Congregation extend their sympathy to.....

.....Randy and Vickie Davis on the death of Vicky's father, Perry Turner.
.....Paul and Carrie Cornwell on the death of Carrie's father.
Please keep these families in your prayers.

Baptized today at the 9:00 am worship service will be Charles Guy Medlin who was born on June 6, 2012. He is the son of Clay and Karen Medlin.



JOIN or Donate to THE TEAM ONLINE AT
<http://www.relayforlife.org/pittnc>

“St James UMC - Walking in the Light” Team

April 4th and 5th at 6:00 pm at South Central High School

For more information, please contact: Lora or Anna Joyner 252-531-7481 or 252-414-9122 or email: lora.joyner@suddenlink.net

“The Third Day”.....ATTENTION SINGERS! The Third Day is an Easter musical written by Rev. Scott Wilkinson. It is going to be performed at the Greenville Civic Center, June 13, as a part of the 2014 Annual Conference (general public is welcome). Former cast members from St. James UMC are invited to return, as well as new recruits. If you are a singer and would like to be part of a cast of 50+ in a musical dramatization of the resurrection of Christ, come join the excitement! There are 7 rehearsals, beginning Saturday, April 5, from 10:00-11:15 AM, in the choir room here at St. James. For more information contact Scott Wilkinson at 916-6808 orscottandvickie@suddenlink.net.

EASTER LILIES

On Easter Sunday, April 20, we will have lilies in the sanctuary and in the Christian Life Ministry Center, placed there in honor or memory of loved ones. The cost of a lily is \$10.00. As an alternative to purchasing a lily, you may choose to donate an amount to the St. James Discretionary Fund which will help meet the need of families in the community. Easter Lily Dedications and checks (made payable to St. James UMC and marked "Easter Lily") must be received in the church office **BY APRIL 4TH**. We must place our order early due to limited availability from our supplier.



Please print clearly:

_____ Number of lilies (\$10.00 each)

_____ Leave for church use _____ Pick up after worship service

_____ Amount donated to Discretionary Fund

In Honor of _____

In Memory of _____

_____ To the Glory of God

Given by: _____

Men's Event – Seven Days In Utopia....Men of St. James—Save the Date! Invite a Friend....April 3rd is a Dinner and Movie Event for men. For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact Tim Corley (412-8598) or Todd Mitchum (917-3651).

Acolyte Training.....Join us on Wednesday, April 2nd at 6:15 PM or Sunday, April 6th at 10 AM in the Sanctuary.

Spring Fling –The trailers have arrived and are ready for your donated treasures! The trailers will be open everyday from 8:00 am to dark.

Bazaar Time: Spring Fling.....Put your thinking caps on and let your artistic abilities shine. If you have an idea for a workshop, please call Lindy Daughtry at 252 916 7898.

Spring Fling: Plants Needed!!!..... If you know that you have plants to donate (regardless of whether or not they are ready for pick up), please contact Kimberly Hairston at (252)717-4839.

Change of Home Telephone Number.....Rev. Johnny Branch has changed his home telephone number to 252 364 8070.

Calendar Events as of 3/27/14

Sunday	March 30	Wednesday	April 2
	One Great Hour of Offering	10:00 am	In Stitches
8:45 am	Worship Service	12:00 pm	Who Is My Neighbor?: Lectio Divina with Luke
9:00 am	ConneXion Worship Svc.	5:00 pm	Weekday Communion Svc.
9:30 am	Choir Breakfast	5:30 pm	TGIW Dinner
9:45 am	Living Water Classes		Circuit Riders
11:00 am	Worship Service	6:15 pm	Asbury Choir Rehearsal
11:11 am	ConneXion Worship Svc.		Bridge Builders
3:00 pm	Bluegrass/Country/Gospel Music Jam Workshop		Disciple I
	Dance Ministry: K-6th Grade Rehearsal		Visual Learning
3:30 pm	Basketball	6:30 pm	Wednesday Women
5:00 pm	Dance Ministry: 7th Grade and Beyond		Confirmation
7:00 pm	Vespers	7:30 pm	ConneXion Worship Team
Monday	March 31		St. James Ringer Rehearsal
10:00 am	Writing to Find Yourself		Chancel Choir Rehearsal
10:30 am	Prayer Shawl Ministry	8:30 pm	ConneXion Band
6:00 pm	ConneXion Band		ConneXion Vocalist
6:30 pm	Leadership Development	Thursday	ConneXion Run Through
	Prayer Shawl Ministry	9:30 am	Food Pantry
	St. James Jammers		Truth Seekers
7:00 pm	Groome Small Group	6:00 pm	Seven Days in Utopia Men's Event
	GriefShare	6:30 pm	Cub Scout Pack 340
	Boy Scout Troop 340	Friday	April 4
	UMW Executive Board	5:00 pm	Prayers for Peace
Tuesday	April 1	7:00 pm	Relay for Life
9:45 am	UMW Circle #5		elevate
12:00 pm	Praying the Names of God		WILD 1's
	UMW Circle #2	Saturday	April 5
3:30 pm	St. James Prayer Team		Relay for Life
6:00 pm	In Stitches	10:00 am	The Third Day Rehearsal
6:15 pm	Disciple II: Into the Word, Into the World		
7:00 pm	Who Is My Neighbor? Lectio Divina with Luke		
7:30 pm	Basketball		

The next newsletter will be printed on Tuesday, April 15th and information for that newsletter needs to be submitted to the church office no later than 5:00 pm on Wednesday April 9th. Thank you for your cooperation!

Bluegrass/Country/Gospel Jam Workshop..... Please join us in the CLMC on March 30th from 3:00 - 4:30 pm for a Bluegrass/Country/Gospel music workshop. We'll learn together, play together, and enjoy the music we make together. If you need to borrow an instrument, call Sam Weatherly at (252) 902-6721. Please register for either or both workshops by calling the church office at (252) 752-6154.

More information on all future events can be found in your newsletter or at stjconnect.org.