

PRAYER LIST

as of March 31, 2026

Those Who Grieve

Family & friends of *Bob McGowan
*Linda Todd & family in the death of her son,
Andy Simpkins

Brought to Our Attention

Dan Anderson & family *Wendell Lotz
*Wanda Loving
Patricia Arribas Stacey Lynch
Jason Babcock Kathy Mader
Jim Bair Ben Majors
*Jacqueline Bangura & family Terrance Malone
Ellen Martinez
Andrew & Bri Barth Jason McArthur
Ryan Bilbrey *Tom McGrew
Rob Blahauvietz Carolyn McLaughlin
*Lois Bondesen Brian Merrell
Will Bratton Kevin & Kristy Milton
Dana Brian *Bob & *Cynthia
Sandra Burfitt Moore
Lindsey Cameron *Rachel Morrell family
*Sally Carey *Lynn & *Linda Morris
Jill Chance *Debbie Muller &
Jack Clark & family family
*Mary Clayton Ken Murray
*Bob Collins *Jane Neff
Kelli Cox *Burt Newman
Peggy Crutcher Sara Nichols
*Calvin & *Jeanette Dale Randy O'Bryan
Elizabeth Victoria Pamela
Davis Matt Phelan
Family of Steve Lynn Pike
DiGiulio *Cindy Porter
Phillip Drone *Don Russell
Erin Earhart Family & friends of
Kathi Eaton Bobby Rutledge
Tyler Faris Carlene Schnide
*Tom Freeland *Carole Shutty
Larry Gilpin Jason Smith
*Jim Grant Sterling Smith
Phil Green Pastor Jay Strother
*George & *Wini Helen Thomas
Grizzle Kristin Thomas
*Joe Grosson Chuck & Julianne
Haizel & family Thompson
Kristin Helms Family & friends of
Family of Ronald *Betty Thurston
Everett Holloway Ann Tribble & family
Marty Horn Andres Correa
GraceLynn James Valderama
Sue Jeter Steven Wallace
Arlan Johnson Sam Ward
Frances Jones Chip Watchek
Alyssa Kelly *Martha Wells
Greg & Dee Kelly Cynthia Wenger
Eva Kohl Linda Williams
Caroline Lantz Sue Williams
Gayle Loflin Cliff Wright, Jr.

Partners in Hope

(members journeying through cancer)
Libby Battle Lisa McAllister
Bethany Bradford Kristi Morrow
Daniel Cage Chris Riddle
Faye Comstock Lexi Rogers
Sandra Curtis Maudene Rutledge
Beth Ellis Beverly Tudor
Cathy Harper Susan Wooten

Active Military Duty

*Patrick Melton

*Indicates Member of BUMC

Submit a prayer request using the red card in the pew racks or at bumc.net/prayer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER LILY PICKUP

Today, after the 11 a.m. Easter Service

If you dedicated an Easter lily, please plan to pick it up after the 11 a.m. service. You can also pick up your lily tomorrow, April 6, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

UPON THIS ROCK: A PREMIERE CONCERT

Next Sunday, April 12, 4 p.m., Sanctuary

Come celebrate our renovated Sanctuary and 175 years of BUMC with a special dedication concert! The concert will debut two commissioned works with performances by our Chancel Choir, Youth Choir, BUMC Ringers, and JoySound Orchestra. A silent auction benefiting the Youth Choir will be set up in the ELC and Haney Hall Breezeways throughout the day, with bidding ending prior to the concert. Learn more at bumc.net/events

FAST FOOD PROM: UNDER THE SEA

Wednesday, April 22, 6-7:30 p.m., Youth Area

Youth are invited to BUMC Student Ministry's Fast Food Prom! We will head to a few fast food spots for dinner and then dance the night away with Just Dance at the church. Don't forget to wear your best prom attire!

FATHER-DAUGHTER DANCE

April 24, 6:30-8 p.m., Haney Hall

Dads and daughters of all ages are invited to this year's Boots and Bling Father-Daughter Dance! Put on your cowboy boots and throw on your bling for a fun-filled night of line dancing, desserts and special dad and daughter moments. Registration is \$40 per family. Register at bumc.net/events

SPRING CLEANING FOR A GOOD CAUSE

April 26, 8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.,

Join Creation Care and the Refugee & Migrant Ministry for a day of donation supporting Connecting Kindness. ThriftSmart will have a truck on campus to collect your items. For every 10 pounds of donated goods, \$1 is earned on a ThriftSmart store gift card and will be gifted to Connecting Kindness to directly support Nashville refugee and migrant families. Learn more at bumc.net/events

FIGHT AGAINST FALLS!

May 5, 1-2 p.m., Haney Hall

Join Senior Fitness instructor Leslie Roberts for a workshop learning strategies and exercises to improve your balance, strength, and coordination that will reduce risks of a fall. The event is free. Register at bumc.net/events

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 22-25

Registration closes May 31

Current Kindergarten through 5th graders are invited to a fun-filled week of games, music, new friends, and meaningful encounters with God. The cost is \$20. Register at bumc.net/events. Volunteers can sign up at bumc.net/serve. If you have any questions, contact Olivia Davis at odavis@bumc.net

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Our Stephen Ministers are members of BUMC who are trained to provide confidential one-to-one care to anyone needing support through a difficult journey. Stephen Ministers typically meet weekly with their care receivers for one hour to offer listening and prayer. If you are interested in learning more about this ministry, reach out to our Caring Ministries team at caringministries@bumc.net

MODERN WORSHIP

APRIL 5, 2026 | 9:30 A.M. | SANCTUARY

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| *OPENING SONG | <i>Glorious Day</i> | |
| A WORD OF WELCOME | | Dr. Davis Chappell |
| *SONGS OF WORSHIP | <i>Overcome</i> <i>Mercy Tree</i> | |
| *AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881 | | Rev. Weslee Hill |
| PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER | | Rev. Adam Jones |
| *SCRIPTURE READING: MARK 16:1-8 (NRSV) | | Dr. Davis Chappell |
| SERMON | <i>An Open Ending</i> | |
| CALL FOR THE OFFERING | | Rev. Adam Jones |
| OFFERTORY | <i>Ain't No Grave</i> | |
| *BENEDICTION | | Dr. Davis Chappell |
| *DEPARTING MUSIC | | |

*stand as you are able

Band Leader: Ashton Gibbs
Band Members: Tim Hickman; Ethan Merry; Victor Gonzalez; Jacob Grandy; Holly Shepherd
Paraments: The color white is employed during Easter symbolizing the purity of the risen Christ. The sudden joy of white provides a sharp contrast to the dark colors of the preceding week.

The chancel flowers are presented to the glory of God in loving memory of Pat and Russell Higgins by the Higgins family.

The rosebuds on the altar are presented in honor and celebration of the birth of Emerson Catherine Jones, daughter of Devon & Ryan Jones, and the birth of John-Robert Lynch Orr, son of Kate & Sean Orr.

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

If you are a first time visitor or have visited a few times and are ready to get involved, we invite you to fill out one of the purple cards in front of you and place it in the offering tray so we can connect with you and share opportunities for involvement.



SCAN HERE TO:

give online,
see upcoming events,
learn about our ministries,
and more!

COMMUNION OFFERING

This month's communion offering will support the work of our Creation Care Team, who educate, inspire, and lead efforts to restore and faithfully steward God's creation. You can give to the Communion offering all month long at bumc.net/give

OPERATIONAL GIVING UPDATE*

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| LAST WEEK | \$84,458 |
| YEAR TO DATE | \$1,464,081 |
| 2026 BUDGET | \$7,225,178 |

*as of March 29, 2026



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TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

APRIL 5, 2026 | 8 & 11 A.M. | SANCTUARY

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

VOLUNTARY

An Easter Celebration

arr. Joel Raney

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Christ is risen!

People: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Leader: Come, people of God, and see the empty tomb.

People: Death has been defeated. Christ is alive!

Leader: The stone has been rolled away.

People: Hope is alive and new life has begun.

Leader: Let us worship the God who raises the dead.

People: We come with joy to celebrate the risen Lord. Alleluia!

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 302

EASTER HYMN, arr. Douglas J. Benton

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today (stanzas 1-4)

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 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.

*GLORIA PATRI 70

Glory Be to the Father

MEINEKE

ACT OF PRAISE (11:00)

O Clap Your Hands

John Rutter

A WORD OF WELCOME

Dr. Davis Chappell

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

PRAYER RESPONSE (8:00)

Stuart Townend / arr. Grant Wall

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

James Wells & Jenna Elsberry, soloists

*SCRIPTURE READING: MARK 16:1-8 (NRSV)

Dr. Davis Chappell

¹ 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. ² And very early on the first day of the week, when the sun had risen, they went to the tomb. ³

They had been saying to one another, "Who will roll away the stone for us from the entrance to the tomb?" ⁴ When they looked up, they saw that the stone, which was very large, had already been rolled back. ⁵ As they entered the tomb, they saw a young man dressed in a white robe sitting on the right side, and they were

alarmed. ⁶ 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. ⁷ 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." ⁸ So they went out and fled from the tomb, for terror and amazement had seized them, and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid.

SERMON

An Open Ending

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

On the Third Day (8:00)

Allen Pote

O God, Beyond All Praising (11:00)

arr. David Schwoebel

*DOXOLOGY 94

LASST UN ERFREUEN

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Dr. Davis Chappell

*CLOSING HYMN 327

Crown Him with Many Crowns

DIADEMATA

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

Messiah: Hallelujah

G.F. Handel

POSTLUDE

Suite: III. Toccata

Craig Phillip

bold: congregation reads aloud

** stand as you are able*

Liturgists: Rev. Weslee Hill & Rev. Wade Cox (8:00)

Rev. Casey Orr & Rev. Adam Jones (11:00)

Ensemble: Brass Ensemble & Timpani, directed by Ryan Jones

Youth Choir, directed by Jenna Elsberry (8:00)

BUMC Ringers, directed by Jenna Elsberry (8:00)

Chancel Choir, directed by Ryan Jones (11:00)

Pianist: Eliot Hinson (8:00), Paul Ferington (11:00)

Organist: Dr. Gregg Bunn

Acolytes: Sloan Godwin & CeCe Quinn (8:00)

Tebe Tippins & Whit Tippins (11:00)

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BLENDED WORSHIP

APRIL 5, 2026 | 9:30 & 11 A.M. | CHAPEL

*OPENING SONG

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

arr. Jeff Moore

A WORD OF WELCOME

Rev. Jonathan Andersen

*SONGS OF WORSHIP

Because He Lives

Gloria Gaither & William J. Gaither

What He's Done

arr. Dan Galbraith

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

*SCRIPTURE READING: MARK 16:1-8 (NRSV)

Rev. Jonathan Andersen

SERMON

Jesus Is Going Ahead of You

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

James Wells & Jenna Elsberry, soloists

arr. Grant Wall

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Jonathan Andersen

*DEPARTING MUSIC

** stand as you are able*

Worship Leader: James Wells & Jenna Elsberry

Band Members: Eliot Hinson, piano; Crystal & Kelsie Wiegman, violin;

Lleyton Denmark; guitar; Gabriel Lamog, bass;

Dennis Palmer, percussion

Liturgists: Dr. Domenic Nigrelli (9:30)

Rev. Weslee Hill (11:00)

Acolytes: Asoka Talafuse (9:30)

Anna Kate Sass & Everly Campbell (11:00)

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