

IN OUR PRAYERS

Kathy Darnell, Robbie McClure (Marie Dunnam's brother) Elizabeth Christensen (Kathy Skillen's niece), Arthur Skillen (Kathy Skillen's brother) and Bob Hartness (Rev. Audrey's dad), Clifton Mabry, Sam and Edna Dillard and Kathy Skillen, Rocky (De and Robert French's son)

PW CIRCLE MEETING

Join us tomorrow, May 2nd for Circle! We will meet in Gossett Hall at 4:30 pm. Bring a goodie to share! This will be our last meeting before summer break, so please make plans today to attend!

MOTHER'S DAY OFFERING

Since 1954, Presbyterian churches in South Carolina have marked Mother's Day with an offering to support the ministry of Presbyterian Communities of South Carolina to older adults.

Presbyterian Communities operates six retirement communities across the state that hundreds of seniors call "home." Each location provides a full range of accommodations and services from independent and active living to healthcare and memory support.

Because the cost of charitable care can run to \$1.5 million or more, it is truly a blessing that generous Presbyterian churches and their members help to shelter and care for each and every one of these through the Mother's Day Offering. Please memo your check "Mother's Day" if you would like to give to this most worthy mission. Please give generously – thank you!!!

MEMORIALS

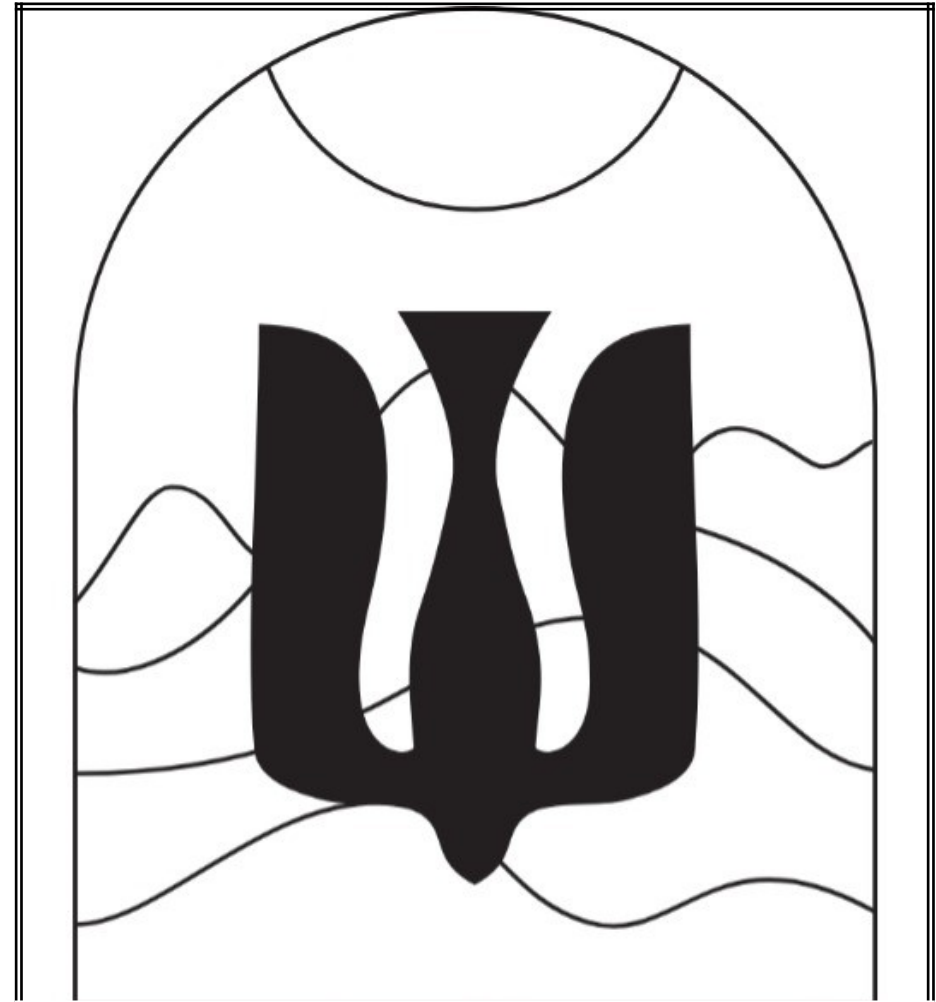
Debbie Thrift gave in memory of Charlie Morgan.

Marie Dunnam has given in memory of Imogene Giles and Jim Wareham.

THANK YOU

Marie Dunnam would like to thank the congregation for the calls, texts, cards, and prayers over the past month while she has been trying to recover from knee replacement.

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you. – Luke 6:38



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Third Sunday of Easter

May 1, 2022

11:00 A.M.

GATHERING

Prelude: “Rejoice, the Lord Is King!”.....Wesley

Welcome and Announcements

Moment for Missions.....Nita McMillan

Choral Call to Worship

Prayer of Invocation

***Hymn 260:** “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”.....Dix

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Loving God, we confess that at times we do not share in the joy of the resurrection but are caught in the worries of the world. We confess that we do not always live in the spirit of new life but remain discontent, grumbling and anxious.

Forgive us for not sharing in the Good News. Forgive us when we find it more comfortable to worry and complain than to risk the joy and encouragement of new life in Christ. Call us back to Your ways, O God, to seek hope and reconciliation, restoration and peace. In the name of Jesus, the Risen Christ, we pray.

(a moment of silent reflection)

Assurance of Pardon and Passing of the Peace

THE WORD

Anthem: “He is Alive”.....Mauldin

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament Scripture: John 21:1-19 and Acts 9:1-6

Sermon: “Jesus Uses Us Too ”.....Rev. Audrey Reese

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

***Apostles Creed** (*The Glory to God Hymnal p. 35*)

Gloria Patri (*The Glory to God Hymnal, p. 581*)

***Hymn 451:** “Open My Eyes, That I May See”.....Scott

Offertory: “Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”.....Lemmel

***Doxology** (*The Glory to God Hymnal, No. 606*)

SENDING

***Hymn 69:** “Here I Am, Lord”.....Schutte

Benediction

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given

To the Glory of God by

Wendy Lindhardt

UPCOMING SERMON: Join us next week, May 8th. Our sermon will be “Easter People Practicing Resurrection” with scripture readings from Psalm 23 and Acts 9:36-43. Bring a friend or friends to join us!