

WORSHIP

Holy Week

By: Tripp Martin

April 21st

Easter Sunday
Acts 10:34-43
Luke 24:1-12

It is the week that redefines all other weeks! Throughout the history of the Church, it has also been called, The Great Week. It allows us to recall and rehearse the events of Jesus' life during his final days.

April 28th

Second Sunday of Easter
Acts 5:27-32
John 20:19-31

It begins on Palm Sunday, where we wave palm branches in the air and throw our coats on the ground. We celebrate the humility with which Jesus rides into Jerusalem, calling for a different kind of kingdom, which is meant to redefine the world.

Lay Worship Leader for April:
Elizabeth Jordan

We will gather around the table of communion on Maundy Thursday, which is where we find Jesus and the disciples on that night. The word, *Maundy*, comes from the Latin translation of the gospel of John, meaning, "new commandment." We are called to love others in the same way Christ loves us!

REMINDERS

Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday

April 14th, 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary

On Good Friday, we will experience the darkness as the Light of the World goes out. We will gather for our Tenebrae service, as our choir leads us in worship. *Tenebrae* comes from the Latin meaning, "shadows" or "darkness."

Maundy Thursday Communion Service

April 18th, 6:00 p.m., Sanctuary

In order to experience the light of Christ's love on Easter morning, we first walk through the events of Holy Week. They anchor us in the life of Jesus, who leads us forward.

Good Friday

Tenebrae Service
The Sanctuary Choir

April 19th, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

This week redefines all of our other weeks because it refocuses our lives on the center of our faith. We see again the solidarity with which God stands with us. We are called to see again the image of God within us, from which we were created and for which we are redeemed. We see again the journey we share with others, not only at the corner of College Street and Glenn Avenue, but also with the Church around the world.

Easter Sunday

April 21st, 11:00 a.m., Sanctuary
(No Evening Activities)

As we focus our eyes on this Great Week, our lives are widened and deepened in significant ways. The final week of Jesus' life opened up the disciples' eyes to the unlimited love of God, which reaches beyond our imagination. The light of Easter morning shines in all directions and the darkness cannot overcome it.

Likewise, we see again the love of God will not be limited, and it will lead us forward in ways we cannot imagine. But first, we walk together through the days of Holy Week, remembering the final days of Jesus' life.

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Our Mission: Believing the Spirit of God is alive in each one of us and in the world, we affirm that the mission of Auburn First Baptist Church is: to glorify God as the Creator, Sustainer, and Redeemer of life; to call all people to God through Christ as Savior and Lord; to enable all people to be more like Jesus.

Easter Lilies

The lilies placed in our sanctuary and throughout the church for Easter are placed in memory or honor of those listed.

In Honor of:

Dartie Flynt
The Pilgrims SS Class
The Nawrocki Family
Tripp & Katharine Martin
J.D. & Hunter Martin
Tripp Martin & Family
Our Church Staff
Nick Nichols

Given by:

Wayne Flynt
Wayne Flynt
Chris Boylen
Milton & Kathy Martin
Pops & Kaki
Candy Enkeboll
Libby & Dale Peterson
Children, Grandchildren,
& Great-Grandchildren

In Memory of:

J.H. & Mae Ellis Flynt
Dr. & Mrs. W. Albert Smith
Connie Kiteley
Inez & Walter Sowell
Paul E. & Clois Shoffeitt
Sarah Nichols
J.W. Bearden
Helen Brown
Mary Virginia Moore
My Parents & Brother
Stuart Popwell
Curtis Ward
Lamar & Grace Casey
Gil, Fran, & Doug Rollins
Mary Virginia Moore
Our Parents
David Potts

Sarah Nichols

Charles Potter

Given by:

Wayne & Dartie Flynt
Wayne & Dartie Flynt
Gary Kiteley
Their Family
Jean, Paul, & Mary
James "Nick" Nichols
His Family
Mary Joe Howard
Mary Joe Howard
Mary Ann Dell
His Family
Charlotte Ward
Candy Enkeboll
Marcia King
Libby & Dale Peterson
Libby & Dale Peterson
Libby Potts Peterson &
Dale
Children, Grandchildren,
& Great-Grandchildren
Mary Ann Potter, Cliff,
& Charlann

LENT

Lenten Lunches

*Wednesday, April 17th, 12:00-1:00 p.m.
Fellowship Hall*

If you would like the meal from Amsterdam's, please RSVP to the church office by Tuesday morning, kristina@auburnfbc.org, so we can plan accordingly.

April 17 – The Surprise of Resurrection

STUDY

Round Table

Sundays at 5:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

*“A Conversation on Grief, Caregiving, and Self-care”
April 28*

Led by Laura Eason, Chaplain, EAMC

Connecting Faith and Family

Sundays, 5:00 - 6:30 p.m., Fishers' Classroom

Discussion and support about parenting and personal spiritual growth. We will discuss *More Than Words, 10 Values For The Modern Family* by Erin Wathen. All are welcome!

Senior Adult Lunch

Due to Lenten Lunches on Wednesdays, we will not be meeting April 16th for Senior Adult Lunch. We invite you to join us for the Lenten Lunch on April 17th!

THURSDAYS

Thursday Evening Activities

5:15 p.m., Fellowship Hall

Remember to RSVP for dinner by noon on Tuesday of each week.

April 18 - Maundy Thursday Worship, 6:00 p.m.

Brown Bag Dinner

April 25 - Quarterly Business Meeting

May 2 - *Stories of Faith: Hymns and Anthems*, Shane Dunn

COLLEGE

Upcoming Dates:

April 23 – Randle Farms, 6:30 p.m.

April 28 – College Graduate Recognition, 11:00 a.m.

Bible Study & Breakfast

Sundays, 10:15 a.m.

College Room (Activities Building)

College Tuesday Night Bible Study

7:00 p.m., Activities Building

Fellowship. Service. Special Activities.

YOUTH

Thursday Nights

5:15 p.m. Dinner
5:45 p.m. Youth Hang Out Time

Youth Choir

Sundays, 5:00 p.m.
Choir Room

Youth Sunday Nights

Sundays, 6:00 p.m.
Youth Room

Choir Recognition and Dessert Fellowship

Sunday, May 5th, 6:15 p.m., Sanctuary

Our Children and Youth choirs will share the music they have been preparing.

Please bring your families' favorite dessert to share!

CHILDREN

Family Picnic at Randle Farms

Saturday, April 27th, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Randle Farms

All children and families are invited.

Bring a picnic dinner and blanket, and enjoy an evening of fun outdoor activities at Randle Farms. RSVP by email at kristina@auburnfbc.org or call 887-8506.

Children's Choirs (3* year olds – 5th Grade)

Sundays, 5:00 p.m., Education Building

**We ask that all attendees be potty trained.*

Bible Encounter (1st – 5th graders)

Sundays, 6:00 p.m., Education Building

Spark Adventure

Thursdays, 5:50 p.m., Education Building

Helpers:

April 18th: Maundy Thursday, Not Meeting

April 25th: Cathy Summers

Inquirers' Class

for the third through fifth grade Sunday School

May 5, 12, & 19

During May, these students will gather during Sunday School with Tripp to focus on various aspects of our faith, providing the children an opportunity to ask questions!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Every Sunday		Every Thursday	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Dinner	5:15 p.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Prayer & Bible Study	6:00 p.m.

Tuesday - 16th

Dayfriends	Little Italy	11:45 a.m.
Deacons' Meeting.....	Seekers' Room	6:30 p.m.
TNBS.....	Courtyard	7:00 p.m.

Wednesday - 17th

Conversational English.....	Education Building	9:00 a.m.
Lenten Lunch.....	Fellowship Hall	12:00 p.m.

Thursday - 18th

First Bells.....	Choir Room	12:30 p.m.
Maundy Thursday Service.....	Sanctuary	6:00 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....	Choir Room	6:45 p.m.

Friday - 19th

Good Friday Service.....	Sanctuary	7:00 p.m.
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Sunday - 21st

No Evening Activities

Tuesday - 23rd

Caring Hands.....	Fellowship Hall	5:30 p.m.
TNBS.....	Randle Farms	6:30 p.m.

Wednesday - 24th

Conversational English.....	Education Building	9:00 a.m.
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Thursday - 25th

First Bells.....	Choir Room	12:30 p.m.
Quarterly Business Meeting.....	Fellowship Hall	5:45 p.m.
Youth Hang Out Time.....	Youth Room	5:45 p.m.
Spark Adventure.....	Education Building	5:50 p.m.
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.....	Choir Room	6:45 p.m.

Saturday - 27th

Family Picnic.....	Randle Farms	5:00 p.m.
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Sunday - 28th

College Graduate Recognition.....	Sanctuary	11:00 a.m.
Children's Committee Meeting.....	Fellowship Hall	12:00 p.m.
Children's Choir.....	Education Building	5:00 p.m.
Youth Choir.....	Choir Room	5:00 p.m.
The Round Table.....	Fellowship Hall	5:00 p.m.
Connecting Faith & Family.....	Fishers'	5:00 p.m.
Bible Encounter.....	Education Building	6:00 p.m.
YSN.....	Youth Room	6:00 p.m.
Passport Kids Parent Meeting.....	Library	6:00 p.m.

Tuesday - 30th

Dayfriends.....	Little Italy	11:45 a.m.
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VBS

Vacation Bible School

"Water U Doing?"

Registration will begin May 1st

Join us June 3-6 (Monday - Thursday evenings) as we learn about Bible stories and learn about *Watering Malawi*. We will discover the importance of water for our faith and for serving others! Our Directors will be Cathy Summers and Sue Walker.



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MISSIONS

Help our Brasil Mission Team!

Below is a *list of items* the mission team will need for the children of Brasil. Please place donations for this project in the bucket provided in the hallway outside the church office.

Items needed include: coloring books and crayons, pencils, small pencil sharpeners, ball point pens, six inch rulers, individually wrapped chewing gum, bubble gum and hard candy (no chocolate), baseball type caps, stickers (smiley faces, etc), quart size zipper storage bags, toothbrushes, toothpaste, t-shirts, and work gloves.

Loaves and Fishes Volunteers Needed

The Loaves and Fishes program ministers to people in our community by furnishing hot meals every Tuesday to recipients selected by the Salvation Army, our partner in this ministry. If you would be willing to take a week or two and prepare 16 meals for the Loaves and Fishes Ministry, please contact the church office. We currently need volunteers for *May 21 and July 16, 23, & 30.*

Serving the Month of April

Greeters: Nancy Roberts & Daniel Udochi
Visitors: Charles & Sybil Gross
Loaves & Fishes: Seekers
Offering: College

Serving April 21, 2019

Counters: Dwayne Beckett, Lois Graves, Bill Faurot
Sound & Light: Gary Cantini
Extended Session: Mary Ann Dell, Pat Randle, Carole Zugazaga, Anna Parish, Charlotte Sutton, Chad Parish, Julie McClanahan

Serving April 28, 2019

Counters: Helen Bearden, Flarcie Hopkins, Bill McIntrye
Sound & Light: Lindsay Crosby
Extended Session: Amber Berry-Moore, Mark Coxwell, Jay Spiers, Spenser Keel, Gina Cantrell

CBF General Assembly Registration

Birmingham, Alabama, June 19-21

Registration: www.cbf.net/assembly

Volunteers Needed

Since AL CBF is hosting General Assembly in Birmingham, volunteers from Alabama will be needed. To sign up to volunteer for a limited shift: <https://cbf.net/>

Thank You!

Thank you for supporting the Campus Kitchens Project at Auburn University. Our second annual potluck dinner was a wonderful event as we celebrated the work of Campus Kitchens and the ways they serve our community. Thank you for attending, bringing food, and engaging the students who were here. From The Campus Kitchen at Auburn social media page: "We cannot express our gratitude for the food prepared tonight by the wonderful members of the First Baptist Church. They wanted to thank us for the work we do throughout the community, and tonight we were able to share our experiences with them. We cannot wait until next year!"

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at 11 am on WAUD 1230 AM*