# GRACE



#### GRACE ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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#### The Lord's Day Worship April 20, 2014

\* Denotes Congregation Standing

Pianist
Announcements and Welcome

Miss Carrie Thibault Elder David Thibault

#### **Preparation for Worship**

God's Law Word – Romans 6:6-13

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness – Romans 6:3-5

#### **Call to Worship**

He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay. (Matthew 28:6 ESV)

Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you." (Matthew 28:7 ESV)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, (I Peter 1:3 ESV)

For I know that my Redeemer lives, and at the last he will stand upon the earth. (Job  $19:25\ ESV)$ 

Christ is risen!

#### He is risen indeed!

- \* Hymn # 277 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"
- \* Invocation and Lord's Prayer
- \* Hymn #731 "Doxology"

## **Resurrection Scriptures**

Old Testament Responsive Reading – Psalm 116 (found on page 827 in the back of your hymnal)

New Testament Reading - Luke 24:1-12

#### **Resurrection Hymns**

- \* Hymn # 282 "Lift Up, Lift Up Your Voices Now"
- \* Hymn # 266 "Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain"
- \* Hymn # 276 "Up from the Grave He Arose"

#### Preaching of the Word

Sermon Text: Matthew 12:15-32 Reverend Charles McIlhenny

Sermon Title: "Jesus the Bully:

What the World Thinks of His Resurrection"

\* Hymn # 706 "Jesus Lives, and So Shall I"

#### **Prayer and Confession**

Prayers of God's People

\* Confessing the Faith Together

The Apostles' Creed – Found on the inside front cover of your hymnal

Table communicant member in a Bible-believing church, and regularly attend church worship. We use wine in our celebration of the Lord's Supper.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Distribution of Bread # 305 "Arise, My Soul, Arise"

Distribution of Wine # 286 "Worship Christ, the Risen King!"

## **Commissioned by God**

- \* # 271 "Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem"
- \* Benediction

#### Our Tithes and Offerings to God

An integral part of our worship is to bring God a token of our increase. Your tithes and offerings may be placed in the small five unto box at the back of the room. As we will give thanks to God for his gifts during the service, we encourage you to make your offering before the service.

\*\*NURSERY is provided for children under 3 from the sermon through the remainder of the worship service. The nursery is located across the breezeway. (Nursery Worker Today: Susan Wood)



# Happy Birthday

Peter Thibault (April 29), Amy Thibault (May 18), Nathan Szeneri (May 20), Betty Garcia (May 24), James & Anthony Szeneri (May 31)

# **Sermon Notes**


	Today	Thibault Family	
	April 27	Szeneri Family	
D.C. I.	May 4	Ann-Marie Hines	
Refreshments	May 11	Betty Garcia	
	Lord's Supper	Usher	
April	Amy Thibault	Mark Lucero	
May	Lorien Tuggy	Glen & Vicki Tuggy	



### **Today**

11:00 am Fellowship Break

11:30 am Sunday School For All Ages

#### This Week

Tuesday 7:00 pm Outreach Committee Meeting

Thursday 7:30 pm Prayer Meeting at the Tuggys' Home

Saturday 11:00 am Women's Meeting at Amy's Home; Devotions -

Judith

#### Next Sunday (April 27)

9:30 am Worship Service

11:30 am Sunday School for all ages

6:00 pm Faith Family at the Andruss' Home

## **Upcoming**

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May	5-9	Week of Prayer
May	17 10:30 am	Ladies' Tea
May	26 8:30 am	Ladies Clean Church Kitchen
June	16-20	Family Camp
July	4 3:00 pm	Country Fair – see Carrie Thibault for details
July	12	Youth Flyer Distribution (**NOTE** New Date)

Presbytery Meeting

# Week of Prayer



May 5-9

See David Thibault to host a night of prayer at your home!