

The Worship of Our Lord

Fifth Sunday of Lent

March 22, 2026

11:00 a.m.

Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live."

John 11:25

Gathering for Worship

Chiming of the Trinity

Welcome and AnnouncementsDr. Bert Young

Invocation..... Rev. Patricia Turner

Exchanging of PeaceDr. Bert Young

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you

People: And also with you

Praise Song Congregation

Lord I Lift Your Name on High

Rick Founds

Lord I lift Your name on high

Lord I love to sing Your praises

I'm so glad You're in my life

I'm so glad You came to save us

You came from heaven to earth to show the way

From the earth to the cross, my debt to pay

From the cross to the grave, from the grave to the sky

Lord I lift Your name on high

Children's Message.....Jamie Higginbotham

Children remain in the sanctuary for "Parenting in the Pew"

Presenting Our Gifts and Tithes

Offertory Hymn No. 4.....Congregation

To God Be the Glory

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Offertory Prayer..... Dr. Bert Young

Offertory Adult Handbells

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Helen H. Lemmel;

arr. Kevin McChesney

Doxology.....Congregation

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.

OLD HUNDRETH

Encountering the Word of God

Scripture.....John 11:1-45.....Rev. Patricia Turner

Morning Prayer and the Lord's Prayer..... Dr. Bert Young

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.

Solo Kim Sharp

Hymn of Promise

Nancy Allen

Sermon "The First Resurrection" Dr. Bert Young

Hymn of Commitment, No 340Congregation

He Hideth My Soul

KIRKPATRICK

Benediction..... Dr. Bert Young

Postlude..... Tammy Prevette

Prelude & Fugue in B Flat

J.S. Bach

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*This evening, join us for an Intergenerational Mission Opportunity – Blessing Bags 5:30-6:30 p.m. in Wayland Hall, First Kids/Youth 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.

*Mon., March 23, the Lunch Group will meet at 12:30 p.m. at Sagebrush.

*Wed., March 25, Bible Study at 4:00 p.m., Adult Handbells at 5:00 p.m., Handbells/Choir Small Group at 6:00 p.m., and Chancel Choir at 6:45 p.m.

*Thurs., March 26, St. Paul's Crisis Ministry "Team A" provides lunch 9a.m., CareNet Alzheimer's/Dementia Caregiver support Meeting 11 a.m., Shelf Indulgence Book club meets 1 p.m.

*Fri., March 27, Youth breakfast at The 50s at 6:15 a.m.

*Sun., March 29, Fifth Sunday Fellowship Wayland Hall 9:30 a.m. (No Sunday School), Palm Sunday Worship 11 a.m., First Kids sing, Youth/First Kids 4:30-6:30 p.m. – Easter Celebration "Journey through Holy Week"

*Mon., March 30, 6:00 p.m., church-wide packing of food boxes for seniors at HOPE Ministry. **All ages are needed and welcome.**

*Tues. March 31, Forever Young Shopping and Lunch in Winston, leave at 9:00 a.m. RSVP to Katie or Patricia by Sun., March 29.

*Wed., April 1, Bible Study 4 p.m., Handbells 5 p.m., Handbells/Choir small group 6 p.m., Choir rehearsal 6:45 p.m.



HOLY WEEK SERVICES



Sun., March 29, **Palm Sunday** Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Children singing.

Thurs., April 2, **Maundy Thursday** 5:30 p.m. meal, RSVP by March 30, Tenebrae Service

Fri., April 3, **Good Friday** Service at 11:00 a.m., soup and grilled cheese lunch following the service

Sun., April 5, **Easter Sunday**, Sunrise Service at The Commons Wilkesboro 6:45 a.m., Bible Study 9:45 a.m., Easter Worship Service with mini-cantata and orchestra 11:00 a.m. .

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