

“TO BE AND TO MAKE
DISCIPLES OF CHRIST”

ONE FAITH FAMILY.
TWO CAMPUSES.

Whether you worship at our
Downtown campus or our
Trinity campus, you can
find a place to belong at
Buncombe Street.

DOWNTOWN CAMPUS

Traditional Worship
9:00 AM

The Table
11:00 AM

200 Buncombe Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 232-7341

TRINITY CAMPUS

Traditional Worship
11:00 AM

2703 Augusta Street
Greenville, SC 29605
(864) 233-8114

The Reverend Brian Gilmer
Senior Minister

The Reverend Dr. Justin Gilreath
Associate Minister

The Reverend Ben Burt
Associate Minister

The Reverend Karen Jones
Associate Minister of
Christian Education

The Reverend Grover Putnam
Parish Minister

Asterisks noted in the
Order of Worship indicates a
time to stand.

Please stand as you are able.

Assisted listening devices are
available at the Information
Desk for use during the services.

Two types are offered:
an ear bud or a neck loop.



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THE GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Reverend Brian Gilmer

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Vance Jenkins, *Director of Music*

THE ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Festive Prelude on *Truro*

Setting, Burkhardt

*THE HYMN OF PROCESSION

All Glory, Laud and Honor

ST. THEODULPH

*REFRAIN: All glory, laud, and honor, to thee, Redeemer King,
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.*

*Thou are the King of Israel, thou David's royal Son, who in the Lord's name comest,
the King and Blessed One. REFRAIN.*

*The company of angels are praising thee on high,
and we with all creation in chorus make reply. REFRAIN.*

*The people of the Hebrews with psalms before thee went;
our prayer and praise and anthems before thee we present. REFRAIN.*

*To thee, before thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise;
to thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise. REFRAIN.*

*Thou didst accept their praises; accept the prayers we bring,
who in all good delightest, thou good and gracious King. REFRAIN.*

*THE COLLECT

The Reverend Karen Jones

Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

*THE PSALTER

Psalms 118: 14-29

The Lord is my strength and my power; the Lord has become my salvation.

There are joyous songs of victory in the tents of righteousness.

The right hand of the Lord does valiantly, the right hand of the Lord is exalted,
the right hand of the Lord does valiantly!

I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the Lord.

The Lord has chastened me sorely, but has not given me over to death.

Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. Save us, we beseech you, O Lord!

O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

We bless you from the house of the Lord.

The Lord is God, who has given us light.

Lead the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar!

You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.

O give thanks to the Lord, who is good; for God's steadfast love endures forever!

*THE GLORIA PATRI

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

THE MUSICAL MEDITATION

Pie Jesu from "Requiem"

Faure

Myra Cordell, Soprano

Blessed Jesu, Lord, I pray in thy mercy grant them rest, in thy mercy, grant them rest. Grant them everlasting rest.

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Gilmer

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

THE CHORAL ANTHEM

Ride On, King Jesus!

NEGRO SPIRITUAL

Myra Cordell, Soprano

Ride on king Jesus, No man can a-hinder me. Ride on king Jesus, ride on. No man can a-hinder me. No man can a-hinder me. One of these mornins and it wont be long. (No man can a-hinder me) Youre gonna look for me, and Ill be gone. (No man can a-hinder me) Goin up to glory gonna sing and shout. (No man can a-hinder me) Aint nobody there gonna put me out. Ride on king Jesus, No man can a-hinder me. Ride on king Jesus, ride on. No man can a-hinder me. No man can a-hinder me. In that great gettin up mornin, Fare ye well, fare ye well. In that great gettin up mornin, Fare ye well, fare ye well. No man can a-hinder me. No man can a-hinder me. No man can a-hinder me.

*THE LESSON FROM THE HOLY GOSPEL

Matthew 21:1-11

Rev. Gilmer

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. If anyone says anything to you, just say this, "The Lord needs them." And he will send them immediately.' This took place to fulfil what had been spoken through the prophet, saying, "Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey." The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, 'Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!' When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, 'Who is this?' The crowds were saying, 'This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee.'

THE SERMON

Where are You?

Rev. Gilmer

*THE RECESSIONAL HYMN

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

HAMBURG

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of Glory died, my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the death of Christ, my God; all the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood. See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down. Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown? Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were an offering far too small; love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

*THE BLESSING OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Gilmer

*THE CHORAL BENEDICTION

*THE CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY

THE ORGAN POSTLUDE

Toccata on Hosanna, Loud Hosanna!

Setting, Martin

We are grateful for the musical gifts of Soprano Myra Cordell, our Artist-In-Residence, in today's worship service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- We will have **JOURNEY TO THE CROSS GUIDES** available as you exit the Sanctuary this morning. These guides are a companion piece to the Journey to the Cross video, which will be available online tomorrow morning. We encourage you to pick up a guide and set aside some time this Holy Week to walk in the footsteps of Jesus as he journeys through the days leading up to his death on the cross. Look for more information on the church website, www.buncombstreetumc.org/journey-to-the-cross.
- Beginning Easter Sunday, we will **RESUME OFFERING COMMUNION** at all services on the first Sunday of each month. Those worshipping with us via livestream are invited to receive communion at home by picking up a bag of prepared communion elements the week before. If you would like to take communion at home on Easter Sunday, or if you know someone who would, please go to the church website to register.

Easter Sunday Schedule

Trinity Campus

7:00 AM Sunrise Service

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

Downtown Campus

9:00 AM Traditional Worship

9:00 AM The Table

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

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A nursery will be offered at all services except the Sunrise Service, and registration will open on March 22.