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PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2024

9:00am GATHERING SONGS: Hosanna, Hosanna!; You're My King; Mighty to Save; Shout Hallelujah

9:30am WORSHIP

CALL TO WORSHIP

Welcome and Call to Worship – Ben Fike

Clap Your Hands

Days of Elijah

Let God Arise

Prayer – Laura Fike

SERVICE OF THE WORD

John 12:12-16 – Pat Daggett
Palm Processional
Salvation Belongs to Our God
Hosanna
Sermon – Tim Wood
"Walking With Jesus"

THE TABLE OF THE LORD

God Who Comes to Save

Communion Meditation – Carrie Doyle

The Lord's Prayer

How Great Is Our God

Family Prayer Time – Luke Smith

SENDING

Benediction – Tim Wood Hosanna

Song Leader – Rebecca Klingaman

SUNDAY

9:30 Nursery During Worship Care for children under age 3 is available in the Nursery/Tot Room in the Worship Center

10:50 Classes

Visitors are invited to join Care Group 3 in classroom 9 in the Fellowship Hall Children Month of March: Risen

Under Age 3 – Nursery/Tot Room in Worship Center

Age 3 - 5th grade – Kid's Education Wing Classrooms

Teens Month of March: The Jesus Studies: Jesus and Culture

6th-12th Grade in the Teen Room

Adults Acts study: The Characters of Faith

CG 1: Room 11/ Fellowship Hall

CG 2: Room 14 / Fellowship Hall

CG 3: Room 9 / Fellowship Hall

2:30pm CROP Hunger Walk

COMING UP / SAVE THE DATE

March 24 CROP Walk / Palm Sunday

March 31 Easter Sunday

April 6 Senior Saints Banquet

April 7 Care Group Sunday

April 16 Families Moving Forward

April 21 High School Graduation Lunch

ONGOING GATHERINGS

Wednesday Nights Join us on Wednesday evenings at 6pm for BYO dinner, Bible study, and fellowship!

Thursday Bible Study All are invited to a Bible study held every Thursday at 7am in the church library. Questions? Contact Tim Wood.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Coins for CROP Walk Our children and teens are collecting coins for the Durham CROP Walk between now and March 24. Donations can be put in the bank located in each of 5 classrooms: Preschool - 1st grade, 2nd & 3rd grade, 4th & 5th grade, Middle School, High School - OR given to any child or teen in these age brackets. The class that collects the most coins will receive a donut prize in April! Thank you for helping us reach our group goal of \$100 or more to help us end hunger in Durham and beyond!

ENDING HUNGER WALK

ENDING HUNGER ONE STEP AT ATIME

CROP Walk It is the 50th anniversary of the Crop Hunger Walk at

Duke Chapel on March 24. We are walking and donating this year to help end hunger in our
community. The walk is family friendly and strollers and friendly dogs are welcome. And please
invite your friends and neighbors! Music and lots of kid-friendly activities start at 1:30pm and
the walk commences at 2:30pm. We will meet for lunch at the strip mall on Erwin Road and
then carpool to Duke Chapel for the walk. More info on times and available parking sites will
be sent next week. All walkers need to register on our CMR team page and sign a waiver. If you
are unable to participate in the actual walk, you can help by donating on the CMR team page.
Also, CMR kids and teens are collecting coins for the CROP Walk. If you have any questions,
contact Jo Wall, Laura Fike, or Rebecca Klingaman.

Holy Week Events at CMR

March 24 9:30am Palm Sunday Worship Service

March 31 6:30am Contemplative Easter Sunrise Service and 9:30am Easter Communion Service

Holy Week with Our North Durham Neighbors Here's what some of our neighboring congregations are doing for Holy Week this year. All CMR folks interested in worshipping with our neighbors are welcome.

March 28 7pm Maundy Thursday at Aldersgate UMC on Umstead Road March 29 6:30pm Good Friday Service at Faith Alliance on Umstead Road; 7pm Good Friday Communion at Rose of Sharon Baptist Church on Guess Road; 7pm Good Friday Service at Aldersgate UMC on Umstead Road

Senior Saints Banquet Join us for this favorite event honoring our Senior Saints on April 6, 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Sign-ups for dessert and attendance are posted on the foyer bulletin board, or you can email Pam. If your child is singing, or you're serving food, or helping in some way, you still need to sign up so enough food is prepared.

FAMILY NEWS

Baby Basket Shower Mariam and Victor Owusu welcomed baby boy Kasen on January 1, to join big sister Riley. CG3 is "showering" the family with diapers and wipes. Kasen is currently wearing Huggies size 1. The church family is encouraged to deliver diapers and wipes to the Worship Center foyer. Contact Wendy Schwade with questions.

Prayer Concerns Karon Johnson, Ann Taska, Wilton DuBois, Branson Brown, Judy Cuffee, Charles and Judi Runkle, Reverdy Ransom, Scott Hamilton, Tim Russell, Elizabeth Walters, and those who provide care for them.

Library Donations We are blessed with a robust collection of books in our CMR library near the office. If you have any books you wish to see in the library, including any you wish to donate, please contact Laura Rash. Please <u>do not</u> leave books in the library without contacting Laura first. Thank you!

Giving You can give four ways: <u>Online</u>, automatic bank draft, mail a check to the office, or leave a contribution in the plate at the back of the auditorium. Thank you for supporting our mission to join God's work of New Creation!

Listen to Sermons Did you know? You can <u>listen to sermons</u> from the church website!

Elder-on-Call (Sunday-Saturday) Contact Luke Smith with any concerns, need for prayer, or other ways the elders can provide support and care.

Birthdays and Anniversaries (through next Saturday)

Sunday 3/24: Donnie Hilliard, Jordan Russell

Thursday 3/28: Jarelle Blount



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