

## Weekly Connector: Each one, reach one!

March 19, 2018

Hello, Church!

I am so excited about the coming time of celebration we call "Holy Week"! Be sure to mark your calendar for these events!

March 24, Saturday, 10am - 12pm: "Easter Science! Walk with Jesus!" brings a new flavor of science fun that helps illustrate the events of Easter. Developed for children and complete with science, fun, and crafts, the entire family will enjoy this Easter celebration and be encouraged to keep our focus on Jesus! Invite your friends and family and join us on March 24th!



March 25, Sunday at 10am: Palm Sunday Service. Nearly 2000 years ago, people welcomed Jesus into Jerusalem as a King. But what King were they expecting? Be sure to come discover what King we can expect, as we look to the author and perfecter of our faith.

March 28, Wednesday, 5:30pm: Passover Seder Meal. On the night Jesus was betrayed, He shared one last significant meal with His disciples which we solemnly remember each time we hold the elements of communion in our hands. Come find out the mystery Jesus revealed within a familiar meal and ceremony. All ages welcomed. Directly afterwards, we will dismiss to our normal Wednesday Night Discipleship groups. The adults and youth will celebrate a time of foot washing.

March 29, Thursday, 7pm: Maundy Thursday Community Service, St. Paul's Community Christian Church, [306 W. Church Street, East Canton](#). Each year the churches of East Canton come together and celebrate Christ as a community of believers. Let us put the "unity" in "community" as we celebrate Jesus.

March 30, Friday, 6pm: Good Friday Service. The impact and importance of Christ's sacrifice on the cross cannot be overstated. Too often, though, we do not fully consider what was done on our behalf. In this brief time together, we will reflect on His sorrow and His suffering, remembering the love and justice God poured out on Calvary. Be sure to prayerfully prepare for these moments together.

April 1, Sunday, 7:30am: Sunrise Service. The Youth will lead us as we remember the shock, the awe, and the implications of Jesus' empty grave. This will be held in the Sanctuary and a continental breakfast will be offered afterwards in the Fellowship Hall.

April 1, Sunday, 10:00am: Easter Service. In this one service, we will pack out the Sanctuary and continue to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus as we can say, sing, and shout to one another, "He is Risen! He is Risen, Indeed"! Jr Church nursery thru Grade 5 provided.

This is the time of year when your neighbors, friends, and family are most open to an invitation to come with you to meet your Savior and your church. Take the challenge! However and wherever you celebrate Jesus this Holy Week, tell those around you about who Jesus is to you and bring them to celebrate Him with you! God is calling each of us to reach out and be an instrument of His change in this world. Do not miss out!

*"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8)...*

...in your community, in your region, in your state, in your nation, and in your world!

I love you, Church!

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