



## AWAKENING 150

### CONTEMPORARY ORDER OF WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 2018

8:30 A.M.

\*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONG

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAY SONG

\*PASSING THE PEACE

OPENING PRAYER

\*PRAISE AND WORSHIP WITH SONGS

JOYS AND CONCERNS

OFFERTORY

KIDS' TIME

SCRIPTURE: John 20: 1-18

SERMON: "The Unnatural Truth"

COMMUNION

INVITATION TO PRAY AT THE ALTAR

\*CLOSING SONG

\*SENDING FORTH

\* *Please stand as you are able.*

*We are a Safe Sanctuaries Church. Parents/Grandparents, please accompany your child to the restroom if he/she needs to leave during worship service. Thank you.*

### WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

Our school staff and administration, our country's leaders.

Karen Almond, Woody Barringer family, Tommy Blankenship, Brie Bower, James Coleman and Sonya Efird family.

Pam & Jim Furr, Robin Harold, Ted Hatley, Jeff Hawley, Levi Huneycutt, Allison Janey, Bob Klinger, Jacob Lowder and Jeff Ridenhour.

Ray Shoe, Kane & Chelsea Simmons & baby, Eric Slone's grandfather, Jennings Smith, Lee Smith, Steve Smith, Shelia Whitley, JoAnn Wing and Tim Wyatt.

### WORSHIP LEADERS FOR APRIL 8

Worship Leader – Nadine Bowers

Greeters – Ann Hatley & Jeanette Raybon

Acolytes – Maddie Harwood & Addison Hatley

Head Usher – Tony Lowder

Children's Sermon – Starla Harwood

Counters – Gary Hatley & Stan Bowers

Flowers –

Outdoor Sign – Dan & Carolyn Baucom

### KIDS ON A MISSION CROSSES-Today

The Kids on a Mission Youth Group wood/twine/nail crosses are available today. Please see Kristy Roland or Julie Cummings.

### YOUTH GROUPS

The youth groups will not meet today. They will meet on Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at a new time of **2:00 pm**.

### CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

The Church Office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, in observance of Easter.

### MOTHER'S DAY & FATHER'S DAY BULLETINS

Circle #2 will again be preparing Mother's Day and Father's Day bulletins. Each name you place in honor or memory is \$2. This money is used to support the needs of local individuals and community help organizations. Forms are in adult Sunday School classrooms and the Sanctuary. Deadline for Mother's Day names is April 29<sup>th</sup>. Deadline for Father's Day names is June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please give forms and money to Jo Hatley, Anne Nance or place in the offering plate.

### **STORAGE ROOM CLEAN-UP**

The storage room in the Educational Building is bursting at the seams again. Nurture Ministries plans to take on the project during the week of April 23-28 and is serving notice to label any items that are definite “keepers.” The aim is to find homes for as many project and VBS leftovers as possible and to discard useless others. Sunday school teachers and youth leaders are urged to take supplies that are on hand rather than purchase more.

### **AVAILABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT**

Jeff Nance has a nice hospital bed, lift chair, shower chair and walkers available for anyone who is in need of these items. Please call Jeff at 704-244-1773 for more information.

### **MARY AND MARTHA CENTER**

The Mary and Martha Center for Women located in Albemarle is collecting quarters to be used by the less fortunate ladies at laundromats. A jar is in the Church Office to collect the quarters.

### **CHURCH DIRECTORIES**

Please see Lisa Almond or stop by the Church Office to pick up a church directory. Extras were ordered and may be purchased for \$12.

It is important to contact the Church Office with any corrections to the information in the directory. These corrections will be listed in the bulletin and upcoming newsletters.

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**SUNDAY, APRIL 1, 2018**  
**11:00 A.M.**

PRELUDE: *Christ Is Alive! Let Christians Sing* arr. McDonald

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CHIMING OF "THE TRINITY" (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS / BIRTHDAY SONG

PASSING THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP: *He's Not Here*

OPENING PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PRAISE: *Christ the Lord Is Risen Today* #302

\*ACT OF PRAISE: The Apostles' Creed #881  
*Easter People, Raise Your Voices* (verse 1 & 3) #304

CHILDREN'S SERMON Betsy Godwin

PRAYER CONCERNS & THE LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY: *I Know That My Redeemer Liveth* Handel, arr. Ellson

\*DOXOLOGY: *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* #95

ANTHEM: *He Lives*

SCRIPTURE: John 20: 1-18

SERMON: "The Unnatural Truth"

COMMUNION

INVITATION TO PRAY AT THE ALTAR


\*HYMN OF RESPONSE: *Crown Him With Many Crowns* #327

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION: *Benediction*

\*PASTOR'S BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE: *Toccata* Widor, arr. L. Smith

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**FLOWERS**

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Beatrice "Bebe" Leitch and in celebration of her life by her family.

**THANK YOU**

Daniel Dickens would like to thank everyone for supporting his performance of Judas and for the love offering of \$286.

**TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS**

Worship Leader – Pastor Steve

Greeters – Ann Hatley & Jeanette Raybon

Acolytes – Peyton & Emerson Plowman

Head Usher – Tony Lowder

Children's Church – Kristen Herlocker & Beth Plowman

Counters – Gwen Hinson & Beverly Johnson

Outdoor Sign – Allen & Jennifer Hatley

**MEMORIALS**

*New Fellowship Building Fund*

In memory of Tracy Gill by Paula Almond

**THIS WEEK AT SALEM**

**TODAY**

7:00 am Sunrise Service & breakfast

8:30 am Awakening 150 Service

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service

**MONDAY**

Church Office closed

6:00 pm Cub Scouts – Fellowship Hut

**TUESDAY**

9:30 am Disciple Bible Study Two

10:30 am 60 Plus Club – Fellowship Hut

6:30 pm Grief Support Group – Ambassadors' Class

**SUNDAY**

8:30 am Awakening 150 Service

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship Service