



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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117 Third Street, Cheraw, SC 29520

"A Church with a Heart, in the Heart of Cheraw"

APRIL 14, 2024

Reverend Keith Stewart

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

SECOND SUNDAY IN EASTER - WHITE

SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2024

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

11:00 AM

PRELUDE

"Sacred Harp for Organ"

Young

WELCOME!

Greg Sanderson

CALL TO WORSHIP

Greg Sanderson

L: Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before Christ, our Redeemer.

C: We are witnesses, to the love God has poured into us.

L: Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before Christ, our Redeemer.

C: We are witnesses of God's love, sharing it with each person we meet.

L: Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before Christ our Redeemer.

C: We are witnesses to everyone we encounter, little children like us, sisters, and brothers in God's family.

†HYMN 133

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

LEANING

OPENING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor Keith

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Pastor Keith

Psalter Reading

Greg Sanderson

Psalm 4

RESPONSE (*Easter & General*)

Afro-American spiritual



R

R: The Lord does wonders for the faithful.

C: Answer me when I call, O God, defender of my cause; you set me free when I was in distress; have mercy on me and hear my prayer.

R: You mortals, how long will you dishonor my glory; how long will you love illusions and seek after lies?

C: Know that the Lord does wonders for the faithful; the Lord will hear me when I call.

R: Tremble, then, and do not sin; speak to your heart in silence upon your bed.

C: Offer the appointed sacrifices and put your trust in the Lord. Many are saying. "Who will show us any good?" Let the light of your face shine upon us, O Lord.

R: You have put gladness in my heart, more than when grain and wine abound.

C: In peace, I will lie down and sleep; for you alone, O Lord, make me rest secure. R

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881

"Apostles Creed"

Greg Sanderson

†GLORIA PATRI 71

"Glory Be to the Father"

GREATOREX

“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.”

†HYMN 140	“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”	MARTYRDOM
OFFERTORY	“Ten Thousand Angels”	Beck
†DOXOLOGY	“When I Survey”	HAMBURG
	<i>“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.”</i>	
†OFFERTORY PRAYER		Pastor Keith
ANTHEM	“Jesus Shall Reign”	Behnke
SCRIPTURE READING	Acts 3: 11-19	Pastor Keith
SERMON	<i>“What God has done through Jesus?”</i>	Pastor Keith
†HYMN 369	“Blessed Assurance”	ASSURANCE
†BENEDICTION		Pastor Keith
†CHORAL RESPONSE	“Amen 898”	DANISH
†ORGAN POSTLUDE	“Glory & Honor”	Daniels

†Denotes the congregation to please stand

~ If you are visiting with us today, please take a moment to sign the visitor’s card found in your pew rack. We are so glad you joined us for worship and hope that you feel at home here at First Church. We would love to see you again!

~The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God in memory of F. Garland Streete and Elizabeth King Street Traynham by the Lib Streete Traynham Estate. ~

Those to keep in **PRAYER**-

Our President, Congress, Governors, Mayors, State and local employees, all health care workers, EMT’s, all who defend our Nation, Jim Bennett, Mary Snookie Lomas, Shep Straughn, Betty Thrailkill, Mary Burr, Martha Griggs, Katie Chapman, Thomas McKinnon, Ellison Outen, Curtis Jones, Tony Thrailkill, Kathy Treadaway (friend of Henrietta Kollitz), Emily Marsh, Carolyn Turner (Amanda Carabo’s mother) Joanne Spivey, Scott Hunter, Shannon Johnson, The family of Beverly McDuffie, Rev. Dean Parker, Chris Thrailkill, Gaylia Wilson, Kathy Duffy Trussell, Ron Beck and Dennis Pressley. **Note: Names are left on the prayer list for two weeks; after two weeks, they are removed unless the church office is notified.**

CHURCH REPORTS & INFO.

Weekly Amount Needed: **\$5,928.83.**
Received week of April 7th: **\$6,810.82**
Sunday School Attendance April 7th: **49**
Worship Attendance April 7th: **97**
Greeter: **Todd & Allison Becker**
Greeter next Sunday: **Gailya Wilson**
Liturgist Next Week: **Jimmie Williamson**
Head Usher: **Sammy Quick**
Acolyte: **Carley Watson**
Crucifer: **Courtney Eubanks**
Nursery: **Michelle Rohde & Mason Tomberlin**
Sound System Operator: **Holly Miles**
Video Tech: **Bryson Hunter**
Website: **www.cherawfirstumc.org**
Food Pantry Item: **Peanut Butter & Canned Fruit**
McArn Food Bank Item: **Canned Soup, Beef Stew, & Instant Potatoes**

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

† There will be a funeral service for Ms. Beverly McDuffie on April 21, 2024, in the Church Sanctuary at 2:00pm.

† Children's Committee will meet April 21st from 4:00pm to 5:00pm in the fellowship hall.

† Joy Club will meet Thursday, April 18th at 12:00 noon. We will have FUMC barbeque for lunch. Be sure to make reservations by Monday, April 15th. Renie Seel 843-344-1841

CHURCH CALENDAR

SUNDAY April 14

8:30am Men's Breakfast
10:00am Sunday School
10:30am Choir Rehearsal
11:00am Worship Service
5:00pm-6:30pm Youth & Fireflies

MONDAY April 15

9:00am-1:30pm Church Office Open

TUESDAY April 16

9:00am-1:30pm Church Office Open
10:30am-12:00pm Mat Making

WEDNESDAY April 17

9:00am-1:30pm Church Office Open
5:30pm-6:30pm Handbell Rehearsal
6:30pm-8:00pm Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY April 18

9:00am-1:30pm Church Office Closed

FRIDAY April 19

Church Office Closed

SUNDAY April 21

10:00am Sunday School
10:15am Choir Rehearsal
11:00am Worship Service
5:00pm-6:30pm Fireflies & Youth

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