

CREEDMOOR ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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This Easter Sunday at CRBC

Sometimes it is hard today to know what is real or fake. There are times where we put our hope in things that are fake. CRBC Pastor Danny Estave shares that when it comes to the resurrection we can know that Jesus rose from the dead and that we have a hope beyond the grave.

Invite your friends and family to join us this Easter Sunday as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. Our day will begin at 9:45AM with a **potluck fellowship breakfast** in the Fellowship Hall (no Gospel Project this Sunday). Please bring a favorite breakfast dish that would feed your family, with a little extra for our guests. At 11AM, we will continue our celebration with our **Easter Sunday Worship Service** (also on YouTube).

The Greatest Love Story Ever Told

The eight days of *Holy Week* hold deep significance for Christians worldwide, as they reflect on the events leading to Christ's crucifixion and resurrection: the core of the Christian faith. In Western Christianity, the chronology of events of Holy Week are often remembered as follows:

Palm Sunday - Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem (Matt 21:1-11).

Holy Monday - Jesus' cleansing of the Temple, emphasizing the purity and sanctity of God's House (*Matt 21:12-17*).

Holy Tuesday - Jesus' teaching and parables including the Olivet Discourse - Jesus preparation of His disciples for his return and the end of age (*Matt 24 & 25*).

Spy Wednesday - The betrayal of Jesus - Judas's agreement to betray Jesus, the turning point leading to Jesus' arrest (*Matt 26:14-16*).

Maundy Thursday - Washing of disciple's feet - The Last Supper (Matt 26:26-30, John 13:3-5).

Good Friday - Crucifixion and death of Jesus - The atonement for sins through Jesus' sacrifice (*Matt 27:1-61*).

Holy Saturday - Jesus' body rests in the secured tomb - a day of reflection and somber meditation (*Matt 27:62-66*).

Easter Sunday - The resurrection of Christ - the angel announced Jesus had risen - The victory celebration over sin and death is the foundation of the Christian faith

Holy Week is a sacred opportunity to study the foundation of Christianity. These events are not happenstance. Every step toward the cross was intentional and every lesson was laced with God's personal love for each of us, ultimately exhibited on the cross. As Easter has become a symbol for springtime, renewal, and a fresh starts, please share with family, friends, and strangers the good news of Jesus Christ that leads to life that never ends and love that never dies.

Why Is Good Friday Called Good?

For Christians, Good Friday was the most pivotal day in the history of the world. On Good Friday, Jesus willingly suffered and died by crucifixion as the ultimate sacrifice for our sins. So why call that day good?

It was a good day because it wasn't nails that held him to the cross, it was His undying love for His Father and for sinners like you and me. It was a good day because it was the day Christ conquered sin and death so that we would never live apart from God on this side of heaven or the other. And, It was a good day because three days later, the forces of evil were defeated as Christ was raised to life.

He is not here; for He is risen, as He said, Come, see the place where the Lord lay — Matt 28:6

He arose, and death was destroyed, giving us a way to be free of sin and death. Take time this week to reflect on all the good that our good God has done for us through the goodness of his Son, Jesus Christ.

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<u>Burthdays</u>

5 - C.T. "Pete" Byrd 5 - Audrey Adcock



This Sunday

Children's Church

Mary Lynn Elledge Lee Elledge

Last Sunday

Attendance

Gospel Project: 14 Morning Worship: 31

Giving

General Fund: \$ 1,210.00 Annie Armstrong: \$ 250.00 Buildings & Grounds: \$ 75.00

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Prayer Points

- Thank God for Jesus' finished work.
- Ask God to help you walk in obedience to him today.
- Pray that on Easter Sunday many would come to our Easter service and would respond in joyful surrender to God and his offer of eternal life.
- Reflect on all the good that our good God has done for us through the goodness of his Son, Jesus Christ.

If you have prayer requests for next week's newsletter, please share them with CRBC Pastor Danny Estave or the church office.

The contact information is on page 1 of this newsletter.

This Week



Sunday, March 31 Easter Sunday



9:45am Fellowship Breakfast (Potluck)

11:00am Easter Sunday Worship Service

Special Easter Sunday Message:

The Good News We Have Today

Matthew 28:1-20 with Pastor Danny Estave (Also on YouTube)

No Gospel Project this Sunday

Tuesday, April 2

1:00pm JOY Club

@CRBC



Wednesday Night Bible Study resumes April 17th

Upcoming Weeks

Sunday, April 7

10:00am The Gospel Project11:00am Morning Worship Service

Sunday, April 14

10:00am The Gospel Project11:00am Morning Worship Service

Wednesday, April 17

6:30pm Wednesday Night Bible Study

Saturday, April 20

2:00pm Margaret Wheeler Circle @CRBC WMU

Sunday, April 21

10:00am The Gospel Project11:00am Morning Worship Service

Wednesday, March 24

6:30pm Wednesday Night Bible Study