

GATHERING MUSIC

Michael Parker

TRINITY CHIMES**GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee

Please take a moment to sign the welcome pad located at the end of the pew, and pass it to the person next to you.

MOMENT FOR MISSION

Fellowship

PRELUDE

"Palm Branches"
Children's Choir

Douglas Nolan

Handchimes: Jan Epps-Dawson & Mary Overman

CALL TO WORSHIP

Zechariah 9:9

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Lo, your king comes to you;

triumphant and victorious is he,

humble and riding on a donkey,

Enter our hearts today as you entered Jerusalem long ago.***PROCESSIONAL HYMN 196** "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"*(Choir and children will process with palm branches.)****CALL TO CONFESSION**

Rev. Dr. Kathryn G. N. Campbell

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)**

God of heaven and earth, we give you thanks for sending us Jesus Christ. Like those gathered in Jerusalem to welcome him, we confess that our praise is fleeting, our devotion is temporary, and our faithfulness is short-lived. We shout in joy and adoration one moment and in anger and fury the next. Forgive us as we confess that we harbor a fickle faith. Lord, may we lay down our pride and sinfulness and welcome you in our hearts this day. In the name of Christ our Savior we pray.

*(silent prayers of confession)****ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS*****CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE, HYMN 399 (sing twice)**

"God Welcomes All"

**God welcomes all, strangers and friends;
God's love is strong and it never ends.**

***PASSING THE PEACE**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.**CONVERSATION WITH CHILDREN**

After the Children's Conversation, teachers lead children to Children's Worship: age 3 - 4 in room 216; K - 2nd graders in Room 204. Professional childcare for Infants - 2 years is in room 212.

*Those who are able may stand.

PENNIES FOR HUNGER**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION****FIRST SCRIPTURE READING** Psalm 118:1,19-26, page 534, pew Bible

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.**SECOND SCRIPTURE READING** Luke 19:28-40, page 78, pew Bible

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.**SERMON**

"Easter Expectations"

Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee

***HYMN 200**

"A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd"

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

From "A Brief Statement of Faith"

In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one true God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve.

We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.

Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified, suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world. God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life, breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.

SHARING OF CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE****OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES**

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "The Messiah Has Come" Pepper Choplin
from *Come to the Cross and Remember*

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE, HYMN 643, verse 1**

"Now Thank We All Our God"

**Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices,
who wondrous things hath done, in whom this world rejoices;
who, from our mothers' arms, hath blessed us on our way with
countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as
we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the
glory, forever. Amen.**

***HYMN 215**

"What Wondrous Love Is This"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**BENEDICTION RESPONSE** "My Grateful Spirit Sings" (reprise)

Sally DeFord

***POSTLUDE**

*Please be seated for the Postlude or leave quietly so others
might hear.*

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Acolyte: Karena Porter**Scripture Reader:** Libby Wilson**Door Greeters:** Evelyn Garrison and Mary Jane Conger**Parking Lot Greeter:** Frank Smith**Welcome Desk:** May Williams**Church Opener:** Parks Williams **Church Closer:** Stan Dixon**Sound:** Carter Walton **Video:** Rachel Young**Breakfast Set-up/Clean-up:** Susanne McIntire**Collection Counters:** Susan Porter and Jim Fisher

Ushers: David Wallace, Ben Parks, Donna Bailey, Exum Bailey,
Bruce Bursey, Stan Dixon

PRAYER CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS OF THE CONGREGATION

- **Bob McLendon** is at WhiteStone for rehab on broken hip (no visits at this time, prayers and cards are appreciated).
- **Pat Magnuson** is at Blumenthal's for rehab following hospitalization. She appreciates all the prayers and cards.
- **William Ayuel's mother** died on April 1 in South Sudan.
- **Ann Osborne** has returned to Spring Arbor after rehab for a broken hip.
- **Katherine Poole** is recovering at home from a heart valve replacement.
- **Roger Fristoe's favorite aunt, Evelyn**, was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer.
- **David and Nancy Wallace** request prayers for **neighbor, James Linz** awaiting a diagnosis and treatment plan.

THIS WEEK AT STARMOUNT

SUNDAY, April 14

9-9:45am

Sunday School & Small Groups

10:00am

Worship

11:15am

Youth Committee, Rm 323

5:18-7pm

SPY!

5:30pm

Mission Committee, Rm 319

5:30-6:30pm

Yoga Class, Rm 323

No Deep Stretch Yoga Class

TUESDAY, April 16

1-2pm

Staff Lunch Meeting, Rm 319

11:30am-12:30pm

Chair Yoga Class, Rm 321

WEDNESDAY, April 17

11:30-1pm

UKirk Lunch - Holderness House

4:45-6:15 pm

Children's Tutoring

THURSDAY, April 18

7:30-8:30am

Men's Faith Exploration Study,
Gathering Space

8am

Endowment Committee, Rm 319

11:30am

Higher Ground Ministry

11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Yoga Class: Out of the Chair

12-1pm

Maundy Thursday Service & Light
Lunch, Chapel & Fellowship Hall

2-3pm

Bible Study at River Landing

5 pm

May Star Press Deadline

No Handbell or Choir Rehearsals

GOOD FRIDAY, April 19

9:30-10:30am

Yoga Class, Rm 321

11:30am-12:30pm

Chair Yoga Class, Rm 321

7-8pm

Good Friday Music Service,
Sanctuary

SATURDAY, April 20

9-10 am

Community Garden

11-1pm

Spring Festival, Church Grounds

LOOKING AHEAD

EASTER SUNDAY, April 21

6:30am

Sunrise Service

8:45-9:45am

Continental Breakfast, Narthex

No Sunday School

9:40am

Hallelujah! Rehearsal with All,
Sanctuary

10:00 am

Worship

No Yoga Classes

STARMOUNT'S COMMUNITY GARDEN: Anyone who would like to volunteer can plan to come on Saturday mornings at 9am. There is also a children's bed, a place for them to dig and plant their own vegetables to enjoy. For more information, contact Linda Anderson at Anderson7510@gmail.com

Starmount Church Program Staff

Rev. Dr. Charlie Lee, Pastor

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Ministry

Laura Roberson, Lillian Steele

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Ministry

Starmount
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



April 14, 2019 · 10:00 a.m.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SCHEDULE

April 18, Maundy Thursday - Noon

Worship service followed by light lunch

April 19, Good Friday Music Service - 7:00pm

Music Service featuring Starmount & Jamestown Presbyterian
Chancel Choirs. Childcare provided.

April 20, Saturday, Spring Festival - 11:00am-1:00pm

Easter Egg Hunt, Food Trucks, Games & More!

April 21, Easter Sunday

No Sunday School

6:30am Sunrise Service (will include a butterfly release)

8:45am Continental Breakfast in Narthex

9:40am "Hallelujah Chorus" Rehearsal (Anyone wanting to
sing with the choir is invited.)

10:00am Worship

(Please bring freshly cut flowers for the cross.)

Called to Worship. Empowered to Serve.

SPY! (Starmount Presbyterian Youth): Meet at the church for dinner, games and a program at 5:18.

STAFF HOLIDAY SCHEDULE: The church offices will be closed on **Monday, April 22 and Friday, April 26.**

ONE CHURCH, ONE BOOK Wednesday, May 15 at Noon. Join the discussion! *The Jane Austen Project* by Kathleen A. Flynn. Books are available to check out in the Gathering space.

SAVE THE DATE FOR SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY: Sunday, May 19, 11:15-1:00. For those who are not honorary guests, the cost is \$10.00 for age 12 and up. A free children's meal will be provided for those under age 12.

MISSION TRIP: The **Mexico Mission trip** will be **June 29-July 7, 2019.** Contact Neil Huffman if you are interested at mnhuff@earthlink.net. **Deadline is May 1st.**

OPEN FLOWER DATES: 7/21, 8/11, 8/18. If you are interested in giving flowers for one of these Sundays, please contact Jinny Buchanan at jinnybug@mindspring.com or 336-549-4674/336-662-8402.

MAY STAR PRESS NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: Thursday, April 18 at 5pm

MANY THANKS TO ALL THE STARMOUNT VOLUNTEERS who helped with the GUM Food Drive last weekend! Those who endured cold rain on Friday collected nearly 1900 lbs. of non-perishable food items. By Saturday's end, we collected a total of 4,947 lbs. and \$51.31.

NEW MEMBER CLASS: The next class of new members will be recognized in worship on **Sunday, May 12.** If you are interested in officially being a part of Starmount Presbyterian Church by becoming an active member of the congregation, please contact Pastor Kathryn for more information.

PASTORAL CARE: The pastoral care team at Starmount wants to be there for you in your times of greatest need. If you or someone you know is in the hospital and would like a pastoral visit, or have other joys and concerns to share, please contact the church office to let us know.