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CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

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March 4th, 2018 – 3rd Sunday in Lent

You Are Welcome Here at Church of the Resurrection!

Thank you for joining us to worship today. You are joining with a community of people from all walks of life and at many places in their understanding of God and spirituality. We believe that we are all made in the image of God and that God's image becomes more clear as we grow in our diversity and love for one another.

We are not an institution, we are not a building, we are people who, with all our gifts and joys, our faults and failings, because of our common faith belong to one another. We hope you will find a spiritual home here, or a refreshing stop on your path through life.

If you would like to know more about our Church community, you can pick up a leaflet from our welcome table, speak to one of our welcomers or clergy or visit us online at:

Website: oneresurrection.org

Facebook: Church of the Resurrection, Hamilton

Prayer Blog: oneresurrection.wordpress.com

Services This Week

Readings: Exodus 20:1-17, Psalm 19, John 2:13-22

8:30 Eucharist

Presider: Rev. Leon Burke

Assistant: Les Jarrett Reader: Elsie Greenidge

10:30 Eucharist

Greeters: Terry & Nancy Clause

Presider: Rev. Leon Burke

Reader: Claudia Barr

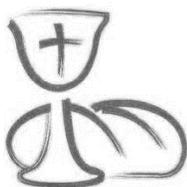
Lay Reader: Brian Taylor

Prayers: Adam MacNeil

Eucharistic Ministers: Clare Stewart, Mary Gordon,
Barry Riess

Servers: Benjamin Steeves, Justine Swan

Coffee Hosts: Barbara Harper, Kevin & Julie Beattie, Olive Boyce



Readings Next Week

Numbers 21:4-9; Psalm 107:1-2, 17-22; John 3:14-21

Prayers for Our Church

**We pray for the following members of our
Parish family:**

Ron & Diane Branch

Hazel Brewster

Doug & Vicky Buchan

**In our church, we pray for
Tim's Team & Volunteers**

Flowers in the Sanctuary

Each year we decorate the church with flowers for Easter. If you wish to give flowers as a Memorial or Thanksgiving, please fill out an "Easter Flowers" envelope located on the Narthex welcome table and place it in the collection basket or return it to the Parish Office. The deadline for receipt is **Sunday March 25th**. Thank-You!

Prayers for the Community

In our community, we pray for
the Wentworth Condo Corporation
and all who regularly use this building.

Celebrations

**We pray with thanksgiving for all those
celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries :**

Gwendolyn Salonen (March 4th)

Dennis Bawden (March 7th)

Pamela Blackwood (March 10th)



***May God bless them as they celebrate,
and in the year ahead!***



PARISH LEADERS VISION DAY

Our Parish Council, Wardens and Lay Readers will be meeting next Saturday March 10th to discuss, imagine, dream and pray about our ministry at Resurrection. Please keep them in your prayers as they gather.



"A Lenten Practice for 2018 – Greening the World"

In the coming months, we'll be exploring how we care for God's creation. To kick us off, the Greening Team are inviting everyone to do something for Lent to care for creation and to indicate their Stewardship of Creation by writing their action(s) on a paper leaf and hanging it on a branch in the Narthex. We will use these in our prayers in Eastertide.

TAIZÉ WORSHIP AND HEALING PRAYER March 11th @ 7p.m.

Come and join us for a time of quiet meditation and prayer in the style of the Taizé community.

A Prayer from Taizé – *"Christ, saviour of every life, you come to us always. Welcoming you in the peace of our nights, in the silence of our days, in the beauty of creation, in the hours of intense combat, welcoming you means knowing that you will be with us in every situation, always."*

"GUNS, GERMS AND STEEL" – March 6th, 13th & 20th @ 7PM

Living Black History presents a three week course held at Resurrection based on and including a screening of the National Geographic adaptation of "Guns, Germs and Steel" by Jared Diamond. The history of race and racism in the West will be explored. All are welcome. Please sign up in the Narthex.

JOIN US FOR J.A.M.

A monthly after school children's service. All are welcome Thursday March 29th @ 5:30p.m. Songs, stories, prayers, crafts, pizza and friends!



PALM SUNDAY 25th March

8.30am & 10.30am Celebrate the Entrance of Christ into Jerusalem and the beginning of the journey of Holy Week.

HOLY MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

7pm A Service of Compline with Reflection: Each night Monday-Wednesday join us for a quiet service of Night Prayer with a reflection to focus our hearts and minds and lead us on the journey through Holy Week.

MAUNDY THURSDAY 29th March

At 5.30pm a special children's service and pot luck supper for families.

At 7pm join us in the Church as we remember and re-enact in our liturgy The Washing of Feet, the Last Supper and the drama of the arrest in Gethsemane.

GOOD FRIDAY 30th March

At 9am join us for a service before the cross followed by our walk of witness.

At 7pm at Resurrection, join us to remember those we have loved and lost.

HOLY SATURDAY 31st March

At 8pm The Great Easter Vigil with the Lighting of the first fire and the blessing of the Paschal Candle.

EASTER SUNDAY 1ST April 8:30am and 10:30am Festival Celebrating the Resurrection!

