

**Resurrection Sunday
The Celebration of Worship
March 31, 2013**

The Voluntary "The Strife Is O'er" Palestrina/D. Johnson
Organ, Brass, and Timpani; David Gregory, maestro

The Paschal Greeting Rev. R. Len Walker, Jr.

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The Introit "Salvation Is Created" P. Tschesnokoff
The Chapel Choir, Organ, and Brass

Salvation is created in the midst of the earth,
O God, our God. Alleluia.

Psalm 118:14-24 (Hymnal, pp. 839-840) Rev. V. Lamar Helms

The Invocation Rev. Helms

* Hymn of Exultation 302 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"
Congregation, Choir, Organ, Brass and Timpany arr. J. Rutter
(Verses 1-4)

The Children's Message (10:30 am) Rev. Walker

Unison Prayer for Easter Rev. Helms

Almighty God, You give us the joy of celebrating our Lord's resurrection. Give us also the joys of life as Your beloved children, seeking to know and to do Your will. Bring us at last to the full joy of life eternal. In the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, we pray. Amen

The Welcome Rev. Walker

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer Rev. Walker

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offertory "Jubilant Praise" M. Hayes

The Chapel Choir, Piano and Brass

Lord of life and Lord of love,
Blessed spirit that comes from above,
Source of our music and infinite song,
All of our praise to thee belong.
O may we lift our hearts to thee,
Joined with our voices in harmony,
Echoing ever jubilant praise,
Sung by the angels from age to age.
Alleluia, all of our praise to thee belong.

* The Doxology arr. R. V. Williams OLD 100TH

* The Offertory Prayer Rev. Helms

* Hymn 322 "Up from the Grave He Arose" CHRIST AROSE

* The Scripture: John 20:10-18

Minister: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon "I Have Seen the Lord!" Rev. Walker

* Hymn of Victory 307 "Christ Is Risen" W ZLOBIE LEZY

* The Benediction Rev. Walker

* Choral Response "Hallelujah Chorus" G. F. Handel

From *Messiah*

(The Congregation is invited to sing with the choir, organ, brass, and timpani.)

Hallelujah! Hallelujah, for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.
The kingdom of this world is become the Kingdom of our Lord,
And of His Christ; and He shall reign for ever and ever.
King of kings, and Lord of lords. Hallelujah!

Postlude "That Easter Day with Joy Was Bright"

Dutch Tune/D. Johnson

Organ, Brass and Timpani

* Please stand if you are able.

+ Children are invited to join Rev. Walker on the last verse of the hymn.

Gratitude!

We are grateful to the Brass Ensemble and its leadership in worship today. We welcome Pat Gallagher, Steven Watson, and Daniel Johnson, on trumpet; and Casey Eubanks, Cecil Wilder, and Garrick Cheyne, on trombone. We give special thanks to Chapel member Dr. David Gregory for recruiting, rehearsing, and directing the Brass Ensemble.

Welcome!

On this day of celebration, we welcome you warmly, both guests and members. Please pass the friendship pads across your rows today so that we will have a record of your worship with us. If you have any prayer needs, or would like to speak with a minister after our worship, we encourage you to speak with one of our chaplains or our Stephen Ministers. Again, know that you are always welcome here.



The heartbeat of
the community

**A Celebration of the Resurrection
March 31, 2013**

"Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here, but has risen!"

Luke 24:5b

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“The story is told of a woman who went to see Dwight L. Moody and to hear him preach. She was much interested in the psychology of the situation and wanted to study the man. Coming from the service she was asked what she thought of Mr. Moody. Looking up in surprise, she said, ‘I forgot him in what he said. I went, intending to study him, but became so interested in his message that I forgot to study him. I lost Moody, but I found God.’”

That is what is happening to Peter and John as they race toward the empty tomb on that first Easter morning; they are losing their interest in the mere emptiness of the tomb, which Mary Magdalene had so tragically proclaimed, and running with expectancy to find a Risen Christ, who is indeed “the Son of the Living God.” The eagerness of that *expectancy* is accentuated in every line of face and body.

Excerpt from Eugene Burnand, *Christ and the Fine Arts*

Welcome Guests!

Big Canoe Chapel is a multi-denominational congregation united in our faith in Jesus Christ as Lord. We're dedicated to showing His love through worship, fellowship, outreach, and welcoming guests or those new to the community. For more information, please contact one of our chaplains or Stephen Ministers after the service, or call the Chapel office at 706.268.3203.

Please note:

- Hearing devices are available from an usher.
- The Nursery is available downstairs during the 9:00 & 10:30 am services.
- Remember to turn your cell phones back on at the end of the service!

Today at the Chapel

8:30 AM	Prayer with Senior Chaplain- Bride's Room
8:45 AM	Fellowship Class Coffee
9:00 AM	Adult Sunday School
9:00 AM	Worship Service
10:00 AM	Stand-Around
10:30 AM	Sunday School for all ages

Serving Today at the Chapel...

	9:00 AM	10:30 AM
Ushers:	Bill and Pat Buss Jim and Sue Leonard	Ham and Sandra Gadd Bill and Shelby Collins
Greeters:	John Dosen Brian Rash	Gene and Jerry Justice Brian Rash Jeanelle Brown
Cart Driver:	Wes Connelly	
Acolytes:	Will Dodson Georgia Fernandez	Jack Lowrie Miranda Lowrie
Sound Tech:	Bob Matthews	

This Week at the Chapel

Mon. 4/01	Grief Support-Room 107	5:00PM
Tues. 4/02	Young Women's Bible Study -Teen Room	8:00AM
Tues. 4/02	Bella Voce —McCormick Hall	9:30AM
Tues. 4/02	Pine Needle Quilters-McCormick Hall	1:00PM
Tues. 4/02	Men's Fellowship Meeting -Room 107	3:00PM
Wed. 4/03	Men's Journey Group -Room 101	8:00AM
Wed. 4/03	Women's Bible Study — McCormick Hall	9:30AM
Wed. 4/03	Creative Stitchery — Room 101	1:00PM
Wed. 4/03	Disciple Bible Study w/ Len Walker	4:30PM
Wed. 4/03	Wednesday Fellowship Dinner	5:45PM
Wed. 4/03	Vesper Service-Chapel	6:30PM
Thurs. 4/04	Ensemble Rehearsal-McCormick Hall	7:00PM
Sat. 4/06	AA Meeting — Room 101	9:00AM
Sat. 4/06	Seekers Sunday School Class Social-C. Hall	3:00PM
Sun. 4/07	Chapel Worship Service	9:00AM
Sun. 4/07	Ensemble Sings	9:00AM
Sun. 4/07	Adult Sunday School	9:00AM
Sun. 4/07	Chapel Stand-Around	10:00AM
Sun. 4/07	Sunday School for All	10:30AM
Sun. 4/07	Chapel Worship Service	10:30AM

Chapel Member Prayer List

At Home: Tom Eubanks, Phyllis Deane, Anne Campbell, Becky Denney, Fred Hintze, Jobeth Yarbrough, Dick Scharf

Hospital: Blanche Hann, Northside, Canton

In Assisted Care: Betty Laughlin, Arbor Terraces, Decatur; Martha Adkins, Gold City Personal Care, Dahlonega; Bill Almand, The Veranda, Roswell; Jean Payne, Chalmas Holmes, Grandview, Jasper; **Vivian Macdonald (Jean Ann Miller's mother), Rock Creek Manor, Jasper;** Margie Hunter and Ben Johnson, Chambrel, Roswell; Dot Bourke, Dogwood Forest Asst. Living Comm, Gainesville; Roy and Frances Smith, Hallmark at Phipps, Atlanta; Kathy Duncan, Ivy Hall, Alpharetta, Georgia.

The Chapel Family Extends Special Thoughts and Prayers

...to Alan Beske and family in the death of Jayne, wife, mother, and grandmother.

Chapel Announcements



Join the Adventure Vacation Bible School is June 10-14 at Big Canoe Chapel

Bring your children and grandchildren to Babylon, where they will explore Daniel's courage as a captive in a foreign land. Brochures with information and registration forms are available in the Information Center outside the Chapel Office or online at the Chapel website www.bigcanoechapel.org. They will not want to miss this

Growing In Grace

...a series that will lead us toward a fresh discovery of how God uses each person
In participatory ministry in the making of disciples...

Rev. Mark Nysewander will lead this series at both Worship Services, April 14, a special service that evening at 7:00 p.m., as well as a special evening service at 7:00 p.m. Monday, April 15. The series will lead us toward a church-wide survey in which we will examine the many opportunities God affords us in outreach and service. We believe the *Growing in Grace* series will spiritually refresh and renew the Chapel as we faithfully seek God and affirm his presence among us.

Technology Committee-Some of the fruits of labor of the committee include improved multimedia capabilities in McCormick Hall. The following “self service” capabilities are now available:

- Showing a normal DVD
- Playing a music CD
- Playing MP3/iPod music
- Using a personal laptop to show a PowerPoint, access the internet, etc.

Complete “How To” instructions are available in McCormick Hall. In addition, “Hands on Training” is available Wednesday April 3, and Wednesday, April 10, at 5:45 PM (after Disciple class and before Vespers); and Sunday, April 14, at 10:10 AM (between worship services). Contact Connie Keasler at (404.772.2518) or email ckeasler12@yahoo.com to schedule.

Thank you...

“Jane and Don Wyeth want to thank all our friends and neighbors for the cards of sympathy and condolence over the recent loss of our grandson Logan Wyeth. The outpouring of love and sympathy is most appreciated. Big Canoe people are the finest!”