#### In Memoriam

Helga Anna Boyan - April 12, 2025

The Reveille family extends Christian love and sympathy to the family and friends of Helga Boyan.

#### **Gluten-free Communion Elements are Available**

Wafers free of gluten, casein, egg and soy are available during communion. The communion juice is also gluten-free. Gluten-free elements are located on the small table between those serving the elements at the front of the sanctuary.

### **Communion Offering**

As you come forward to receive communion this morning, you are invited to place a special offering in the offering plates at the front of the sanctuary. These gifts are used to help those in our community who have sudden financial needs.

#### Today's Easter Altar Display

Many thanks to Rodney Perry and Peggy Guy for the lovely floral displays they created for our Easter morning services.

#### Flowering Cross in Front of the Church

Thanks, also, to Michele Clements, who coordinated the adorning of the cross with flowers in the front of the church for our Easter celebration.

### **No Sunday Afternoon Programs**

We will not hold adult classes or children's and youth activities this afternoon. Happy Easter!

#### **Church Office Closed Monday**

In observance of the Easter Monday holiday, the church office will be closed on April 21.

## Support U.S. Disaster Recovery Through the Easter Offering

This year's Easter offering supports UMCOR's U.S. Disaster Response and Recovery, including recovery efforts for the recent California fires. Visit www.bit.ly/lentoffering-25 or scan the QR code to make your donation. To donate by cash or check, please note "UMCOR Easter Offering" on your check memo or offering envelope.



Let Us Know You Came Today
Thank you for joining us for Easter! We invite everyone to let us know you attended today's service by completing the blue card in your pew and returning it in the offering plate. You can also connect with us by scanning this QR code or visiting www.bit.ly/easter-connect.

## **Sign Up for Our Daily Devotionals**

We invite you to grow in your connection to God by making prayer part of each day. Sign up for our daily devotional email by scanning this QR code or visiting www.bit.ly/devotional-rumc to help develop regular prayer practices as you read scripture and engage more deeply with each week's service. Printed copies of the devotional are also available at our Sunday worship check-in tables.

# **Easy Ways to Support Reveille's Ministries**

Donate online at www.reveilleumc.org/donate, or text a donation, including a dollar sign (e.g. \$25), to (804) 441-7544.



#### Sign Up for Weekly Emails

You can stay on top of the latest news from Reveille by subscribing to our weekly emails. Scan this QR code or visit www.bit.ly/rumc-news.

## Statement of Inclusivity

We embrace an inclusive faith and welcome everyone without exceptions for age, race, ethnic background, national origin, mental or physical ability, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, education, family or socioeconomic status, or faith history.

#### **Connect with Us**

If you would like to connect with a member of Reveille's staff, visit www.reveilleumc.org/team. To see a listing of all the opportunities coming up at Reveille, visit www.reveilleumc.org/signup.

## **Sermon Series**

#### April 27-June 8: "Living a Resurrection Life"

Each week of this series will explore different dimensions of this "Resurrection Life" as we make our way to Pentecost.

## June 15-July 13: "(More Than) Summer Stories"

This summer, we will explore messages in classic Bible stories. In our first series, we take a deep look at five Bible stories and how to apply them to practical challenges of our daily lives.

#### July 20-August 17: "Toes in the Sand"

In our second summer series, we will extend our "Road Trip" Vacation Bible School theme by highlighting a journey on biblical sands to underscore some fundamental biblical and discipleship truths.

#### This Summer

#### Western NC Mission Trip, June 1-7

Reveille will partner with Woodlake UMC to send a team of volunteers to Spruce Pine, North Carolina, June 1-7. The team will support a variety of hurricane relief projects in the area. This is a United Methodist Volunteers in Mission (UMVIM) coordinated trip. To learn more about joining the trip, please visit www.reveilleumc.org/ncmissiontrip.

## New Summer Sunday Worship Schedule, starts June 8

On Sunday mornings, June 8 through August 31, we will offer worship services at 8:30 am in the chapel and 10:00 am in the sanctuary. The Point service will take a break during this time. We will return to three morning services on Kickoff Sunday, September 7.

### **Kids Camp and Vacation Bible School**

Register your children for one of our fun-filled summer programs at www.reveilleumc.org/camps. Hurry, spots are filling up fast!

- Kids Camp, June 16-19: Children rising in grades 3-6 are invited to a fun week of daily mission trips, music, crafts, games, and more!
- Vacation Bible School, July 14-17: Children age 4 to rising 2nd grade will enjoy exploring the Bible through fun games, songs, crafts, and more with the theme Road Trip!

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April 20, 2025

Easter Day

We welcome all people to follow Jesus Christ and serve together as a hub of faith, hope, and action.

## **GATHERING**

**PRELUDE** "The Trumpet Shall Sound" G. F. Handel Brass Ensemble arr. Hal Hopson

**GREETING** Rev. Dr. Peter Moon and Abby Baker

One: The Lord be with you. Many: And also with you.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

Alleluia! Christ is risen!

Many: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia! This is the day that the Lord has made; Many: let us rejoice and be glad in it!

One: Alleluia! Christ is risen!

All: Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia!

\*HYMN 302 "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" (1-4) EASTER HYMN

\*OPENING PRAYER

Rev. Bayo Ogungbade

11:00 am

God our Father, by raising Christ your Son you conquered the power of death and opened for us the way to eternal life. Let our celebration today raise us up and renew our lives by the Spirit that is within us. Grant this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

**ANTHEM** 

"Now Is the Hour of Darkness Past" Chancel Choir

Daniel Pinkham

Alleluia! Now is the hour of darkness past; Christ hath assumed his reigning power. Behold the great accuser cast down from the skies. to rise no more. Alleluia! Twas by thy blood, immortal Lamb, Thine armies trod the tempter down; 'twas by thy word and powerful name they gained the battle and renown. Alleluia! Rejoice ye heavens! Let every star shine with new glories round the sky! Saints, while ye sing the heavenly war, raise your Redeemer's name on high. Alleluia! - Isaac Watts

## **PROCLAIMING**

MESSAGE FOR CHILDREN

Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Melvin Ely

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Living God, by your Holy Spirit, open our eyes to see the new light of this day; open our lips to tell of the empty tomb; open our hearts to believe the good news; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FIRST LESSON – John 20:1-18, Bible, pg. 882

The Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SECOND LESSON – 1 Corinthians 15:12-20, 58, Bible, pg. 935

Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

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

All: Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Standing in THE Center" Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

#### RESPONDING

\*HYMN 318 "Christ Is Alive" TRURO

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - 888

Affirmation from 1 Corinthians 15:1-6 and Colossians 1:15-20

\*GLORIA PATRI – 71

**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.

INVITATION TO PRAYER "O Christ, the Great Foundation"

**AURELIA** 

O Christ, the great foundation on which your people stand to preach your true salvation in every age and land: pour out your Holy Spirit to make us strong and pure, to keep the faith unbroken as long as worlds endure.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Stephen Coleman

HOLY COMMUNION: A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II Hymnal, pg. 12 (musical responses pg. 17)

OFFERING Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

OFFERTORY

"Awake, Arise!" Chancel Choir Howard Helvey

Awake, arise! Lift up thy voice, which as a trumpet swell!
Rejoice in Christ! Again rejoice, and on his praises dwell!
Let us not doubt, as doubted some, when first the Lord appeared; but full of faith and reverence come, what time his voice is heard.
And e'en as John, who ran so well, confess upon our knees the Prince who locks up death and hell, and has himself the keys.
And thus through gladness and surprise the saints their Saviour treat; nor will they trust their ears and eyes but by his hands and feet: those hands of liberal love indeed in infinite degree, those feet still frank to move and bleed for millions and for me.
O Dead, arise! O Friendless, stand by seraphim adored!
O Solitude, again command thy host from heaven restored!
- Christopher Smart

The congregation is invited to stand when the ushers reach the steps.

\*DOXOLOGY – 94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

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 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.

#### MUSIC AT COMMUNION

HYMN 322 "Up from the Grave He Arose" CHRIST AROSE HYMN 308 "Thine Be the Glory" JUDAS MACCABEUS HYMN 162 "Alleluia, Alleluia" ALLELUIA NO. 1

#### PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Make us ever faithful to your high calling. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### GOING INTO THE WORLD

\*HYMN 327 "Crown Him with Many Crowns" DIADEMATA

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Dr. Peter Moon

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE "Hallelujah" from Messiah Chancel Choir and Brass Ensemble G. F. Handel

\*POSTLUDE "Maestoso" from Sonata III Felix Mendelssohn

\* All are invited to stand, in body or in spirit.

#### **SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Peter Moon
Liturgists: Rev. Stephen Coleman, Rev. Bayo Ogungbade
Musicians: Tom Bailey, Daniel Banke, Brass Ensemble, Chancel Choir
Acolytes: Nate Knockemus, Ben Peterson Crucifer: Nathaniel Ely
Altar Guild: Sandy Cash, Jean Donaldson, Ginny Dunn, Phyllis Moore
Audio and Video: Garrett Berry, Pierce Downey, Dexter Johnson

The 11:00 am service is livestreamed, recorded, and shared on various online platforms.

# **Coming Up**



### Beginner Mah Jongg Lessons, starting April 21

You are invited to free beginner American Mah Jongg lessons led by Lisa Mears on Monday, April 21, 28, and May 5, in the welcome center. The classes will cover an introduction to the game, tiles, cards, how to play, and strategies for picking a hand. To sign up, visit www.bit.ly/mahjongg-apr25 or scan this QR code.

#### Rehab a Home with Rebuilding Together, April 26

Come join a team of Reveille volunteers and help repair a home for someone in our community. Morning, afternoon, and full-day shifts are available on Saturday, April 26. Several helpers are needed and children age 10 and older can help with a parent. Lunch will be provided. Sign up at www.bit.ly/rebuilding-together25.



## Register for the Museum of the Bible Trip by April 28

On Wednesday, April 30, registered attendees will depart on a charter bus for a full-day trip to visit the Museum of the Bible in Washington, D.C. The trip includes round-trip transportation, museum admission and tour, lunch, refreshments, taxes, and gratuity. The cost of the trip is \$130 per person and is open to everyone. Visit www.reveilleumc.org/fellowship-club by April 28 to reserve your spot!

#### **UWF General Meeting Program and Lunch, May 6**

On Tuesday, May 6, 10:30 am-noon, in the fellowship hall, everyone is invited to hear a presentation by Anne Poarch and Shelly Barrick Parsons with Capital Trees. RSVP by April 28 to reserve lunch (\$15 per person) by emailing Laura Lay, lauradelmorelay@gmail.com.

**Easter Flower Dedications** Evan, Ella, and Olivia Anderegg in memory of Mrs. Lora Johnson and Misses Thelma and Doris Johnson Evan, Ella, and Olivia Anderegg in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Johnson, Sr. and Mr. Robert A. Johnson, Jr. Evan, Ella, and Olivia Anderegg in memory of Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe Easter Brian and Heather Anderson in honor of Douglas, Abby, Sarah Whitney, and Kameron The Beazley Family in memory of Martha D. Whitley The Beazley Family in memory of Marion Nussey Saunders The Beazley Family in memory of Sgt. G. Howard Williams, U.S. Army The Blain Family in honor of Richard B. Koiner Gene Brooks in memory of Charlotte "Billie" Brooks Tim Beuter in memory of Nanny and Pa. With love, Tim. Ellen Clore in memory of my parents, Lydia and Jim Thomen The Cronheim Family in memory of Linda Ziropoulos The Cronheim Family in memory of Geraldine Morrissey O'Brien Allen Davis in loving memory of my wife, Mary Tricia Dean in memory of Albert Dean and Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Crawley Tricia Dean in honor of the Wednesday Communion Group Carolyn Derr in memory of Ernest, Cleo, and Courtney Dewey Carol Hampton and Bob Downs in memory of our parents The Ennis Family in memory of Jarvis Ennis and Doris Ennis Shea Carol Ann Estes in memory of Mary Burnett Davis Brenda Gordon in memory of loved ones Margaret and Chancellor Hamilton in memory of loved ones Gary and Sylvia Haneberg in memory of Adam and Wanda Kissel Barry and Anne Hodges in honor of Reveille's ministers and staff Barry and Anne Hodges in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Trent F. Hodges Barry and Anne Hodges in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Vaden Barry and Anne Hodges in memory of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Roller Martha Hodges in memory of my parents Martha Hodges in memory of Robert McNeer Marilyn Johnson in memory of Bob Johnson Marsha Krause in memory of William E. Krause John and Bonnie Mills in honor of Ciara and Barrett Mills Phyllis Anne Moore in memory of Mary and Hugh Moore, parents Phil and Patsy Morrissette in memory of Philip Morrissette IV Phil and Patsy Morrissette in memory of Dan and Donna Ludwig Phil and Patsy Morrissette in honor of Rev. Dr. Arthur Thomas Phil and Patsy Morrissette in honor of Rev. Dr. James Noland N. Kirk Morton in memory of Joyce B. Morton The Mudd Family in memory of Dick Mudd The Mudd family and Karen Kelley in memory of Doug Heard The Mudd family and Karen Kelley in memory of Beth Heard Bonnie and Jim Overacre in memory of Dan and Donna Ludwig Bonnie and Jim Overacre in memory of loved ones Julie and Newton Rector in memory of loved ones Anne Curtis and Daniel Saunders-Vinson in memory of Ann Marie Vinson Jimmy and Nancy Shepherd in memory of Dot Coor The Speer Family in memory of Ellen and Paul Rock Mayo

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Betty Ann Spiers in honor of Bobby, my loyal caregiver
Patrick St. Clair in memory of Nelson L. St. Clair, Jr.
Christopher and Darya Suleske in memory of
Darya's beloved father, Larry R. Jerdal (1942-2020)
Terry and Diane Taylor in memory of loved ones
Christina and Brett Vassey in memory of Meredith Thrower
Amy Williams in memory of Ben and Lynn McDaniel
The Wimbish Family in memory of Judge William Wimbish