

We thank the following for their service during our worship service:

Acolyte:	Sarah Faircloth
Crucifer	Adam Faircloth

**THE PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** are located on the tables in the narthex and may be placed in the offering plate or in the prayer request box in the narthex area, or you may email the prayer ministry team at [prayer@frontstreetumc.org](mailto:prayer@frontstreetumc.org). A member of the prayer team will collect requests and offer prayers for requests given on the prayer request cards.

**ACOLYTES AND CRUCIFERS NEEDED**  
Acolytes and Crucifers play an important role in worship and provide a great opportunity for youth to serve. We are in need of acolytes (6th-8th grade) and crucifers (9-12th grade). Visit [www.frontstreetumc.org](http://www.frontstreetumc.org) to learn more and sign up.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED ON MAUNDY THURSDAY**  
We are seeking volunteers to assist with the stripping of the altar during our Maundy Thursday service at 7:00 PM on **April 14**. If you would like to serve in this way, please contact Marianna Harris at 336-516-6265 or email [mdharris2546@gmail.com](mailto:mdharris2546@gmail.com).

**FLOWER CROSS**  
On **Easter Sunday (April 17)**, you are invited to bring fresh flowers to place on the cross. This reminds us that through the cross and Christ's resurrection, we can have new life. The flower cross will be located in the Welcome Center.

**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**  
The church office will be closed on Easter **Monday, April 18**.

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS**  
The following dates are available to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or in memory of a loved one: **May 1, 8, 15, and 29**. For more information, please contact Linda Paul at 336-543-5081 (cell) or [kpaul5@triad.rr.com](mailto:kpaul5@triad.rr.com) (email).

**Front Street Summer Day Camp**  
Summer Day Camp registration is open! For more information and how to register, please visit our website [www.frontstreetumc.org/afterschool](http://www.frontstreetumc.org/afterschool) or contact Katie Porter at [afterschool@frontstreetumc.org](mailto:afterschool@frontstreetumc.org).

**COMPASSION CAMP (VBS)**  
Compassion Camp is **July 11–14** from 9 a.m. to noon at Front Street UMC. The camp is for preschool through 5th grade. Registration is now open. Details at [frontstreetumc.org](http://frontstreetumc.org).

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE			
Date	Aldersgate	11:00	Total
3/13	32	127	159
3/20	25	141	166
3/27	30	228	258
4/3	30	118	148

SEE BACK OF BULLETIN FOR MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 10, 2022		
<b><u>Sunday, April 10</u></b>		
8:45	Aldersgate Contemporary Worship	Aldersgate Hall
9:45	Sunday School	Classrooms
9:45	Aldersgate Praise Band Rehearsal	Chapel
11:00	Traditional Worship Service	Sanctuary
6:00	UMYF meet at Putt-Putt Fun Center	1340 N Church St
<b><u>Tuesday, April 12</u></b>		
8:00	Men's Breakfast Bible Study	Heritage Ctr./Zoom
7:00	UMW Circle #5 Meeting	Heritage Center
<b><u>Wednesday, April 13</u></b>		
7:30	Youth Breakfast Club	Biscuitville at S Church St.
7:00	Chancel Choir	Choir Room
<b><u>Thursday, April 14</u></b>		
7:00	Maundy Thursday Service	Sanctuary
<b><u>Friday, April 15</u></b>		
7:00	Good Friday Service	Sanctuary
<b><u>Sunday, April 17</u></b>		
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**LIVE-STREAMING**  
We are pleased to be able to live-stream our 11:00 a.m. worship each week for the benefit of those who are not able to be physically present. For those who would prefer to not be on camera, we endeavor to make the back half of the sanctuary a non-video zone. If you have any questions about this service, please feel free to speak with Pastor Ross. For Aldersgate sermons, search [Aldersgate@FSUMC](mailto:Aldersgate@FSUMC) wherever you find podcasts to listen to past sermons.

# FRONT STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**Our Mission:**  
*Knowing Christ • Growing in Christ • Sharing Christ*



**Pastors**  
Rev. Ross Carter  
Rev. Stephan Margeson

**Children's Minister**  
Melissa Miller

**Youth Minister**  
Chris Huneycutt

**Minister of Visitation**  
Leslie B. Peavy

**Organist/Director of Music**  
Dr. Matt Brittain

**Choir Director**  
Dr. P. Bradley Logan



THE WORSHIP OF GOD

APRIL 10, 2022

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY

Welcome: It's time to celebrate, we are in the presence of God. We invite you to joyfully prepare your hearts to receive God's love and to feel connected to the Body of Christ this day. Please take a moment to sign the pew pads. We'd like to keep you informed of what we are doing, so please give us your email, too.

\* Please stand as you are able.

ELEVEN O’CLOCK

GATHERING AND COMMUNITY CONCERNS

PRELUDE Suite of Dances André Campra  
I. Marche (1660-1744)  
II. Premier Passepied  
III. Air des Musettes  
Carolina Brass

OPENING PRAYER (IN UNISON)  
Heavenly Father, you have held us through the night, sustaining our breath and opening our eyes into a new day. Thank you for all your provision, including the sustaining of our souls. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING (PALM): Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

\* PROCESSIONAL HYMN NO. 280 All Glory, Laud, and Honor  
ST. THEODULPH  
Setting by Richard Proulx  
(1937-2010)

CALL TO CONFESSION

Come to me, all you who labor and are heavily burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls, for my yoke is easy, and my burden is light. Let us put aside that which keeps us from resting in God as we pray together.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)  
God of mercy and patience, be with us this day as we celebrate the Good News. Forgive us when we get so caught up in trusting in our own strength, intelligence, and resources that we forget to trust in you. Help us to not only trust you, but to abide in you. It's in Jesus’ name, we offer this prayer. Amen.

PERSONAL CONFESSION AND MEDITATION (IN SILENCE)

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Leader: As we have opened up our hearts, let us rest in God's mercy. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

All: Glory to God. Amen.

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING (PALM): Luke 19:28-40

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

All children are invited to come forward to the chancel steps.  
Children ages 4 – first grade may then depart  
for Children’s Church in Room 309.

ANTHEM I’ll Praise My Maker Lloyd Pfautsch  
Chancel Choir (1921-2003)  
Carolina Brass

I'll praise my Maker while I've breath;  
And when my voice is lost in death,  
Praise shall employ my nobler powers:  
My days of praise shall ne'er be past,  
While life, and thought, and being last,  
Or immortality endures.

Happy the man whose hopes rely  
On Israel's God, He made the sky,  
And earth and seas, with all their train.  
His truth for ever stands secure,  
He saves the oppressed, He feeds the poor,  
And none shall find His promise vain.

The Lord pours eyesight on the blind;  
The Lord supports the fainting Mind:  
He sends the laboring conscience peace.  
He helps the stranger in distress,  
The widow and the fatherless,  
And grants the prisoner sweet release.

I'll praise Him while He lends me breath;  
And when my voice is lost in death,  
Praise shall employ my nobler powers.  
My days of praise shall ne'er be past,  
While life, and thought, and being last,  
Or immortality endures. Amen.  
-Isaac Watts (1674-1748); alt. by John Wesley (1703-1791)

THIRD SCRIPTURE READING (PASSION): Luke 23:1-25

CALL TO PRAYER

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Let us pray.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

FOURTH SCRIPTURE READING (PASSION): LUKE 23:26-31

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Thank you for your support of the mission and ministry of the church. If you would prefer to make your contribution via Text-to-Give, just text your offering amount to FSUMC's dedicated number, 336-489-GIVE (4483).

OFFERTORY Fanfare, Tango, and Fughetta on Hebrew Themes

Stanley Hoffman  
(b. 1959)

\* DOXOLOGY Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow OLD 100<sup>th</sup>  
All Singing: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above,  
ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.  
Amen. UMH No. 95

\* THE APOSTLES’ CREED UMH No. 881

FIFTH SCRIPTURE READING (PASSION): Luke 23:39-49

\* CLOSING HYMN The Tree of Life SHADES MOUNTAIN

SIXTH SCRIPTURE READING (PASSION): Luke 23:50-56

\* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Suite of Dances André Campra  
VI. Marche

WELCOME! We're glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. Following this service, there is a gathering in the Heritage Center for fellowship and refreshments. Please join us. Our host this week is Betty Huneycutt.

SUMMIT RECORDING ARTISTS, Carolina Brass is North Carolina's premier national touring brass ensemble. This morning we welcome the following ensemble members: Tim Hudson, trumpet; David Dash, trumpet; Garrett Klein, trumpet; Bob Campbell, horn; Dave Wulfeck, trombone; Matt Ransom, tuba; and John Beck, timpani. For more information regarding Carolina Brass, please visit [www.carolinabrass.com](http://www.carolinabrass.com).

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given to the glory of God and in memory of their parents, Elizabeth and Bill Canaday and Dorothy and Art West, by Don and June West.

THE ROSEBUDS ON THE ALTAR are given to the glory of God and in honor of Charlotte Scott, daughter of Kirk and Amy (Michael) Huneycutt, born on April 1 and William Rowan, son of Andy and Jamie (Glassford) Moore, born on April 1. Proud grandparents are Fred and Vicky Glassford, Joe and Lee Ann Michael, and Betty Huneycutt.