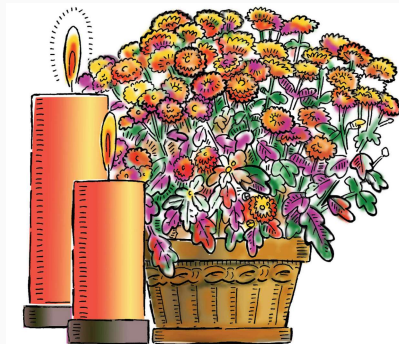




Episcopal CHURCH of the Ridge



WORSHIP SCHEDULE

May 18
Trinity 10:00 am

Fifth Sunday of Easter
Eucharistic Rite 2

Acolyte / Smith Connor
Lector / Lydia Wherry
Intercessor / Peggy Ann Moss
Eucharistic Minister / Ray Melton
Greeters Caleb Connor/ Bailey Pendarvis
Altar Jean Covar / Lady Nicholson
Usher / Caleb Connor / Bailey Pendarvis
Hospitality/ Kathy Stallworth

Livestream the Sunday Service here:

[ECOR YouTube](#)

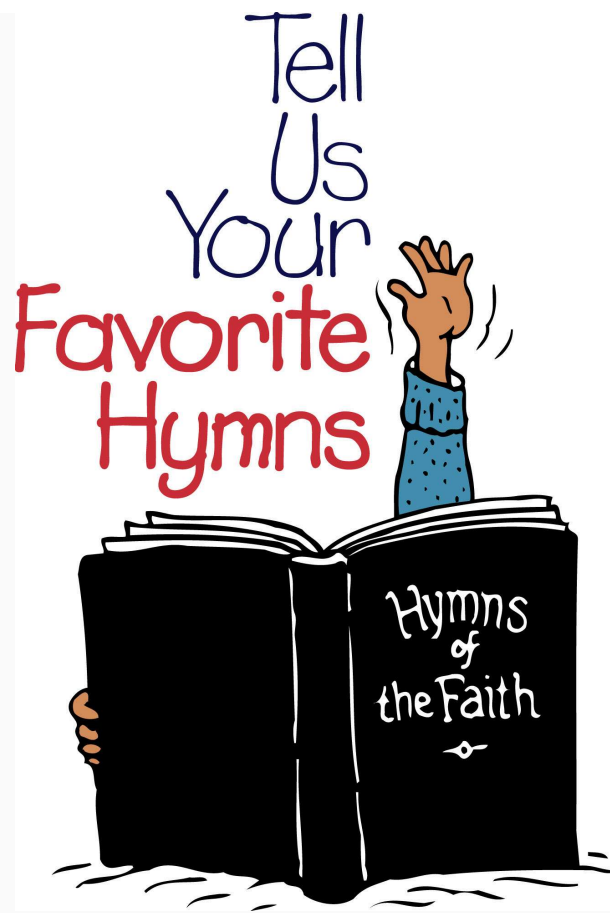
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DIFFERENCE

PLEASE DO NOT LET THIS IMPORTANT MINISTRY GO AWAY.
PRAY FOR THE RIGHT
ANSWER TO THIS MUCH NEEDED SERVICE.





I want to know your favorite hymns!

One of the topics during the Vestry Retreat was worship. Caleb Connor suggested we give everyone a chance to submit their favorite hymns, and we work to incorporate those in our Sunday services. Just like our Book of Common Prayer is beautiful and provides us with wonderful liturgies and prayers, our Hymnal 1982 is beautiful and contains a variety of hymns. The depth of our Hymnal is incredible. During May and the beginning of June, we will have cards available for you to submit your favorite hymns. You may also email them to churchoftheridge@gmail.com. If you do not have a hymnal at home, you are welcome to come early or stay a little late on Sunday morning to browse through the hymnal or you may look online at <https://hymnary.org/hymnal/eh1982>.

We will begin incorporating the hymns during the season after Pentecost, unless someone submits an Easter hymn that we have not already planned to sing. We hope to incorporate most of the hymns in the season after Pentecost (the long green season). However, we will not use submissions for specific seasons or feast days until the appropriate time. Peggy Ann and I work together to plan the hymns for Sunday, and we will use that list as a guide in addition to the recommended hymns for the day. If you do not hear your hymns immediately, do not worry we will get around to singing everyone's hymns as long as they are in The Episcopal Church's approved liturgical resources.

I invite you to submit as many hymns as you like. When you submit a card, please include your name and if there is a memory or a reason the hymn is a favorite, please include that. I would love to incorporate that into our bulletin as a way for us to get to know one another.

Peggy Ann and the choir are excited about the chance to learn new hymns and add hymns to our repertoire. I am excited to learn about everyone's favorite hymns and to hear why they are your favorite hymns or a special memory that is tied

to those hymns.

Blessings,
Mother Lathrop+



Sunday the 18th is picture day. Let's all gather in front of the church immediately following services for a picture so we can mail this back to Lowell.

Please plan on attending.



How to Easter Part II

<https://mailchi.mp/edusc/notes-along-the-way-15875165?e=ad64a6cb46>



Our Zoom Bible Study will not meet on Monday, March 10, we will pick back up on March 17. If you are following along, we will be at the beginning of Judges and through Psalm 71 at that point. We encourage anyone to join us, whether you are reading along or just want to listen, learn, and ask questions.

Prayer: Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with

you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

(BCP 236)

Bishop Richards has challenged members of our Diocese to read the Bible together this year.

So, we can talk about what we are learning and learn from one another, there will be a meeting time on Zoom on Monday nights from 6:00 - 7:00pm.

Here is the information for the Zoom Meeting.:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85352646441?pwd=aaHTdTBAy7BKVDVTggdaKBbeWIMsQc.>

Meeting ID: 853 5264 6441

Passcode: 144258

Link to the reading plan: <https://p.constantcontactpages.com/ev/reg/2vuhydd>

Watch this weeks meeting here!

https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/PRwOOwRKM1Hu_2cF1WuHALcv3ANoJryAQLbp-Wlq_R2wNoKvXBnqPm5cgSl6QVSG.q4H1XRgZg-YELTpX

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🍏 ACTS - Area Churches Together 🍏

Every 3rd Wednesday of the month, join us for a meaningful and fun morning at Ridge Spring Farmers Market!

Rev. Lathrop, Sarah, Greg, Jack, Larry and Jerrold will be there to guide you. Remember, many hands make light work.



🎉 **Bingo at the Edgefield Senior Center!** 🎉

Every 3rd Thursday, join us for Bingo at the Edgefield Senior Center from 9am to 11am. We are looking for a little assistance
Calling for Volunteers (1,2 or 3 times during the year)
3rd Thursday Edgefield Senior Center Bingo Callers
Contact Cindy Vann for details
706-833-3328

Hope to see you there! 🧑🏻🧑🏻🧑🏻 🍀



☀️ **Sunday Afternoon Monthly Services**

May 25 at Our Saviour
June 22 at Grace
July 20 at Trinity
August 24 at Grace

All services are at 4pm

Join Us for a Special Time of Worship and Fellowship

Step into the peaceful embrace of our Sunday afternoon service—a sanctuary for reflection, renewal, and heartfelt connection.

Whether you seek spiritual refreshment, inspiring messages, or a welcoming community, this gathering offers a beautiful opportunity to nourish your soul.

What to Expect:

✨ **Uplifting Worship** – Engage with powerful messages that encourage and inspire.

💛 **A Warm Community** – Whether you're a lifelong member or visiting for the first time, you belong here.

Come experience the tranquility of Sunday afternoons as we grow together in faith, love, and fellowship. We look forward to welcoming you!



For the sick:

Kirk Curran,
Suzanne Derrick,
Radley Edwards,
Adam Fay,
Angela Fay,
Nancy Gilliam,
Bob Hodges.



Art Amos,
Pauline Berry,
Emma Lou Easley,
John Eubanks
Carolyn and Rick Lovell,
Susie Watson

Denise Jackson
Joe Lojewski,
Tom Long
Harold Nelson,
Carol Rhoades,
Brannon Rowland
Mary Lou Seymour
Joe Smith

Vestry Members

Rev Lathrop Mosley -Rector
Bettis Rainsford Jr Senior Warden - 2025
Muffy Sander Jr. Warden - 2026
Sarah Schwarz - 2025
Caleb Connor - 2026
Bailey Pendarvis - 2027
Annette Quinby - 2027
Bill Kotti -- 2027

Scotty Scott - Treasurer - 2025
Jo Ann Amos - Recording Secretary

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