



The Episcopal Church of the Advent

April 15, 2025 Newsletter

Palm Sunday



For more pictures of Palm Sunday and the famous “Donkey Walk”, click this link:

<https://photos.app.goo.gl/kLX9jqWwMDTwVfxN7>

Schedule of Holy Week Services

Please mark your calendar to attend the following services as we remember Christ’s death and resurrection and events leading up to both:

April 16, Wednesday in Holy Week

7:00 p.m.: Tenebrae

April 17, Maundy Thursday

7:00 p.m.: Traditional Maundy Thursday service with Foot Washing and Stripping of the Altar

April 18, Good Friday

12:00 p.m.: Stations of the Cross

7:00 p.m.: Traditional Good Friday service with communion from the reserved sacrament

April 19, Holy Saturday:

9:00 a.m.: Holy Saturday service

8:00 p.m.: Great Vigil of Easter

Sunday, April 20, Easter Day

8:00 a.m.: Holy Eucharist, Rite I

10:30 a.m.: Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Stations of the Cross

The regular Stations of the Cross liturgy will continue each Friday at noon through Lent, including Good Friday.

Easter flower arranging

Easter flower arrangers will gather at the church at 1 pm this Saturday (04/19) to decorate the Sanctuary using locally gathered materials in keeping with our green approach; all are welcome, no experience necessary, bring clippers/pruners and gloves if you have them. Questions ? Contact Rick - treadwellcrown@gmail.com - 706-474-8302

Easter flowers and music

We are accepting donations for Easter flowers and music. You may donate In Honor Of, In Thanksgiving For, or In Memory Of, or a combination of the above. Donations can be made [electronically through the website](#), mailed to the church, or dropped in the collection plate. Be sure to include the names of the individuals you are donating for.

Wednesday, May 7, Next "First Wednesday" Drop-in

Host: Annie Hunt and Woody Burriss

Address: 912 Dixie Avenue

Please mark your calendars for the next "First Wednesday"! Join your fellow parishioners and guests in a casual gathering from 6 P.M. to 8 P.M. Please bring a snack or dessert or beverage to share, and feel free to bring a guest. Those who would like to host a First Wednesday gathering can email the church at info@adventmadison.org or call the church.

2025 Madison in May Spring Tour of Homes

Church of the Advent will be in the Spring Tour of Homes, May 16 and 17, 10 AM – 4 PM.

Rota for Easter Sunday

April 20, 10:30 A.M.

Altar Guild – Jackson-Lewis-Hawkins-Pike-Hilsman

Flower Guild – Ric Crown

LEM/PoP – Tim Pridgen

1st Reading – Paul Roman

2nd Reading – Beth Pridgen

Vestry of the Day – Elizabeth Branch

Organ Tech - Richard Simpson

Readings for Easter Sunday

April 20, 10:30 A.M.

[Link to Readings](#)

First Reading: Acts 10:34-43

The Psalm: Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:19-26

The Gospel: John 20:1-18

Parish Prayer List

Parish: Carol Blow, Bob Cupples, Flossie Dodge, Jeanne Dufort, Sally Green, Kate Jackson, Shandon Land, Kathy and Brian Lehman, MaryAnn Lisle, Janet Mason, Charles, Dutton Morehouse, Jennie Newton, Annette Piazza, Lynne Roach, Dick Schmidt, Livy Scholly, and Betty Thomas.

Friends and Family: Eugene Broadbridge, Jane Brooks, Hunt Brown, Daphne Carter, Lynn Cupples, Lillian and Turner Eby, Mary Ann Edelman, Joseph Gagliano, Maddie Gartland, Annita Hunt, Grainger Hunt, Johanna Dufort Hunt, Julie Hancock Jones, Jan Kozel, Nancy Labak, Meg Limmer, Tracy Limmer, Jerry Maddox, Ross Mason, Dustin Pullen, Dennis Reeder, Carla Sherrill, Wayne Tamplin, Robin Thomas, Parker Westphal, and Jay Whitecombe.

Community and Beyond: Iliana Arias, Bishop Michael Curry, Beth Tamplin Jones, Bill Kurtz, Sherry MacMahon.

April Birthdays

16 Ian Garrett; **17** Rebecca Strickland; **20** Mary McCauley, Martha Harrell; **21** Caroline Vaughn; **24** Will Eskew; **30** Ann-Marie Walsh, Sam Easton

April Anniversaries

18 Alicia & Erik Ramfos

Week at a glance

Date	Time	Location	Event
Monday, April 14, 2025	12:00 PM	PH	AA - Off the Rails Group (open discussion)
Tuesday, April 15, 2025	12:00 PM	PH	AA - Off the Rails Group (open discussion)
Wednesday, April 16, 2025	9:00 AM	CH	Morning Prayer, Rite I
Wednesday, April 16, 2025	7:00 PM	CH	Tenebrae service
Thursday, April 17, 2025	12:00 PM	PH	AA - Off the Rails Group (open Book study)
Thursday, April 17, 2025	7:00 PM	CH	Maundy Thursday service
Thursday, April 17, 2025	7:30 PM	PH	AA - Madison Group (closed discussion)
Thursday, April 17, 2025	7:30 PM	PH	AI-Anon (open meeting)
Friday, April 18, 2025	12:00 PM	CH	Stations of the Cross
Friday, April 18, 2025	7:00 PM	CH	Good Friday service
Friday, April 18, 2025	7:00 PM	PH	AA - Madison Group (closed Book study)
Friday, April 18, 2025	7:00 PM	PH	AA - Madison Group (closed Book study)
Saturday, April 19, 2025	9:00 AM	CH	Holy Saturday Service
Saturday, April 19, 2025	7:00 PM	CH	Great Vigil of Easter
Sunday, April 20, 2025	8:00 AM	CH	Easter Sunday service, Rite 1
Sunday, April 20, 2025	9:15 AM		NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
Sunday, April 20, 2025	10:30 AM	CH	Easter Sunday service, Rite 2
Sunday, April 13, 2025	7:30 PM	PH	AA - Madison Group (open meeting)
PH - Parish House CH - Church			

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The Right Reverend Robert C. Wright - Bishop of Atlanta.

Reverend Mark Stewart Johnson - Interim Priest-in-Charge.

Devon Dartnell - Senior Warden, Vic Jackson - Junior Warden.

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