



The Reedville Presbyterian Church

Weekly E-Update

For the week beginning with worship
in person/virtually on Sunday, March 31, 2024

March 31, 2024, Easter Sunday

Liturgical Color:
White

Sunday's Worship Text: Psalm 118:21-27 and Mark 16:1-8.
(Visit BibleGateway.com for texts.)

Invitation to Discipleship (ITD) Schedule: 1st Sunday-Deacons, 2nd- B&G, 3rd-Worship,
4th-Faith Formation, 5th-WFWA.

To Volunteer for Liturgists or Flower donations - visit Sign-Up Genius and create your account. You can
contact Valerie at 503-649-1282 to sign you up as well.

Eight Days at Reedville, March 31 – April 7, 2024

Sun. Mar. 31:	9:30 am – Easter Sunday Worship (<i>In-person and Virtual</i>) 10:45 am -- Fellowship Time – Hall 2:00 pm -- Iglesia de Cristo (Hall, 6 hr)
Mon. Apr. 1:	All Day – Office Closed for Easter Holiday
Tues. Apr. 2:	10:00 am – Food Pantry (Hall, 2 hr) 2:00 pm – Mission Matters (Zoom) 6:30 pm -- Boy Scouts (Hall, 3 hr) 7:00 pm – Deacons (Zoom)
Wed. Apr. 3:	7:00 pm -- Worship Committee (Zoom) 7:30 pm -- AA Big Book (Hall, 2 hr)
Sun. Apr. 7:	9:30 am – Sunday Worship (<i>In-person and Virtual</i>) 10:45 am -- Fellowship Time 2:00 pm -- Iglesia de Cristo (Hall, 6 hr)

News and Updates

From Faith Formation...

Soul Feast is winding down. We have had many spirited conversations and sharing. Due to Presenter scheduling conflicts, there will be no book sessions on Easter Sunday or the Sunday following (April 7).

As we look into late Spring/Summer studies, we are leaning into something that will guide us into a church momentum with a new pastor...No small task!

An extra note...We encourage you to attend all, or as many as possible, of the special Holy Week services. Faith Formation provides words and conversation that help us understand and grow in our faith. But services like Holy Week provide the "see and feel" that make Resurrection Sunday even more memorable. Daylight is later now so may ease driving concerns. It may be possible to check into some ride-sharing....ask, if interested.

Advise if any questions/concerns,

With Grace,

Lila

Holy Week at Reedville Presbyterian Church

Maundy Thursday – 7:00 pm

At the last Passover meal with his disciples, Jesus gave a new commandment to love God and love our neighbors. Service will include communion seated around the table. 3/28/24

Good Friday Worship – 7:00 pm

Commemorating the crucifixion of Christ. 3/29/24

Saturday Easter Eve Vigil – 7:00 pm

The first official celebration of the resurrection of Jesus where the new fire is kindled, and the Paschal candle is lit. Includes communion. 3/30/24

Easter Sunday Worship – 9:30 am

Celebrate the risen Christ. He is risen, He is risen indeed! 3/31/24

Reminder: The annual Per Capita assessment payment is due to the Presbytery within the next few months. If you pledged to pay your Per Capita separately from your pledge, please provide payment within the next few weeks. The cost is \$46.00 per member. This is assessed annually by the Presbytery for the denominations administrative costs.

Thank you, Darsy Schaal, Financial Secretary

The Mission of the Month for March is One Great Hour of Sharing!

One Great Hour of Sharing funds three programs: Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People - each working in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need. From initial disaster response to ongoing community development, their work fits together to provide people with safety, sustenance, and hope.

Zoom link for Worship!

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84009463348>

Meeting ID: 840 0946 3348

Please see Kathy Stevens if you have any questions.

Information for the E-Update, Facebook page, or Website needs to be received by the office no later than Wednesday at 11 a.m.

To Keep in Mind...

The Reedville Food Pantry is focusing on the five core items: Sugar (4 lbs bags), **Masa** (4-6 lbs), **White rice** (2 lbs), **Pinto beans, dry** (2 lbs), and **Cooking oil** (32-oz bottle). The Pantry is open the first Tuesday of the month, 10:00-11:30 am, staffed by volunteers with appropriate safety protocols in place. **Food Pantry donations may be dropped off at church** while a staff member is present, M-F, 9:00-12:00. Place bags on the blue bench on the north side breezeway and they'll be brought in, employing appropriate safety measures. For more information contact Gayle (gayled1@comcast.net).

The Prayer Chain is one way the Reedville Church holds its members, household and their loved ones, and the community in prayer. Anyone is welcome to serve on the Prayer Chain by emailing Amy (amywestcott@gmail.com) who will add you to the list. Anyone may make a prayer request by emailing Amy. We are also receiving prayers in the Community Prayer Mailbox. If you have questions or comments please contact Kathy S. (kstevens@acm.org), who currently serves as Moderator of Deacons.

Regular Meetings and Events

In-Person and by Zoom

Every Sunday:	9:30 am: Lord's Day Worship
First Tuesday:	10:00 am: Deacon Food Pantry open
First Tuesday:	2:00 pm: Mission Matters Committee Monthly Meeting
First Tuesday:	7:00 pm: Deacons Monthly Meeting
First Wednesday:	7:00 pm: Worship Ministry Group (WMG) Monthly Meeting
Second Monday:	10:00 am: Building and Grounds Committee (B&G) Monthly Meeting
Second Monday:	2:00 pm: Personnel Committee Monthly Meeting
Second Tuesday:	10:00 am: Finance Committee Monthly Meeting
Second Tuesday:	1:15 pm: Faith Formation Ministry Group (FFMG) Monthly Meeting
Third Tuesday:	7:00 pm: Session Monthly Meeting
Fourth Sunday:	11:00 am: CrafterNoon Women's crafting (after Worship)

Second and Fourth Wednesday:

9:30 am: Circle of Grace Women's Bible Study

Quarterly:

Presbyterian Women (PW) Meeting

Second Tuesday of Odd Months:

7:00 pm: Grace Endowment Executive Committee

(Jan. 10, March 12, May 14, July 9, Sept. 10 & Nov. 12)

The Reedville Presbyterian Church: *Hope Here*

Mission Statement - January 2018

We believe that God loves the world, that Jesus embodies that love, and that, in the power of the Holy Spirit, we follow Jesus by sharing this love the best we can. Reedville is a landing place. Whether staying for decades, visiting a few times, or dropping in when times are tough for sanctuary and rest, we want people to feel welcomed and loved.

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