



## The Pewsletter Weekly

First Presbyterian Church  
Lincolnton NC

### The 4th Sunday In Easter



**"He Is Risen! ...So What?"**

[Acts 2:42-47](#) (click for Scripture)

Concerning the Scripture reading from Acts, Rev. Dr. Rodney Sadler writes in the African-American Lectionary series:

"After the joyous celebration that is Easter we turn our attention now to the "so-what" of the faith. What does it mean that Jesus Christ has been resurrected? What tangible

impact does that have on our identities and on our lives in this world? What happens when resurrection power mixes with our lives and remixes our communities?"

So what indeed! Join us in worship Sunday morning as we explore together the practical application of following the Risen Christ.

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### Baccalaureate Service

Make plans to be in worship on May 21st as we renew our baptismal vows and honor our two graduating high school seniors.

**Emily McBryde** University of South Carolina

**Amanda McBryde** North Carolina State University

*"Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb a reward." Psalm 127:3*

From the Book of Order - Presbyterian Church (USA) In the service of Baptism the congregation, trusting in the power of the Holy Spirit, and on behalf of the universal Church, pledges responsibility for Christian nurture. (W-2.3013; W-3.3603)

## Opportunities To Serve

### Christian Ministries

Soup Kitchen

Many thanks to the Lafferty's, Smith's, Crumley's and Alice Gene Abrams for serving in May.

The remaining dates in 2017 are still available. Sign up at the Government St. vestibule or call the church office.

June	Saturday 17th
July	Sunday 9th
August	Saturday 19th
September	Sunday 10th
October	Saturday 21st
November	Sunday 12th
December	Saturday 16th



# Fellowship After Worship

### Refreshments!

Please sign up to provide refreshments after worship. It's a simple way to participate in the life of FPCL!



### Upcoming Worship Teams

#### May 7th

Greeters & Offering	Judy and Davis Roberts
Worship Leader	Jan Duncan
Nursery	Ann Hallman
Children's Time	Rick Ramseur
Lock-up	John Lafferty
Refreshments	

#### May 14th

Greeters & Offering	Rick and Myra Ramseur
Worship Leader	John Lafferty
Nursery	Anna Gilbert
Children's Time	Christine Thomas
Lock-up	John Carpenter
Refreshments	

#### May 21st

### Miss Sue's Garden

It's prime planting season so if you are so inclined please feel free to take advantage of the garden across from the church on Government Street.



The following was sent to the church by Nancy Rudisill and Maddy Vassey in appreciation for kindness showed upon the death of their Aunt Vivian

Perhaps you sent a lovely card,  
Or sat quietly in a chair.  
Perhaps you sent a funeral spray,  
If so we saw it there.  
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words,  
That anyone could say.  
Perhaps you were not there at all,

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Peggy and John Lafferty  
Christine Thomas  
Pat Carpenter  
Jan Duncan  
Adrienne Hodges

Just thought of us that day. Whatever  
you did to console our hearts,  
We thank you so much whatever the  
part.

The family of Vivian Heavner Patterson

If you cannot serve, please find your  
own replacement and notify the office of  
the change.

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## Remember In Prayer And Acts Of Kindness

**Randy Baucom**, friend of the McBrydes  
**Oliver Bone**, John Lineberger's great-uncle  
**Helen Bone**, John Lineberger's great-aunt  
**Cindy Boone**, Karen Morgan's sister  
**Nan Bumgarner**, friend of Scott Smith  
**Helen Caskey**  
**Jan & David Clark and family**  
**Jan Duncan**  
**Dick Eckburg**  
**Amy Harrison**, Kristy McBryde's sister  
**Bob Henthorn**, Susan Ford's father  
**Charles & Judy Holland**  
**Bill Larrison**, friend of John Lafferty  
**Ted Larrison**, Bill Larrison's brother  
**John Lineberger and family**  
**Jim Moore**  
**Joe Morgan and family**  
**Vivian Patterson Family**, Nancy Rudisill's aunt  
**Margie Payseur**, Jeanene McConnell's friend  
**Susan Rhodes**, Sue Bowen's friend  
**Lesa Ritter**  
**Janice Stroupe**  
**David Wulf**, friend of John Lafferty

**Our Homebound or Those Unable to Attend:** Carolyn Lee, Imogene Long, Frances Nelson

**Our Partners in Ministry:** Drs. Leslie and Cynthia Morgan, South Asia

Please contact the church office to inform us of those needing prayer as well as those who should be removed from the list.

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Church School: 9:30am Worship: 10:30 am  
Choir Rehearsal: 7:00pm Wednesdays  
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