

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**Today: No Communion**

8:00 a.m. Sunrise Service  
 Donuts, Coffee, and Casseroles following service  
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
 10:30 a.m. Easter Worship

**Monday, April 6th:**

4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Pickleball  
 6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study

**Tuesday, April 7th:**

9:00 Preschool  
 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Pickleball

**Wednesday, April 8th:**

9:00 a.m. Mission Quilters  
 11:00a.m. Bible Study  
 4:00p.m. Handbell Practice  
 5:15 p.m. WOW Meal  
 6:00p.m. Classes for All Ages  
 7:00p.m. Choir Practice

**Thursday, April 9th:**

9:00 a.m. Preschool

**Sunday, April 12th: Youth Sunday**

8:45a.m. Donuts & Coffee  
 9:00a.m. Children's Choir  
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School  
 10:30 a.m. Worship

### VOLUNTEERS FOR TODAY

**Liturgist:**

Mike Henderson

**Ushers:**

Ken & Anita Kirby, Danny Grant,  
 Linda Scritchfield

**Acolyte(s):**

Ruby Lockerman & Mason Duke

**Children's Message:**

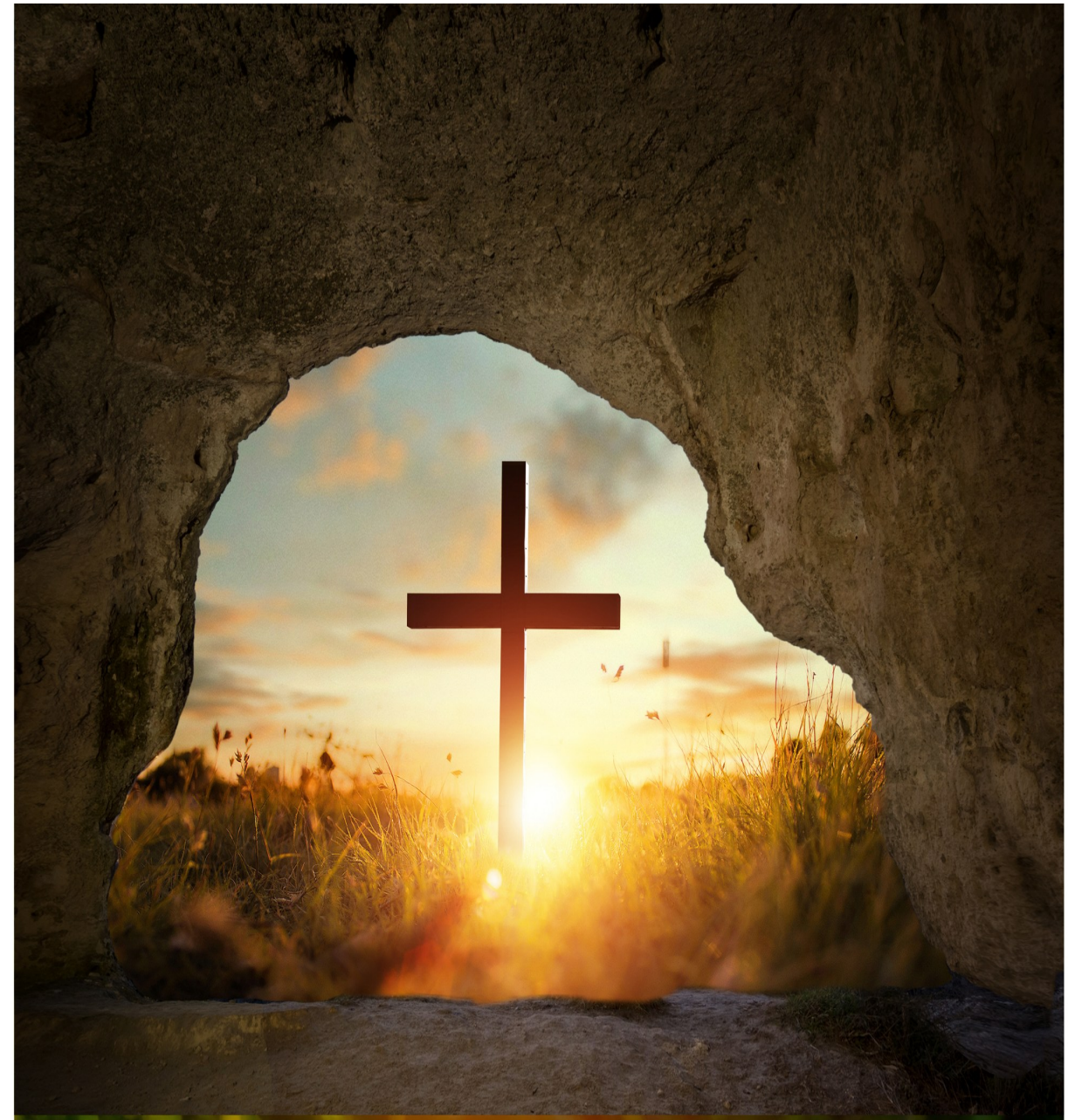
Kendyl Kilby

### March 29th, 2026 Report

Sunday School	126
Worship	194
Online	51
Offering	\$5,188.00
Needed Weekly	\$9,003.00
Billy Griffin Scholarship Fund	\$93,582.44

### CHURCH STAFF

Senior Pastor.....Rev. Jimmy Byrd  
 Pastor Emeritus.....Rev. Dr. Steve Louder  
 Choir Director.....William Hoekstra  
 Pianist.....Ethebet Gibson  
 Organist.....Dr. Susan Jones  
 Youth Director.....Allison Bone  
 Children's Ministry Director.....Katie Duke  
 Office Administrator.....Megan Thompson  
 Session Clerk.....Kendyl Kilby  
 Preschool Director.....Alicia Terrell  
 Child Care Staff..... Darby Sims



## Clarksville Cumberland Presbyterian Church

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Sunday: Fellowship - 8:00 A.M. ~ Sunday School - 9:30 A.M. ~ Worship - 10:30 A.M.

Wednesday: W.O.W. - 5:15 - 7:00 P.M. ~ Choir Practice - 7:00 P.M.

# Service for the Lord's Day

April 5, 2026 - Easter Sunday

10:30 A.M.

## Welcome and Announcements

### Prelude

*(As the prelude is played, please begin to prepare your hearts in silent prayer for worship.)*

### Light of Christ Enters

Handbells will be playing He Lives

### \*Call to Worship

L: Don't weep! Don't mourn! There is great Good News!

**P: Christ the Lord is risen today!**

L: Put away your garments of mourning; let the light of God's love flood into your lives.

**P: Christ the Lord is risen today!**

L: No more do we have to fear the darkness; it has been overcome by God's light.

**P: Christ the Lord is risen today. ALLELUIA!**

### Opening Prayer

### \*Hymn of Praise

*"Christ Arose!"*

### \*Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived of the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. The third day he rose from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy \*Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

(\* also holy catholic/universal church – however you want to say it is fine)

### \*Gloria Patria

### Call to Confession

And now, let us continue in our prayer of confession that we started last Sunday.

### Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that like the disciples of old, we ran and hid, in our hearts, from the terror and sadness of the crucifixion. We didn't want to be there. We found ways of avoiding the scene and pretending that it was all a bad dream. But it wasn't a dream. Jesus our Lord was crucified. That's a fact. And we were numbed by the news. But now we have been given the most blessed gift of forgiveness for our ignorance and stubbornness; we have been given the gift of the resurrection of Jesus Christ. New Light has shined in our deep darkness. Restore us again to your presence. Soften our hard hearts. Brighten our spirits, for we ask this in the name of the Resurrected One, Jesus Christ. AMEN.

### Words of Assurance

Do not fear. God has conquered death. Jesus Christ, who was crucified, is risen from the dead. The light of love has been poured out again for each one of us. We are forgiven, and we are made clean! ALLELUIA! AMEN.

### Children's Message

*Children fifth grade and younger are invited to come forward for the Children's Message. Worship and Wonder will follow in the Worship Center upstairs in the Education Building for children ages 3-10 who would like to attend. Today's Worship and Wonder: Jesus Is Risen: Mary Magdalene John 12:12-13*

### Special Music

"Celebration Medley"

Liturgist

Susan Jones

Acolytes

Liturgist

No. 235

In Unison

No. 807

Kendyl Kilby

Choir

### Offertory Sentence

As an act of worship, we give back to God. Let us continue now in our worship of God as we give of our tithes and offerings.

### Offertory

### \*Offertory Response

"Doxology"

### \*Prayer for the Offering

### \*Call to Prayer

"Were You There?"

### Prayers Of the People

### Lord's Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors.**

**Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen**

### Scripture Reading

John 20: 1-10

### Prayer for Illumination

### Sermon

"The Mystery of Faith"

### \*Invitational Hymn

*"Christ The Lord Is Risen Today"*

### \*Extinguishing of the Candles

### \*Benediction

### Taking Forth the Light of Christ

### Recessional

### Postlude

Liturgist

Ethebet Gibson

No. 809

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

No. 218 v.3,4

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

In Unison

Liturgist

Liturgist

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

No. 234 v. 1,3,4

Acolytes

Rev. Jimmy Byrd

Acolytes

Susan Jones

*(Please remain in your pew until the Light of Christ goes forth.)*

*\* Indicates– Congregation Please Stand, If Able*

## Prayer Concerns

Scott Albright  
Tommy Anderson  
The Family of Henry and Lina Baggett  
The Family of Terry Bradigan  
Maureen Brown  
Mary Catanzaro  
Walt Celusta  
Ed Conn's daughter Dettra  
The Cousin Family  
Courtney Curl  
Tonya Curry  
Delilah Hayes  
Russell Higgins

Joe and Judi Jerles  
The Families of Kenwood Middle School  
Monica Lowrey  
Tiffany Luffman  
Dudley Marklin  
Karen Murray  
The Nelson Family  
Amy Oneal  
Russ Parchman  
Family of Doris Roberts  
Jeff Roger's Family  
The Family of Christopher Sanford  
Robyn Simmans

Deb Stokes  
Jeff Stovall's Father  
Evelyn Tar  
Linda Vieneau  
Reba Walker  
Jeff White's Father  
Cindy Winters

The disabled, the homeless, the homebound, missionaries, law enforcement, first responders, school staff, our students, our youth, our military, our nation, our world.