

Sunday, March 19, 2023
Traditional Worship – 11:15 a.m.

PRELUDE	<i>Arioso</i> Tom Alderman, Organist	J. S. Bach
INTROIT	<i>Calypso on "He Leadeth Me"</i> Roswell Ringers; Angela Lepkofker, director	arr. Tammy Waldrop
CALL TO WORSHIP		Dr. Tom Davis
* HYMN OF PRAISE #158	<i>Come, Christians, Join to Sing</i>	SPANISH HYMN
* THE APOSTLES' CREED #881		Dr. Jeff Ross
* GLORIA PATRI		GREATOR EX
* GREETING		
PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER #895		Dr. Jeff Ross
INVITATION TO COMMUNITY AND FAITH		
CALL TO OFFERING		Dr. Tom Davis
OFFERING OF OUR TITHES & GIFTS	<i>And Can It Be</i> Sanctuary Choir	Dan Forrest
* DOXOLOGY #95		OLD 100th
SCRIPTURE	Mark 4:26-29	
SERMON	<i>The Rest of the Story</i>	Dr. Tom Davis
* HYMN OF INVITATION #298	<i>When I Survey the Wondrous Cross</i>	HAMBURG
* BENEDICTION		Dr. Tom Davis
POSTLUDE	<i>Toccata in G Minor</i> Tom Alderman	J. S. Bach

* Please stand as you are able.



***We're delighted you chose to worship at Roswell United Methodist Church.
Come worship with us again on Sundays at 9 and 11:15 a.m.!***



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Whether you're new to Roswell UMC or a returning friend, sign in using our digital connect card at rumc.com/connectcard. If you would like information on how to volunteer at Roswell UMC, contact JoAn Hobbs, jhobbs@rumc.com or 770.261.1731.

Want to get connected to a small group, Sunday School class, and more?
Go to rumc.com/adults to find out what's available!

RUMC Pastoral Staff

Dr. Tom Davis	Senior Pastor
Rev. Marion Brown	Associate Pastor / Chapel Roswell, Missions & Service
Dr. Michael Cromwell	Associate Pastor / Worship Arts
Dr. Jeff Ross	Associate Pastor / Congregational Care
Rev. Richard Long	Associate Pastor / Congregational Care
Jason Scott	Minister to Youth
Sabrina Hulse	Director of Children's Ministries

For this week's prayer card, go to rumc.com/prayer.



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The Wifi Password for RGuest is Faith.

This Week

Meals: We are hosting dine-in Community and Fellowship Lunches in the Fellowship Hall every Tuesday from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Meals are \$7 and include beverages and dessert. Also join us for Wednesday Night Supper every Wednesday from 5-6:45 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Cost is \$10 per person; \$4 for children under age 12; kids 2 and under eat free; \$30 family maximum. Information: rumc.com/wednesday

The RUMC Book Club extends an open invitation to its next meeting in the Roswell UMC library on Tuesday, March 21 at 10 a.m. Come join the discussion of this month's selection, *Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI* by David Grann. Information: Betty Hunt, bwh865@gmail.com

The Dementia Caregivers' Support Group will host an in-person meeting on Thursday, March 23 at 10 a.m. in room B317; pre-registration is not required. Information: Toni Fagan, tfagan@rumc.com or 770.261.1767

Sale: Join us at the RUMCK Spring Consignment Sale March 24-25 and find gently used boutique and seasonal children's clothing, shoes, toys, and baby gear, all at great prices. All proceeds benefit the RUMC Preschool and Kindergarten. Go to rumc.com/rumck to consign and/or volunteer. Volunteers shop early! Questions: rumckconsign@gmail.com

Connect and Learn

The Commons Project will provide an inviting outdoor setting to welcome community, encourage outreach, expand capacity for worship, and help meet the growing needs of Roswell UMC and the surrounding community. Go to rumc.com/commons for more information or to donate.

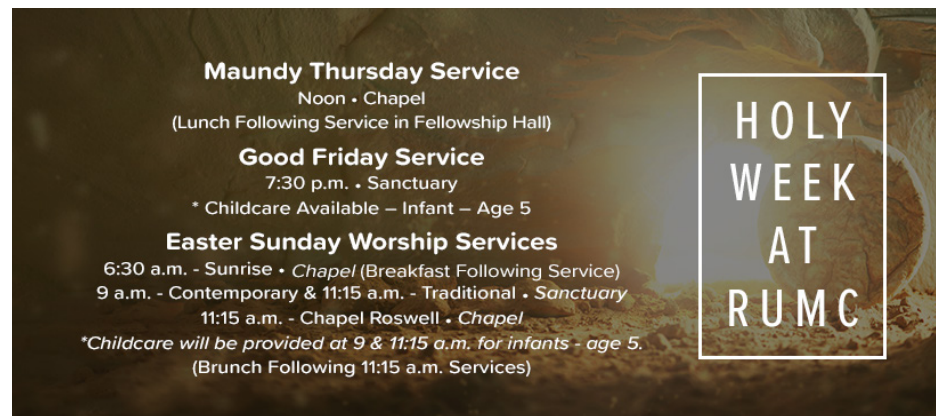
Lenten Devotionals: Join us for Devotional Encounters for Lent on Wednesdays from 6:15-7 p.m. in the Dining Room. These stand-alone encounters are designed to help you celebrate Easter with a deeper understanding of what Jesus wanted us to know. Nursery is available on request. For more information, contact Debbie Goodwin, dgoodwin@rumc.com

The Sounds of the Spirit Concert Series presents *The Voices of Mimosa* on Sunday, March 26 at 3 p.m. in the Roswell UMC Sanctuary, featuring the adult choirs of RUMC, Roswell First Baptist Church, and Roswell Presbyterian Church, along with professional soloists and orchestra. No tickets are needed, and preschool childcare is provided. For more information: Ann Moore, 770.261.1719

Easter Egg Hunt: Join RUMC Kids for our annual Easter Egg Hunt on Wednesday, March 29, 5-7 pm. at the Dod! This will be a multi-generational gathering for all ages to celebrate Easter before Spring Break. Invite your kids, grandkids, and neighbors! Egg hunts for toddlers - 3rd grade; dinner will be available for purchase. To volunteer or donate candy, go to rumc.com/rk

RUMC Job Networking invites you to attend our quality workshops starting at 3 p.m. on March 27. Dinner is at 5:30 with dinner speaker Michael Cromwell; evening workshops and other activities are from 7-8 p.m. Detailed information and agenda: rumcjobnetworking.com.

Holy Week & Easter Schedule



Maundy Thursday Service
Noon • Chapel
(Lunch Following Service in Fellowship Hall)

Good Friday Service
7:30 p.m. • Sanctuary
* Childcare Available – Infant – Age 5

Easter Sunday Worship Services
6:30 a.m. - Sunrise • Chapel (Breakfast Following Service)
9 a.m. - Contemporary & 11:15 a.m. - Traditional • Sanctuary
11:15 a.m. - Chapel Roswell • Chapel
*Childcare will be provided at 9 & 11:15 a.m. for infants - age 5.
(Brunch Following 11:15 a.m. Services)

Ways to Serve

Canned Goods: You asked and we listened. For the entire month of March, Get Your Canned Goods to Church is back! Every Sunday in March, members of Boy Scout Troops 431 & 432 and Cub Scout Pack 845 will be available outside of the Sanctuary building to collect your canned foods and deliver to the food pantry of North Fulton Community Charities. Visit rumc.com/serve for a list of items.

The RUMC Mission Booth at City Antiques needs your donations of gently used furniture and household items to help make the booth successful! All proceeds support RUMC missions. Drop off donations in the church office or contact Annette Whaley for more information at 770.634.2289.

The prayer card is updated weekly at rumc.com/prayer. If you need prayer, please send us a request online or at pray@rumc.com.

Operating Budget Update: The March budget is \$411,820; gifts through March 5 totaled \$46,391. March 2022 gifts totaled \$384,534.

Commons Giving Update: As of February 7, the amount given and pledged to The Commons Project is \$1,127,617. The amount received is \$720,723.