

**Community Easter Sunrise
April 17, 6:30am
Tryon Fine Arts Center Amphitheater
Light breakfast to follow in
The Gathering Space
at First Baptist Tryon**

There is a nursery available this evening.

GREETERS

Joyce Scoggins— Sanctuary Door
Ellis Fincher— Lobby Entrances

CHURCH STAFF

The Reverend Dr. Jeff C. Harris, Pastor
The Reverend Jim Hawkins, Minister of Music
Jodi Harris, Minister of Education and Children
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APRIL 15, 2022

GOOD FRIDAY

A SERVICE OF TENEBRAE

THE COMMUNITY AT WORSHIP

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April 15, 2022 Five-thirty in the Evening

Music for Gathering Kay Greene

Welcome Jeff Harris

†Call to Worship Jeff Harris

God is light, in whom there is no darkness at all.

Jesus Christ is the light of the world.

And this is the judgment,
that the light has come into the world,
And we loved darkness rather than light.

Blessed be the name of the Lord our God,
Who redeems us from sin and death.

Voluntary *Christ Lag in Todesbanden* -F. Zachau
Präludium -R. Bibl

Opening Prayer Lynnette Sills

THE SHADOW OF BETRAYAL

Matthew 26:20-25 Allan Purtill

First Candle Extinguished

Silence

Solo *And Can It Be* -Dan Forrest
Cindy McKinstrie, alto
The Congregational Church, UCC,
accompanied by Dr. Susan Lyle

THE SHADOW OF AGONY

Matthew 26:36-50 Meghan Young

Second Candle Extinguished

Silence

Anthem *Thy Will Be Done* -Craig Courtney
Mixed Ensemble

Tryon Presbyterian Church, accompanied by Leslie Bush

THE SHADOW OF DENIAL

Matthew 26:69-75 Carl Wanamaker

Third Candle Extinguished

Silence

†Hymn 171 *What Wondrous Love Is This* WONDROUS LOVE

THE SHADOW OF ACCUSATION

Matthew 27:11-14, 20-30 Kevin Lynch

Fourth Candle Extinguished

Silence

†Hymn 191 *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* PASSION CHORALE

THE SHADOW OF CRUCIFIXION

Matthew 27:31-43 Lynnette Sills

Fifth Candle Extinguished

Silence

Solo *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* -arr. Lyn Murray
Jim Hawkins, baritone
First Baptist Tryon, accompanied by Leslie Raymond

THE SHADOW OF DEATH

Allan Purtill

Matthew 27:45-54

Sixth Candle Extinguished

Silence

†Hymn 182 *Alas, And Did My Savior Bleed* AVON

THE SHADOW OF BURIAL

Meghan Young

Matthew 27:57-60

Seventh Candle Extinguished

Silence

Solo *Carry Him Gently* -Buryl Red
Tena Greene, soprano

United Methodist Church, accompanied by Pam McNeil

†Dismissal

Carl Wanamaker

May Jesus Christ,
who for our sake became obedient unto death,
even death on a cross, keep you and strengthen you,
now and for ever.

**Grant that we may await with him the dawning of the
third day and rise in newness of life,
through Jesus Christ our Redeemer.
AMEN.**

Depart in Silence

†Please stand if you are able.

The service of Tenebrae, meaning “darkness” or “shadows,” has been practiced by the church since medieval times. Once a service for the monastic community, Tenebrae later became an important part of Holy Week for the wider church. Readings trace the story of Christ’s passion, music portrays his pathos, and the power of silence and darkness suggests the drama of this significant day. As lights are extinguished, we ponder the depth of Christ’s suffering, death, and love.

Leading in Worship:

The Reverend Doctor Jeff Harris
Pastor, First Baptist Church of Tryon

The Reverend Kevin Lynch
Chaplain, Tryon Estates

The Reverend Doctor Allan Purtill
Pastor, Tryon Presbyterian Church

The Reverend Lynnette Sills
Pastor, Tryon United Methodist Church

The Reverend Carl Wanamaker
Pastor, St. Luke C.M.E. Church

The Reverend Meghan Young
Pastor, The Congregational Church, UCC