



THE GOSPEL OF
LUKE
REVOLUTION
OF THE KING

Sunday | April 2, 2017

THE HUMBLE ARE EXALTED

Fifth Sunday of Lent

"You humble the pride of the proud;
You destroy the plans of nations;
You exalt the humble and humble the exalted;
You make rich and make poor;
You kill and make alive."

Clement of Alexandria, 2nd Century

Welcome!
Bienvenido!
欢迎!
مرحباً

*We're glad you've chosen to worship at Third!
We look forward to meeting and getting to know you.*

*Third Church exists to spread the gospel and seek
the Shalom of metro Richmond and the world through
a movement of communities and congregations,
welcoming people of all cultures to the glory of Jesus Christ.*

Lenten Sanctuary Decorations

During the season of Lent that began on Ash Wednesday, we continue to remember that followers of Jesus “tell time differently” with a calendar shaped by the story of God’s works of salvation and renewal. Not only do we mark the seasons of the Christian year through the readings and music in our worship service, we also use colors and textures to enrich our space and experience of worship.

Our banners of royal purple ribbons were introduced during Advent to reflect the way we can rejoice in the signs of new creation while acknowledging that many signs of hope still seem fractured, dim, and obscured by the present world. Now, in a season focused on remembering the suffering of Jesus on our behalf—and for repentance and self-reflection of our own sins for which he died—we have added additional layers of gray and brown and gauze to represent Jesus’ rejection and submission to the pain of the world. Because we grieve together as one Body of Christ and not just as individuals, our banners also include strips of printed and painted cloth made together by men, women and children of our congregation (along with neighbors and visitors) as part of last year’s Journey to the Cross meditation experience—a response with hands and hearts as well as minds to the sacrifice made by Jesus.

GATHERING

God gathers us all and calls us by his grace.

Prelude

"Sanctus"

(K. Taulbee)

Jeff Hummel

"Voluntary in D Major"

(William Selby)

Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship

Leader: God of mercy, grant that the word you speak today
may take root in our hearts, and bear fruit to your honor and glory,
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: Amen.

Let's quiet our hearts in silent preparation for worship.

† Call to Worship

From Psalm 130

Leader: Out of the depths I cry to you, Lord; Lord, hear my voice.
Let your ears be attentive to my cry for mercy.

People: If you, Lord, kept a record of sins, Lord, who could stand?
But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my whole being waits, and in his word I put my hope.

People: I wait for the Lord more than watchmen wait for the morning,
more than watchmen wait for the morning.

Leader: Israel, put your hope in the Lord, for with the Lord is unfailing love and with
him is full redemption.

People: He himself will redeem his people from all their sins.

† *The cross indicates standing, as you are able.*

Prayer of Adoration

† Songs of Praise

"Rejoice, the Lord Is King"
"Build Your Kingdom Here"

#262 in the Hymnal

(See music on following pages)

REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING

Rejoice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King adore!
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing and triumph evermore:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

The Lord the Savior reigns, the God of truth and love;
When he had purged our stains he took his seat above:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

His kingdom cannot fail, he rules o'er earth and heaven;
The keys of death and hell to Christ the Lord are given:
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord the Judge shall come,
And take his servants up to their eternal home.
Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!
Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

BUILD YOUR KINGDOM HERE

1. Come set your rule and reign in our hearts a - gain; in -
2. We seek your king - dom first, we hun - ger and we thirst; re -
3. Un - leash your king-dom's pow'r to reach the near and far; no

crease in us, we pray; un - veil why we're made; come set our hearts a -
fuse to waste our lives, for you're our joy and prize. To see the cap-tives'
force of hell can stop your beau - ty chang-ing hearts. You made us for much

blaze with hope like wild - fire in our ve - ry souls. Ho - ly Spi - rit,
hearts re - leased, the hurt, the sick, the poor at peace; we lay down our
more than this, a - wake the king-dom seed in us; fill us with the

come in - vade us now.. We are your
lives for heav - en's cause. We are your
strength and love of Christ. We are your

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sing refrain after verses 2 & 3

church; we need your pow'r in us.
church; we pray, re - vive this earth.
church; you are the hope on earth.

refrain

Build your king - dom here, let the dark - ness fear,

show your might - y hand, heal our streets and land;

set your church on fire, win your peo - ple back;

change the at - mos - phere, build your king - dom here, we pray.

CONFESSING

God invites us to be honest with him about ourselves.

Call to Confession

Have mercy on us, have mercy on us, O Lord have mercy, O Lord have mercy.

Prayer of Confession

**Almighty God,
to whom all hearts are open,
all desires known,
and from whom no secrets are hid:
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts
by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit,
that we may perfectly love you
and worthily magnify your holy name,
through Jesus Christ, our Lord.**

Amen.

Silent Confession

Words of Comfort and Assurance

Leader: Hear the good news!
Who is in a position to condemn?

People: Only Christ!

Leader: And Christ died for us, Christ rose for us,
Christ reigns in power for us, Christ prays for us.
Anyone who is in Christ is a new creation.
The old life has gone; the new life has begun!
Know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

People: Amen!

† Greeting of Peace

THANKSGIVING

Our Offerings

Pray for International Cooperating Ministries as they seek to partner with in-country leaders to nurture believers and build churches. Pray for Janice Allen, Executive Chair and Geoff Stiff, President.

Offertory

"The Trinity Song"

Worship Team

Holy Father, Son and Spirit
Holy Communion, Three in One.

Come with your peace,
With your invitation
Bind us together in holy love.

† Doxology

Please stand as we sing to the Lord.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

PROCLAIMING

God speaks to us through his word.

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading

Luke 18:9-14

⁹ To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everyone else, Jesus told this parable: ¹⁰ “Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹ The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: ‘God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. ¹² I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.’

¹³ “But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, ‘God, have mercy on me, a sinner.’

¹⁴ “I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted.”

Leader: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Message:
The Humble Are Exalted
+ Wesley Hill +

Notes:

RESPONDING

We respond to God's word.

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Leader: Lift up your hearts!

People: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Everyone: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Leader: Holy and merciful God, our Father,
you have made us in your image and for yourself.
You have made this good world for us to tend and to enjoy.
God, our Father,

People: **Hear the praise of grateful hearts.**

Leader: You sought your ancient people when they strayed from you.
You freed them from the oppressor and brought them home.
God, our Father,

People: **Hear the praise of grateful hearts.**

Leader: You have sent your Son to bring us home to you.
By his Incarnation—

People: **You have found us.**

Leader: By his Death—

People: **You have forgiven us.**

Leader: By his Resurrection—

People: **You have freed us.**

Leader: God, our Father,

People: **Hear the praise of grateful hearts.**

Leader: In union with Jesus Christ of Nazareth, our great High Priest, and with all who worship you, both in heaven and on earth, we offer you our praise, singing:

People:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san-na in the high - est.
Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san-na in the high- est.

Words of Institution

From 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

"The Lord Jesus, on the night he was betrayed, took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, 'This is my body, which is for you; do this in remembrance of me.' In the same way, after supper he took the cup, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood; do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me.' For whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes."

Leader: Holy and merciful God, our Father, send down your Holy Spirit on our bread and wine, that they may be for us the body and blood of Christ, and on your people, that we may be the body of Christ, reconciled to you and to each other by his blood. By your Holy Spirit make us—

People: **One with Christ,
one with each other,
and one in mission to all the world,**

Leader: Until Christ shall come in final victory
and we feast together at his heavenly banquet.
We cry, Maranatha!

People: **Even so, come, Lord Jesus, come.**

Leader: We pray the prayer which Christ has placed upon our lips—

**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. And lead us not into
temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory for ever. Amen.**

The Lord's Supper

The Lord's Supper, or Communion, is one of the two sacraments we celebrate (the other is baptism). It is one of the most important things we do when we gather together, because the bread and juice are concrete signs of what Jesus has done for us on the cross. When we come forward to receive them, we believe that Jesus is actually present through the Holy Spirit, extending his grace and forgiveness to us.

We welcome anyone to the table who is willing to forsake their sin and trust in Jesus Christ for salvation. If you are not able to receive Communion, we invite you to use this time to meditate on one of the following prayers:

Prayer of Those Searching for Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the Way, the Truth and the Life. Help me to be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Lead me into the light and life you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am more blind and sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete acceptance. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

— Adapted from prayers written by Rev. Scot Sherman, Redeemer Presbyterian Church.

Communion Song

"O Nata Lux"
(Lauridsen)

Sanctuary Choir

O nata lux de lumine,
Jesu redemptor saeculi,
dignare clemens supplicum
laudes preces que sumere.
Qui carne quondam contegi
dignatus es pro perditis.
Nos membra confer effici,
tui beati corporis.

*O born light of light,
Jesus, Redeemer of the world,
mercifully deem worthy and accept
the praises and prayers of your supplicants.
Thou who once deigned to be clothed in flesh
for the sake of the lost ones,
grant us to be made members
of your holy body.*

Communion Song

"Holy Communion"

Musical notation for the first line of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

Gra - cious Fa - ther, we give____ you____ praise____
Ab - ba Fa - ther, we bless____ your____ name____

Musical notation for the second line of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

and thanks for this Ho - ly Com - mun - ion.
and take part in this Ho - ly Com - mun - ion.

Musical notation for the third line of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

The bod - y and blood____ of your____ be-loved Son.
Make us all one____ to love____ like your Son.

Musical notation for the fourth line of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

The bod - y____ is____ bro - ken, God's love____ poured_ o -

Musical notation for the fifth line of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a common time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

- pen to make us new;____ Lord, make us new.||

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Communion Song

"Eat This Bread"

Eat this bread, drink this cup,

Prayer Needs

For Health

Pam Haney, Leah Gaertner, Becky Slootweg, Linda Ludlow, Julie Walden, Kaye Phillips, Katherine Crocker, Amy Boyd, Loma Shafer, Jack Schilthuis, Jerry Ramsey, Betty Cox, Charles Ellison, Dru Fitch, Mark Koontz, Margaret Leith, Dabney Harvey, Lou Hanscom, Carol Holt

For Comfort

Deaths – Kathy Boley (brother, 3/19), Betsy McCray (father, 3/13), Betsy Lohr (mother, 3/8), Etta Lawrence (husband Allen, 3/8), Malachi Mills (father, 2/27), Parker Hale (mother, 2/21), Jim and Jane Fields (grandson, 2/17), Kyle Tobias (2/5), Listwella Donaldson (brother, 1/27), Elizabeth Cole (sister, 1/16), Gloria Price (brother, 12/31), Mary Caudill (grandson, 12/2016), Lynn Hardwicke (husband, Warren, 12/18), Jonathan Shouse (mother, 12/17)

For Metro Richmond

We pray for the Spirit of the Resurrection in metropolitan Richmond: for a spirit of love, cooperation, peace, community, and commitment to all people in God's name.

Missionary Prayer and Care groups meet monthly to pray for our mission partners in Europe, Asia and the Muslim world. Contact Carolyn Oakley (cdoakley1@gmail.com/937-6564) to learn more.

SENDING

God sends us into the world as his witnesses.

† Song of Commission

"Before the Throne of God Above"



Musical notation for the first part of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 3/4. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

1. Be - fore the throne of God a - bove I have a strong and per - fect plea; a great High
2. When Sa - tan tempts me to de-spair and tells me of my guilt with - in, up-ward I
3. Be-hold him there! the ris-en Lamb, my per-fect, spot-less, right-eous-ness; the great un-



Musical notation for the second part of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 3/4. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

Priest whose name is Love, who ev - er lives and pleads for me. My name is
look, and see him there who made an end to all my sin. Be-cause the
change - a - ble "I Am," the King of glo - ry and of grace! One with him-



Musical notation for the third part of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 3/4. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

grav-en on his hands, my name is writ - ten on his heart; I know that while in heav'n he
sin-less Sav-ior died, my sin-ful soul is count-ed free; for God, the Just, is sat - is-
self, I can-not die, my soul is pur-chased by his blood; my life is hid with Christ on



Musical notation for the fourth part of the hymn, featuring a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a time signature of 3/4. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes.

stands no tongue can bid me thence de - part, no tongue can bid me thence de - part.
fied to look on him and par - don me, to look on him and par - don me.
high, with Christ my Sav-ior and my God, with Christ my Sav-ior and my God.

Commission

From Romans 5:10-11

Leader: If while we were God's enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life!

People: **Not only that, but we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.**

Benediction

Postlude

11:15 a.m. service

"Trumpet Processional in D"

(David Lasky)

Jeff Hummel

If you would like prayer for any reason, two elders are available at the front of the Sanctuary (by the lectern) after each service. We invite you to come forward for any prayer needs you may have.

SERVICE NOTES

Dr. Wesley Hill is our preacher today. Wesley is Assistant Professor of Biblical Studies at Trinity School for Ministry in Pittsburgh, PA. He is the author of the books *Washed and Waiting* and *Spiritual Friendship*, and is a frequent contributor of articles to the journals *First Things* and *Christianity Today*. Please welcome him to our community!

Today's flowers are given by Mary Ann Hancock, in memory of her husband John and in remembrance of their 65th wedding anniversary on April 5.

HOLY WEEK 2017

We hope you join us for any of these services, opportunities, and reflections offered the week leading up to our celebration of Christ's Resurrection. More information on all these events: thirdrva.org/events.

Palm Sunday: A Lenten Vespers Service, Sun., April 9, 4:00 p.m., Sanctuary

This Lenten Vespers Service will include some liturgy, a homily, and a presentation of the musical work of Morten Lauridsen, *Lux Aeterna*, by the combined choirs of Third Church and River Road Presbyterian. This special piece of music is a meditative piece referencing characteristics from sacred music of the high Renaissance.

Maundy Thursday Service: Thursday, April 13, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

Join us for this special worship service in the style of Tenebrae, with gradual extinguishing of candles, accompanied by music, readings, and the sacrament of Communion. Childcare provided for kindergarten and younger.

Good Friday Service: Friday, April 14, 12:00 p.m., Sanctuary

A brief worship service in the Sanctuary followed by a Lenten lunch at 12:30 p.m. (\$5) in the Fellowship Hall. Childcare available for kindergarten and younger during the worship service (12:00 - 12:30 p.m.).

Journey to the Cross: Friday, April 14, 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

A personal experience of Jesus' final hours. A multi-sensory journey where you will be guided by scripture and artistic presentations to the cross. The journey begins in the Steeple Corridor.

Christian Arabic Church Evening Devotion and Prayer Service: Friday, April 14, 7:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall

The Christian Arabic Church invites us to join their Good Friday service. The service will be held in both Arabic and English. Following the service, all are invited to a dinner together (around 8:30 p.m.). If you would like to join for dinner, they'd appreciate an RSVP by emailing Fakhri or leaving a voicemail at 888-7803.

Resurrection Sunday: Easter Sunday, April 16

Services: 8:00 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m., and 11:45 a.m.

Sunday School*: 10:30 a.m.

Celebrate the risen King in the Sanctuary! Bring bells from home to ring with joy every time we sing or say, "Alleluia!" We will also have some bells on site for you to use.

*All children and student ministry Sunday school classes will meet.

NEWS & EVENTS

Next Sunday: Welcome Coffee – Sunday, April 9, 9:45 a.m., Parlor

If you're new to Third, come to this monthly gathering to meet a few people and learn about Third's vision, what we believe and how to get involved. Questions? Contact Beth Nichols: bethn@thirdrva.org.

Last Call! Officer Nominations for 2018

This month is the time for you to make nominations for Elders, Deacons, and Trustees. Please prayerfully consider those that you think God would have lead us in 2018 and beyond, and submit those nominations to the Nominations Committee by April 2. Nomination forms can be found in the pew racks in the Sanctuary and at thirdrva.org/leadership-and-staff.

New Study in Marriage Fellowship Class! Starting April 9, Room 215, 10:00 a.m.

Are you financially balanced? What is your primary objective when it comes to your personal finances? What should your objective be? What will bring you the most peace? Join us beginning April 9 for a 6-week series from Andy Stanley on *Gaining and Maintaining Financial Stability* that explores steps to achieve the freedom and contentment that comes with being financially balanced.

Newcomers Class – The Weekend of April 20-22

Our Newcomers Class is an opportunity for us to get to know you and for you to learn about Third's vision for worship, discipleship, community, serving and outreach. At the end of the class you can decide if God is calling you to membership at Third at this time. For more information and to sign up, visit thirdrva.org/newcomers.

Women's First Friday Fellowship – Friday, April 7, 7:00 p.m., Silvia Ledon's home

Ladies, this Spring we're opening our homes to host a monthly First Friday Fellowship for all the women of Third. Join us (2706 Birkdale Lane) for a simple way to meet other women, enjoy some light drinks and snacks, and start your weekend off right. For questions or to RSVP, contact Erin Holbrook: echolbrook@gmail.com.

NEWS & EVENTS

Easter Egg Hunt – April 8, 10:30 a.m., the Olmsteds' home

Join us for our annual Easter Egg Hunt for families of kindergartners and younger (siblings are welcome too!). We'll have a petting zoo, bouncy house, and stations set up so parents can talk to their kids about the events leading up to Easter. Bring a picnic and Easter basket! More info and to RSVP: thirdrva.org/events.

Easter Lilies – Available for Order

If you'd like to order an Easter lily to enhance worship on Easter Sunday, please contact Rebecca Hatton (rebeccah@thirdrva.org or 282-4645, ext. 101). Each plant will be \$12 and can be taken home after Easter worship. Please note whether your lily is in memory or honor of someone in particular. Deadline for orders: Friday, April 7.

Today! Info Meeting for the Experience Israel Tour (Sept. 30 - Oct. 10) – April 2, Parlor after 8:45 and 10:00 a.m. Services

Join us for this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to visit the Holy Land and walk where Jesus walked. We'll tour Israel, Galilee, the Dead Sea and the city of Jerusalem with biblically knowledgeable tour guides. Want to learn more? Come to a meeting this morning after the 8:45 and 10:00 a.m. services in the Parlor. Contact Tom Barila: tomb@thirdrva.org.

Parent-to-Parent Coffee and Conversation – Thursday, April 6, 7:00 p.m., Room 132

At the conclusion of both the 5-week Real Sex class and our Student Ministry series on sex and sexuality, this is an opportunity for parents to gather, to speak candidly and to share their struggles and strategies as they raise their children. Please let us know if you're coming by emailing Tracie (traciem@thirdrva.org).

Donation Collections for CAC Refugee and Immigrant Settlement

Do you have any new or gently used household items that you would like to donate to the Christian Arabic Church? Sandie Marsteller is now going to be the contact person from Third. Donations are tax deductible. If you have any questions or would like to arrange a pickup for larger items, please contact her: marstellerfamily@gmail.com, 804-754-5758.

SUNDAY ADULT DISCIPLESHIP CLASSES

Join us for our adult Sunday morning discipleship classes **during the 10:00 a.m. worship hour.** For more information on the classes below, visit: thirdrva.org/classes-and-fellowship. Questions? Contact Tom Barila (tomb@thirdrva.org).

A Study of Hebrews
Room 101

**Where is God in the Business
and Busyness of Life?**
Room 217

Marriage Fellowship
Room 215

**Forgiving and Reconciling:
Bridges to Wholeness and Hope**
500 Forest Avenue, Room 109

**Did Our Hearts Not Burn Within Us?
A Study of Luke**
Room 213

NEW CLASS STARTING THIS WEEK!

Join us for one of our ongoing classes or for this new class this week!

**Loving God With Our Minds: April 2 - June 11 (breaking for Easter),
Fellowship Hall**

This class, taught by CJ Alderson, will explore developing the Christian mind so we may strengthen our faith and sharpen our apologetic. We hope to provide a space that is down to earth, yet intellectually rigorous enough for real learning and honest dialogue. Questions? Please contact CJ Alderson (courtalderson@gmail.com) or Tom Barila (tomb@thirdrva.org).

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY - SUNDAY MORNING

DURING THE 10:00 A.M. SERVICE:

All of our children's Sunday morning discipleship classes take place during the 10:00 a.m. worship hour. Visit thirdrva.org/family-ministry-sunday-morning for information on where the classes will be.

DURING 8:45 AND 11:15 A.M. SERVICES:

Childcare is available for all children aged Kindergarten and younger. First grade and above attend worship with their parents.

A Wiggle Room is available if you prefer to have your child with you but he or she is a little too active or noisy to be in the service. You'll be able to watch the service via streaming. The room is located near the Student Ministry area in Room 132.

Please let us know if we can help familiarize you with all that is available at Third for your children. Contact Kathy White (kathyw@thirdrva.org) or Tracie Meadows (traciem@thirdrva.org).

STUDENT MINISTRY

Student Ministry Fundraiser: Eat at Pie Five (at Willow Lawn) on Sundays from now through June, mention you're with Third, and they'll donate 10% of proceeds to our high school summer mission trip!

Sunday morning student ministry

Join us for food, solid teaching, and great people as we grow together in God's word.

600 Forest Avenue, Student Ministry Area

10:00-11:00 a.m. for all students in 7th-12th grade.

Sunday evening student ministry

Join us from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m in the Fellowship Hall.

Questions? Contact Rick (rickh@thirdrva.org) or Andrea (andrew@thirdrva.org).

THIS WEEK AT THIRD

Sunday, April 2

8:45, 10:00, 11:15 a.m. Worship services – Sanctuary
10:00 a.m. Communion class for parents and children – Choir room
8:45 and 10:00 a.m. Israel trip informational meeting – Parlor
12:30 p.m. Praying for Our Nation – Room 101

Monday, April 3

6:00 p.m. Jobs for Life – Fellowship Hall

Tuesday, April 4

9:30 a.m. Women's Group, "Ruth" – Room 213
7:00 p.m. Muslim World prayer and care group – Laurie Chalifoux' home,
10801 Whitaker Woods Rd., Richmond, 23238, 543-0361

Wednesday, April 5

5:30 p.m. Recovering Community – Kitchen, 500 Forest Ave.
6:30 p.m. Refresh women's group – Parlor
6:30 p.m. Real Sex: God's Design for Sexuality in an Age of Confusion – Multipurpose
Room, 500 Forest Ave.
6:45 p.m. Club 56 meeting – Basement

Thursday, April 6

10:00 a.m. Seasons Women's group – Room 132
7:00 p.m. Parent-to-Parent Coffee and Conversation – Room 132
7:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
7:00 p.m. Needle's Eye Young Professionals Grp. – Multipurpose Room, 500 Forest Ave.

Friday, April 7

1:00 Day by Dayers – Multipurpose Room, 500 Forest Ave.
5:00 p.m. That Great Dance – Fellowship Hall
6:30 p.m. Healing prayer rooms – Student ministry area

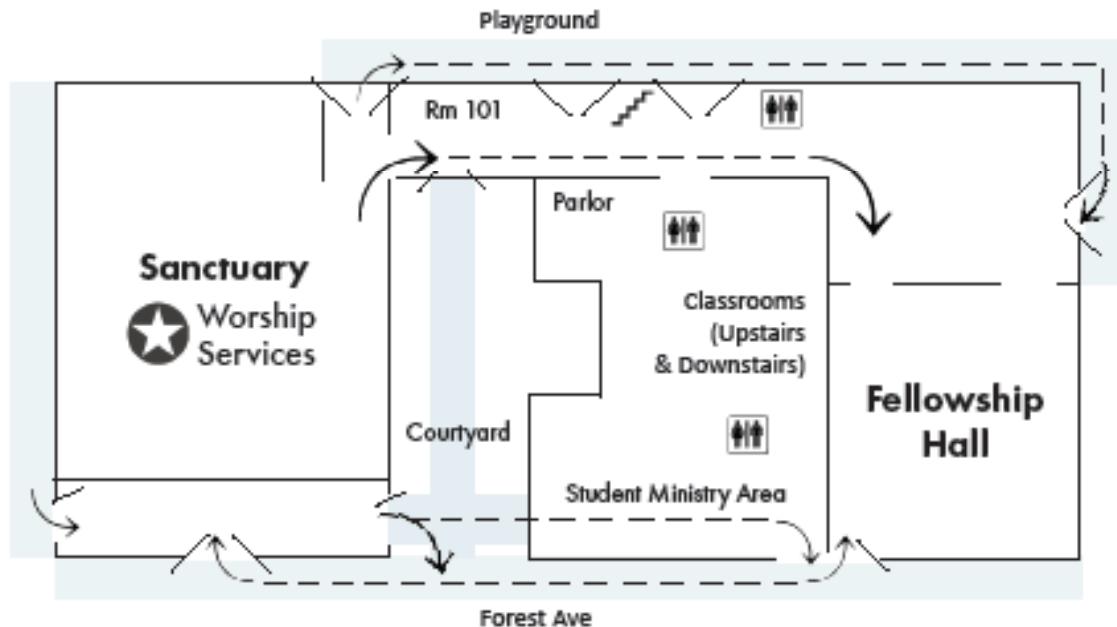
LEARN MORE ABOUT THIRD

Welcome to Third! We're so glad you're here. We'd love to get to know you and for you to learn more about our community. We have a couple opportunities for you to connect with us and help you find out more about Third.

- **Sign up for emails:** thirdrva.org/signup
- **Pick up Third Press:** Our monthly newsletter can be found around the church.
- **Follow us on Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram:** @thirdrva
- **Join us for our next Welcome Coffee:** April 9, 9:45 a.m. in the Parlor. Start here to learn more about Third!

SUNDAY MORNINGS AT THIRD

If you need help or have any questions at any point on a Sunday morning, look for individuals wearing carnations or yellow name badges. They're here to help answer questions, find you seats, and guide you around our building.



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