

# TOPSAIL UNITED CHURCH

*"The Church by The Side Of The Road"*

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"The Mission of Topsail United Church is:

- To offer to all the opportunity to come to know God as revealed in Jesus Christ;
- To grow in faith through worship, study and prayer;
- To care for each other and all of God's creation; and
- To encourage and empower each other to use our talents within the Church."

Ministers:	The Congregation
Clergy:	Rev. Bruce Kearley
Congregational Designated Minister:	Steven Rogers
Organist:	Beth Cranston
Choir Director:	Andrew Cranston
Choir:	Combined Choir

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**Sunday, April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014 – 10:30 A.M.**  
**EASTER SUNDAY**

## ***SERVICE NOTE***

***WELCOME & HAPPY EASTER!*** Hear the message of faith expressed on this Easter day of celebration: "Christ is risen! Christ is risen indeed!" resounds through the Church in many languages. It is a day of transformation, moving from deepest midnight to brilliant day, from sleep to being awake, from the wilderness to fruitful vineyards, from death to life.

## ***WE GATHER AS GOD'S PEOPLE***

### **ORGAN PRELUDE:**

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN:** #155 "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"

### **CALL TO WORSHIP:** (Seasons of the Spirit - responsive)

One: Christ is risen!

**All: Christ is risen indeed!**

One: The shadows have gone and the day has dawned!

(Remove black cloth from the worship/sanctuary table.)

**All: Alleluia!**

One: The stone has been rolled away and Christ is alive!

**All: Alleluia!**

One: Our sorrow is turned to joy!

**All: Alleluia!**

One: Christ is risen!

**All: Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

One: Let us worship God!

### **CONGREGATION SINGS: (CHRIST CANDLE IS LIT)**

Joyful, joyful we adore you God of glory, life and love,  
hearts unfold like flowers before you opening to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive the gloom of doubt away,  
giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

### **WELCOME & CONGREGATIONAL LIFE & WORK:**

### **PRAYER OF APPROACH:**

**HYMN:** #161 "Welcome Happy Morning"

### **TALK TIME:**

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: *A New Creed (#918- VU)***

***WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD***

**SCRIPTURE READING:**

Matthew 28: 1-10 (Mary and the empty tomb)

**ANTHEM:** "Joy comes with the dawn" (#166 – VU)

**SERMON:** "Going Ahead of You to Galilee"

**HYMN:** #164 "The Day of Resurrection"

***WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD***

**MINUTE FOR MISSION**

**OFFERTORY & DOXOLOGY:**

**From God we have the gifts of earth;  
From Christ's stone tomb we have our birth;  
We offer now our tithe and pray  
That Christ bring justice in our day.**

**OFFERTORY PRAYER:**

**ANTHEM:** "Friends, Let Us Love Each Other" (Ron Klusmeier)

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER:** (#959 – VU - sung)

**HYMN:** #173 "Thine Is The Glory"

**COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION**

**CHORAL BENEDICTION:** "Stay With Us" (#182 – VU)

**THE ORGAN POSTLUDE**

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# EASTER IMMEMORIUM

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*In loving memory of  
Husband*

**Richard Barnes**

*&*

*Daughter in law*

**Bernice Bonia,**

*Sisters*

**Joyce Scott, (nee Barnes)**

**Cammie Collins, (nee Barnes)**

*from Olga & family*

*In loving memory of*

**Hazel & Monroe Mercer**

*By John, Lynn, Jonathan, Ashlee & family*

*A gift has been received for the Building Fund*

*In loving Memory of*

**David, Glenn & Norine Bastow**

*&*

*brother-in-law*

**Tony Murphy**

*By Lynn, John, Jonathan, Ashlee & family*

*A gift has been received for the Building Fund*

*In memory of*

*beloved parents, grandparents & in-laws*

**Heber & Florence Bennett**

*&*

*Special Friends*

**Nan Wright,**

**Laura LeGrow**

**Melvina Sheppard**

**Lorraine Parsons**

*By Bob, Debbie, Gregory & Sheri-lynn*

*In loving memory of*

**Eric & James Harnum**

*From Joyce*

*In loving memory of*

*Father, grandfather, & father-in-law*

**Lloyd King**

*&*

*Brother, brother-in-law, & uncle*

**Scott King**

*By Debbie, Bob, Gregory & Sheri-lynn*

*In loving memory of*

**Rev. Samuel and Millicent Grandy, Dr. Thomas Grandy,**

**William and Violet LeDrew, and Noreen LeDrew**

*by the family.*

*A gift has been received for the roofing fund.*

*In loving memory of*  
*Grandfather (Pop)*  
**Doug Osmond**  
*Always loved and sadly missed*  
*by Sean, Ryan, Matthew & Zachary*

*In loving memory of*  
*Husband & Father*  
**Doug Osmond**  
*forever in our hearts*  
*by Louise, Bob & Rhonda, Larry & Angela*

*In loving memory of husband*  
**Les Stokes**  
&  
*parents*  
**Harold & Ethel Somerton**  
*from Eleanor*

*In loving memory of*  
**Laura LeGrow**  
*by husband Ed & daughter Marilyn*

*In loving memory of*  
**Eric, May, Nelson,**  
&  
**Rosalind Harnum**  
*from Joyce and the Harvey Family*

*In loving memory of*  
**Cyril Butler**  
&  
**Leslie Parsons**  
*from*  
*Joyce and the Harvey Family*

*In loving memory of*  
**Alex and Martha Butler**  
**Phoebe E. Miller**  
&  
**Emmie Nurse**  
*by Barbara*

*In loving memory of*  
*parents* **Clifford & Sybil Pike**, *grandparents*  
**John & Mollie Butler** and **Hayward & Maude Pike**,  
*also Uncle* **Charlie** & *Aunt* **Peggy Randell**  
*and Uncles* **Angus & Leigh Pike**  
*from John, Judy, Gloria, Robert & Gary.*

*In loving memory of  
parents*

**Charles & Amelia Barbour**

*&*

*brother-in-law*

**James M. Bugden**

*by Eloise & Len Bugden & Family*

*In loving memory of*

**Susan Tiller**

*by mother Dianne Kearley and sister Nicolle Boone.*

*In loving memory of  
parents*

**Mae & Clarence Peddle**

*and*

**Enid & Arch Kearley**

*by Dianne and Bruce Kearley and family.*

*In loving memory of  
dear parents*

**Bert & Leona Churchill**

*always loved & forever remembered,*

*By Children & Grandchildren*

*In loving memory of*

**Alexander Goulding**

*husband, father, grandfather & Great Grandfather*

*By wife Elsie, son Alex (Jr.), daughters Linda, Karen, Kimberley & Loralynn*

*14 Grandchildren & 4 Great Grandchildren*

*In loving memory of*

*Daughter, Mother & Sister*

**Michelle Barron (Goulding)**

*by mom Elsie & her late father Alexander*

*her children Scott, Michael, Krista, Nicole & Natasha*

*brother Alex (Jr) & sisters Linda, Karen, Kimberley & Loralynn*

*In loving memory of*

*Parents, **Jack & Alice Miller***

*Sister, **Eloise Miller***

*Grandparents, **Sarah & John Miller***

*By the family*

*In loving memory of*

**Fred Button**

*from Nellie & Cle Callan*

*In loving memory of*

*a wonderful Husband, father, & grandfather*

**Arthur Reid**

*by wife Elsie, daughters Sharon & son Sean & their families*

*A Gift has been received for the Cemetery Fund*



*In loving memory of  
a dear husband, father & grandfather*

**Leonard Mercer**

*by Alma, Children & Grandchildren*

*In loving memory of  
a wonderful Husband, father, & grandfather*

**Herman Humby**

*from wife Pearl,  
daughters Diane & Sherry  
& son Kenneth & families*

*In memory of  
a loving husband & father*

**Augustus (Gus) Eveleigh**

*by wife Georgina, daughter Rosalind & family*

*In memory of  
a loving son & brother*

**Robert Eveleigh**

*by mom Georgina & sister Rosalind*

*In loving memory of*

**Fred Button**

*husband, father & grandfather*

*From Betty & family*

*In loving memory of*

**Catherine Button**

*mother, daughter & aunt  
from Mom, Hailey & family*

