

Lutheran Church



By The Lake

Holy Week Schedule:
Enter the Mystery,
Embrace the Hope.

Holy Week is more than a series of special services—it's an invitation to enter into the story of Jesus' final days, to share in the depth of His love, and to stand in awe of His victory over death. Across centuries of Christian worship, believers have marked this sacred time with readings, prayers, and songs that reflect our journey from darkness to light, from despair to hope, and from sorrow to resurrection joy. This year, we invite you to join us and discover anew the God whose grace, forgiveness, and life-giving power never fail.

From the palm-strewn entrance into Jerusalem to the triumphant morning of Easter, each gathering at **Lutheran Church By The Lake** is steeped in ancient tradition and living faith:

Our Holy Week Schedule

- **Palm Sunday (April 13 @ 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.)** – Celebrate Jesus' jubilant arrival as the crowd cries "Hosanna!"
- **Maundy Thursday (April 17 @ 6:00 p.m.)** – Remember Christ's command to love and serve, shared over a final meal with His disciples.
- **Good Friday (April 18 @ 6:00 p.m.)** – Linger at the foot of the cross, reflecting on Jesus' sacrificial love that redeems us all.
- **Easter Vigil (April 19 @ 6:00 p.m.)** – Keep watch in the twilight, traveling through Scripture's story of rescue and promise, and awaiting the dawn of resurrection.
- **Easter Sunday (April 20 @ 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.)** – Rejoice in Christ's victory over the grave as a Brass Quartet helps us "raise the roof" in joyful praise.

Why walk this road? Because Holy Week reminds us that sin, death, and the devil do not have the final say. In Christ's rising, we see that God's relentless love overcomes every barrier—even the grave itself. Wherever you are in your faith journey, these services offer a chance to pause, reflect, and be transformed by the One who brings life from ashes and hope from heartbreak.

We invite you to **come and experience** the powerful movement from betrayal to forgiveness, from sorrow to joy, from death to unshakable, everlasting life. Enter into the mystery of Holy Week—and find in Jesus the grace, mercy, and triumph that changes everything. We look forward to welcoming you at **Lutheran Church By The Lake**.

Worship Throughout the Year at Lutheran Church By The Lake

God's invitation isn't limited to a single season—it's ongoing, unfolding, and full of new mercies each and every morning. We warmly invite you to join us for worship year-round, wherever you may be in your journey of faith. Whether you gather at our main campus or meet us by the lake, you'll find a community committed to growing in God's grace, offering praise, and sharing the hope we have in Christ.

Service Times and Locations

- **10:30 a.m. Worship** – Year-round at our main campus located at **100 Twelve Oaks Drive, McCormick, SC**.
- **9:00 a.m. Worship (Fall to Spring)** – From the Sunday after Labor Day until the Sunday before Memorial Day, we gather at the main campus for our early risers service.
- **9:00 a.m. Worship (Summer)** – Memorial Day through Labor Day, join us at Elijah Clark State Park (just over the state line in Georgia). Some folks even arrive by boat—a wonderful reminder that God's people can gather from near or far, united in worship.

No matter the season or setting, we come together to hear God's Word, sing praises, and be renewed in faith. Come as you are—whether on foot, by car, or by boat—and experience the joy and fellowship that mark our time in worship. From heartfelt prayer to uplifting music and genuine connection, there's a place here for you.

We hope you'll accept our invitation to encounter God's love in a meaningful way. **Come, join us at Lutheran Church By The Lake** and let your spirit be refreshed as we journey together in faith, hope, and unity—year-round.



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