

DISCOVER/SHARE

Tend the Table

In April, South Main is joining with other churches in our community to emphasize the value of sitting down at a table to share a meal with one another and feeding the hungry. Opportunities for service and fellowship during this month include:

Serving Saturday

Saturday, April 13, 8:30 AM: We will work alongside sister congregations, serving our neighborhood mission partners in areas such as food service and distribution, school campus beautification, light construction, and more. Contact J Hill at j@smbc.org for more information.

Tend the Table Fellowship Opportunities

Saturday, April 27, 5:30 PM (Sign up at smbc.org/events):

Men's Fellowship Event

A multi-generational men's event in the Tribe Space will include delicious grilled brats and a fun time of games, ping pong, basketball, and the Astros on TV. Cost is \$12 per person.

Women's Fellowship Event

Generations of women will gather in Turner Fellowship Hall at 5:30 PM for dinner, conversation, and a special program emphasizing the importance of multi-generational relationships among women and how they play a crucial role in our well-being. Cost will be \$25 per adult, \$15 per high school and younger.

Guest QR Code



Welcome! We are glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Please scan this QR code to share your information so we can connect with you this week.

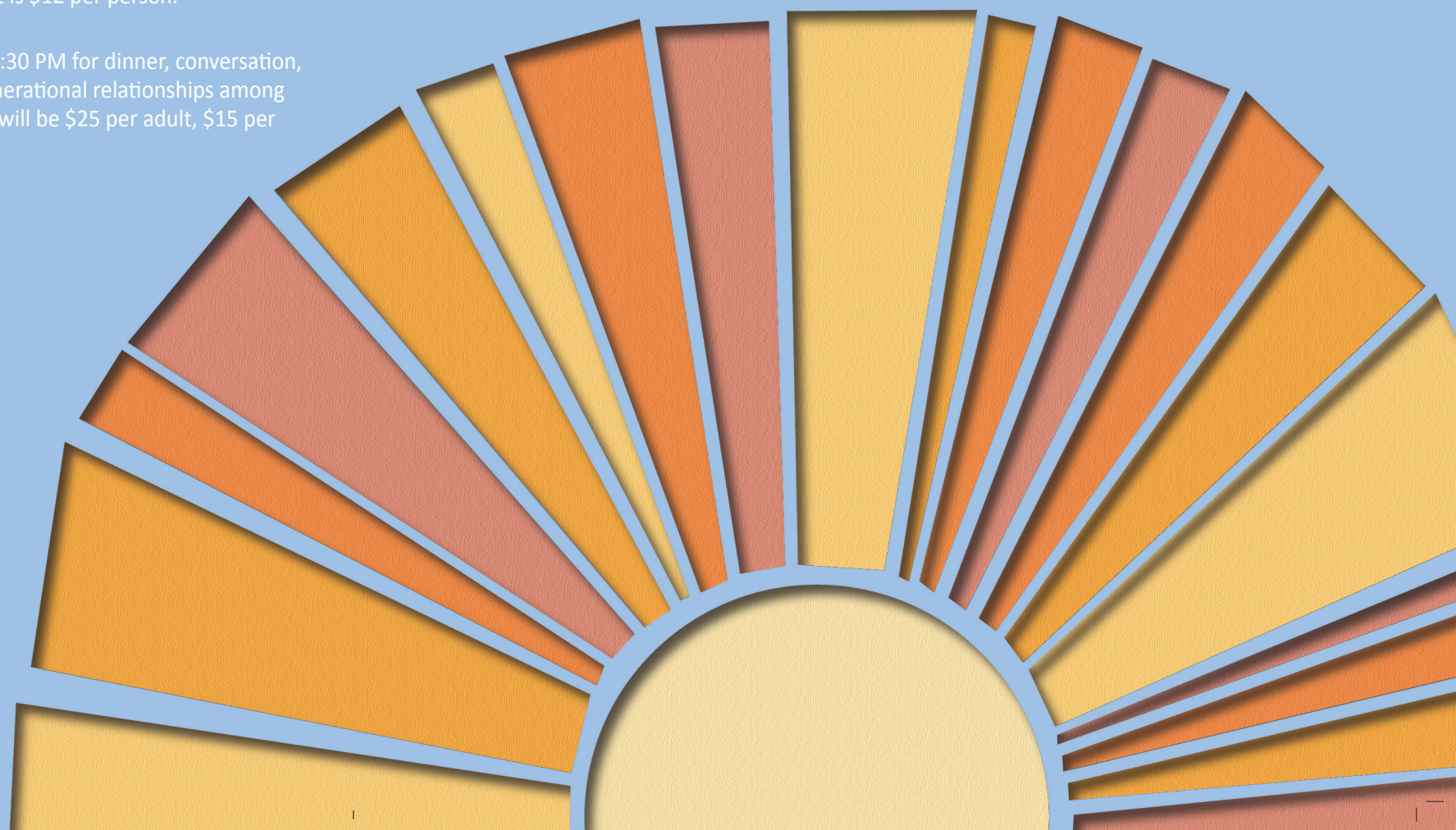


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Easter Worship

MARCH 31, 2024
9:00 AM & 11:00 AM
STREAMING AT [SMBC.ORG](https://smbc.org)



EASTER SUNDAY

Why do you seek the living among the dead?

Luke 24:5

GATHER

Pre-Service Music

Cantabile Symphonique

(Camille Saint-Saëns / arr. Virgil Fox)

Benedictus from the *Third Organ Sonata*

(Charles Villiers Stanford)

Yuri McCoy,

Organist

Tolling the Hour

Procession of the Christ Candle

To the Lamb on the Throne

(Dan Forrest)

Sanctuary Choir and Festival Brass

Liza Lane (9:00)

Amy Brown (11:00)

(Please stand as the Christ candle passes your row.)

PRAISE

Processional Hymn 194

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

Call to Worship

Steve Wells, Pastor

Ordinance of Baptism

TJ Moneé Joubert (9:00)

Hayden McLaughlin (11:00)

The Lord is Risen!

The Lord is Risen indeed!

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Alleluia!

Alleluia!

Alleluia!

REFLECT

Hymn 569

In Christ Alone

(Children are invited to come forward during the hymn.)

In between stanzas 3 and 4:

On Christ, the Solid Rock, I stand,

All other ground is sinking sand.

All other ground is sinking sand.

(Repeated in higher key)

Children's Message

Alyssa Carter,

Minister to Children

Good News

Steve Wells

RESPOND

Hymn 223

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Stanzas 1, 2, and 4

Offertory

Hallelujah from the Mount of Olives

(Beethoven)

Sanctuary Choir and Festival Brass

Doxology (LASST UNS ERFREUEN)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Alleluia, Alleluia!

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts,

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Offertory Prayer

Nancy McNeil (9:00)

Becca Windle (11:00)

SHARE

Welcoming and Covenant with New Members

In response to your decision,

we pledge ourselves

to be the family of God for you

in this place.

We offer you our love, our care,

our kinship, and our hopes.

We hope to learn from you,

give to you, and receive from you

by God's grace.

Sung Benediction

Hallelujah Chorus

(G.F. Handel)

Postlude

Toccata from the *Fifth Symphony*

(Charles-Marie Widor)

Yuri McCoy



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