

## THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

April 30, 2006

*Bethabara Moravian Church believes because of the love of Jesus Christ revealed in us, that Jesus is "the way, and the truth, and the life and no one comes to the Father but by (him)." John 14:6*

*Bethabara Moravian Church leads people to an active relationship with Jesus Christ by providing a path of worship, prayer, and knowledge of God's Word through our Moravian heritage and Christian fellowship.*



*Remembering the past, envisioning the future.*

### **Watchword for the Week:**

*See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God; and that is what we are.*

1 JOHN 3:1

*Mirad cuál amor nos ha dado el Padre,  
para que seamos llamados hijos de Dios;*

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

**BAND PRELUDE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**HYMN**                                      The Strife Is O'er                                      Page 361

**PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**LITURGY OF EDUCATION**                                      Page 127

**THE CHURCH IN GIVING**

Reception of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory                                      The Old Rugged Cross                                      arr. V. Wright

The Doxology

**HYMN**                                      Sing Hallelujah, Praise the Lord                                      Page 543

**CHILDREN'S SERMON**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**                                      Luke 24:36b-48                                      Page 920

**SERMON**                                      "Tell Everything That Has Happened"                                      Pastor May

**HYMN**                                      Christ Is Alive                                      Page 362

**CHORAL BENEDICTION**                                      God So Loved the World                                      Stainer

**POSTLUDE**

*The flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in memory of Virginia Neal West and Joseph Segraves by Doris Segraves.  
The basket of flowers placed in the Sanctuary today are to the Glory of God and in honor of Jack & Gloria Long's 50th wedding anniversary, by the  
Women's Fellowship of Bethabara*

**Greeters TODAY**

**Bobby & Anne Kyle**

**Nursery TODAY**

**Betsy Johnson**

# SCRIPTURE FOCAL PASSAGE

Luke 24:36-49

Jesus himself stood among them. 37 But they were startled and frightened, and supposed that they saw a spirit. 38 And he said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do questionings rise in your hearts? 39 See my hands and my feet, that it is I myself; handle me, and see; for a spirit has not flesh and bones as you see that I have." 41 And while they still disbelieved for joy, and wondered, he said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" 42 They gave him a piece of broiled fish, 43 and he took it and ate before them. 44 Then he said to them, "These are my words which I spoke to you, while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the law of Moses and the prophets and the psalms must be fulfilled." 45 Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures, 46 and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, 47 and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be preached in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. 48 You are witnesses of these things.

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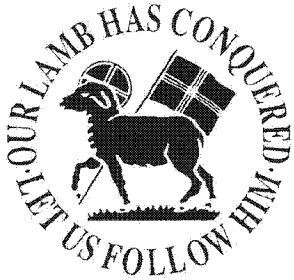
Jesús se puso en medio de ellos, y les dijo: Paz a vosotros. 37 Entonces, espantados y atemorizados, pensaban que veían espíritu. 38 Pero él les dijo: ¿Por qué estáis turbados, y vienen a vuestro corazón estos pensamientos? 39 Mirad mis manos y mis pies, que yo mismo soy; palpad, y ved; porque un espíritu no tiene carne ni huesos, como veis que yo tengo. 40 Y diciendo esto, les mostró las manos y los pies. 41 Y como todavía ellos, de gozo, no lo creían, y estaban maravillados, les dijo: ¿Tenéis aquí algo de comer? 42 Entonces le dieron parte de un pez asado, y un panal de miel. 43 Y él lo tomó, y comió delante de ellos. 44 Y les dijo: Estas son las palabras que os hablé, estando aún con vosotros: que era necesario que se cumpliese todo lo que está escrito de mí en la ley de Moisés, en los profetas y en los salmos. 45 Entonces les abrió el entendimiento, para que comprendiesen las Escrituras; 46 y les dijo: Así está escrito, y así fue necesario que el Cristo padeciese, y resucitase de los muertos al tercer día; 47 y que se predicase en su nombre el arrepentimiento y el perdón de pecados en todas las naciones, comenzando desde Jerusalén. 48 Y vosotros sois testigos de estas cosas.

*We are so glad you came to worship with us today.*

*We pray our service was memorable and meaningful for you in every way.*

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*Nos alegramos tanto de que Ud. haya decidido adorar a Dios con nosotros hoy.  
Rezamos que nuestro servicio sea memorable y significativo para Ud. en cada manera.*



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*In Essentials, Unity; In Non-essentials, Liberty; In All Things, Love.*