

# WELCOME

## “We Reserve the Right to Accept Everybody”

Childcare is provided in the education center. Hearing assistance receivers are available from an usher.

Following worship, join one another for a reception period downstairs. As a hospitality to visitors, a tour of the historic Meeting House will be conducted at 12:15 PM.

Our pastor and deacons welcome the opportunity to speak with you about your interest in church membership. The church provides an Inquirer’s Room located on the first level of the Meeting House just off the main hallway for anyone who is interested.

Each Sunday’s preaching is available on our website at [www.fbcia.org](http://www.fbcia.org).

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#### Weekly Activities

Wednesday	1:30	PM	Women’s Spirituality Group
Thursday	6:00	PM	Spirituality Group
	7:30	PM	Choir Rehearsal
Sunday	10:00	AM	Sunday Morning Forum College Bible Study Sunday School for ages 3-12
	11:00	AM	Worship Service
	12:15	PM	Guided Tour

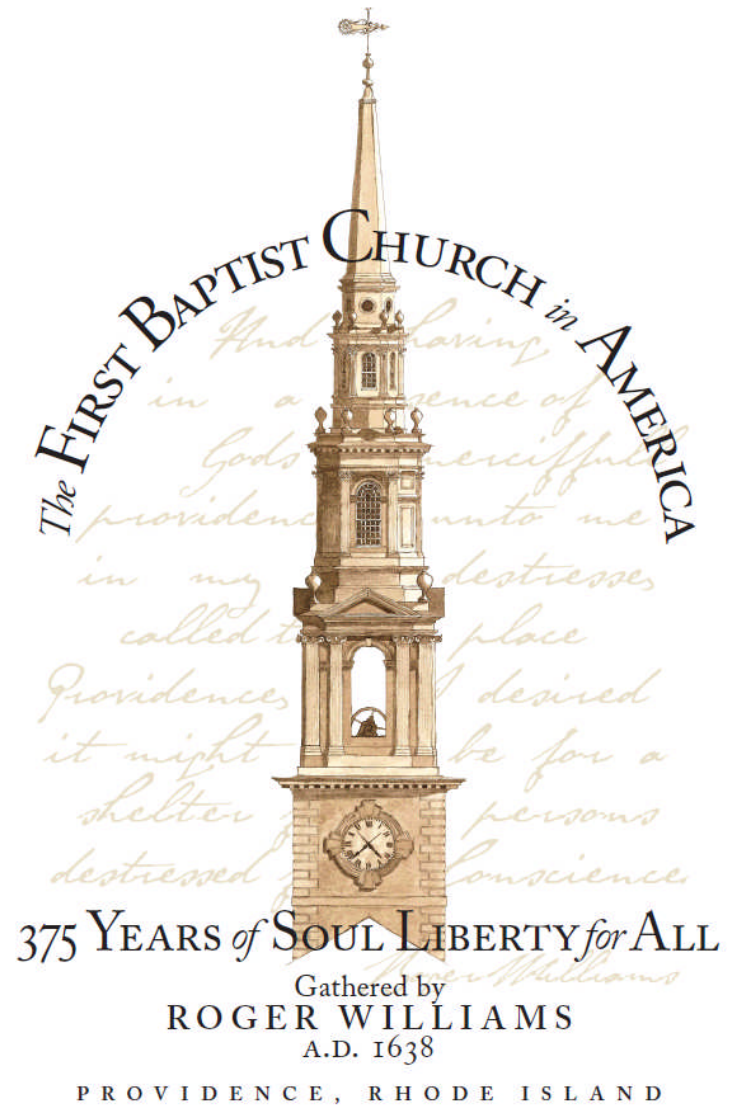
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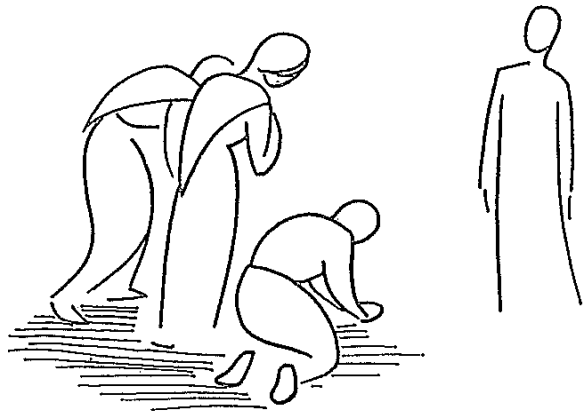
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Easter Sunday  
April 20, 2014



“He is not here. He has been raised.”  
(Mark 16:6)

Preludes from *Heldenmusik* TWV 50 Georg Philipp Telemann  
Gino Villareal, Trumpet

Greeting Associate Pastor, Linda Bausserman

Silent Reflection & Choral Alleluia James C. Meena  
(Unveiling the Cross)

\*Hymn 234 “Christ the Lord is Risen Today” *Easter Hymn*

\*Easter Litany

Pastor: Why do you look for the living among the dead?

**People: He is not here. The Lord has risen!**

Pastor: Where O death is your victory? Where is your sting?

**People: Death has been swallowed up in victory.**

Pastor: Jesus said, “I am the resurrection and the life. Those who believe in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives and believes in me will never die. Do you believe this?”

**People: We believe. Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Amen!**

Anthem “Break Forth into Joy!” (Isaiah, Christopher Smart)  
Daniel Pinkham

Scripture Lesson John 20:1-18 Gary Penfield

\* Please Stand

Call to Prayer 238 “Because He Lives” *Resurrection*

Providence Prayers

\*Hymn 250 “Jesus Christ is Risen Today” *Llanfair*

(Children are dismissed for Christian Education)

Preaching “New Creation” Rev. Tom Wiles

Offertory “Awake the Trumpet’s Lofty Sound” from *Samson*  
George Frederick Handel

\*Doxology 809 *Old Hundredth*

\*Prayer of Dedication

\* Hymn 248 “He Lives” *Ackley*

\*Commission and Blessing

May the God who brought from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ grant you the miracle of new life daily, inspiring your soul and empowering your will with the living presence of the living Christ. Amen!

Postlude on *O filii et filliae* Improvisation

#### Worship Participants

Greeters: Pat Billings and Dianne Thyret  
Ushers: Edgar Thyret and Larry Wilson  
Tour Guide: Stan Lemons

#### Ministry Staff

Associate Pastor	Dr. Linda Bausserman
Minister of Music	Stephen T. Martorella
Administrative Assistant	Holly B. Edwards
Bookkeeper	Anne H. Gagan
Sexton	David Michel
Child Care Worker	Ivy Bermudez