

# MADISON AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH



**April 17, 2022**

<b>Prelude</b>	<i>New Day, New Hope</i>	Steven Scott
<b>Announcements and Welcome</b>		
<b>Introit</b>	<i>Litany for Easter</i>	Gordon Young
<b>Call to Worship</b>		
<b>Hymn</b>	“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”	No. 216
<b>Choral Anthem</b>	<i>He’s Gonna Rise, My Soul to Save</i>	Susan B. Boersma, David Lantz III
<b>Prayer</b>		
<b>Hymn</b>	“In the Garden”	No. 227
<b>Scripture</b>	Luke 24:1-8	
<b>Sermon</b>	“Put the Architect in Charge ”	Rev. Susan Sparks
<b>Meditation</b>	<i>Come Christians, Join to Sing</i>	Mark Hayes, arr.
<b>Hymn</b>	“Christ Arose!”	No. 224
<b>Benediction</b>		
<b>Benediction Response</b>	“Hallelujah” – from <i>Messiah</i>	G. F. Handel
<b>Postlude</b>	Postlude from <i>Celebrate Life</i>	Buryl Red



*The liturgical color for the great fifty days of Easter is white.  
As it is spotless, white signifies the forgiveness, the new life,  
that the world is offered in Christ’s resurrection.  
Hallelujah! Christ is risen indeed!*

*Choir: Jenny Lindsey (soprano), Karen Rich (soprano),  
Alexandra de Suze (alto), Richard Binder (tenor),  
Brian Long (baritone), Doug Shapiro (bass)*

*Video and Audio: Travis Dover, Reghu Ragunathan*



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## Madison Avenue Baptist Church Prayer List

Sunday, April 17, 2022

*Please include the following in your prayers this week:*

- Prayers for the victims of this week's subway shooting.
- Prayers for Rev. Mike Easterling on the loss of his son Mikey.
- Prayers for Molly Chan who is ill.
- Prayers for Cheryl Sims.
- Healing prayers for Linda Copeland, friend of Rita Ennis, as she rebuilds her life after a full leg amputation.
- Prayers for Marti Law who lost her brother recently.
- Prayers for Brad Blevins' mother, Vickie.
- Prayers for the people of Ukraine and for the members of our MABC family who have family and friends in Ukraine.
- Prayers for Dorothy Mangieri, beloved aunt of Joseph Pilla and Kevin Davis, as she recovers from surgery.
- Prayers for strength for Lee Caliandro who is fighting ALS.
- Prayers for Ruby Pittman, a member of our MABC global family.
- Prayers for Jake Bartel, Kevin Fannin and Turner Roach's son-in-law, who is in the hospital.
- Prayers for Richard Binder and his family on the loss of his father, Dr. Charles Binder.
- Prayers for those battling the coronavirus. Prayers for the medical staff who are treating patients and administering vaccines.
- Prayers for Jamie Rodriguez.
- Prayers for Rev. Dr. Cheryl Dudley's mother.
- Prayers for Juan Nunez's mother, Isabel Nunez.
- For the virus of racism to be eradicated from our hearts and our world.
- Prayers for an end to the violence against Asians in the U.S.
- Prayers for Juanita Barr, Debra Barr's mother.
- Prayers for Doug Shapiro.
- Prayers for Jacki Friedmann.
- Prayers for Shakia Farrington and her family.
- Prayers for Adom Crew and his family.
- Healing prayers for Jane Claudio, diagnosed with a return of cancer.
- Prayers of healing for Raquel Tresvant and her family.
- Marti Law, who is undergoing treatment for cancer.
- Jerrold Owens, Richard Binder's work colleague, who is undergoing treatment for brain cancer.
- Prayers for Linda Mydland, suffering from Acute Myeloid Leukemia. Prayers also for her husband Dave and sister Carmella Grill.