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The House assembled at 10:00 a.m.

Deliberations were opened with prayer by Rev. Charles E. Seastrunk, Jr., as follows:

Our thought for today is from Psalm 85:10: “Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet; righteousness and peace will kiss each other.”

Let us pray. Heavenly Father, Your love will generate faithfulness as You bless Your people in the life You have designed for us. Provide for us all the needful things of life so we may live in harmony with our fellow human beings. Protect each one as we approach the weekend and give them each rest from their labors. Bless our Nation, President, State, Governor, Speaker, staff, and all who labor in this vineyard. Protect our defenders of freedom as they protect us. Heal the wounds, those seen and those hidden, of our brave warriors who suffer and sacrifice for our freedom. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayer. Amen.

After corrections to the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, the SPEAKER ordered it confirmed.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 10:22 a.m. the House, in accordance with the ruling of the SPEAKER, adjourned to meet at 12:00 noon, Tuesday, April 21.

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