



August 9, 2015
Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE "I Sing the Mighty Power of God" ELLACOMBE
 Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

CALL TO WORSHIP "My God is Powerful" Stocker
 VBS Children and Worship Team

WELCOME April Alston

INVOCATION Katie Perkinson

*SONG OF PRAISE *I Sing the Mighty Power of God*

REFRAIN

There's no great-er pow-er than the pow-er of our God.

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VERSE

I sing the might-y pow'r of God that made the moun-tains rise,

that spread the flow-ing seas a-broad and built the loft-y skies.

I sing the wis-dom that de-signed the sun to rule the day.

The moon shines full at his com-mand, and all the stars o - bey.

WORSHIP REFLECTION "Be Strong in the Lord"
 Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

WORSHIP READING Avery Allen, Ben Grant,
 Sarah Hunt, Madison Ouzts

PRAYER April Alston

*SONG OF TRUST, 581 *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus* All Stanzas

*OFFERTORY PRAYER Aidan Eshleman

OFFERTORY "Children's Medley" arr. Hayes
 Cynthia Griesedieck, Piano

*OFFERING RESPONSE, 815 *Doxology*

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
 Praise Him, all creatures here below.
 Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host.
 Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen**

SCRIPTURE READING 1 Kings 17:8-16 Allan Smith

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.
Response: Thanks be to God!

MUSICAL REFLECTION "One Thing Remains" Riddle; arr. Rouse
 Worship Team

SERMON "Watching and Singing" Amanda Atkin

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

Today for show and tell, I've brought a tiny miracle of nature: a single snowflake! I think we might all learn a lesson from how this utterly unique and exquisite crystal turns into an ordinary, boring molecule of water just like every other one when you bring it into the classroom. And now, while the analogy sinks in, I will be leaving you drips and going outside...
 — Calvin, from the cartoon "Calvin and Hobbes" by Bill Watterson

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT, 648 Stanzas 1-3
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

*PASSING OF THE PEACE
 Leader: The peace of Christ be with you!
People: And also with you.

*SONG OF SENDING, 648 Stanza 4
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

**Finish then Thy new creation; pure and spotless let us be.
 Let us see Thy great salvation perfectly restored in Thee:
 Changed from glory into glory, till in heav'n we take our place,
 Till we cast our crowns before Thee, lost in wonder, love and praise.**

*BENEDICTION Amanda Atkin

POSTLUDE "A Might Fortress is Our God" Luther
 Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

**Please rise in body or spirit*

Deacon of the week:
 Johnathan Eshleman
 Email: johnathan.eshleman@gmail.com
 Phone/text: 919-523-9627

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Denisen and Anna Croom in memory of their father, Fred Croom.

First Time Guests - We extend a warm welcome to all guests. Information packets are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please pick one up.

Activity Bags for the children are located in the basket in the back of the sanctuary. Each bag contains a clipboard, paper, pencils, etc. Please return the bags to the basket at the end of the service.

**College Students:
 End of Summer Cook-Out
 Tonight, 5 - 8 PM**



at the home of
 David and Toni Cox
 2004 Lacebark Lane in Raleigh

**Wednesday, August 12
 6:00 PM, Sanctuary**

Pool Party, August 19

Greystone Swim and Racquet Club
 Children and their families 5-7 PM
 Youth 7-9 PM



**Volunteer opportunity
 with USCRI family.**

A family made up of a single parent dad with his 5 children is in need of a medical mentor as the youngest child has ongoing medical health care needs. The medical mentor would drive the father and child to and from medical appointments. If interested in learning more about this volunteer opportunity with the refugee agency USCRI (US Committee for Refugees and Immigrants) please contact Kim Wyatt at wyatt@cbf.net or 910-632-4181.

Youth Summer Reading Program

All middle school and high school students are invited to participate in the Greystone Youth Summer Reading Program. Read a book of the Bible and set up a meeting with Allan to talk about it while being treated to coffee or dessert. I look forward to our



**Senior Adult-Sponsored Trip
 Saturday, 8/29/15**

The Senior-Adult-Sponsored Trip for August will be a trip to the N.C. Museum of History's exhibit of "Starring North Carolina!" This celebration of film making in N.C. will cost \$5.00 plus taxes per person. Lunch in downtown Raleigh will follow, location TBA. Come join us. Details are in the August newsletter and sign up sheet will be on the table in the church lobby. Contact Louise Estes with questions, louise0411@gmail.com.

Welcome Guests

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Please complete this form, tear it off and place it in the offering plate.

Circle title: Mr. Mrs. Dr. Ms. Miss

Circle one: Adult Youth Child

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Email: _____

Phone (home) _____

First time guest _____ repeat guest _____

Guest of _____

Children's names and ages:

I would like more information on:

- _____ How to become a Christian
- _____ How to become a member
- _____ Sunday School / Bible Study
- _____ College ministry
- _____ Youth ministry
- _____ Children's ministry
- _____ Preschool ministry
- _____ Music ministry
- _____ Arranging a visit in my home
- _____ I would like to receive the newsletter.

Prayer Request

Please list the name and/or any other information you wish to share about your prayer concern and specific needs.

_____ Share with the church body to pray
_____ For pastor / staff only

Your name:

(Please place in the offering plate or hand to usher or staff as you leave.)

Looking ahead this week . . .

Sunday, August 9th

- 8:45 a.m. No worship Service - join us at 11:00
- 9:15 a.m. Vacation Bible School - Fellowship Hall
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School / Orientation
- 11:00 a.m. Joint Worship Service
- 5:00 p.m. College End of Summer Cookout - home of David & Toni Cox
- 6:00 p.m. Grace Tones Ensemble - Sanctuary

Monday, August 10th

- 6:30 p.m. AA Women's Group - W.W., Rm. 1
- 8:00 p.m. AA Co-Ed Group - W.W., Rm. 2

Tuesday, August 11th

- 6:30 p.m. AA Women's Group - W.W., Rm. 2

Wednesday, August 12th

- 6:00 p.m. Church in Conference - Sanctuary
- 6:30 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal - Choir Rm.
- 6:30 p.m. Youth Bible Study - home of Donnie & Jean Moorefield

Friday, August 14th

- 8:00 p.m. AA Group - W.W., Rm. 2

Sunday, August 16th

- 8:45 a.m. Worship
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School / Orientation
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 6:00 p.m. Grace Tones Ensemble - Sanctuary



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Check out the NEW GBC Website!

Our new and improved website is now up and running. If you haven't been to the site lately, go online and check out the new look with many added features.

Also, you'll notice on the site the added feature of our Newsfeed / Blog. Regular contributors are posting articles to highlight what God is doing in the life and ministry of GBC. Here you'll read postings on important upcoming events and how you can be in prayer for those attending; you'll read testimonies of completed mission trips, camps, and other various outings. Many times these articles will feature pictures of these events.

We hope that you'll take the time and skim through. While there are many new highlights to this update, much of the important information you've seen on the previous site is still there.

www.greystonechurch.org

Welcome to Greystone Baptist Church



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11:00 a.m.

Every Member a Minister

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Check Out Our Web Site
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Mission Statement

With Christ as the Cornerstone, we will build a church of living stones, where every member is a minister and is equipped to express God's love by word and deed to all people. Based on 1 Peter 2:5, 6

Team Meetings this week

Aug. 9 - Student Ministry Leadership, 5:00 PM, Youth Bldg.

Aug. 10 - Pay It Forward meeting, 6:30 PM, Breezeway classroom, Youth Bldg.
Personnel Team, 7:00 PM, Books on the Corner

Aug. 11 - Budget Team, 6:00 PM, Parlor
Constitution & Bylaws Team, 6:30 PM, Youth Bldg., Old Choir Room
Deacon Meeting, 7:00 PM, Gathering Room