

## THIS WEEK AT GREYSTONE

### February

28	8:45 am	Morning Worship
	9:45	Sunday School/Orientation
	11:00	Morning Worship
	4:30	<i>No Student Choir</i>
	5:00	Handbells, Choir Room
	5:30	<i>No Youth Dinner &amp; Fellowship</i>
	6:30	Grace Tones Ensemble
29	6:30 pm	AA Women's Group, West Wing Rm. 1 Boy Scouts, Fellowship Hall Cub Scouts, Youth Building
	8:00	AA Co-ed Group, West Wing Rm. 2

### March

1	6:30 pm	AA Women's Group, West Wing Rm. 2
2	5:30 pm	Wednesday Night Live Supper
	6:00	Children - Worship Arts & Music (WAM!)
	6:20	Prayer, Fellowship Hall
	6:30	Taizé Service, Sanctuary
	6:30	Youth will attend Taizé Service
	6:45	Children - Mission Study
	7:15	Adult Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
4	8:00 pm	AA Group, West Wing Rm. 2
5	9:00 am	Women's Retreat

*"Every Member a Minister"*

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BAPTIST CHURCH

CHRIST  
*himself* has  
made  
peace  
between us.

Eph. 2:14

**Sunday, February 28, 2016**

Third Sunday in Lent  
8:45 AM and 11:00 AM Worship

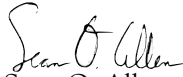
# Welcome

We are so glad that you have joined us for worship this morning and we want you to know that you are always welcome. Regardless of who you are, where you come from, what you do professionally or in your spare time, there is always a place for you here at Greystone.

You can give us a record of your visit by filling out the blue Friendship Pads as they are passed down the pews during the service. This will give us a chance to connect with you and help you learn more about Greystone. You can also ask one of the Ministers or Ushers who will direct you to information about our church or I invite you visit our website: [www.greystonechurch.org](http://www.greystonechurch.org).

Worship Care is available in our preschool area for babies to five-year-olds during both the 8:45 and 11:00 services. If you would like to place your children in Worship Care, please stop by the check-in desk to register and drop off your children. We also have activity bags available for children of all ages. They are located in the basket near the entrance to the Sanctuary.

I hope you find Greystone to be a vibrant, diverse community of faith. Our members come from a wide-range of spiritual backgrounds and life experiences. All of them care deeply for each other and the world around them. At Greystone, we believe “Every Member is a Minister.” I pray your worship with us today leads you further down the path of God’s calling upon your life. Welcome to Greystone Baptist Church!

  
Sean O. Allen

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK

## WEDNESDAY NIGHTS DURING LENT

Community is the focus of our Taizé services during Lent. The reflective service uses prayer and song to help strengthen our sense of community both within the family of faith that is Greystone and outside her walls as well. We look forward to you joining us for these sacred times of worship leading up to Easter. Services begin 6:30 PM in the Sanctuary each Wednesday night during Lent.

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE DINNER – MARCH 2

*Menu for adults:* Pot roast, potatoes, green beans, biscuit, assorted desserts.

*Menu for children:* Pizza, green beans, fruit, brownie. Reservations/cancellations can be made on the church website, [www.greystonechurch.org](http://www.greystonechurch.org), or with the church office by emailing [office@greystonechurch.org](mailto:office@greystonechurch.org) by noon on Monday, February 29<sup>th</sup>.

**HELP NEEDED - SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH.** We continue to welcome leadership for our Sunday Night Youth program. Volunteers are welcome to provide food or serve as small group leaders. Our hope is to have multiple small groups each week so that students can engage in meaningful conversation with their peers. but we are not able to offer small groups without enough leadership. Leaders are asked to be listeners for the students and help facilitate discussion based on that week's topic. Please contact Allan Smith at [allan.smith@greystonechurch.org](mailto:allan.smith@greystonechurch.org) with any questions.

## IT'S TIME TO SIGN UP FOR THE WOMEN'S RETREAT!

Saturday, March 5 - “**Praying in Color**”

Join us for a Women’s Day Retreat! We will meet at the church on Saturday, March 5 at 9:00 AM in the Fellowship hall for coffee and doughnuts. Following this gathering time we will carpool over to the North Carolina Museum of Art to explore the museum with the museum staff. Lunch will be at the museum and catered by IRIS. Don’t miss out. Sign up with Amanda today! Cost for the retreat is \$25 and includes lunch and program materials.

## SPRING PLANTING DAY 2016

Please join us on March 6, 4:00 PM to turn soil and plant vegetables meant for our first spring harvest. We will meet at the raised beds near the Lead Mine parking lot. Bring a trowel/garden spade and high spirits. Bedding plants will be provided. Contact Joanne Thompson with questions at [jtdunnm@aol.com](mailto:jtdunnm@aol.com).

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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)

MUSIC FOR WORSHIP

10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

VERSE 1 - Solo

1. The sun comes up, it's a new day dawn - ing; It's time to sing Your song

a - gain. What - ev - er may pass and what - ev - er lies be - fore me,

let me be sing - ing when the ev - 'ning comes.

CHORUS (1st time: Solo)

Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; Wor-ship His ho - ly name... Sing like

ne-ver be-fore, O my soul; I'll wor-ship Your ho - ly name.

VERSES 2 & 3 - All

2. You're rich in love and You're slow to an - ger. Your name is great and Your

3. And on that day when my strength is fail - ing, the end draws near and my

heart is kind. For all Your good-ness I will keep on sing - ing, \_\_\_\_\_

time has come; Still my soul will sing Your praise un - end - ing, \_\_\_\_\_

(Back to CHORUS)

ten thou-sand rea - sons for my heart to find.

ten thou-sand years and then for - ev - er - more.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Please rise in body or spirit

Third Sunday in Lent  
8:45 & 11:00 AM

PRELUDE “VARIATIONS ON ‘COME, YE SINNERS, POOR AND NEEDY’ ” arr. Martin/Linker  
Tim Hendrix, Organ

WELCOME Amanda Atkin

OPENING SENTENCES ISAIAH 55:6-9

SONG 10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)  
(Music and text printed following the order)  
(Children come forward during this time)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Elizabeth Santana

WORSHIP REFLECTION “GIVE ME JESUS” Spiritual  
Tim Hendrix, Organ

CONFESSING OUR SINS Sean Allen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON EPHESIANS 2:13-14

<sup>13</sup> But now you belong to Christ Jesus. Though you once were far away from God, now you have been brought near to him because of the blood of Christ.

<sup>14</sup> For Christ himself has made peace between us by making us all one people. He has broken down the wall of hostility that used to separate us.

[11:00] ANTHEM “WORDS OF LIFE” arr. Red  
Student Choir

⌄ HYMN NO. 688

SAVIOR, LIKE A SHEPHERD LEAD US

Stanzas 1, 2 and 3

⌄ OFFERTORY PRAYER

Jeb Brookshire

OFFERTORY

“JESUS PAID IT ALL”

arr. Larson

Sue Newton, Piano

⌄ RESPONSE NO. 813

GLORY BE TO THE FATHER

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, Amen.

[11:00] ANTHEM

“TO LOVE OUR GOD”

Adult Choir and Student Choir

Hayes

Where does the wind come from? Where does it go?  
Blowing north and south, how does it know?

The rain flows gently to the sea, yet the sea is never full.  
How can these things be? How can these things be? How can they be?

Humanity works hard to make a name, toiling in the sun yet nothing gained.  
We all return to dust from whence we came. All is empty, all is vain.

To love our God, the reason we live. To love our God, the highest call.  
Nothing satisfies our soul, gives life meaning, makes us whole -  
For this purpose we were made - to love our God!  
The reason that we live is to love our God!

SCRIPTURE READING

LUKE 13:1-9

[8:45] Mike Eller

[11:00] Jillian Brookshire

Leader: May God add understanding to the reading of the lesson.  
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“GOD GIVES US TIME”

Sean Allen

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

Anyone who thinks sitting in church can make you a Christian must think that sitting in a garage will make you a car.

- GARRISON KEILLOR

⌄ SONG NO. 654

CHANGE MY HEART, O GOD

⌄ PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

⌄ SENDING SONG NO. 664

TAKE MY LIFE, LEAD ME, LORD

Here am I, send me Lord; here am I, send me, Lord;  
Make my life useful to Thee.  
Here am I, send me, Lord; Here am I, send me Lord;  
Make my life useful to Thee.

⌄ BENEDICTION

Sean Allen

POSTLUDE

“LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING”

Tim Hendrix, Organ

Johnson

The flowers today are provided by Ken and Dottie Mitchell for the glory of God  
and in honor of their children, Ken Jr. and Carmen.