



Read and Feed Wednesday Dinners was so much fun last year that the Missions Team has decided to commit to another year.

*Read and Feed* partners with local schools to identify children who need reading help. Using modified RV's, volunteers go to these children's neighborhoods in mobile classrooms once a week. Children are fed dinner and work with tutors for an hour in the early evening.

We will work again with the mobile classroom that serves children from Lynn Road Elementary. We are looking for 13 teams (3 or 4 people on a team). Each team would provide dinner two or three times during the school year for 24 children. It is an opportunity to spend two or three afternoons during the upcoming school year working with fellow church members to feed children who often have trouble learning because there is no food in their homes. Meals can be homemade or purchased.

If you need help forming a team, please contact Amanda. Join us on August 28 after the 11:00 AM Worship Service with your team to sign up for dates and learn more.

### Monday Evening Prayers, 6:00 - 7:30 PM

We are opening the church sanctuary for individual prayer on Monday evenings. Feel free to drop in as your schedule allows. A prayer guide will be provided to help guide your time if needed. Greystone's sanctuary is used regularly for corporate worship where hundreds of people come together to pray, but it is also a beautiful place where individual disciples should feel the freedom to rest and reflect in sacred space. We hope you will consider this invitation to come and pray, come and rest, come and simply be in a place dedicated to the experience of God. If you have questions, please contact one of your staff ministers. We would love to talk with you about this opportunity.



### Invitation to Serve!

Just as Jesus multiplied the fish and loaves to feed the multitudes, we are looking to multiply our Wednesday Night Food Service Team and invite you to join us. We plan to have 4 rotating teams of volunteers to serve, clean and support our mealtime ministry. This allows more people to be involved once a month so they also have the opportunity to eat and fellowship the other weeks. If you would like to be a part of a team, contact Amanda Atkin or the church office.

### Upcoming Studies on Wednesday Nights this Fall

Please join us on Wednesday Nights starting in September for a time of prayer and Bible study. Our Pastor will lead a series entitled, "What Do We Believe?" This study will reflect on biblical and theological questions that church members have struggled with through the ages. Bring your Bibles, but most of all bring an open heart ready to explore. Also joining us in September will be Natalie Aho. Natalie has spent over twelve years as a professional in communications and another four years as an educator. She is employed as a communications specialist for Baptist News Global, Alabama Cooperative Baptist Fellowship, and the Center for Healthy Churches. As a minister, writer, mother, wife and friend, she will lead us in a series of conversations about how we listen, watch and read the news as people of faith. Karl Barth once said, "The Pastor and the Faithful . . . still need - according to my old formulation - the Bible and the Newspaper." How do we faithfully balance being informed but not overwhelmed, thoughtful but not provoked, compassionate and not cynical? Come and hear from someone who lives this struggle every day. Consider bringing a friend.



### Welcome to Our New Members



Todd and Elizabeth Worley,  
Lindsay and Michael  
Joined 7/10/16

### August Events at Greystone:

- Aug. 3 - Meet Me At The Movies, 9:30 AM
- Aug. 4-7 - Vacation Bible School
- Aug. 7 - Joint Worship Service, 11:00 PM
- Aug. 13 - Buddy Break, 9:30
- Aug. 28 - Promotion Sunday
- Aug. 28 - Church in Conference, 5:00 PM

### RBA Training Extravaganza 2016

Saturday, August 20  
Forest Hills Baptist Church  
For more information:  
[www.raleighbaptists.org](http://www.raleighbaptists.org)

### Looking Ahead:

September 7, 2016  
Wednesday Night Live resumes

September 11, 2016  
Heritage Sunday  
Anniversary Luncheon  
12:00, Fellowship Hall



### Change to All Teams Meeting

The Leadership Council has decided to not have the All Teams Meeting this year. Each team should use their regular meeting in September to welcome new members, choose a chair and vice chair for the coming year and decide on a regular meeting time. The Budget Team will contact each team regarding budget planning for 2017. There will also be a leadership retreat later this fall. Be on the lookout for future communications from the Leadership Council regarding information needed from your team and the upcoming leadership retreat.

## August Birthdays



- 1 Brad Walker
- 2 Robert Panten, Sue Blow, Scott Naeser, Roby Sawyers
- 3 Amy Davis, Kaleigh Ashurst, Madison Ouzts
- 4 Lynne Hamrick, Michael Hunter, April Walker
- 5 Nancy Walters, Bill Fleming, Sarah Lang
- 6 Wanda Calder, Tiffany Duncan, Austin Wertz, Sutton Heilig
- 7 Annette Smith, David Cox
- 8 Linda McDaniel
- 9 Dale Brock, Ed Crump, Amy Sellers, Erin Meyer
- 10 Judy Harrison, Elizabeth Mueller
- 12 Brenda Milam, Bryant Morton
- 13 Joan Hobson, Todd Lesley, Scott Overby, Margret Gardner, Beth Ammons
- 14 Molly Ann Birth
- 15 Tracy Weekman, Jo Anne Dreitzler
- 16 Joy Tiffany
- 18 Megan Leonard, Julie Cregger
- 19 Debbie Crater, Amy Pendergrass, Kim Poirier
- 20 Sandy Penny
- 21 Skip Pike, Diane White, Georgia Gray
- 22 Brenda Holden, Anjie King, Lindsay Harrelson
- 23 Hudson Burns
- 24 Elaine Hansen, Hunter Hale
- 25 Wilton Moody, Bethany Blueck, Catherine Smith
- 26 Chip Franz, John Vestal, Ashley Potter
- 27 Jud Ammons, Drew King
- 28 Nancy Godwin, Eric Chamblee
- 29 Vivian Adams, Samuel Steiner
- 30 Rob Byrd, Michael Byman, Nicolas Eason
- 31 Jill Pike



### 90+ Birthdays in August

Aug 28.....Nancy Godwin

### 50+ Anniversaries in August

Aug 1 ..... Cecil and Joy Settle  
 Aug 3 ..... Ken and Dottie Mitchell  
 Aug 24. Rick and Mary Fran Perkinson  
 Aug 25 ..... Fred and Barbara McGehee

## Growing Greystone Through Prayer



### Concerns

- Michael Kellogg, Jr., health concerns
- Lisa Tunstall's mother, Rebecca Knowles, health concerns
- Ginny Liverance's sister, Linda, health concerns
- Sylvia Cash, recent surgery
- Joyce Beauchaine, recent surgery
- Kyle Dilday's mother, Jean Dilday, health concerns
- Priscilla Crumpler, health concerns
- Sylvia Goulding, health concerns
- Joan Murphy's cousin, Bill Williams, and friend, Peggy Clark, health concerns
- Andy Hunt's mother, Jo Hunt, health concerns
- Jenna Perry's grandfather, health concerns
- Teresa Dilday's father, John Powell, health concerns
- Sue Blow, health concerns
- Roger Gardner, health concerns
- Cindy Vestal, health concerns
- Sandra Hunt's niece, Anna Grace Huey, health concerns
- Joe LeNoir's mother, Patti LeNoir, health concerns
- Elizabeth Santana's cousin, Allison Thomas, health concerns
- Amanda Thompson, daughter-in-law of Dottie Thompson, health concerns

### Residential / Health Care Facilities

**Cypress (Rosewood):** John Lawrence  
**Rex Nursing Care:** Louise Abernathy, Nancy Godwin  
**Springmoor (SHC):** Vergie Baxley, Mary Evelyn Divers, Martha Eames, Mildred Garrett, Sallie Greene, Pauline Noble, Juanita Register

### Sympathy

- Bill Judd's family on the death of his stepmother, Lottie Judd, 7/23/16
- Albert Meiburg's family on his death, 7/23/16
- Jill Pike's family on the death of her aunt, Goldia Hildreth, 7/20/16
- Joyce Beauchaine's family on the death of her brother, Glenn Hill, 7/10/16.

**On call Minister:** 919-817-8975

## Growing Greystone Through Stewardship (through 6/30/16)



2016 General Fund.....\$989,817.00  
 YTD General Fund needed .....\$494,908.50  
 YTD Operating Receipts .....\$444,497.07  
 YTD Operating Expenses.....\$442,218.41

### Growing Greystone Through Worship

**July 3**

11:00 Worship.....191

**July 10**

8:45 Worship.....71  
 11:00 Worship.....182

**July 17**

8:45 Worship.....73  
 11:00 Worship.....182

**July 24**

8:45 Worship.....70  
 11:00 Worship.....190

### Greystone Dinner Club

Greystone is growing! Perhaps you have noticed a few new faces on Sunday morning. Perhaps you are someone who is new to Greystone and see a lot of unnamed, albeit friendly, faces on Sundays. During September, different members will be hosting dinner parties in their homes. The aim is to make some introductions and enjoy fellowship together. We hope that you will be our guest.

The invitation is for everyone whether you have been at Greystone since 1984 or just started attending in April. In a few weeks we will ask you to sign up for a Saturday night party. We will mix the groups and set the tables. Childcare will be provided at the church. Look for more details in your upcoming worship guides.

### August Solos for Lunch:

This is a lunch fellowship sponsored by the Senior Adult team for any adult who has no spouse or whose spouse is out of town, etc. There is no reservation needed. Meet at the back of the Sanctuary after the 11:00 Sunday service. The August schedule is: 8/7- Chili's, 8/14 - Outback, 8/21 - Imperial Garden, 8/28 - Tomato Pie



Dear Greystone Family,

We are truly overwhelmed by the many acts of kindness and concern shown to us during our recent journey with cancer. The many prayers, cards, calls, meals, flowers, visits and words of encouragement, show how keenly sensitive you have been to our needs. May God bless each of you as we have been blessed to be a part of the Greystone family. With a grateful heart,

Sue and Steve Blow



### Take Note | from the Music Ministries

During these hot and humid summer months, we continue our Adult Choir summer rehearsal schedule of meeting from 6:30 - 7:30 PM on Wednesday nights. Child care is provided. This is a great time to join us by way of "trying out" the choir. Show up on Wednesday nights or contact Mike Eller for more information. There's always a seat for you!

On the tails of participating in the Oasis Worship Conference at Campbell University in the middle of July, where several GBC choir members joined other area choirs in a Hymn Festival reprise, we are taking a relatively relaxing August schedule. As we anticipate the beginning of a new church year in September, mark some key dates on your calendars:

Fall Ensemble Kick-off Dates:

- Adult Choir** - Wednesdays, 7:15 PM
- Worship Arts & Music (WAM!) for Children** - Wednesday, Sept. 7, 6:00 PM
- Student Choir** - Sunday, Sept. 11, 4:30 PM
- Handbell Choir** - Sunday, Sept. 11, 5:30 PM



**Buddy Break News** - We will soon be starting up our monthly Buddy Break respite care on August 13 with our very popular water day! We are looking for more volunteers to help in a variety of ways. We need help with registration, lunches and entertainment as well as being one on one Buddies. Becoming a Buddy is easy and NOT a commitment to every month. If interested or for more information, call Nancy Register at 919-219-1438 or email [buddybreak@greystonechurch.org](mailto:buddybreak@greystonechurch.org).

### We Need a Few Hands to Help!

We are looking for 4 or 5 volunteers. On August 3rd a refugee family of 7 will be moving to Raleigh. All of the items for the apartment have been gathered; we just need folks to set up the apartment: cleaning, assembling beds, putting dishes away, making the beds, etc. If you have a few hours and a jar of Lysol, then we could use your help. Contact Amanda if you are willing and able.

### Stay Connected this Summer

The youth are continuing to meet for Bible study, missions, and fellowship activities during the summer. Look for more information through the normal communication methods or contact Allan for more details.

### College End of Summer Cookout

Come enjoy a night of fellowship before the fall semester begins on Sunday, August 7, 6:00 - 8:00 PM at the home of Annie Hardison-Moody and Will Moody (10300 Tanners Mill Place in Raleigh). Food will be provided.



### Vacation Bible School

Join us for vacation Bible School August 4-7. We will meet from 6:00 - 8:00 PM on Thursday and Friday night and 9:15 - noon on Saturday and Sunday. Register on the church website.



### Sunday School Promotion

August 28 is Promotion Sunday. This is when all children will "move up" to their next class. To celebrate the start of a new year all children (rising kindergarten through rising 6th grade) will meet together in the Fellowship Hall and move from there to their new classrooms. Rising 6th graders will walk with other youth to the youth wing after a quick congratulations from us. Preschoolers will go directly to their new classrooms and enjoy a celebratory snack there.

### Friends Retreat

All children in 3rd - 5th grades are invited to attend our annual Friends Retreat September 16 - 18 at Camp Willow Run in Littleton, NC. Registration is due by August 14. The cost is \$125.00 per participant. Payment can be made in full by August 14 or split into two equal payments due August 14 and September 14.

### End of Summer Pool Party



Join us Sunday, August 21 from 4:00 - 7:00 PM at Lake Park Swim Club on Lakeland Drive in Raleigh. All ages are welcome; bring your whole family and a dish to share. We will eat at 5:00. Let April know if you are coming so we can look for you.



**Youth & College** - link your phone to receive Greystone text blasts: **Youth**: text @youth20 to (919) 336-5052. **College**: To receive text blasts regarding college ministry activities text @gbcc2014 to (919) 336-5052.



### Preschool News

We are excited that another Weekday Preschool year is about to begin. Enrollment is up and several of our classes are full! In preparation, we're sprucing things up a little in the preschool wing. Thank you to all the volunteers who have painted - and will be painting over the next few weeks - in our classrooms and hallway. We also have scheduled to have the floors in this area stripped, cleaned and waxed after VBS is finished.

If you are a Harris Teeter shopper and don't have your VIC card linked to another school, please consider linking your card with our preschool. It's easy to do - just tell the checkout clerk you want to link to us. Our account # is 3080. Last year, we received a check for over \$200 from Harris Teeter. We would love your support in this way.



## 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*

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## Senior Adult Sponsored Trip

We will be visiting and touring the baking kitchens of Southern Supreme Bakery in Bear Creek, N.C on Thursday, August 25, 2016 and drive to Sanford to have lunch at Mrs. Lacy's. Join us for early holiday shopping, good food and fellowship. Sign up on the table in the hallway. Contact Louise Estes, [louise0411@gmail.com](mailto:louise0411@gmail.com) with questions.

I would like to thank my church family for the prayers you've prayed and the notes you've written during the past 3 1/2 years of my mom's illness. She knew many of you personally and appreciated your many expressions of concern and encouragement greatly. My sister, Gail; brother, Louis; and I have been caregivers for our mom, Elsie Nixon for these years. We realize what a blessing we've had to have this time with her. The most difficult part of this role for Gail and me has been to be away from our homes and the involvement in our own churches. At the same time, the love and support from all our churches combined has carried us through a difficult time and made it a wonderful time for Mom and us. The days since her passing have been quite difficult for us. We are so thankful for your expressions of sympathy. There have been cards, emails, visits, donations to our churches, flowers, and the 3hr drive to attend Mom's service. We'll always remember you for being a part of this memorable time of our lives. Blessings to the Greystone Family,  
Anne Pickles and Family

## People in Service

### August 7

**Ushers: 11:00 am:** Bill Baxley, Hunter Ouzts, Kristen Pickles, Charlie Spahr, Donnie Moorefield, Nicole Moorefield

**Worship Care: 11:00 am:** Cheryl Grimes, Missy Brookshire, Darryl & Lisa Tunstall, Ginny Liverance

**Greeters: 11:00 am:** Margaret Hilton, Margaret Thomas

**Deacon of the Week:** Teresa Dilday

### August 14

**Ushers: 8:45 am:** Brad & April Walker, Andrew & Jamie Mabe; **11:00 am:** Jeb, Missy & Jillian Brookshire, Dorwin Lanham, Ken Mitchell, Kemp Sherron

**Worship Care: 8:45 am:** Susan Chamblee, Katie Lindsey, Johnathan & Kim Eshleman; **11:00 am:** Jeannie Miller, Barbara Crabb, John & Kay Meyer, Mary Sherron

**Greeters: 8:45 am:** Joyce Beauchaine, Berno Kleinhans; **11:00 am:** Pat Burris, Mavis Strickland

**Deacon of the Week:** Nell Panten

### August 21

**Ushers: 8:45 am:** Wayne & Cathy Smith, Bob & Nell Panten; **11:00 am:** Heather Choplin, Steve Holden, Pete Cregger, Scott Naeser, Joe & Melissa Langston

**Worship Care: 8:45 am:** Cheryl Muncie, Maria Morton, Katie Eller, Dottie Thompson; **11:00 am:** Liz Nichols, Patsy Chiles, Dustin & Emily Tuttle

**Greeters: 8:45 am:** Bill & Sylvia Goulding; **11:00 am:** Arnold & Sylvia Lawson

**Deacon of the Week:** Carl Dawson

### August 28

**Ushers: 8:45 am:** Luke Andrew, Bill Judd, Tom & Shirley Ditt; **11:00 am:** Kerry Crabb, Dustin & Emily Tuttle, Tom Ogburn, Drew Hunt, Jackson Hollingsworth

**Worship Care: 8:45 am:** Donna Judd, Lisha Stewart, Dave & Lorri Heilig; **11:00 am:** Joy & Bob Millikan, Joanna Perry, Amy & Greyson Davis

**Greeters: 8:45 am:** Bobby & Peggy Hunter; **11:00 am:** Lu-Ann Lesley, Scott Naeser

**Deacon of the Week:** Laura Kanai