

**August**

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| 21 | 8:45 am<br>9:45<br>11:00<br>6:30 pm | Morning Worship<br>Sunday School/Orientation<br>Morning Worship<br>Grace Tones Ensemble |
| 22 | 6:30 pm<br>8:00                     | AA Women's Group, West Wing Rm. 1<br>AA Co-ed Group, West Wing Rm. 2                    |
| 23 | 6:30 pm                             | AA Women's Group, West Wing Rm. 2   |
| 24 | 6:30 pm                             | Adult Choir Rehearsal   |
| 26 | 8:00 pm                             | AA Group, West Wing Rm. 2   |

*"Every Member a Minister"*

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**Sunday, August 21, 2016**

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
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 CONTINUED

**READ AND FEED WEDNESDAY DINNERS SIGN UP, AUGUST 28** - This 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.

**SIGN-UP SUNDAY, AUGUST 28** - Fall is a time at Greystone where we offer new programs, retreats, and opportunities. We hope that you will join us NEXT SUNDAY to make your reservations, put down your deposits (if needed), and sign up for different programs being offered this fall. Different teams from all areas of our church will be at tables outside the sanctuary. You will be able to stop by, get more information, ask questions and sign-up. Come to worship on August 28 and bring a pen. Below is a partial list of sign-ups that will be available:

**Missions:** October Flood Relief Trip in SC; Garden Tending; Cedar Point Tutoring; Read and Feed meals (in Fellowship Hall)

**Fellowship:** Heritage Sunday Lunch; Wednesday Night Dinners; Greystone Dinner Club

**Youth:** Sunday Night Youth Food; Sunday Night Youth Adult Leadership; Wednesday Night Youth Adult Leadership; Sunday School Adult Leadership; Youth Fall Beach Retreat; College Ministry Adult Leadership

**Music:** WAM! (Worship Arts and Music for Children); Student Choir; Adult Choir

**Children:** Worship Care Volunteer; Wednesday Night Missions; Wednesday Night Missions Leaders; Sunday School teachers; Trunk or Treat

**Worship:** Greeters; Ushers

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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)*

The flowers today are given by Jill Pike in honor of Skip Pike and in celebration of his birthday today.

For centuries the Dutch placed Cradle Crosses over the beds of their infant children—that this symbol of the Christian faith might always be a part of the child’s consciousness. Today we hang a Cradle Cross to celebrate the birth of Leyton Elizabeth Daniels. Leyton is the daughter of Brandon and Megan, granddaughter of Jeff and Nancy Register.

### WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

**CARL DAWSON** (919-781-2100, cdawson510@gmail.com) is serving as Deacon of the Week this morning. Carl is married to Lou and they joined in September of 1989.

**ELIZABETH SANTANA** is married to Victor. They joined in August of 1996 and are members of the Life Application class. Elizabeth serves on the Personnel Team.

**TERESA DILDAY** is married to Kyle. They joined in September of 2003 and are members of the Grace Fellowship class. Teresa serves on the Emergency Response Team and is a Deacon.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**RECOGNITION AND APPRECIATION** - Today we recognize Sean and show our appreciation to him in honor of his fifth anniversary as Greystone's Senior Pastor. A presentation is being made in both services this morning by the Personnel Team on behalf of the church.

**END OF SUMMER POOL PARTY, TONIGHT** - Join us 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.

**SENIOR ADULT SPONSORED TRIP, AUGUST 25** - We will be visiting and touring the baking kitchens and the showroom of Southern Supreme Bakery in Bear Creek, N.C., and having lunch in Sanford at Mrs. Lacy's. Join us for early holiday shopping, good food, and fellowship. Signup sheet is in the hallway on the information desk. Contact Louise Estes with questions at [louise0411@gmail.com](mailto:louise0411@gmail.com).

**CHURCH IN CONFERENCE, AUGUST 28** - We will hold a Church in Conference at 5:00 PM in the Sanctuary. Members are encouraged to attend. The agenda and other pertinent items will be available to pick up in the church office as of 8/21/16.

## SERVICE OF WORSHIP

✠ Please rise in body or spirit

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
8:45 and 11:00 AM

### PRELUDE

“WE HAVE COME TO JOIN IN WORSHIP”  
Pam Weis, Organ

arr. Hustad

*We have come to join in worship and adore the Lord our God.  
Let us come in prayer, expecting God to speak His mighty Word.*

### WELCOME

Amanda Atkin

### OPENING SENTENCES

Psalm 103:1-8

Mike Eller

### ✠ CHORUS 161

I WILL SING OF THE MERCIES

### ✠ HYMN 572

BLESSED ASSURANCE  
All Stanzas

ASSURANCE

(Children come forward during the last stanza)

### CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Elizabeth Santana

### WORSHIP REFLECTION

“LEAD ME, LORD”  
Pam Weis, Organ and Steve Rose, Saxophone

S. Wesley

### CALL TO CONFESSION

[8:45] Amanda Atkin  
[11:00] Allan Smith

### RESPONSE 695

LEAD ME, LORD

**Lead me, Lord, lead me in Your righteousness;  
Make Your way plain before my face.**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

We are the children of the sun are we,  
who write in the shadows of the evening,  
who walk in the dark of the night,  
who arise in the light of the dawn,  
who go barefoot in the womb of the world,  
who sow the field,  
who grow the daily bread  
who know the language of the wind,  
who see the rain fall on a parched land  
and on tired faces,  
who plough the furrows of the old,  
who bring bones to bloom,  
who consecrate bread in our flesh,  
who break the chains and discover the way.

- MICHELE NAJILIS (NICARAGUA)

⊕ **HYMN 611**

HE HIDETH MY SOUL  
Stanzas 1, 2 and 3

⊕ **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY**

“ALL NATURE SINGS”  
Pam Weis, Organ

⊕ **RESPONSE 93**

GOD, OUR FATHER, WE ADORE THEE

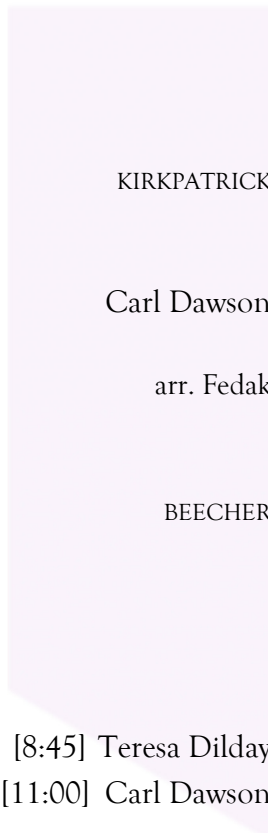
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – Three in One we give Thee praise!  
For the riches we inherit, heart and voice to Thee we raise!  
We adore Thee! We adore Thee! Thee we bless through endless days!  
We adore Thee! We adore Thee! Thee we bless through endless days!

**SCRIPTURE READING**

Luke 13:10-17

Reader: May God add understanding to the reading of the lesson.  
Response: Thanks be to God.

[8:45] Amanda Atkin  
[11:00] Allan Smith



KIRKPATRICK

Carl Dawson

arr. Fedak

BEECHER

[8:45] Teresa Dilday  
[11:00] Carl Dawson

**SERMON**

“SET FREE”

Sean Allen

**DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE**

Anybody can observe the Sabbath, but making it holy surely takes the rest of the week.  
- ALICE WALKER

⊕ **HYMN 293**

PRAISE THE ONE WHO BREAKS THE DARKNESS

NETTLETON

A minister will be at the front during this time to welcome any prayer need or decision you would like to share - whether it is to publicly profess faith in Christ or to join the Greystone church family. Respond as God's Spirit leads.

⊕ **PASSING THE PEACE**

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.  
People: And also with you.

**RECOGNITION OF SERVICE AND MINISTRY - SEAN ALLEN**

**CELEBRATING COMMUNITY**

Sean Allen

⊕ **SENDING SONG**

CHRISTIANS, LET US GO AND SERVE HIM

HOLY MANNA

Christians, let us go and serve Him, serve the One who gives us life.  
Let us serve in love and power, in the name of Jesus Christ.  
Serve in love and serve in wisdom, reaching all we know and see.  
Christians, let us go and serve Him, now and through eternity.

**BENEDICTION**

Sean Allen

**POSTLUDE**

“RECESSIONAL ON ‘TO GOD BE THE GLORY’ ”  
Pam Weis, Organ

arr. Wagner

*Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the earth hear His voice!  
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord! Let the people rejoice!  
O come to the Father through Jesus, the Son,  
And give Him the glory - great things He has done!*