

## July

2	9:30 am 10:00 11:00	Covered Dish Fellowship Breakfast, Fellowship Hall All Church Sunday School, Fellowship Hall Joint Worship Service with Hickory Grove Quartet
3	7:30 am	Children - Depart for Passport Camp
4		<i>Church office closed - Independence Day</i>
5		<i>Church office is open NO Adult Choir Rehearsal</i>
6		Children - Return from Passport Camp

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BAPTIST CHURCH

*“Every Member a Minister”*

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**Sunday, July 2, 2017**

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost  
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 we 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.

We 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.” We pray your worship with us today leads you further down the path of God’s calling upon your life. Welcome to Greystone Baptist Church!

Greystone Staff

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

**THE EDGE CLASS SUMMER SERIES** - The Edge Class invites the adults of Greystone to join us this summer in discussing the Nooma video series by Rob Bell. Each video is about 12 minutes long dealing with challenging current faith issues. Feel free to drop in any Sunday at 9:45 AM. We meet in the corner room across from Books on the Corner.

**THANK YOU** - We would like to thank the Greystone family for all the thoughts, prayers and acts of love shown to our entire family at the loss of my nephew, Josh. We are truly blessed to be part of such a loving church family. I ask that you not only continue to keep us in your prayers but all those suffering with the disease of addiction and that we can find a solution to this senseless epidemic which is taking countless lives and leaving so many other families in grief. Blessings, Michelle and Raymond Byrd.

*(continued on back of prayer list)*

## 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)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GUEST PROCLAIMER, DR. STEVE BOLTON** - On Sunday, July 9 and 16, we will welcome Dr. Steve Bolton as our guest proclaimer. Dr. Bolton and his wife, Karen, retired in 2011 after 41 years of pastoral ministry. While they have served a variety of congregations in Tennessee and North Carolina, the majority of their years have been spent most recently at Hillcrest Baptist Church, Raleigh (13 years) and Oxford Baptist Church, Oxford, N.C. (22 years) Dr. Bolton received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Carson-Newman University (1971), a Master of Divinity from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary (1975), and the Doctor of Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in 1987. In retirement, the couple make their home in north Durham, are active members of Hope Valley Baptist Church.

**FOOD DRIVE** - Greystone's Mission team will be collecting food for Urban Ministries during the month of July. Look for boxes outside the sanctuary for collection. Please help out if you can!  
Collection schedule:

- July 9 - Beans - canned and dry - black, navy, pinto, kidney
- July 16 - Brown instant rice
- July 23 - Whole grain pasta
- July 30 - Scotch tape

**YOUTH SWIM AND STUDY THIS SUMMER** - Youth are again invited to fellowship at the Greystone Swim and Racquet Club on Sunday evenings this summer. Students are welcome to the pool from 5 - 8 PM. There will be a devotional for the group around 7 PM. Swim and Study dates for the summer are July 9, July 23, July 30, and August 6. Please contact Allan Smith at allan.smith@greystonechurch.org with any questions.

**YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT AT FBC CLOTHING CLOSET** - Wednesday, July 12, 9 AM - 1 PM. We will meet in the Sawmill lot of the church at 9 AM to volunteer at the FBC Clothing Closet. Please bring money to stop for lunch on the way back to church.

**AN EVENING WITH DR. BILL WILSON** - Please join us on Monday evening, July 17. We will gather in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 PM for discussion and dessert with Dr. Bill Wilson. He will lead an information session regarding ways we as a church can move through a time of transition and pastoral search. Dr. William “Bill” Wilson is the founder and director of The Center for Healthy Churches (CHC). He previously served as President of the Center for Congregational Health at Wake Forest Baptist Health. He has pastored churches in Georgia, Virginia and South Carolina. He brings over 33 years of local church ministry experience to his work. His work with churches and ministers is marked by a positive and unyielding belief that Christ-centered ministry is fulfilling and relevant. His deepest desire is to encourage churches to discover a vital and vibrant future. He believes that, as difficult as it is to be the church today, there has never been a day when the church was more needed.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

⛏ Please rise in body or spirit

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11:00 AM

PRELUDE

“GOD OF OUR FATHERS”  
Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

Warren

WELCOME AND OPENING SENTENCES

Mike Eller

HICKORY GROVE QUARTET

⛏ HYMN 43

ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS’ NAME  
All Stanzas

CORONATION

*(Children come forward during the last stanza)*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

April Alston

WORSHIP REFLECTION

“LAND OF REST”  
Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

American Folk Melody

HICKORY GROVE QUARTET

⛏ HYMN 52

BLESSED BE THE NAME  
All Stanzas

BLESSED BE THE NAME

⛏ OFFERTORY PRAYER

Paul Hansen

OFFERTORY

Hickory Grove Quartet

⌄ RESPONSE 815	DOXOLOGY	OLD HUNDREDTH
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	Galations 5:13-25	Allan Smith
Reader: May God add understanding to the reading of the lesson. Response: Thanks be to God.		
HOMILY	“CALLED TO FREEDOM”	Amanda Atkin
COMMUNION		
THE BREAD	“ONE BREAD, ONE BODY” Sue Newton, Piano	arr. Raney
THE CUP	“CROSS MEDLEY” Lee Ann Spahr, Organ	Maker, Grape, Stanphill
⌄ PASSING THE PEACE		
Leader: The peace of Christ be with you. People: And also with you.		
⌄ HYMN 435	GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY Stanzas 1, 2 and 4	CWM RHONDDA
<hr/> <i>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.</i> <hr/>		
⌄ CELEBRATING COMMUNITY		Amanda Atkin
SUNG BENEDICTION		Hickory Grove Quartet
(Please consider sharing a “Love Offering” for the Hickory Grove Quartet. Baskets will be available at the back to collect your gift as you leave.)		
POSTLUDE	“FINALE FROM ‘MUSIC FOR THE ROYAL FIREWORKS’ ” Lee Ann Spahr, Organ	Handel; arr. Parks



HICKORY GROVE QUARTET

Joining us today are members of the Hickory Grove Quartet, Brian Dixon (Tenor), Fred Honeycutt (Lead), Gene Stephenson (Baritone), and Randy Parker (Bass). With them is Tim Thompson, their sound technician. The Hickory Grove Quartet was formed around 1990 at Hickory Grove Advent Christian Church near Four Oaks, North Carolina when they began singing in churches and at local events. In the early 1990’s Fred included the quartet in a rest home ministry that he had been involved in for years. Around the twenty-year mark, the quartet felt the Lord calling them to do additional mission work. Their first mission trip was in Marlinton, WV where they worked on construction projects, sang for shut-ins and sang in local prisons. Since that time they have participated in numerous mission efforts. Today they continue to serve God with singing opportunities around the region. We’re blessed to participate in their ministry this morning as we worship together.

The flowers today are provided by Bill and Sylvia Goulding  
in honor of God’s blessing of this country.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

PAUL HANSEN (919-676-2841, paul@etemplatesystem.com) is serving as Deacon of the Week this morning. Paul is married to Elaine. They joined in November of 1999 and are members of the Salt and Light class. Paul also serves on the Weekday Preschool Team.