

9	8:45 am	Worship Service
	9:45	Sunday school
	11:00	Worship Service
	5:00 pm	Youth Swim and Study
11	4:00 pm	College Age Students - Raleigh Room Escapes
12	9:00 am	Youth to FBC Clothing Closet <i>NO Adult Choir Rehearsal</i>
14-22		Arkansas Mission Trip

“Every Member a Minister”

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Sunday, July 9, 2017

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

8:45 & 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.

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

ARCH MCFADYEN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS - Application forms are in the church office and on the church website at <https://greystonechurch.org/?p=2627>. This scholarship is set up to recognize Greystone Baptist Church members who share the same commitments as Arch did to his education, family, God, church, and his community. This annual scholarship will be open to graduating high school seniors, undergraduate, and graduate students enrolled full-time at an accredited U.S. college or university. Deadline to turn in applications to the church office is 4:30 PM, Thursday, July 20, 2017. If you mail your application to the church office, please attention it to Allan Smith.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - August 3 & 4: 6 - 8 PM, August 5 & 6: 9:15 AM -12 noon. Join us for an exciting adventure as we seek to discover God’s fingerprints all around us. God is at work in our lives and in our world each and every day. During Vacation Bible School this summer we will discover just how busy God is. In addition to being part of our children’s programming here at Greystone, VBS is an outreach ministry of our church. It takes all of us working together to make this special week happen. Please consider how you might be a part of VBS leadership this year. We need decorators, crafters, Bible Story leaders, recreation leaders, baby rockers, snack makers, registration helpers and more. Whatever your talent might be, we can use you at VBS this year. You can sign up to be part of this ministry on the church website at this link: <https://greystonechurch.org/?p=2654> or by contacting April Alston, april.alston@greystonechurch.org.

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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)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

COLLEGE AGE STUDENTS AND PARENTS - On Tuesday, July 11, any and all college age students are invited to a time of fellowship in the form of an escape room. Here is a link to their website: <http://www.raleighroomescapes.com/#intro>. We are booked for a private group on Tuesday, July 11 at 4:30 PM. Please arrive to Raleigh Room Escapes at 1500 Brookside Dr. by 4 PM on Tuesday, July 11. Additionally, students can sign the waiver online in advance: <https://escaperoommaster.com/waivers/sign/b13a751fab7f4ac4952bed56c8464cb8>. To make sure we have reserved enough spots, please RSVP to Allan Smith at allan.smith@greystonechurch.org by Monday, July 10. The cost is \$10 per college student, paid to the church (the church will cover any remaining costs). Feel free to bring a friend!

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. Childcare will be available by reservation. Please contact April Alston, april.alston@greystonechurch.org

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

⛏ Please rise in body or spirit

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8:45 & 11:00 AM

PRELUDE

“VARIATIONS ON RESTORATION:
‘I WILL ARISE AND GO TO JESUS’ ”
Tim Hendrix, Organ

arr. G. Martin, J. Linker

WELCOME

April Alston

OPENING SENTENCES

"Come to me," Jesus invites.
We come to you.
"Come to me, if you are tired."
We come to you.
"Come to me, if you carry burdens."
We come to you.
"Come, and discover rest for your souls."

Amanda Atkin

⛏ HYMN

COME AWAY FROM RUSH AND HURRY
All Stanzas
(Children come forward during the last stanza)
**Come away from rush and hurry to the stillness of God's peace;
from our vain ambition's worry, come to Christ to find release.
Come away from noise and clamor, life's demands and frenzied pace;
come to join the people gathered here to seek and find God's face.**
**In the pastures of God's goodness we lie down to rest our soul.
From the waters of God's mercy we drink deeply, are made whole.
At the table of God's presence all the saints are richly fed.
With the oil of God's anointing into service we are led.**
**Come, then, children, with your burdens~life's confusions, fears and pain.
Leave them at the cross of Jesus; take instead his kingdom's reign.
Bring your thirsts, for he will quench them~he alone will satisfy.
All our longings find attainment when to self we gladly die.**

BEACH SPRING

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

WORSHIP REFLECTION “COME TO ME, O WEARY TRAVELER” arr. D. Cherwien
Tim Hendrix, Organ

CELEBRATING MINISTRY – PASSPORTKIDS CAMP

✦ HYMN 572 BLESSED ASSURANCE ASSURANCE
All Stanzas

✦ OFFERTORY PRAYER Jennifer Walker

OFFERTORY “PRECIOUS LORD, TAKE MY HAND” arr. Young
Sandra Hunt, Piano

✦ RESPONSE 813 GLORY BE TO THE FATHER GREATOREX
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.

SCRIPTURE READING Romans 7:15-25a; Matthew 11:28-30 Amanda Atkin
Reader: May God add understanding to the reading of the lesson.
Response: Thanks be to God.

[11:00] ANTHEM “TUNE MY HEART TO SING GOD’S PRAISE!” arr. Larson
Adult Choir

SERMON “REST FOR THE WEARY” Dr. Steve Bolton

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE
Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God.
- CORRIE TEN BOOM

✦ HYMN 617 NEAR TO THE HEART OF GOD McAFEE

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.

[11:00] COMMISSIONING FOR MINISTRY - ARKANSAS TEAM

✦ CELEBRATING COMMUNITY Amanda Atkin

✦ SENDING SONG 572 “BLESSED ASSURANCE”
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long;
This is my story, this is my song,
Praising my Savior all the day long.

✦ BENEDICTION Amanda Atkin

POSTLUDE “OUR GREAT SAVIOR ” arr. J. Payne
Tim Hendrix, Organ

The carnation is placed at the front in honor of Martha Castleberry’s 91st birthday on July 15.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

DR. STEVE BOLTON - We 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.

JENNIFER WALKER (919-870-5034, jenniferpwalker2002@gmail.com) is serving as Deacon of the Week this morning. Jennifer joined in October of 1990 and is married to Brent. They are members of the Insights class and also teach the Pre-K II class.