

September 3

3	8:45 am	Worship Service
	9:45	Sunday School
	11:00	Worship Service
	4:00 pm	Grace Tones Ensemble
4		<i>Church office closed for Labor Day</i>
6	6:00 pm	Called Church in Conference
	7:15	Adult Choir Rehearsal
8	6:00 pm	Herman Shower
9	9:30 am	Buddy Break

Worship Care Providers

Sunday, 9/10/17

David Alston
Trish Boone
Matt and Anna Brawner
Donnie and Jean Moorefield
Eddy and Amy Ng
Pam Ouzts

“Every Member a Minister”

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Sunday, September 3, 2017

Thirteenth 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!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

HERITAGE/ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2017 - Join us at 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall for a covered dish luncheon. Chicken and BBQ will be provided. Please bring your favorite side dish or dessert. Serving utensils will be provided. If you can’t bring a dish, please join us for this fun and delicious time of fellowship. A signup sheet is in the hallway outside the Sanctuary. You may also let the office know, 919-847-1333.

STUDENT MINISTRY KICK-OFF MEETING - There will be a meeting for all students and parents at 5:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, 9/10/17. This will be an opportunity to learn about student ministry programs for the 2017-2018 school year as well as complete Medical and Standards of Behavior forms. Anyone adult interested in learning more about the student ministry program is invited to attend.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS AT GREYSTONE - Reservations are essential: Our Wednesday evening fellowship meal will begin again on September 13. This year we will be using different restaurants and caterers to bring in some very tasty dishes. The caterers will need a firm plate count so we need your reservations. We will accept reservations until Noon on Mondays. You can reserve your meal by filling in a reservation card (located in the Sanctuary pew racks) and placing that card in the offering plates, calling the church office (919-847-1333) or sign up through our church website (www.greystonechurch.org).

Cost: Meals are \$7 per adult and \$4 per child. We are offering a family cap of \$20.

Time: We will start serving dinner at 5:30 PM and continue serving until 6:45 PM. We hope that you will come early if you have children participating in our Wednesday evening programs. If you work late and have to drive through RTP traffic, we hope the new extended serving times will help you. Children’s programs begin at 6 PM. Church prayers are offered at 6:15. Adult studies start at 6:20. Adult choir begins at 7:15.

Menus:

- September 13: Lemon Chicken, mac & cheese, mixed veggies, roll
- September 20: Spaghetti with meat sauce, garden salad, bread
- September 27: Roasted pork loin with raspberry chipotle sauce (on the side), green beans, sweet potatoes, roll

(Announcements are continued on the back of the 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.

The sanctuary flowers today have been placed by Ron and Joanne Thompson in thanks to God for blessing 47 happy years of their marriage.

The carnation is placed at the front in honor of John Diver’s 90th birthday on September 9.

WORSHIP LEADERS TODAY

REVEREND TREY DAVIS - Today we welcome Reverend Trey Davis as our guest proclaimer. Reverend Davis received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English from Davidson College in 2001 and a Master of Divinity degree from the Divinity School at Wake Forest University in 2005. Upon graduating from Wake Forest, he began serving as the minister for youth and college at First Baptist Church in Raleigh. In 2016, he began working on a Doctor of Ministry at Duke University. He is a big fan of minor league baseball, rock music, his wife Jennifer, their daughters Caroline, Audrey, and Lila, and their dogs Holly and Toby.



DONNA TUNSTALL (dtunstall@nc.rr.com, 919-781-0341) is the Deacon of the Week this morning. She is married to Dave. They joined in December of 2004 and are members of the Generations. class. Donna serves on the Weekday Preschool Committee.

LOU DAWSON is married to Carl. They joined in September 1989 and are members of the Life Application class. Lou serves on the Preschool Children’s Ministry Committee, is leader of the Arkansas Mission Team and is active in the music ministry.

MATT BRAWNER is married to Anna. They joined in August of 2008 and are members of the Young Adults class. Matt serves on the Information Technology Committee and the Interim Pastor Search Team.

BOB MILLIKAN is married to Joy. They joined in December of 1995 and are members of the O2KNOHIM class. Bob serves on the Interim Pastor Search Team.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HURRICANE HARVEY RELIEF - The tragedy related to Hurricane Harvey is on our hearts and minds. As an initial response, the Missions Committee is collecting \$25 gift cards to Wal-Mart. These will be sent to Texas to aid in relief efforts. Cards will be collected on Sunday, September 3 through Sunday, September 10 in the hallway outside of the Sanctuary and can also be dropped off in the church office during the work week.

SPECIAL CALLED CHURCH IN CONFERENCE - Greystone members are invited and encouraged to attend a special Called Church in Conference on Wednesday, September 6 at 6:00 PM in the Sanctuary to hear reports and recommendations from the Interim Pastor Search Team and the Diaconate. Printed materials supporting both proposals have been made available in the church office since 8/31/17 and are in the hallway outside the Sanctuary this morning for your review prior to the meeting. Those of you that receive emails from Greystone have already received the documents electronically this past week. Since there will be no Wednesday Night Live programming on the evening of September 6, childcare will be provided for children 5th grade and under.

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

⛪ Please rise in body or spirit
Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:45 & 11:00 AM

PRELUDE
“PRAISE BE TO GOD”
Lee Ann Spahr, Organ
arr. Powers

WELCOME AND OPENING SENTENCES
Mike Eller

⛪ HYMN 63
ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING
Stanzas 1, 2, 3 and 4
LASST UNS ERFREUEN
(Children come forward during the last stanza)

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE
Lou Dawson

WORSHIP REFLECTION
“SWEET HOUR OF PRAYER”
Lee Ann Spahr
Bradbury

[11:00] ANTHEM
“RAIN DOWN ON ME”
Adult Choir
Schram

OLD TESTAMENT READING
Exodus 3:1-15
[8:45] Matt Brawner
[11:00] Bob Millikan

PASTORAL PRAYER
Amanda Atkin

Stanzas 1, 2 and 3



Will you come and fol - low Me if I but call your name?
Will you leave your - self be - hind if I but call your name?
Will you love the "you" you hide if I but call your name?
.....
Lord, Your sum - mons ech - oes true when You but call my name.



Will you go where you don't know and ne - ver be the same?
Will you care for cruel and kind and ne - ver be the same?
Will you quell the fear in - side and ne - ver be the same?
.....
Let me turn and fol - low You and ne - ver be the same.



Will you let My love be shown, will you let My name be known,
Will you risk the hos - tile stare should your life at - tract or scare?
Will you use the faith you've found to re - shape the world a - round
.....
In Your com - pa - ny I'll go where Your love and foot - steps show.



Will you let My life be grown in you and you in Me?
Will you let me an - swer prayer in you and you in Me?
through My sight and touch and sound in you and you in Me?
.....
Thus I'll move and live and grow in You and You in me.

⌄ HYMN 598

WHEREVER HE LEADS, I'LL GO

FALLS CREEK

“Take up thy cross and follow Me,” I heard my Master say:
“I gave My life to ransom thee, surrender your all today.”

Wherever He leads I'll go, wherever He leads I'll go;
I'll follow my Christ who loves me so, wherever He leads I'll go.

It may be thro’ the shadows dim, or o’er the stormy sea,
I take the cross and follow Him, wherever He leadeth me.

⌄ OFFERTORY PRAYER

Donna Tunstall

OFFERTORY

“JESUS LOVES ME”

Vivian Adams, Piano

⌄ RESPONSE 166

PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 16:21-28

Rev. Trey Davis

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

SERMON

“BOTH SIDES, NOW”

Trey Davis

DISCIPLINE OF SILENCE

In seeking truth, you have to get both sides of a story.

- WALTER CRONKITE

⌄ HYMN 664

TAKE MY LIFE, LEAD ME, LORD

LANGLEY

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.

⌄ CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

Amanda Atkin

⌄ SENDING SONG

WILL YOU COME AND FOLLOW ME

(See music and text on hymn graphic – last stanza)

⌄ BENEDICTION

Amanda Atkin

POSTLUDE

“JESUS CALLS US”

Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

Jude