

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost



GREYSTONE
BAPTIST CHURCH
every member a minister.

SUNDAY WORSHIP
JULY 29, 2018

Welcome to Worship

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.

GETTING CONNECTED AT GBC

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. We also invite you to visit our website where you'll learn more about Greystone.

YOUR WHOLE FAMILY IS WELCOME!

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 your children to participate 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.

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Reflection

Sharing our stories and hearing others' stories strengthens our faith, increases our hope, and compels us to move into a hurting world with love.

- Elizabeth Reynolds Turnage,
Learning God's Story of Grace



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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, July 29

8:45 & 11:00 am

At the opening of this hour of worship,
take a moment to prepare your hearts.
*Be sure to sign the Friendship Pad located in
your pews and pass it down the row.*

Prelude

“Prelude in D”
Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

arr. Ryan

Welcome

Amanda Atkin

Celebration of Baptism

Diana Katherine Dew

Allan Smith

✠ Hymn 225

Come, Christians, Join to Sing
All Stanzas

MADRID

Children come forward during the last stanza

Children’s Message

Amanda Atkin

Worship Reflection

“My Tribute”
Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

Crouch

Children will come around and collect pocket change during this time

Reflection of Faith

Donnie Moorefield

✠ Hymn 517

I Will Sing of My Redeemer
All Stanzas

MY REDEEMER

* 8:45 worship service / ** 11:00 worship service

✠ All who are able, are invited to stand

Hearing devices and large-print hymnals are available at the back of the sanctuary.

⌞ Offertory Prayer

Kim Eshleman

Offertory

“Tell Me the Story of Jesus”

arr. Berry

Sandra Hunt, Piano

⌞ Response

God, We See What You Have Given

BEACH SPRING

God, we see what You have given; Signs of grace are everywhere!
All around are gifts from heaven — Gifts enough for all to share.
We are stewards of Your bounty, called to give as we've received;
And Your blessings have been plenty from the day we first believed.

Scripture Reading

Ephesians 4:32

April Alston

Ministry Moment

University Youth Camp

** Anthem

“Serve the Lord with Gladness”

Dilworth

Adult Choir

Reflection of Faith

Jud Ammons (read by Roger Nix)

⌞ Hymn

Come, All Christians, Be Committed

BEACH SPRING

*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.*

Come, all Christians, be committed to the service of the Lord;
Make your lives for Him more fitted, tune your hearts with one accord.
Come into His courts with gladness, each his sacred vows renew,
Turn away from sin and sadness, be transformed with life anew.

God's command to love each other is required of every one;
Showing mercy to another mirrors His redeeming Son.
In compassion He has given of His love that is divine;
On the cross sins were forgiven; Joy and peace now fully thine.

Come in praise and adoration, all who on Christ's name believe;
Worship Him with consecration, grace and love you will receive.
For His grace give Him the glory, for the Spirit and the Word,
And repeat the gospel story till the world His name has heard.

✠ Passing the Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Reflection of Faith

Caralie Brown (read by Jill Pike)

Affirmation of Faith

We believe in one God, known to us as Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer.

We believe that God was in Jesus Christ reconciling the world unto Godself.

We believe that God through the Spirit guides and empowers our lives.

We believe the Bible is the inspired record of God's love for humankind and is our guide for salvation and life.

We believe God created us in God's own image and in that image has made all nations one.

We believe the Church is the body of Christ — one universal fellowship with many local expressions.

We believe that membership is through faith in the salvation of God in Christ.

We believe that the Church is commissioned by God to witness to God's love throughout the world.

Celebrating Community

April Alston

✠ Sung Benediction

This is Our Story, This is Our Song

ASSURANCE

This is our story, this is our song

Praising our Savior all the day long!

This is our story, this is our song

Praising our Savior all the day long!

Postlude

"I Love to Tell the Story"

Fischer

Lee Ann Spahr, Organ

Worship Notes

The flowers today are provided by Brian and Cathy Perkinson in celebration of their 32nd wedding anniversary.

Today's Worship Leaders

Kim Eshleman, Deacon of the Week

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Kim is married to Jonathan. They joined in October of 2011 and are members of the Young Adults class. Kim also teaches the 9th-12th grade Sunday school class and serves on the Media Team.

Donnie Moorefield is married to Jean.

They joined in November of 2005 and are members of the Grace Fellowship class.

Donnie is a Deacon, usher and serves on the Student Ministry Leadership Team.

Roger Nix is married to Genice. They joined in July of 2004 and are members of the Grace Fellowship class.

Jill Pike is married to Skip. She joined in March of 1987 and is a member of the Grace Fellowship class. Jill is a Deacon and serves on the Stewardship Committee.

Prayer List

Health Concerns

- Joan Murphy's friend, Josie Corse
- Dan Nichols
- Tommie Bennett
- Jill Pike's nephew, Brett Ciccone
- Louise Estes' friend, Frank Marshall, and his family
- Cathy Perkinson
- Molly Walker
- Carl Dawson
- Carl Dawson's mother, Lorraine Dawson
- Michelle Byrd's mother, Cynthia Rockwell
- Ramona Taylor's sister, Teresa Jones
- Jack Hughens
- Dottie Thompson's mother, Barbara Polky
- Sue Blow
- Pat Boone's mother, Mary Boone
- Michael-David Rowe's mother, Jill Smith
- Nancy Register's friend, Jonathan McGee
- Jim Burris
- Karen Brewer's sister, Nancy
- Ginny Liverance's friend, Renee Bischoff
- Virginia Creamer's son, Jack Creamer
- Ron Thompson's friend, John Darr
- Dottie Thompson's grandson, Edward Thompson
- Deanna Choplin's friend, Emily Kinlaw

Residential / Health Care Facilities

Sunrise at North Hills: Jean Brown

Springmoor (SHC): Vergie Baxley, Lib Daniels, Sallie Greene, Pauline Noble,

Juanita Register, Greta McMillan

Sympathy

- Family of Teresa Dilday on the death of her father, John Powell, 7/15/18
- Family of Sylvia Goulding on her death, 7/2/18
- Family of Teresa Carraway on the death of her father, William Stewart, 6/29/18

Coming up at Greystone

Proposed Personnel Policy Q & A Opportunity

Representatives of the Personnel Committee will be available in the Gathering Room beginning at 4:00 PM today to receive comments and answer questions on the proposed personnel policy that is being voted on at the Church in Conference.

Church in Conference - There will be a Church in Conference today at 5:00 PM in the Sanctuary. All members are invited and encouraged to attend.

Youth Swim and Study - Youth are invited to fellowship at the Greystone Swim and Racquet Club on Sunday evening, August 5, from 5 - 8 PM. There will be a devotional for the group around 7 PM. Contact Allan Smith with any questions.

Vacation Bible School, 8/2 - 5/2018 - We have more than 80 children signed up for VBS. We are excited to welcome so many little ones to our campus. Here are the ways that you can help:

Bring us your magazines and sales catalogs (anything colorful that we can keep).

Today after worship we will begin setting up for VBS. We could use a hand moving chairs & a few furniture pieces, hanging posters and putting a few set pieces together.

We could use a few volunteers - during the dinner (5:15 - 6:15 PM) on Thursday and Friday to serve as table hosts and sit with kids as they eat dinner, a few more youth to help our "farm hands", and a playground supervisor for Saturday morning, Aug. 4. Decorating and set assembly help is needed July 30 and 31 from 10 AM - 2 PM. Contact April Alston with any questions.

Sunday, August 5 - Grab your overalls and join us down at the farm for a special VBS Sunday morning worship service. Vacation Bible School will begin its final day at 9:15 AM that morning followed by Sunday school at 9:45 AM before the Combined Worship service at 11:00 AM

(there will be no 8:45 service). Wear your comfortable farm attire for a relaxed, down home, country-good time of fellowship and worship, highlighted by a time of communion and worship leadership by our VBS children.

Student Ministry Council - We are accepting applications to serve on the Student Ministry Council for 2018-2019. They are due in the church office by Wed., Aug. 8 in preparation for Student Ministry Council members to attend a planning retreat with the Student Ministry Leadership Committee on Aug. 11. All rising 6 - 12 grade students are invited to apply! Applications were emailed Jul. 19. If you need one, let Allan know.

Time to Register for Friends Retreat - All rising 3rd - 5th graders are invited to attend our annual Friends Retreat, Sept. 14 - 16, 2018, at Camp Willow Run. Our theme this year is *Friends are Good*. We will explore friendships in the Bible. Cost is \$125 per person. Scholarships are available. Deadline to register is Aug. 13. Contact April Alston to sign up.

Buddy Break News - Announcing *Junior Buddies*, ages 10-13, who will work with an adult Buddy or help with crafts, games and activities other than one to one with our VIPs. We will have a special training session for those interested on Sunday, 8/19 from 2-3 PM in the youth building. This is part of a regular training session being held 2 - 4 PM for 14 yrs. and older. Contact Nancy Register, 919-219-1438, buddybreak@greystonechurch.org.

End of Summer Church-wide Pool Party - Join us Aug. 19, 4-7 PM at Lake Park Swim Club, Lakeland Drive in Raleigh. All ages are welcome; bring your whole family and a dish to share. We will eat at 5:00 PM. Drinks will be provided. Let April know if you are coming so we can look for you.

Sunday, Jul. 29

8:45 & 11:00 am	Worship
9:45	Sunday School
4:00 pm	Proposed Personnel Policy Q & A
5:00	Church in Conference

Monday, Jul. 30

6:30 pm	AA Women's Group
8:00	AA Co-ed Group

Tuesday, Jul. 31

9:30 am	Staff meeting
6:30 pm	AA Women's Group

Wednesday, Aug. 1

No Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, Aug. 2

Vacation Bible School
Aug. 2 - 5, 2018

Friday, Aug. 3

8:00 pm	AA Group
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Louise Estes, Donna Judd, Mary Fran Perkinson,
Nancy Register, Steve and Linda Wheeler, Elizabeth Worley

Sunday, August 5

Missy Brookshire, AnaRia Eason, Cheryl Grimes,
Jim and Natalie Herrmann, Ginny Liverance

Our Mission

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