

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost



GREYSTONE
BAPTIST CHURCH
every member a minister.

SUNDAY WORSHIP
AUGUST 19, 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

The grace of God means something like:
Here is your life. You might never have been,
but you are because the party wouldn't have
been complete without you.

- Frederick Buechner

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, August 19

8:45 and 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

“Blessed Jesus, at Your Word”
Pam Weis, Organ

arr. Leatherman

*Blessed Jesus, at Your word
we are gathered all to hear You.
Let our hearts and souls be stirred
now to seek and love and fear You.
By Your gospel pure and holy,
teach us, Lord, to love You solely.*

Welcome

Amanda Atkin

Opening Sentences

Psalm 33:20-22

Mike Eller

Our soul waits for the Lord, who is our help
and shield.

Our hearts are glad, because we trust in God's
holy name.

Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us,
even as we hope in you.

* 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.

Entering in Praise

✠ Chorus 214	He Has Made Me Glad	Brethorst
✠ Hymn 215	When Morning Gilds the Skies Stanzas 1, 2 and 4	LAUDES DOMINI

Children come forward during the last stanza

Children's Message	April Alston
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Worship Reflection	"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" Pam Weis, Organ	Mason
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Scripture Reading	Hebrews 11:1-7	Allan Smith
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Pastoral Prayer

✠ Hymn 348	My Savior's Love (I Stand Amazed in the Presence) Stanzas 1, 2, 4 and 5	MY SAVIOR'S LOVE
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✠ Offertory Prayer	Julia Glover
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Offertory	"His Eye is On the Sparrow" Sue Newton, Piano	arr. Hughes
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✠ Response	Creator God, Creating Still	ST. ANNE
Great Trinity, for this new day we need Your presence still. Create, redeem, sustain us now to do Your work and will. Amen.		

Scripture Reading	Micah 6:6-8	April Alston
Reader: The Word of God for the people of God. People: Thanks be to God.		

**Choral Offertory	"We Are Called" Adult Choir	Haas; arr. Hayes
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Discipline of Silence

Take a moment to hear what the Spirit may be speaking to you.

✠ Hymn 682

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

CWM RHONDDA

*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

O Worship the King

LYONS

Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail.
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end!
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!

✠ Benediction

Barry Jones

Postlude

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

arr. Evanovich

Pam Weis, Organ

Worship Notes

The flowers today are provided by Rick and Mary Fran Perkinson in memory of Roy. L. Carver, 8/26/1915 - 7/30/1996, in celebration of their 55th wedding anniversary, and in appreciation of the faithful ministry and leadership of the church staff.

Today's Worship Leaders

Dr. Barry Jones

Barry Jones is Professor of Old Testament and Hebrew at Campbell University Divinity School, where he has taught since 2000. A native of Franklin County, North Carolina, he is a graduate of Campbell University and earned the Ph.D. in Hebrew Bible and Semitic Studies from Duke University. He previously served as pastor of Park View Baptist Church in Durham and as a professor at Mars Hill

University in Mars Hill, North Carolina. His hobbies include cycling, jogging (he likes to call it running), and reading. He and his wife Beth live in Raleigh. They have two adult children, Claire and Nate.

Julia Glover, Deacon of the Week

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Julia is married to Johnny. They joined in April of 2004 and are members of the Grace Fellowship class. Julia serves on the Worship Ministry Committee.

Prayer List

Hospital/Rehab

- Gwen Baine, Rex
- Vercie Eller, Rex Rehab

Health Concerns

- Deanna Choplin's newborn cousin, Lottie
- 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

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 Brad Ouzts on the death of his sister, Jana Ouzts Smith, 7/31/18

- Carl Dawson's mother, Lorraine Dawson
- Michelle Byrd's mother, Cynthia Rockwell
- Ramona Taylor's sister, Teresa Jones
- Jack Hughes
- 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

Coming up at Greystone

Buddy Break News - We will have a special training session for Junior Buddies (ages 10-13) today from 2-3 PM in the youth building as part of the regular Buddy Training scheduled for 2 - 4 PM for those 14 yrs. and older. Contact Nancy Register, buddybreak@greystonechurch.org.

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

Youth to Adventure Landing - We will meet in the Sawmill lot at 2:00 PM on Saturday, Aug. 25 to carpool to Adventure Landing for an afternoon of go-carts, laser tag, putt putt and arcade games. Cost is \$15.00 per student and can be paid to Allan on that day prior to departing or anytime before. We will return to the Sawmill lot by 5:00 PM. We will be welcoming the rising 6th graders to the youth group at this event. This is also a great opportunity to invite friends to join us.

All Committees/Teams Meeting - 4:00 PM, Sun., Aug. 26. If you are a current committee or team member, the 2017-2018 chair, or are just interested in being a part of the work of our committees and teams, please plan on joining us. We will be giving guidance and getting organized to start our 2018-2019 church year off well. If you need child care for this time, contact April Alston.

Wednesday Night Live Kicks off Sept. 5 - Mark your calendars and stay tuned for information about menus, study topics and schedules.

Heritage/Anniversary Sunday - Join us on Sunday, Sept. 9, 2018 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 time of fellowship. A sign-up sheet is in the adult Sunday school classes, in the hallway outside the Sanctuary and in the church office (or you may sign up emailing the church office at office@greystonechurch.org).

Friends Retreat - Rising 3rd - 5th graders are invited to our annual Friends Retreat, Sept. 14-16, 2018, at Camp Willow Run. Our theme this year is *Friends are Good* and we will explore friendships in the Bible. Cost is \$125 per person. Scholarships are available. If you haven't signed up yet, see April Alston today.

Save the Date - Community Bike Rodeo and Truck Crawl September 22, 10:00-2:00 in the church parking lot. Contact Jerry Chiles, jerrychiles1@gmail.com for more information.

Directory updates - If you have a change of address, email or phone number and have not given this information to the church office, please do so before the end of August so it will be correct in the updated directory.

School Spirit Sunday - Promotion Sunday, Aug. 26 is also School Spirit Sunday at Greystone. It's time to celebrate your school by wearing a school t-shirt or school colors of the school you attend now or one you attended in the past! Show your school spirit! Adults, celebrate your Alma Mater by wearing your school colors too!

Sunday, Aug. 19

8:45 & 11:00 am	Worship Service
9:45	Sunday School
2:00 pm	Buddy Break Training
4:00	End of Summer Church-wide Pool Party

Monday, Aug. 20

6:30 pm	Weekday Preschool Committee meeting
	AA Women's Group
8:00	AA Co-ed Group

Tuesday, Aug. 21

9:30 am	Staff meeting
6:30 pm	Deacon Meeting
	AA Women's Group
7:00	Pastor Search Team meeting
	Senior Adult Team meeting

Wednesday, Aug. 22

6:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal
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Thursday, Aug. 23

7:00 pm	Pastor Search Team meeting
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Friday, Aug. 24

8:00 am	Senior Adult Sponsored Trip
8:00 pm	AA Group

Saturday, Aug. 25

2:00 pm	Youth to Adventure Landing
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Child Care Helpers

Today

Patsy Chiles, Katie Eller, Gayla Hollingsworth, Maria Morton,
Cheryl Muncie, Dustin & Emily Tuttle

Sunday, August 26

Greyson & Amy Davis, Joy Croom Griffin,
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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