Second Sunday after the Epiphany





Sunday Worship January 20, 2019

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.

Reflection

"The Christian life is not just about how I am doing as an individual, but especially about how we are doing as a church, and how and what am I doing in that mix of others called the church. God has designed the church – and this is the heart of Paul's mission – to be a fellowship of difference and differents."

"Some look at the early church as if it's wearing a Mona Lisa smile and think those early chapters in Acts describe a failed experiment in communal living. But Acts is not describing a golden age when everything was perfect; rather, it was describing how those early Christians, drenched as they were with the Holy Spirit and feeling the glow of their new lives at work, learned to live with one another in *fellowship*. All they wanted was for the We to be bigger than Me."

> - Scot McKnight, A Fellowship of Differents

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, January 20		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	"Lord, I Lift Your Name On High" Pam Weis, Organ	arr. Wagner
Welcome		Chrissy Tatum Williamson
Opening Sentences	Isaiah 62:1-3	Tim Hendrix
\ Hymn 403	Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation All Stanzas	REGENT SQUARE
	Children come forward during the last stanza	
Children's Message		Elizabeth Santana
*Worship Reflection	"We Will Glorify" Pam Weis, Organ	arr. Allen
**Choral Praise	"With Songs of Rejoicing" Adult Choir	Bach; arr. Hopson
Scripture Reading Reader: The Word Response: Thanks		April Alston
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Pastoral Prayer

*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.

♥ Hymn 139	Great Is Thy Faithfulness All Stanzas	FAITHFULNESS		
Offertory Prayer		John Vestal		
Offertory	"How Beautiful" Sue Newton, Piano	Paris; arr. Keveren		
🕈 Response 815	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	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 Reader: The Wo Response: Than	1 Corinthians 12:1-11 rd of God for the people of God. ks be to God.	Allan Smith		
Sermon	"A Church of the Differently Gifted"	Chrissy Tatum Williamson		
Discipline of Silence Take a moment to hear what the Spirit may be speaking to you.				
Reflection and Respor	ise			
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.				
♦ Hymn 597	Take My Life and Let It Be Stanza 1	HENDON		
 Passing the Peace Leader: The peace of Christ be with you. People: And also with you. 				

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Sending Song 415	We Are Called to Be God's People	AUSTRIAN HYMN
We are called to be G One in heart and one Let us show how He h Let us share our life to		
Benediction		Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Postlude

"Spirit of the Living God" Pam Weis, Organ

arr. Jordan

Worship Notes

The flowers today are provided by The Edge Sunday School Class in appreciation of all the work of our ministerial staff during the interim period.

The two carnations placed at the front today are in honor of Jack Hughen's 92nd birthday on January 22, and in honor of Helen Tugwell's 92nd birthday on January 24.

Worship Leaders

John Vestal, Deacon of the Week

(john.c.vestal@mailzone.com, 919-529-4765) John joined in January of 2002 and serves as chair of the Deacon Nominating Committee and the Information Technology Committee. **Tim Hendrix** joined in March of 2003 and is a member of The Edge Sunday School class. Tim serves on the Nominating Committee, the Music Ministry Team and is the director of the Grace Tones Ensemble.

Elizabeth Santana is married to Victor. They joined in August of 1996 and are members of the Life Application class.

Prayer List

- Brad Ouzts
- Joan Murphy's cousin, Mike Roberts and his wife Becky
- Joan Murphy's daughter-in-law, Karey
- Debbie Reynolds' niece, Sabrina Rabil
- Barbara McGehee
- Susan Burnette's friend, Wes Procner
- Susan Burnette's friend, Molly Stevens
- Hazel Perdue
- Ginny Liverance's friend, Rosemary
- Ginny Liverance's friend, Renee Bischoff
- Joe LeNoir's brother, Bryan LeNoir
- Ron Thompson's friend, John Darr

Residential / Health Care Facilities

Sunrise at North Hills: Jean Brown Springmoor (SHC): Vergie Baxley, Lib Daniels, Becky Dean, Sallie Greene, Pauline Noble, Juanita Register, Greta McMillan

Updated Prayer Requests - Greystone is a community of friends who believe in the power of prayer. We hope that you will provide updates to the concerns you have previously shared with us and continue to inform us of ways that we can prayerfully support you and those close to you. We are hoping to create a living document and will be working to keep this list vital and current by updating it every month. Any request that you submit will remain on the prayer list for a month. After a month we hope that you will offer an update and advise if this is still an ongoing need. We are humbled and grateful for the ability to come alongside you in your distress and in your joy to offer prayers to our loving, creative and merciful God.

Coming up at Greystone

Leadership Council Meeting - The January meeting will be today in the Fellowship Hall after the 11:00 worship service. Attendees may bring their lunch.

Wednesday Nights in January - "Making Room for the Spirit" - In a new year we have a chance to develop and grow in certain areas of our lives that might have been a bit overlooked in the previous year. It's time to perhaps go a bit deeper into the things that can bring joy and hope and healing to life. Certain practices can help us be more aware of God's movement and presence in our lives and our times. These exercises can help us to consciously develop and deepen the spiritual dimension of our lives. In January we will spend time reading the Bible not for information but to listen for God's word for us. Join us for this time of reflection, reading and prayer as we discover God's grace in this winter season.

Crock Pot Cook-off and Kids Dessert Contest

This Saturday, January 26, 5:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall we will hold our 3rd annual Crock Pot Cook-off. We want your best crock pot dish, be it pot roast, mac-n-cheese, soup, stew or chili, we want to taste it. Kids, put on your apron and your chef's hat and make a yummy dessert. We can't wait to taste all the goodies. We have had entries of everything from rainbow jello to cakes, pies and eclairs. Be creative and have fun! Sign-up sheets for each will be in the hallway and on Sunday School clipboards. Contact April Alston with any questions.

High School Overnight - February 2-3 - All high school students are invited to an overnight at the Moorefield's house on Holden Beach. We will leave on the morning of February 2 and return early in the afternoon of February 3. Cost is \$20. Please also complete the permission form. Please sign up no later than Wednesday, January 30, so that any necessary arrangements can be made. Contact Allan Smith with any questions. Youth Winter Mountain Retreat - All 6th-12th grade students are invited to a weekend of fellowship, recreation, and worship at Mt. Shepherd Retreat Center in Asheboro, NC, March 1 - 3, 2019. The theme of the retreat is *Think Small* based on Luke 17:6 – The Lord replied, "If you had faith the size of a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Be uprooted and planted in the sea,' and it would obey you".

Cost of the retreat is \$125, and an early bird discount is available if permission forms and money are turned in by Monday, February 11, making the cost \$100. Scholarships are available. Please contact Allan Smith, with any questions at allan.smith@greystonechurch.org.

Passport Camp - Summer 2019 - Can you believe it's already time to start planning for the summer? Join us for Passport Camp June 30 - July 3 at Montreat. This is a camp for 3rd - 5th graders and is a favorite of all who have attended. Registration is going on now. Please let April know if you are interested in attending this year. Save your spot with a \$75 deposit by February 15. Tuition for Passport is \$325 total but we will be working on fundraisers to decrease that cost. Scholarships are available.

Inclement weather - In the event of inclement weather, go to WRAL, WTVD or the church website for cancellations and/or closings.

Flowers for the Sanctuary

The 2019 Flower Calendar is posted in the hallway by the information table. If you would like to donate Sanctuary flowers for a Sunday service, write your first and last name next to the date you want. Arrangements start around \$65.00 and North Raleigh Florist provides free delivery but you are welcome to use your own florist and arrange for delivery if that is a better option for you.

This Week @GBC

Sunday, Jan. 20 8:45 & 11:00 am 9:45	Morning Worship Sunday School	Chrissy Tatum Williamson
12:00 pm 4:00 5:00 6:00	Leadership Council meeting Grace Tones Ensemble rehearsal Student Choir rehearsal Youth Dinner & Fellowship	SENIOR PASTOR chrissy.williamson@greystonechurch.org
Monday, Jan. 21 1:00 pm 6:00 6:30	Church office closed Sports Physicals and Adult Health Screening Clinic, Cedar Point Finance Committee meeting Missions Committee meeting	April Alston Assoc. Minister of Children/Preschooi april.alston@greystonechurch.org
8:00	Weekday Preschool Committee meeting AA Women's Group AA Co-ed Group	Amanda Atkin Assoc. Minister of Faith Formation amanda.atkin@greystonechurch.org
Tuesday, Jan. 22 6:30 pm	Nominating Committee meeting AA Women's Group	Mike Eller
Wednesday, Jan. 23 5:30 pm 6:00 6:15	Wednesday Night Live Dinner Children's Worship Arts & Music (WAM!) Prayer & Adult Study	ASSOC. MINISTER OF MUSIC mike.eller@greystonechurch.org
6:45 7:15	Youth Selah Children - Mission Study Adult Choir Rehearsal	Allan Smith Assoc. Minister of Students allan.smith@greystonechurch.org
Thursday, Jan. 24 7:00 pm	Information Technology Committee meeting Chadwick Annual HOA meeting	Pam Phillips Weekday Preschool Director
Friday, Jan. 25 8:00 pm	AA Group	weekdaypreschool@greystonechurch.org
Saturday, Jan. 26 5:30 pm	Crock Pot Cook-off / Dessert Contest	Steve Rose Property Manager

Child Care Helpers

Today - Eddy & Amy Ng, David Alston, Susan Burnette, AnaRita Eason, John Clark, Suzanne Best, Eileen Trawick

January 27 - John & Kay Meyer, Brent & Jennifer Walker, James & Shyla Tatum



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

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