

# Epiphany Sunday



**GREYSTONE**  
BAPTIST CHURCH

*every member a minister.*

SUNDAY WORSHIP  
JANUARY 6, 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.

## CONNECT WITH US



on facebook



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## Reflection

The only true gift is a portion of yourself.

-Ralph Waldo Emerson

<sup>1</sup>In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. <sup>2</sup>He was in the beginning with God. <sup>10</sup>He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. <sup>11</sup>He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him. <sup>12</sup>But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, <sup>13</sup>who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God. <sup>14</sup>And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

- John 1:1-2, 10-14

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# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Sunday, January 6

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

“What Is This Lovely Fragrance?”

arr. A. Lovelace

Patty Pace, Organ

## Welcome and Opening Sentences

from John 1

Mike Eller

## ✠ Hymn 290

As with Gladness Men of Old

DIX

All Stanzas

*Children come forward on the final stanza*

## Children’s Message

Kay Meyer

## Chorus

He Came Down

Traditional Cameroon



He	came down that we may have	love;	he	came down that we may have	love;
He	came down that we may have	peace;	he	came down that we may have	peace;
He	came down that we may have	light;	he	came down that we may have	light;
He	came down that we may have	life;	he	came down that we may have	life;



he	came down that we may have	love;			
he	came down that we may have	peace;	hal-le	- lu - jah	for-ev - er - more.
he	came down that we may have	light;			
he	came down that we may have	life;			

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\*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.

**Scripture Reading**

Isaiah 60:1-6

April Alston

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

**Pastoral Prayer**

✠ Hymn

God, Your Gift of Peace is Precious

CWM RHONDDA

*See music and text on the page following the order*

✠ Offertory Prayer

Dustin Tuttle

\*Offertory

“In the Bleak Midwinter”

Rossetti, Holst

Cynthia Griesedieck, Piano

\*\*Choral Offertory

“Behold That Star”

arr. Hayes

Adult Choir

✠ Response 281

What Child is This?

GREENSLEEVES

So bring Him incense, gold, and myrrh;

Come, peasant, king to own Him.

The King of kings salvation brings;

Let loving hearts enthrone Him.

This, this is Christ, the King,

Whom shepherds guard and angels sing.

Haste, haste to bring Him laud,

The Babe, the son of Mary!

✠ Scripture Reading

Matthew 2:1-12

Mike Eller

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

Response: Thanks be to God.

**Call to the Table**

Amanda Atkin

**Communion**

Music during communion by Cynthia Griesedieck, Piano and Patty Pace, Organ

*Gluten-free bread is available at the back of the Sanctuary.*

## ✠ Passing the Peace

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

## Receiving the Gifts of God and Community

## ✠ Celebrating Community

Amanda Atkin

## ✠ Sending Song 288

We Three Kings

KINGS OF ORIENT

Glorious now behold Him arise, King and God and Sacrifice;

Alleluia, alleluia! Earth to heav'n replies.

O star of wonder, star of night, star with royal beauty bright,

Westward leading, still proceeding, guide us to thy perfect light.

## ✠ Benediction

Amanda Atkin

## Postlude

“Concerto in D Minor after Vivaldi”

J.S. Bach

Patty Pace, Organ

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## Worship Leaders

### Dustin Tuttle, Deacon of the Week

(dustin.tuttle@gmail.com, 336-480-1931)

Dustin joined in August of 2010. He is married to Emily and they are members of the Young Adults class. Dustin serves on the Outreach Committee and as an Usher.

### Patty Pace is our guest organist this

morning. She has served as organist for several congregations in Raleigh for over the past 30 years. Patty's day job is as a mental health counselor at Kelley Counseling and Wellness in Cary, NC. Patty has earned a

Master of Music, a Master of Divinity, and a Masters in Mental Health counseling. She is really looking forward to meeting the Greystone congregation.

**Kay Meyer** is married to John. They joined in February of 1996 and are members of the Salt and Light class. Kay serves on the Worship Care Committee.

# Music for Worship

## God, Your Gift of Peace is Precious

CWM RHONDDA

1. God, your gift of peace is pre-cious in this world of sin and  
2. Je - sus, you are God's ex - am - ple in the life on earth you  
3. So we pray and work to - geth - er toward a world of your sha -

loss: You have giv - en joy and glad - ness, mak - ing peace through  
lived. Help us see your face in oth - ers, teach us free - ly  
lom. May all peo - ple share your boun - ty, and all have both

Je - sus' cross. God, in love you came to save us,  
to for - give. When, in all your child - ren's con - flicts,  
feast and home. Wolf and lamb shall feed to - geth - er:

giv - ing free-dom from our sin- In you, gifts of peace be - gin.  
hate and viol - ence in-crease- Blest are those who work for peace.  
In your King-dom war shall cease, And your peo - ple live in peace.

Text: Carolyn Winfrey Gillette



# Coming up at Greystone

## 30 Days of Prayer

As we prepare to welcome Pastor Chrissy Tatum Williamson and her family to Greystone, we ask that you continue a season of 30 days of prayer with us. We will pray together for Pastor Chrissy, her family, and for Greystone from December 15th until her first Sunday preaching, January 13th, in order to prepare our hearts and minds to be attuned to God's will for Greystone. The devotional guide is on our website.

## Wednesday Nights in January

On January 9 we will be gathering together for a "Get to Know You" session with our new pastor, Chrissy Tatum Williamson. Come and share! We will be asking her to reveal a few of her favorites and hope you will come and offer a few insights into life at Greystone and in North Raleigh.

January 16, 23 and 30: "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.

## Lumberton Disaster Relief

Thank you to those who traveled to Lumberton on December 8. We discovered there is much left to do. We have scheduled our next trip for January 10-12. This means you can go for three days, two days, or just one day. No experience

necessary. If you can share a day (or two, or three) to help a family in need, please contact Jerry Chiles, [jerrychiles1@gmail.com](mailto:jerrychiles1@gmail.com).

## Crock Pot Cook-off and Kids Dessert Contest

On 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. Sign-up sheets will be in the hallway and on Sunday School clipboards. Contact April Alston with any questions.

## Christmas Eve Offering

Thanks to your generosity, this year's Christmas Eve offering for *Read and Feed*, totaled \$2,480.80. In conjunction with Wake County schools, this local charity provides an after-school literacy program that provides meals, tutoring and books to children from low-income families in Wake County. Thank you for making this wonderful donation to such a worthy cause possible.

## 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.

## Inclement weather

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

Sunday, Jan. 6

8:45 & 11:00 am Morning Worship  
9:45 Sunday School

Monday, Jan. 7

6:30 pm AA Women's Group  
7:00 Outreach Committee meeting  
7:00 Student Ministry Leadership Comm. mtg.  
8:00 AA Co-ed Group

Tuesday, Jan. 8

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

Wednesday, Jan. 9

5:30 pm Wednesday Night Live Dinner  
6:00 Children's Worship Arts & Music (WAM!)  
6:15 Prayer & Adult Study  
Youth *Selah*  
6:45 Children - Mission Study  
7:15 Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, Jan. 10

7:00 am Lumberton Disaster Relief  
(Jan. 10, 11 & 12)

Friday, Jan. 11

8:00 pm AA Group

Saturday, Jan. 12

9:30 am Buddy Break

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## Child Care Helpers

Today - Brian & Lilian Grant, David Ammons,  
Andy & Sandra Hunt, Johnny Glover, Kim Craig

January 13 - Katie Lindsey, Matt & Anna Brawner,  
Donnie & Jean Moorefield, Pam Ouzts

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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