



GREYSTONE
BAPTIST CHURCH

every member a minister

SUNDAY WORSHIP
MARCH 1, 2020

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 tradition teaches that these temptations stand for pride, power, and possession,' And all of the sudden my soul - not my mind, but my soul - said 'Aha!' as a puzzle piece clicked into place. I didn't know much about Jesus, the devil, or that desert, but I knew pride. I knew the desire for power; I knew the wish for possessions. I was familiar with all of them, from painful experience... All of a sudden the story wasn't about Jesus; it was about me, too. And not just me; it was about all humanity."

- Nurya Love Parish, *The Christian Century*, "Living by the Word" Feb. 15, 2017.
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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT

Sunday, March 1

8:45 & 11:00 am

As we gather, take a moment to prepare your hearts for worship.

Prelude

“Abide with Me”

Tim Hendrix, Piano

Call To Worship

“Come to Jesus”

arr. Mark Hayes

(8:45) Elizabeth Worley, with Tim Hendrix, Piano
(11:00) Adult Choir with Tim Hendrix, Piano

Welcome

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Opening Hymn 295

Tell Me the Story of Jesus

STORY OF JESUS

All Stanzas

Prayer of Confession

April Alston

Assurance of Pardon

Musical Reflection 302

“Lamb of God”

LAMB OF GOD

Sandra Hunt, Piano

Children come forward during musical reflection.

Children’s Message

April Alston

Offertory Hymn

As We Gather at Your Table

NETTLETON

As we gather at your Table, as we listen to your Word,
Help us know, O God, your presence: let our hearts and minds be stirred.
Nourish us with sacred story till we claim it as our own;
Teach us through this holy banquet how to make Love's vict'ry known.
Turn our worship into witness in the sacrament of life;
Send us forth to love and serve you, bringing peace where there is strife.
Give us, Christ, your great compassion to forgive as you forgave;
May we still behold your image in the world you died to save.
Gracious Spirit, help us summon other guests to share that feast
Where triumphant Love will welcome those who had been last and least.
There no more will envy blind us nor will pride our peace destroy,
As we join with saints and angels to repeat the sounding joy.

Words by Robert Robinson; adapted by Margaret Clarkson.

Offertory

"Precious Lord Take My Hand"

arr. Ovid Young

Sandra Hunt, Piano

Doxology 429 (11:00)

They'll Know We Are Christians

ST. BRENDAN'S

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come.
And all praise to Christ Jesus, His only Son.
And all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one.
And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love.
Yes, they'll know we are Christians by our love.

Public Domain

Prayer of Dedication

Julia Glover

Scripture Reading

Matthew 4:1-11

(8:45) Ron Thompson
(11:00) Ramona Taylor

One: The Word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

"FOMO: Fear of Missing Out"

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Call to the Table

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Communion

Music during communion is provided by our accompanists.

Passing of the Peace

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

One: The peace of Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Hymn of Response 638

I Need Thee Every Hour

NEED

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.

Celebrating Community

Amanda Atkin

Benediction

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Postlude

“Postlude on ‘Webb’”

arr. J. Payne

Tim Hendrix, Organ

Worship Notes

The flowers today are given by Annie Hardison-Moody, Will, Sophie, and Lilly Moody with love and thanks for the friends and family they find at Greystone.

Worship Leaders

Julia Glover, Deacon of the Week

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Julia joined in April 2004 and is a member of the Grace Fellowship class. Julia serves on the Fellowship Team and the Worship Care Committee.

Ron Thompson joined in November 2008 and is a member of The Edge class. Ron serves on the Nominating Committee, the Usher Team and as Vice Moderator for the church.

Ramona Taylor joined in June 2005, is a member of The Edge class and also helps in the Babies class. She is a member of the Grace Tones and the Adult Choir.

Kindness Starts Here



Kindness Challenges for March: Kindness in our Families

We hope that you will consider taking on a challenge or two this month as we consider Kindness in our Families. As you complete a challenge (one of these or one of your own) don't forget to turn in a wooden heart in the collection plates during worship.

- Send a post card to a distant relative
- Don't work at home, after hours

Kindness Dinner Groups: As part of the Kindness Starts Here campaign, deacons are offering to host dinner groups (at restaurants or in homes) around the monthly themes of the kindness campaign. If you'd like to sign up to participate in a dinner group (dates, locations will be decided based on group members' schedules), please contact the church office at office@greystonechurch.org or sign up in the foyer outside the sanctuary.

Kindness Starts Here on Super Tuesday: 2020 is a year of Kindness for us as we consider how to infuse our lives with intentional acts of kindness. This month we have a unique opportunity to share our message of kindness with as many as 400 of our neighbors who will be on our campus to participate in the election primaries. On March 3, we will welcome voters to our campus with refreshment tables and a wooden heart, representing our kindness campaign. The polls are open from 7am until 7pm and we hope to be at our tables welcoming our neighbors throughout that 12-hour time. If you would like to staff one of our "Kindness" tables or if you'd like to bake cookies that we could give away to our neighbors, email Pastor Chrissy (chrissy.williamson@greystonechurch.org).



J. Dana Trent
Lenten Study Leader and Guest Proclaimer
March 4, 8, 11 and 18

This Lenten season we will consider the call to faith in a world teeming with fear. In the midst of everything that threatens to undo us, how can we thoughtfully and carefully build habits and spiritual practices that will draw us deeper into faith? Reverend J. Dana Trent will lead a series of Wednesday nights that encourage and enlighten us in this critical task, and she will be our guest proclaimer for worship on March 8. We will be working through her book, “One Breath at a Time”. Join us for this time of learning and spiritual development as we journey through this season of Lent.

Rev. Trent is a graduate of Duke Divinity School and professor of World Religions and Critical Thinking at Wake Tech Community College. An ordained Baptist minister and former hospital chaplain, her work has appeared on Time.com, and in Religion News Service, Sojourners, Religion Dispatches, and The Christian Century. She is also an award-winning author.

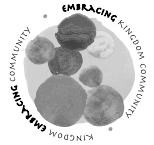
Copies of “One Breath at a Time” are available for purchase in the office for \$12.

Dinners on Wednesday nights is at 5:30 PM, children and youth activities begin at 6 PM, and Adult Study begins at 6:15 PM.

Menus for March: 3/4 - fried chicken and BBQ, 3/11 - chicken parmesan, 3/18 - pork roast, 3/25 - TBD

Join Us in March for Our
**CBFNC Annual
Gathering**

Trinity Baptist Church | Raleigh
*Thursday, March 19–
Saturday, March 21, 2020*



*The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me to bring
good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim release
to the captives and recovery of sight
to the blind, to let the oppressed
go free, to proclaim the year of the
Lord's favor. — Luke 4:18-19*

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Scot McKnight is the Julius
R. Mantey Chair of New
Testament at Northern Seminary.



**ENJOYING KINGDOM
COMMUNITY**

The Black Water Band

WORSHIP LEADER

Professor Jerusha Matsen Neal
is the Assistant Professor of
Homiletics at Duke Divinity School



MARCH 19, 2020

Leadership Institute
with Scot McKnight

**Enjoying
Kingdom Community**
*Featuring Black Water
Rhythm & Blues Band
at The Garden on Millbrook
w/ heavy hors d'oeuvres*

MARCH 20, 2020

Registration

Exhibit Hall Open

Workshop Session #1

Opening Worship
with Paul Anderson
& Randy McKinney

Workshop Session #2

Workshop Session #3

Annual Business Meeting

Closing Worship
with Jerusha Matsen Neal

MARCH 21, 2020

Racial Equity Workshop
Groundwater Presentation



Prayer and Praises

- Susan Gardner, Rex
- Elizabeth Worley's friend, Anissa Ferris
- Molly Walker
- Kaye Roberts
- Brenda Taylor
- Cathy Smith
- Greystone employee, Dalphine Walker
- Virginia Creamer's son, Jack Creamer
- Ginny Liverance's friend, Laura McCarthy
- Sharon Wertz
- Mary Fran Perkinson
- Joyce Beauchaine
- Susan Burnette's friend, Rick Rowe
- Ginny Liverance
- Ginny Liverance's friend, Adam Raichyk
- Jill Pike's nephew, Brett Ciccone
- The Pendergrass family
- Virginia Creamer's grandson, Cary Creamer
- Linda Peterson's family on the death of her father-in-law, Aaron Peterson, Sr., 2/18/20

Residential / Health Care Facilities

Springmoor (SHC): Lib Daniels, Sallie Greene, Pauline Noble, Juanita Register, Greta McMillan
Whispering Pines: Betty Cornwell

If you have an emergency or a need for a pastor outside of normal office hours, please call our on-call number, 919-817-8975. The minister on call this week is Amanda Atkin.

Updated Prayer Requests - We hope 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 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

Daylight Saving Begins Next Sunday - On Sunday, March 8, Daylight Saving begins. Remember to set your clocks forward 1 hour before you go to bed on Saturday, March 7.

Second Sunday Fellowship - Join us at Sawmill Taproom for lunch together after the 11:00 worship next Sunday, March 8. This is a wonderful way to connect with one another and enjoy fellowship time together. This is a church-wide fellowship and all are invited. Contact Amy Ng, aaronsmom1@gmail.com with any questions.

Leadership Council - The next Leadership Council meeting will be Sunday, March 15 in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the 11:00 worship service. Attendees are welcome to bring their lunch.

The Living Stone Podcast presents: "Ask Pastor Chrissy" - Sermons, our conversations and this podcast are designed to make us think and reflect and ask questions. We want to hear yours! Do you have questions about the Bible, spirituality, or about the church? Did a recent sermon spark curiosity for you around a particular issue? Let's keep the conversation going. Send us questions you'd like to ask Pastor Chrissy directly or topics you'd like to hear more about on *The Living Stone* at podcast@greystonechurch.org.

Raleigh Baptist Association Spring Senior Adult Rally - Tuesday, March 24, 2020 at Salem Baptist Church, 1821 N. Salem Road, Apex. Program, led by Pepper Choplin begins at 9:30 AM and ends with lunch. Cost is \$15.00 per person. Registration is due by Tuesday, March 10. Mail checks for registration to: Raleigh Baptist

Association, P.O. Box 46659, Raleigh, NC 27620. For more information, call 919-231-3995 or email cindy@raleighbaptists.org.

Join Team Greystone for the Sola Hot Mini 5K!
Do you like to walk or run and support ALS Research? Consider joining "Team Greystone" for the Sola Hot Mini 5K on March 28 at 8:30 AM. Contact the office for the link to sign up. Walkers, runners, strollers - welcome! If you can't join the race, consider coming out to Sola that morning to cheer us on. We can grab some breakfast - and donuts! - as a team afterwards to celebrate.

Worship Care Volunteers Needed - We need several more volunteers to serve in worship care in both babies and toddlers/preschool and have a specific need on 2nd Sundays and 5th Sundays during our 11:00 service. Worship care volunteers are an important part of our church ministry and are often among the first people to interact with new families visiting with our church. This is a great way to serve our current families as well as those who visit our church.

Coming Up on the Youth Calendar:

- Mission Trip 2020 to Charleston, South Carolina, June 14 - 19. Open to current 8th - 12th graders. Cost is \$275.
- Unidiversity, July 20 - 25 at Maryville College. Cost is \$375 (Early Bird Price)

More details are coming soon. Let April Alston know if you are interested in either or both of these summer trips or if you have any questions about them. For youth who attend both camps the bundled cost will be \$525 (please pay attention to Early Bird Deadlines for this bundled cost).

Sunday, Mar. 1

8:45 & 11:00 am Worship services
9:45 Sunday school
4:00 pm Grace Tones rehearsal
4:30 Wounded Healer - Diaconate
5:00 Youth Choir rehearsal
6:00 Sunday Night Youth
 Handbell Choir rehearsal

Monday, Mar. 2

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

Tuesday, Mar. 3

6:30 am NC Primary Election Voting
6:30 pm AA Women's Group

Wednesday, Mar. 4

5:30 pm Wednesday Night Live Dinner
6:00 Children's Music & Missions
6:15 Adult Studies
 Youth *Selah*
7:15 Adult Choir rehearsal

Thursday, Mar. 5

7:00 pm PAL meeting

Friday, Mar. 6

8:00 pm Youth Retreat
 (Mar. 6 - Mar. 8)
 AA Group

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Child Care Helpers

Today

Megan Mallard, Joan Nelson, Laura Nelson, Kim Craig,
Johnny Glover, Katie Lindsey

Sunday, March 8

Nancy Register, John & Kay Meyer, Dustin & Emily Tuttle,
Pam Ouzts

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