



Greystone
Baptist Church



*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

The Worship of God

Sunday, January 23

We ask that you please continue to wear a mask at all times while indoors, out of respect for the health and safety of all people joining us for worship. When congregational songs are sung in worship this morning, we invite you to listen prayerfully and participate in other safe ways if you feel so moved - feel free to stand, move, clap, drum on the pew in front of you, etc. Texts are provided for your personal reflection.

Prelude

“O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go”
Cynthia Griesedieck

arr. John Purifoy

Welcome

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

† Call to Worship

One: In you, O Lord our God, we find our joy,

All: for through your loving, creative action you formed a people

One: in mercy and freedom,

All: in justice and righteousness.

One: Let your Spirit move over us,

All: through us,

One: and within us today,

All: that we who are Christ's body may bear the good news of your wholeness to all. Amen.

† Please rise in body or spirit.

Opening Song

“We Are One in the Spirit” THEY’LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS;

Words and Music by Peter Scholtes

We are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord;
we are one in the Spirit; we are one in the Lord,
and we pray that all unity may one day be restored:

Refrain:

And they’ll know we are Christians by our love,
by our love;
yes, they’ll know we are Christians by our love.

We will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand;
we will walk with each other; we will walk hand in hand,
and together we’ll spread the news that God is in our land: (Refrain)

We will work with each other; we will work side by side;
we will work with each other; we will work side by side,
and we’ll guard human dignity and save human pride: (Refrain)

All praise to the Father, from whom all things come,
and all praise to Christ Jesus, God’s only Son,
and all praise to the Spirit, who makes us one: (Refrain)

Children’s Message

April Alston

Offertory Hymn

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

GBC Virtual Choir

HYMN TO JOY;

Words by Henry van Dyke,
Music by Ludwig van Beethoven

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love!
Hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away.
Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day.

All thy works with joy surround thee; earth and heaven reflect thy rays;
stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.
Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea,
chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.

Mortals, join the happy chorus which the morning stars began.
Love divine is reigning o’er us, joining all in heaven’s plan.
Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife.
Joyful music leads us sunward in the triumph song of life.

Doxology

“Doxology”

OLD HUNDREDETH;
Words by Thomas Ken,
Music from the *Genevan Psalter*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him, all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Laura Nelson

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Ron Thompson

Sermon

“Many Voices, One Song”

Christian Mclvor

Silent Reflection

Musical Reflection

“We’ll Be the Hands, We’ll Be the Feet”
Christian Mclvor

Words and Music by
Christian Mclvor ©2018

Open our hearts, open our minds,
Let us join together as we have been designed;
Let us grow more deeply into You,
Let us spread Your light and keep it shining through.

Refrain:

Each one of us, all around the earth
As a part of the Body, has our worth.
We’ll be the hands, we’ll be the feet,
We’ll circulate through the heart where we all meet;
Built up in love, and joined as one,
Grown into Christ, we’ll see Your work through till it’s done.

We will be strong, we’ll live without fear,
Emboldened by Your love, we will persevere;
We will stand for truth, in justice we’ll rejoice,
We will speak the Word for those with silenced voice. (Refrain)

Help us to seek that we might find
Your compassion and grace for all humankind;
Help us connect as one community
Abiding in Your loving unity. (Refrain)

Pastoral Prayer

Steve Rose

Invitation

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Hymn of Response 426

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

DENNIS;

Words by John Fawcett,

Music by Johann Georg Nägeli, arr. Lowell Mason

Blest be the tie that binds
Our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds
Is like to that above.

Before our Father's throne
We pour our ardent prayers;
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one,
Our comforts and our cares.

When we asunder part,
It gives us inward pain;
But we shall still be joined in heart,
And hope to meet again.

Celebrating Community

Anna Beth Cross

Benediction

Christian McIvor

Postlude

“He’s Waiting For You”
Cynthia Griesedieck

by Ron Loree

Greystone Prayers and Praises

- Everett Anderson
- Patti Austin
- Blake Aydlett
- Gwen Baine
- Duane Long
- Cathy Smith
- Chris Allen
- Susan Burnette's nephew, James Burnette
- Cathy Perkinson's father, Jim Walker
- Cathy Perkinson's sister, Sheri
- James Tatum's mother, Faye Tatum
- Carl Dawson's mother, Lorraine Dawson
- Carl Dawson's sister-in-law, Jo Dawson
- Joy Croom Griffin's husband, Ray Griffin
- Sylvia Cash's brother-in-law, Billy Walker
- Sylvia Cash's friend, Peggy Vaughan
- Sylvia Cash's friend, Juanita Luna
- Steve Rose's family on the death of his mother, Jo Rose, 1/13/22
- Trish Boone's family on the death of her mother, Dorothy Johnson, 1/12/22
- Garry Nelson's family on the death of his father, George Nelson, 1/10/22
- Steve Rose's family on the death of his cousin, Mike Davis, 1/10/22
- Teresa Vaughn's family on the death of her father, Bill Carswell, 1/9/22
- Walter (Skip) Mays' family on his death, 12/31/21

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