Greystone Baptist Church

The Worship of God Sunday, February 27

All are invited to sing during the congregational songs in worship! We ask that you please **wear a mask at all times while indoors** out of an abundance of caution and out of respect for the health and safety of all people joining us for worship.

"Jesus Loves Me" Tim Hendrix Traditional arr. Joel Raney

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

Welcome

† Call to Worship

- One: Come one, come all, you are invited here, in the house of God.
- All: Where the word of God speaks peace
- One: to those who feel worthy
- All: and to those who feel they are not worthy.
- One: Come one, come all, and hear the word of the Lord,
- All: a word of peace, wisdom, joy, and delight.
- One: Come and hear, come and receive,
- All: a Gospel that transforms us all in the name of Jesus Christ, our healer, our savior, and our redeemer.
- *** Opening Song** "There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit" SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT;

Words and Music by Doris Akers

Verse 1:

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord; There are sweet expressions on each face, And I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

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Refrain: Sweet Holy Spirit, Sweet heavenly Dove, Stay right here with us filling us with You

Stay right here with us, filling us with Your love. And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise; Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived, When we shall leave this place.

Verse 2:

There are blessings you cannot receive Till you know Him in His fullness and believe; You're the one to profit when you say, "I am going to walk with Jesus all the way."

(Refrain)

Global Missions Offering

Jerry Chiles

† Offertory Hymn

"Spirit, Open My Heart"

WILD MOUNTAIN THYME; Words by Ruth Duck, Irish Melody

Refrain:

Spirit open my heart to the joy and pain of living. As you love may I love in receiving and in giving. Spirit, open my heart.

Verse 1:

God, replace my stony heart with a heart that's kind and tender. All my coldness and fear to your grace I now surrender.

(Refrain)

Verse 2:

Write your love upon my heart as my law, my goal, my story. In each thought, word, and deed, may my living bring you glory.

(Refrain)

Verse 3:

May I weep with those who weep, share the joy of sister, brother. In the welcome of Christ, may we welcome one another.

(Refrain)

* Doxology	"Doxology"	OLD HUNDREDTH;
		Words by Thomas Ken, Music from the <i>Genevan Psalter</i>
Praise God from whon Praise Him, all creatur Praise Him above ye h Praise Father, Son and	es here below. eavenly host.	Music nom the Genevan Fsater
Prayer of Dedication		Joanne Thompson
Scripture Reading	1 Corinthians 2:1-13	Amy Vandersip
Sermon	<i>"Epiphanies of God's Love: It Transforms"</i>	Chrissy Tatum Williamson
Silent Reflection		
Musical Reflection	"Called to Become" Christian McIvor and GBC Adult Choir	Words and Music by, Christian McIvor ©2019
 Verse 1: I thank our God as I remember you. You give me peace and joy while I'm abroad, I'm sending you prayers in all that I do. And as we grow, sharing the truth always, I put my trust in you and this I know; that you have been faithful all of your days. Chorus: There's a work that God began in you, and Her light is shining through With the strength to conquer every storm and the love to be transformed In the justice and the unity of the Christ who sets us free, We'll live into all that we are called to become. Verse 2: 		
Bringing us liberation i We'll sow our seeds, c	calling from near and far in the choice to recognize just who we rea overing all the earth, nercy in our deeds, to a new creation we'r	
Chorus (2x)		
We'll live into all that we are called to become.		

Pastoral Prayer

Invitation

Anna Beth Cross

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

† Hymn of Response 435 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

CWM RHONDDA; Words by Harry E. Fosdick, Music by John Hughes

God of grace and God of glory, on Thy people pour Thy pow'r. Crown Thine ancient Church's story; bring her bud to glorious flow'r. Grant us wisdom; Grant us courage for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.

Lo! the hosts of evil round us scorn Thy Christ, assail His ways! From the fears that long have bound us, free our hearts to faith and praise. Grant us wisdom; Grant us courage for the living of these days, for the living of these days.

Cure Thy children's warring madness; Bend our pride to Thy control. Shame our wanton, selfish gladness, rich in things and poor in soul. Grant us wisdom: Grant us courage lest we miss Thy kingdom's goal, lest we miss Thy kingdom's goal.

Set our feet on lofty places; Gird our lives that they may be armored with all Christ-like graces in the fight to set men free. Grant us wisdom; Grant us courage that we fail not man nor Thee, that we fail not man nor Thee.

Celebrating Community

Benediction

Postlude

"O, How I Love Jesus" Tim Hendrix Christian McIvor

Chrissy Tatum Williamson

arr. Larry Shackley

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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 I Peter 2:5, 6

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