

# Welcome!

Welcome to worship, friends and guests — brothers and sisters, all in the family of God! We are glad to worship with you today.

## GUEST REGISTRATION

Please tell us about yourself and those with you today. Provide as much information as you are comfortable sharing. If you leave your address, we will drop you a note of appreciation for your attendance in worship. Other than that, we will only contact you if you request it and in the manner you prefer.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ H W M

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ H W M

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Please contact me by: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone

Age Groups (select all that apply)

\_\_\_\_\_ Preschool \_\_\_\_\_ Grade School \_\_\_\_\_ Youth

\_\_\_\_\_ Adult \_\_\_\_\_ Senior Adult

\_\_\_\_\_ I am/ We are looking for a church home.

How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

## DECISION RESPONSE

I want more information about:

\_\_\_\_\_ Becoming a Christian

\_\_\_\_\_ Baptism

\_\_\_\_\_ Church membership

\_\_\_\_\_ I made a personal decision today to accept Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior.

Other needs/prayer requests: \_\_\_\_\_

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## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

### CHURCH MEMBERS

Betty Bridger	Betty Duke
Joe Ellen	Martha Flynn
Felicia Goodman	Terry Kemp
Patricia Lynn	Jackie Nutt
Linda Pleasants	Heleny Prevette

### FRIENDS & FAMILY

Anne Allen (former member)  
 Linda Creech (mother of former member Paige Kay)  
 Linda DeSchreiver (niece of Jane Edwards)  
 Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)  
 Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)  
 Jennifer LeMay (daughter of Jo Cresimore)  
 Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson)



### NURTURING FAITH JOURNAL & BIBLE STUDIES

The church is receiving 6 copies of this publication every other month. If you would like to pick one up to take home and read, please check the table outside the church office.

## GIVING UPDATE

### For the week of July 11, 2021

General Fund Offerings.....	\$ 8,730
Online Giving.....	\$ 430
Income (Rent/Facilities Use).....	\$ 0
Total Receipts.....	\$ 9,160

Weekly Budget Requirement.....	\$ 4,884
This week's Net Excess/(Deficit).....	\$ 4,276

Year to Date Budget Requirement.....	\$136,752
Year to Date Net Excess/(Deficit).....	\$ (31,656)

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## DEACON OF THE DAY

Today ..... Charlotte Craver  
Next Week (July 25)..... Glenn Harder

## OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

**SUNDAY, July 18**  
 9:00 am WORSHIP  
 2:00 pm Karen Worship Service (Chapel)

**MONDAY, July 19**  
 6:30 pm Pastor Search Team Meeting

**TUESDAY, July 20**  
 7:00 pm Raleigh Coin Club (Fellowship Hall)

**SUNDAY, July 25**  
 9:00 am WORSHIP  
 Called Church Conference  
 2:00 pm Karen Worship Service (Chapel)

Interim Pastor  
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*We're glad you're here!*

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SUNDAY, JULY 18, 2021



PRELUDE *If My People* Jimmy Owens

CALL TO WORSHIP *Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus* Helen Lemel

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Mrs. Charlotte Craver, Deacon

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

WELCOME Dr. Steve Sumerel

RESPONSIVE READING *Philippians 2* Dr. Sumerel

If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, make my joy complete:

**Be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves.**

Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus.

**Who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness.**

And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

**Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name.**

MORNING PRAYER Mr. Kerry Johnson

SCRIPTURE *Matthew 8:1-3* Mrs. Craver

ANTHEM *Take My Life, Lord* arr. by Anna Laura Page

SERMON *If You Will* Dr. Sumerel

HYMN 302 *I Hear Thy Welcome Voice* (Verses 1 & 2) Lewis Hartsough

\*BENEDICTION Dr. Sumerel

\*POSTLUDE *Jesus! What a Friend for Sinners* HYFRYDOL

*\*please stand as you are able*



**CALLED BUSINESS MEETING  
JULY 25, 2021**

**FOLLOWING 9:00 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**

This meeting is being called to approve members for Nominating Committee and Deacon Nomination Review Committee, and to approve motions related to the Hampton Road property.

Also at this meeting, a candidate to fill our pastorate will be presented for vote. Dr. Trey Davis will be preaching next Sunday, July 25th, in view of being presented to serve as our pastor. Please plan to be present to meet and hear Dr. Davis.

Information about this meeting has been mailed to church membership.



**DEACON NOMINATIONS**

Deacon Nomination Forms have been sent to all church members. Please prayerfully consider this process, and return your completed form by Sunday, July 25th. If you return your form by mail, it must be received at the church by Saturday, July 24th. Ballot boxes are in the Narthex and in the Church Office. Thank you for participating in this important process of selecting three persons to join the Diaconate for the years 2021-2024.



**CARSON AND LAURA FOUSHEE  
PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES**

We offer praise for receiving our vaccines! Please pray for continued success in the rollout and for effective safety and health precautions during the Olympic and Paralympic Games set to begin in July.

Pray for continued opportunities to deepen our faith alongside our church family through seminars and storytelling. We are encouraged by the way God is moving in our community of faith.

Pray for parents in our neighborhood concerned about the development of their children.



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAISES**

Add to prayer list     Private (do not publish)

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**UPDATE CHURCH DATABASE**

My contact information has changed. Please update the church database with the following new information:

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