

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: _____

Please tear along perforated line (along fold at right), and place this panel in an offering plate located on the communion table as you exit today.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

CHURCH MEMBERS *NEW ADDITION
Betty Bridger Betty Duke
Joe Ellen Martha Flynn
Carlisle Franks 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)
Tom Keiningham (brother-in-law of Sue Johnson)
Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)
Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)
Jennifer LeMay (daughter of Jo Cresimore)
Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson)
Andrea Raynor's mother *

GIVING UPDATE

Information for June 13, 2021 was not available at the time of printing.



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DEACON OF THE DAY

Today David Donald
Next Week (June 27).....Ashlee Kirk

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, June 20 FATHERS DAY
9:00 am WORSHIP
2:00 pm Karen Worship Service (Sanctuary)

MONDAY, June 21
6:30 pm Pastor Search Team Meeting

TUESDAY, JUNE 22
7:30 pm Triangle Relic Hunters (Fellowship Hall)

Interim Pastor
Dr. Steve Sumerel
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SUNDAY, JUNE 20, 2021



PRELUDE *How Majestic Is Your Name* Michael W. Smith
Mrs. Teresa Wheeler, Organist

CALL TO WORSHIP (HYMN 629) *God of Our Fathers* NATIONAL HYMN

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Mr. David Donald, 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 Mr. Kerry Johnson

RESPONSIVE READING Mr. Donald
A Litany of Transformation, Engagement, and Community
by David Williams

The call of Christ is clear: we are not to remain as we are. Continual transformation is central to our life of discipleship.

There is no option to remain the same. The path we walk with Jesus is a transformative path that refuses to leave us as we are.

Let us therefore offer ourselves in full trust and humility to the power of God's Spirit to transform us by the renewing of our minds, so that we may discern what is the will of God, what is good, acceptable and perfect.

May God transform us and use us as agents of transformation in this world.

We are transformed through engagement with those around us. We are not content to wait for others to come to us.

We find encouragement in walking a common journey with those whose lives are constantly growing more and more into the likeness of Jesus, even as we ourselves are being transformed into that same image.

Let us therefore embrace and welcome the transforming work of the Spirit, not in isolation, but in community.

May God transform us and use us as agents of transformation in this world.

Transformation, Engagement, Community: Let the work of the Spirit begin and continue among us; for if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation!

Everything old has passed away; let everything become new!

ANTHEM *As the Deer* arr. by Douglas Wagner

MORNING PRAYER Dr. Robert Bailey

SCRIPTURE *1 Samuel 17:32-49* Dr. Bailey

SERMON *When Little Is Big* Dr. Bailey

CLOSING HYMN 484 *Higher Ground* Oatman & Gabriel

***BENEDICTION** Dr. Bailey

***POSTLUDE** *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* HYMN TO JOY

**please stand as you are able*

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME, DR. BAILEY

Bob Bailey was born in Wake County and grew up in North Carolina. He earned an AB in English from UNC Chapel Hill; received his MDiv and ThM from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary; and earned his DMin from the Baptist Theological Seminary at Richmond. Dr. Bailey served as a pastor in Virginia for 23 years while holding leadership in statewide organizations. He returned to North Carolina to serve as a Director of Missions in eastern NC.

Bob and his wife, Dolores, have three children and seven grandchildren. They returned to Wake County almost a decade ago, and are now both active in volunteer roles in the ministry of First Baptist, Raleigh.

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.

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. Information about this meeting has been mailed to church membership.

JUNE MISSION OPPORTUNITY



LOVE OFFERING FOR THE FOUSHEES

The Mission's Committee is highlighting the ministry of CBF Field Personnel to Japan, Laura and Carson Foushee. We are collecting a 2021 love offering to support their day-to-day ministry activities. Stay tuned for more details to come and watch for a video update from the Foushees. If donating by check, please be sure to note *Foushee Offering* on the memo line of your check as well as on your envelope. You may also give online using the link on the home page of our website. Prayer requests for the Foushees and their ministry are available on the back page of the bulletin. To learn more about Laura & Carson's ministry, visit their website at: <https://sites.google.com/site/thefousheesinjapan>.

Communication Card (6/20/2021)

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAISES

Add to prayer list Private (do not publish)

UPDATE CHURCH DATABASE

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

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