

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? _____

PRAYER REQUESTS/PRAISES

Add to prayer list Private (do not publish)

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

Betty Duke Joe Ellen
Martha Flynn Felicia Goodman
Terry Kemp Patricia Lynn
Linda Pleasants Helen Prevette

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Linda Creech (mother of former member Paige Kay)
Linda DeSchreiber (niece of Jane Edwards)
John & Jennifer LeMay (daughter and son-in-law of Jo Cresimore)
Ashley Lynn (niece of Patricia Lynn)
Marygena Lynn (sister-in-law of Patricia Lynn)
Martha Marcom (cousin of Patricia Lynn)
Patsy Small (mother of Sue Johnson)
Robin Stirewalt (friend of Janet Carter)



The Ridge Road Baptist Church family extends its sympathy to the family and friends of Mrs. Anne Allen, who passed away October 30th.



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

- We ask for prayers for participants of the seminar to act boldly as they follow God's guidance about how to minister to the needs of their communities both now and in the days ahead.
- We offer praise for friends in Tokyo who have been separated since the fall of last year, but will be back together this weekend in Japan after the husband was granted a new visa!

GIVING UPDATE

Summary for the weeks of October 10, 17, 24, and 31

General Fund Offerings..... \$ 3,643
Online Giving..... \$ 3,002
Income (Rent/Facilities Use)..... \$ 4,105
Total Receipts \$ 9,750

Year to Date Budget Requirement..... \$209,584
Year to Date Net Excess/(Deficit)..... \$ (57,262)

Easy, Secure **Online Giving** is available on our website at www.rrbch.com



Convenient **Mobile Giving** also available by scanning this QR code or downloading the FREE **EasyTithe** app on your smart device.

DEACON OF THE DAY

Today Charlotte Craver
Next Week (November 14)..... Jo Cresimore

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, November 7

9:15 am Midtown Worship
9:45 am RRBC Sunday School
11:00 am WORSHIP
2:00 pm Karen Worship Service (Chapel)

TUESDAY, November 9

6:30 pm Deacons' Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

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Ridge Road Baptist Church and the City of Raleigh currently require masks to be worn in all indoor public spaces regardless of vaccination status.



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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2021



PRELUDE I Will Enter His Gates/This Is the Day Arr. By Mark Hayes

*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP On Eagle's Wings Michael Joncas
And God will raise you up on eagle's wings,
Bear you on the breath of dawn,
Make you to shine as the sun,
And hold you in the palm of His hand.

*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

*HYMN 355 For All the Saints SINE NOMINE

WELCOME AND OPPORTUNITIES Dr. Trey Davis

MISSIONS MOMENT Ms. Amy Kemp & Dr. Steve Sumerel

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE

LITANY Mr. Kerry Johnson

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all!

And also with you!

Lord God, by your grace we are running a race.

We are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses.

Patriarchs and matriarchs, prophets and psalmists, disciples and evangelists, martyrs and saints.

We thank you for their example. We praise you for their lives of faith.

Lord God, by your grace we are running a race.

We are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses.

Loved ones now resting in you, who guided us, nurtured and cared for us; ancestors who worked and traveled, lived and died that we might be who we are, where we are--your precious children in this community of believers.

We thank you for their example. We praise you for their lives of faith.

Lord God, by your grace we are running a race.

We are surrounded by a cloud of witnesses.

Family members and members of this congregation; fellow believers in every country, every denomination; friends who help, guide and uplift us--children of your family, sheep of your fold, saints of your redeeming.

We thank you for their example. We praise you for their lives of faith.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely,

And let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us,

Looking to Christ, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

Amen.

THE NAMING

Church Members: Mr. Alonzo Adams, Mrs. Anne Allen, Mrs. Grace Brown, Mrs. Fronie Forrest, Mrs. Alice Goode, Mrs. Jackie McDuffie, Mrs. Jackie Nutt, Mrs. Sue Perry.

Family and Friends: Mrs. Jean Burgess, Mr. Kenneth Ray Corn, Mrs. Wendi Kirk Hamilton, Mr. Dale Peacock, Mrs. Peggy Rogers, Mrs. Florida Smith, Mr. Everett Wilkie.

Others from the Extended Church Family

*HYMN 638 Now Thank We All Our God NUN DANKET

MORNING PRAYER Mr. Phil Kirk

SERMON TEXT James 3:13 - 4:10 Mrs. Craver

LEADER: These are the scriptures of God for the people of Christ.

PEOPLE: May the Spirit grant us understanding.

ANTHEM Put Peace Into Each Other's Hands Arr. By Jane Holstein

SERMON How the World Works Dr. Davis

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 395 God of Grace and God of Glory CWM RHONDDA
During this hymn, we invite you to reflect upon your relationship with God and your commitment to Christian service. If you would like to make a commitment to Christ or to become a member of Ridge Road Baptist Church, we invite you to come forward to speak with a pastor.

*PASTORAL BLESSING Dr. Davis
As we go out into the world, we look for opportunities to share our blessings with others. If you would like to contribute to the ministry here at Ridge Road Baptist Church, offering plates are available on the altar up front for your offerings.

*CHORAL RESPONSE Go Out and Tell PLANO

POSTLUDE When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder James Black

*please stand as you are able

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HELP US HOST A THANKSGIVING MEAL FOR CONGOLESE REFUGEES

On Saturday, November 20th, the Ridge is hosting an early Thanksgiving meal for a group of Congolese refugees who have settled in Raleigh. We are grateful to Marc & Kim Wyatt for their guidance and assistance with this event. If you'd like to help host this meal that afternoon, please contact Trey at tdavis@rrbch.com, or complete the registration on the right and turn it in through the offering plates.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, RIDGE ROAD BAPTIST

Today (November 7th) marks 67 years of ministry on the Ridge. This morning we celebrate all God has done through us, and we continue to pray for God's guidance, blessing, and strength in the years to come.

CALLED MEETING

There will be a brief business meeting today following the worship service to present and vote on the Nominating Committee's list for the 2022 year, and to vote on a proposal to renovate the chapel.

VETERANS DAY

A special thanks to all those who have served our country....church members, family members, and all those we have never met. As our nation celebrates our veterans on Nov. 11, lift these men and women up to God in prayer.

HANDBELLS FOR ADVENT

Janet Carter is putting together a handbell choir for Advent. All interested will meet very briefly right after church today.

CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS- Order by Nov. 14th

Honor a loved one this Christmas and help decorate our sanctuary for the holidays by purchasing Poinsettias (\$10 each). Order by using the form to the right, or by calling the church office this week.

NOVEMBER MISSIONS OPPORTUNITY

During the month of November the Missions Committee will highlight the annual fund raising campaign for the Baptist Children's Home of NC. Today, Dr. Steve Sumerel will speak of the important service provided by this extraordinary organization. Throughout November there will be offering envelopes in the pew racks for anyone wanting to make a contribution to the Baptist Children's Home of NC. Remember to write Baptist Children's Home on the memo line of your check.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

If your group needs Sunday School literature, Formations material is available in the conference room in the church office. We have materials that were ordered before Covid arrived that were not used.

Communication Card (11/7/2021)

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

All Orders Due by Sunday, Nov. 14

I wish to order _____ Poinsettia(s) at \$10.00 per flower.

In Honor of _____

In Memory of _____

The Poinsettias will be used to decorate the church during the month of December. You may pick up your flowers after the Christmas Eve service.

THANKSGIVING MEAL--CONGOLESE REFUGEES

I would like to help host this meal on the afternoon of Saturday, November 20.

Name: _____

Contact Information: _____

UPDATE CHURCH DATABASE

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

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