

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

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)



The Ridge Road Baptist Church family mourns the loss of former member Grace Brown, who passed away May 28th. Please remember her family in prayer.

GIVING UPDATE

For the week of May 30, 2021

General Fund Offerings.....\$ 8,781
Income (Rent/Facilities Use).....\$ 0
Total Receipts\$ 8,781

Weekly Budget Requirement.....\$ 5,829
This week's Net Excess/(Deficit)\$ 3,897

Year to Date Budget Requirement.....\$107,448
Year to Date Net Excess/(Deficit).....\$ (27,208)



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DEACON OF THE DAY

TodayLuther Smith
Next Week (June 13).....Kevin Parker

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, June 6

9:00 am WORSHIP
2:00 pm Karen Worship Service (Sanctuary)

MONDAY, June 7

7:30 pm EA Lawyer Group (Chapel)
8:00 pm AA Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

TUESDAY, JUNE 8

7:00 pm Deacons Meeting (Zoom)

THURSDAY, JUNE 10

8:00 pm AA Meeting

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We're glad you're here!

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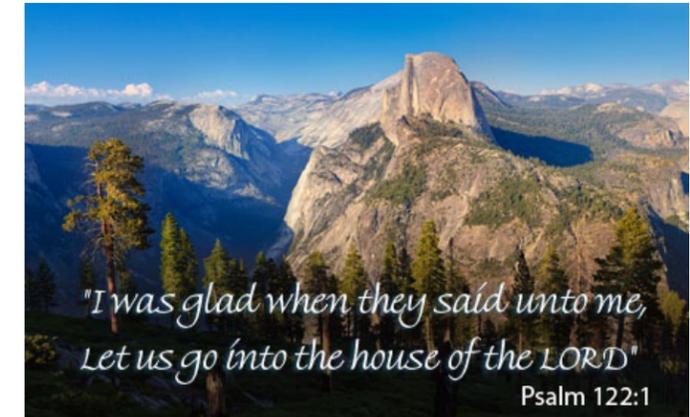
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SUNDAY, JUNE 6, 2021



PRELUDE *God of Grace and God of Glory* Charles Wesley

CALL TO WORSHIP *Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine* Crosby & Knapp

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER Dr. Luther Smith, 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

MISSIONS MOMENT Ms. Amy Kemp

PRAYER AFFIRMING FELLOWSHIP Ms. Kemp

**Lord, how strange it is that you should call us to be your Church,
Yet you have always worked through women and men
In the working out of your purpose.**

**Through prophets and disciples, leaders and followers,
Preachers and listeners, you have called your people,
That your redeeming love might work through them.**

**Above all, in Jesus your Word has become flesh
And a human being has lived your will.**

**He has died for us and you have raised him for us,
That he might be our foundation and our head.**

Fill us with his love that we might truly be his disciples.

We dedicate ourselves now to being your people.

Accept our worship and our prayers, our intentions and our gifts.

**All has come from you and now, as we pray,
Your Spirit prompts us and empowers us.**

Grant us your grace that we might be faithful to our calling as your Church.

Deepen our faith, strengthen our love,

And increase our hope

That we might be an offering acceptable to you

And available for your will;

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

SPECIAL MUSIC *This Hymn I Raise* Kerry Johnson
Kerry Johnson, Soloist

MORNING PRAYER Rev. Lydia Tatum

SCRIPTURE *Genesis 16:1-16* Dr. Smith

SERMON *Rerouting: A Spiritual Journey* Rev. Tatum

CLOSING HYMN *The Servant Song* BEACH SPRING

BENEDICTION Rev. Tatum

POSTLUDE *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* ELLACOMBE

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME, REV. TATUM

Rev. Lydia Pratt Tatum serves as the Associate Pastor for Ministry and Missions at Trinity Baptist Church here in Raleigh. Graduating in 2007 with a BA in Religion from Campbell University, Rev. Tatum continued her pastoral education at Campbell University Divinity School where she earned her Masters in Divinity. She has been married to Rev. Andrew Tatum, Clinical Chaplain for Psychiatry at UNC Healthcare in Chapel Hill, for thirteen years; and together they have forty seven tomato plants, five children, two dogs, a cat, and big dreams for chickens and bees.



GRADUATE RECOGNITION

Madison Hamilton, granddaughter of Phil Kirk and niece of Ashlee Kirk, graduated magna cum laude from Meredith College with a double major in hospitality management and food service management. She won the top Student-Athlete award in a field of more than 150 athletes and the top Business student award for scholarship, public service, and leadership. Madison, the daughter of the late Jeremy and Wendi (Kirk) Hamilton, is now a student in the MBA program at Meredith, majoring in business entrepreneurship. The captain of the Meredith Avenging Angels softball team, Madison has another year of eligibility due to the loss of a season because of COVID-19. She lives with her grandfather, Phil.

JUNE MISSION OPPORTUNITY



LOVE OFFERING FOR THE FOUSHEES

The Mission's Committee will be highlighting the ministry of CBF Field Personnel to Japan, Laura and Carson Foushee. We will be 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.

To learn more about Laura & Carson's ministry, visit their website at: <https://sites.google.com/site/thefousheesinjapan>.



Zoom Meeting
Tuesday, June 8
7:00 pm

Communication Card (6/6/2021)

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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