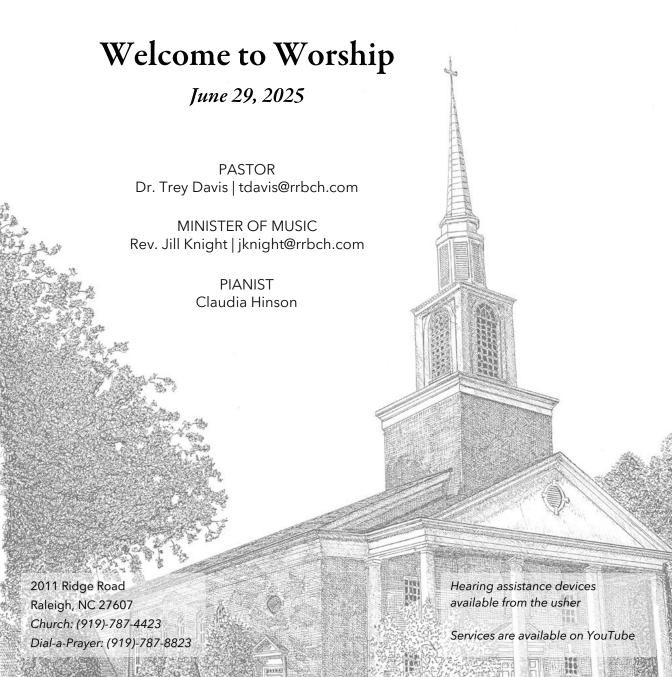
# RIDGE ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

at The Ridge



**PRELUDE** 

Morning Has Broken BUNESSAN, arr. L. Larson Claudia Hinson, piano Elaine Holley, violin

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Trey Davis

Thank you for choosing to worship with us at The Ridge today! If you are visiting, please fill out one of the green cards on the back of the pew and place it in the offering plate at the end of the service. We're so glad to have you here, and we're grateful to know of your presence with us.

**MISSION MOMENT** 

Amy Kemp

\*CALL to WORSHIP

Jesus Stand Among Us

**BEMERTON** 

Jesus stand among us in your risen power; Let this time of worship be a hallowed hour.

Breathe the Holy Spirit into every heart; Bid the fears and sorrows from each soul depart. Amen.

#### \*INVOCATION & LORD'S PRAYER

Myriam Pierre, 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.

\*PASSING of the PEACE

Myriam Pierre

**MUSICAL MEDITATION** 

What Wondrous Love Is This Folk Hymn, arr. K.L. Phillips

Claudia Hinson, piano Elaine Holley, violin

**SCRIPTURE READING** 

John 3:5-8, 16-17

Myriam Pierre

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

May the Spirit grant us understanding.

**MORNING PRAYER** 

Trey Davis

**MORNING LITANY** 

from 1 John 4:7-19 and "Love's As Warm As Tears"

C.S. Lewis

\*HYMN of PRAISE #560

Oh, How I Love Jesus

OH, HOW I LOVE JESUS

Audrey & Lila Davis

**SERMON** 

ἀγάπη

Trey Davis

**ANTHEM** 

The Gift of Love Hal Hopson The Ridge Road Choir Elaine Holley, Violin Agape love...

May this be the muscle in all that we do

And all that we say

And all that we pray.

Agape love...

May this be what we strive for

With humility and vulnerability.

Agape love...

May our church body becomes a harvest field

That plants and fosters and grows this fruit of the Spirit.

Agape love...

May we be able to answer Jesus' question one day

That we also love him with agape love.

Agape love...

May we remember, today and every day,

That this is how we are loved.

#### \*HYMN of COMMITMENT (insert)

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

**EBENEZER** 

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.

\*BENEDICTION Trey 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 gifts.

\*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Gift of Love

O WALY WALY

Come, Spirit, come, our hearts control, Our spirits long to be made whole. Let inward love guide every deed; By this we worship, and are freed.

\*POSTLUDE

Sonata in E minor V. Gigue by Veracini Claudia Hinson, piano Elaine Holley, violin

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able.

#### **Deacon of the Day**

Today Myriam Pierre Next week (7/6) Ashlee Kirk

### **Coming soon to the Ridge**

June 28-29: Shrek Jr. performances in the chapel by Alli Mae Carnes Studio.

July 12-13: Hadestown performances in the chapel by Alli Mae Carnes Studio.

July 13: RRBC mid-summer Vespers

August: Summer Sunday nights bible study

**Mission Moment**: Foushee Special Offering Campaign June 1-30, 2025

Sunday, June 1 was the kickoff for our annual campaign to raise funds for the daily ministry activities of our CBF Field Personnel to Japan, Carson & Laura Foushee.

Our 2025 theme is "Inquiring Minds Want to Know...". Laura and Carson have given a video response to 5 questions offered by RRBC members regarding their life and ministry in Japan. We will highlight one video each week of the campaign and you can access the videos through the weekly email newsletter.

As you view the videos, prayerfully consider how you will support this vital ministry. Contributions can be made through Easy Tithe or by checks payable to RRBC. Please note that funds are to be designated to Foushee Ministry.

Question #4: What (other than CBF Baptist)
Christian denominations do you see in Japan?

## **Prayer Requests**

Church Members
Mary Carraway
Phil Dickens
Bob & Jane Edwards
Deb Johnson
Linda Pleasants
Helen Prevette
Gene Warren

Family and Friends

Linda Creech (mother of Paige Kay)

Joel & Allison Cresimore (son and daughter-in-law of Jo Cresimore)

Virginia Herran (sister of Jo Cresimore)

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)

Kent Mitchell (brother-in-law of Phil Kirk and uncle of Ashlee Kirk)

Tommy Jenkins (former member)



## **Important Links**

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