

RIDGE ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH

at The Ridge

Welcome to Worship

July 13, 2025

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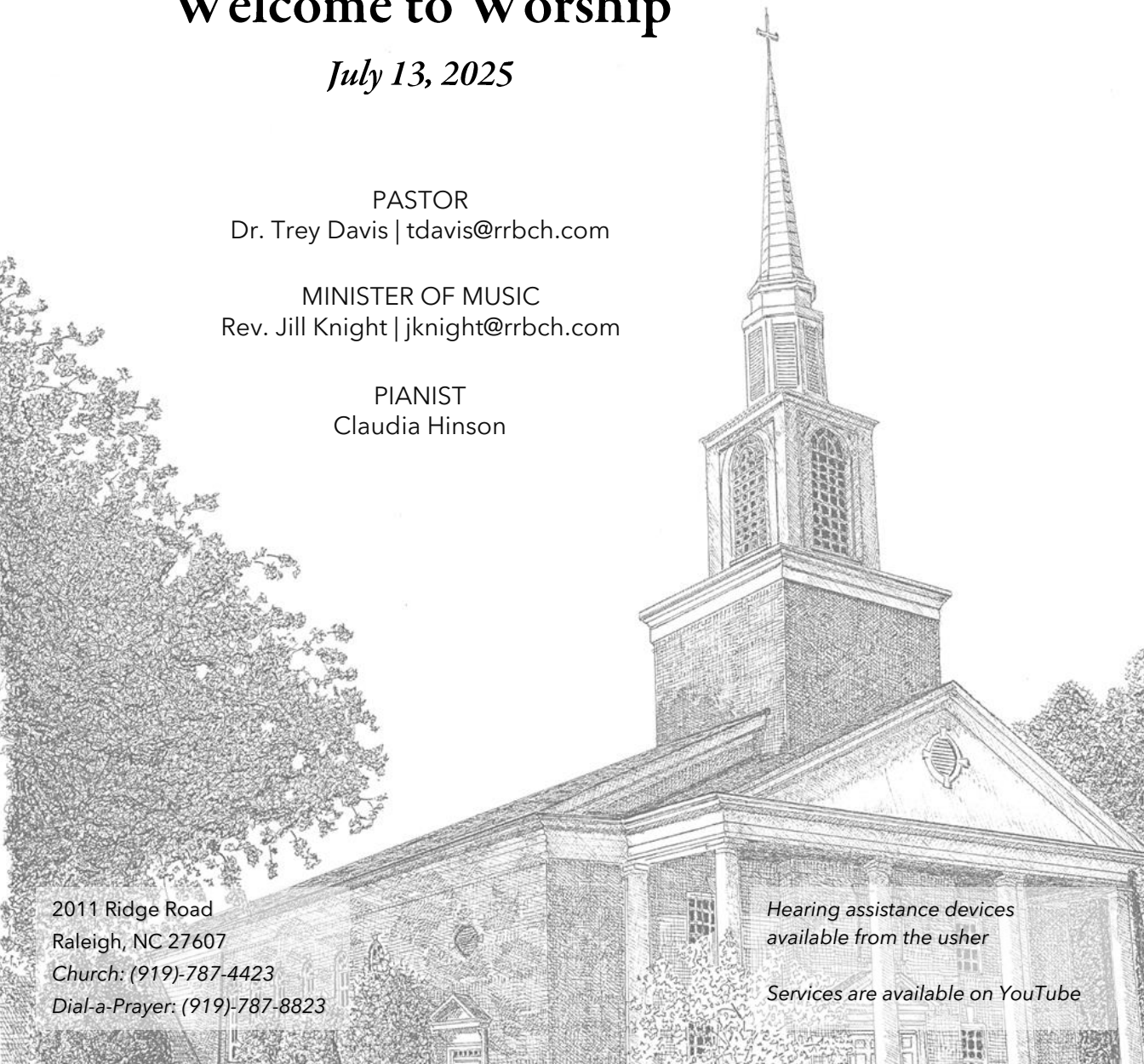
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PRELUDE

This Is My Father’s World
Franklin L. Shepherd; arr. Larry Shackley

Teresa Wheeler &
Jill Knight, piano

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.

*CALL to WORSHIP #136

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

AZMON

O for a thousand tongues to sing
My great Redeemer’s praise,
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace.

My gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad,
The honors of Thy name.

*INVOCATION & LORD’S PRAYER

Leigh Baker, 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

Leigh Baker

ANTHEM

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven
arr. Benjamin Harlan

The Ridge Road Choir
Tyrone Williamson, trumpet

MORNING LITANY

from Psalm 145

Luther Smith

The Lord is gracious and compassionate

Slow to anger and rich in love.

The Lord is good to all, having compassion on all of God’s creation.

All your works praise you, Lord; your faithful people extol you.

They tell of the glory of your kingdom and speak of your might.

The Lord upholds all who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down.

Fulfilling the desires of those who fear God,

Hearing their cries and saving them.

The Lord is gracious and compassionate

Slow to anger and rich in love.

MORNING PRAYER

Kevin Parker

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 20:1-16

Leigh Baker

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

May the Spirit grant us understanding.

***HYMN of PRAISE #48**

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

ELLACOMBE

SERMON

Working A Full Day

Trey Davis

MUSICAL MEDITATION

Give Thanks
Henry Smith, arr. Tom Fettke

Tyrone Williamson, trumpet
Jill Knight, piano

RESPONSE

Working on a Dream
adapted from Bruce Springsteen

Trey Davis

Out here the nights are long, the days are lonely

Working on a dream

The cards we've drawn are a rough hand

We straighten our backs

The sunrise comes, climb the ladder

The new day breaks, and we're working on a dream

Rain pourin' down, swing that hammer

Hands are rough from working on a dream

Though trouble can feel like it's here to stay

Working on a dream

Though it can feel so far away

Working on a dream

Love will make it real someday

Working on a dream

***HYMN of COMMITMENT #376**

Glorious Is Thy Name, Most Holy

HOLY MANNA

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 #389**

Blest Be the Tie

DENNIS

Blest be the tie that binds
Our hearts in Christian love;
The fellowship of kindred minds
Is like to that above.

When we asunder part
It gives us inward pain;
But we shall still be joined in heart,
And hope to meet again.

Continued on reverse side.

*Please stand as you are able.

Deacon of the Day

Today Leigh Baker

Next week (7/20) David Donnald

Coming soon to the Ridge

July 13, 5:30PM: RRBC mid-summer Vespers

July 13, 7PM: Hadestown performances in the chapel by Alli Mae Carnes Studio.

July 20, following worship: Couples' Shower for Claire in the music room

July 20, 4PM: Click Symphony in the sanctuary

August 17 - September 14: Summer Sunday nights bible study

Announcements

We invite you to participate in this year's midsummer vespers service taking place **tonight, July 13th at 5:30 in the sanctuary**. Our focus this service will be on the labels we choose for ourselves and the ways we combine those. We invite you to bring anything that might be woven together –fabric, yarn, rope, pieces of clothing, or anything else (that you're willing to part with). We look forward to seeing you this evening!

Mark your calendars for **July 20** when we'll celebrate the upcoming wedding of RRBC's Claire Willmschen. The couples' shower will take place in the **music room following worship**. Light snacks will be provided. More details can be found in the emailed newsletter.

Prayer Requests

Church Members

Mary Carraway

Phil Dickens

Bob & Jane Edwards

Deb Johnson

Patricia Lynn

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)

Hugh and Marygena Lynn (brother and sister-in-law of Patricia Lynn)

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

Tommy Jenkins (former member)