

**“My little children, let us not love in word or in tongue, but in deed  
and in truth. And by this we know that we are of the truth,  
and shall assure our hearts before Him. For if our heart condemns us,  
God is greater than our heart and knows all things.  
Beloved, if our heart does not condemn us, we have confidence toward God.  
And whatever we ask we receive from Him, because we keep His commandments and  
do those things that are pleasing in His sight.  
And this is His commandment: that we should believe on the name  
of His Son Jesus Christ and love one another, as He gave  
us commandment. Now he who keeps His commandments abides in Him,  
and He in him. And by this we know that He abides in us,  
by the Spirit whom He has given us.”**

**I John 3: 18-24**



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**Our Weekly Services**

**Sunday School .....9:30 am  
Sunday Morning Worship ..... 11:00 am  
Sunday Evening Worship .....5:30 pm  
Wednesday Prayer Meeting .....7:15 pm**

**We warmly welcome our visitors today and ask that you sign our Guest Register located in the foyer.  
We hope to greet you in a more personal way following the services.**

# The Lord's Day

February 15, 2009

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

# 3 "From All That Dwell  
Below the Skies"

(Second Tune)

Scripture Reading

I John 3

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

"Beautiful Savior"

1. All my days I will sing this song of gladness, give my praise to the Fountain of delights;  
For in my helplessness You heard my cry. And waves of mercy poured down on my life.

*Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor. Clothed in majesty, Lord of history,  
You're the Way, the Truth, the Life. Star of the Morning, glorious in holiness,  
You're the Risen One, heaven's Champion, and You reign, You reign over all!*

2. I will trust in the cross of my Redeemer; I will sing of the blood that never fails,  
Of sins forgiven, of conscience cleansed, of death defeated and life without end.

*Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor. Clothed in majesty, Lord of history,  
You're the Way, the Truth, the Life. Star of the Morning, glorious in holiness,  
You're the Risen One, heaven's Champion, and You reign, You reign over all!*

3. I long to be where the praise is never ending; Yearn to dwell where the glory never fades,  
Where countless worshipers will share one song, and cries of 'Worthy' will honor the Lamb!

*Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor. Clothed in majesty, Lord of history,  
You're the Way, the Truth, the Life. Star of the Morning, glorious in holiness,  
You're the Risen One, heaven's Champion, and You reign, You reign over all!*

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Hymn of Preparation  
Savior"

# 118 "O Savior, Precious

Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

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"In Thee all fullness dwelleth, all grace and power divine:  
The glory that excelleth, O Son of God, is Thine;  
We worship Thee, we bless Thee, to Thee alone we sing;  
We praise Thee, and confess Thee our glorious Lord and King."

Verse 3, O Savior, Precious Savior

Francis R. Havergal, 1870

## Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

**“God Moves in a Mysterious  
Way”**

1. God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform;  
He plants His footsteps in the sea, and rides upon the storm.
2. Deep in unfathomable mines of never failing skill  
He treasures up His bright designs, and works His sovereign will.
3. Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take; the clouds ye so much dread  
Are big with mercy, and shall in blessings on your head.
4. Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, but trust Him for His grace;  
Behind a frowning providence He hides a smiling face.
5. His purposes will ripen fast, unfolding ev’ry hour;  
The bud may have a bitter taste, but sweet will be the flow’r.
6. Blind unbelief is sure to err, and scan His work in vain;  
God is His own interpreter, and He will make it plain. AMEN

Text: William Cowper, 1774    Tune: DUNDEE, Scottish Psalter, 1615

Scripture Reading

**Haggai 2**

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

**# 506 “Why Should Cross and  
Trial Grieve Me?”**

Hymn of Preparation

**“I Will Glory in My Redeemer”**

1. I will glory in my Redeemer whose priceless blood has ransomed me.  
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails and hung Him on that judgment tree.  
I will glory in my Redeemer who crushed the pow’r of sin and death;  
My only Savior before the Holy Judge, the Lamb who is my righteousness,  
The Lamb who is my righteousness.
2. I will glory in my Redeemer. My life he bought, my love He owns.  
I have no longings for another, I’m satisfied in Him alone.  
I will glory in my Redeemer, His faithfulness, my standing place,  
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me, my feet are firm held by His grace,  
My feet are firm held by His grace.
3. I will glory in my Redeemer who carries me on eagle’s wings.  
He crowns my life with lovingkindness, his triumph song I’ll ever sing.  
***I will glory in my Redeemer who waits for me at gates of gold,  
And when He calls me it will be paradise, His face forever to behold.  
His face forever to behold. (Repeat chorus “a cappella”)***

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Sermon

**Pastor Andy Dunkerton**

## **GRBC Calendar Announcements**

*We kindly request that you turn off all cell phones, pagers and watch alarms before the services. Please make use of our well-staffed nursery for children who may become fretful or talkative.*

### **Today**

**Morning Prayer Meeting** - A prayer meeting to seek God's presence for the day's services is held each Sunday morning at 9:00 in the College/Career classroom.

**Testimonies** – We will be privileged to hear three testimonies tonight: Danielle Dix, Michael Lopes, and Thomas Snow.

**Church Directories** are available in the office for members and regular attendees. Two per family, please.

### **February**

**Men's Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 2/17, 6:30 AM**, at the church.

**Senior Trip** - Seniors, (however defined), will take a day trip Thursday, **Feb. 19**. Leaving the church at 8:30, we will go to Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Wake Forest for their chapel service at 10:00. Dr. Daniel Akin, the president, speaks that day. After visiting a couple of places on campus, we will eat together at a local restaurant before heading for Raleigh. We will make a couple of stops in Raleigh before ending up at the IMAX theater at 3:00 for the showing of "Under the Sea 3D". Movie will be under \$10. Sign up will be on the bulletin board.

**Hawfields Service, 2/22, 3:00 PM**

**Youth Meetings, 2/22, following Evening Worship**

### **March**

**Ladies' Missionary Society, 3/7, 9:00 AM**

**Men's Prayer Meetings, 3/3 & 3/17 (Tuesdays), 6:30 AM**

**Moms' Coffee Connection, 3/13, 10:00 AM**

**"Fellowship in Song", Friday, 3/20, 7:30 PM**- An evening of singing is being planned. Details are forthcoming.

**Hawfields Service, 3/22, 3:00 PM**

**Youth Meetings, 3/22, following evening worship**

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| <p><b><u>Attention: Adult Chorus!</u></b> A concert is being planned for May. The March rehearsal schedule is as follows: March 1, 8, 15 &amp; 29 following the evening service.</p> |
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| <p><i>A Couple's Dinner is being planned for Friday evening, March 27.</i></p> |
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| <p><i>***Details will be available next week!***</i></p> |
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