"This is a faithful saying and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am chief. However, for this reason I obtained mercy, that in me first Jesus Christ might show all longsuffering, as a pattern to those who are going to believe on Him for everlasting life. Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, to God who alone is wise, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen"

I Timothy 1: 15-17



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Our Weekly Services

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

We warmly welcome our visitors today. Please complete a "Visitor Card" and place it in the offering plate or in the box located in the foyer. We hope to greet you in a more personal way following the services.

The Lord's Day

January 17, 2010

Call to Worship Pastor Andy Dunkerton

Hymn of Praise # 35 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

Scripture Reading Matthew 9: 1-17

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

"There is a Higher Throne"

1. There is a Higher Throne, than all this world has known, where faithful ones from ev'ry tongue, will one day come. Before the Son we'll stand, made faultless thro' the Lamb;

Believing hearts find promised grace; salvation comes.

Hear heaven's voices sing; their thund'rous anthem rings thro' emerald courts and sapphire skies; their praises rise. All glory, wisdom, pow'r, strength, thanks, and honor are to God, our King, Who reigns on high, forevermore!

2. And there we'll find our home; our life before the Throne. We'll honor Him in perfect song where we belong. He'll wipe each tearstained eye as thirst and hunger die.

The Lamb becomes our Shepherd King, we'll reign with Him.

Hear heaven's voices sing; their thund'rous anthem rings thro' emerald courts

and sapphire skies; their praises rise. All glory, wisdom, pow'r, strength, thanks, and honor

are to God, our King, Who reigns on high, forevermore!

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Hymn of Preparation

271 "How Sweet and Awful is the Place"

Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

"Rejoice, the Lord is King"

- 1. Rejoice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King adore! Rejoice, give thanks and sing and triumph evermore: Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!
- 2. Jesus, the Savior reigns, the God of truth and love; when He had purged our stains He took His seat above: *Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!* Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

- 3. His kingdom cannot fail, He rules o'er earth and heav'n; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv'n. *Lift up your heart, lift up your voice!* Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!
 - 4. He sits at God's right hand till all His foes submit, and bow to His command and fall beneath His feet: *Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!*
 - 5. Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come, and take His servants up to their eternal home. *Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!*Text: Charles Wesley, 1746 alt. Music: John Darwall, 1770

Scripture Reading

Genesis 8

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

- 1. How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure, That He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure. How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away. As wounds which mar the Chosen One Bring many sons to glory.
 - 2. Behold the Man upon the cross, my sin upon His shoulders; Ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers. It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished; His dying breath has brought me life I know that it is finished.
- 3. I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom.
 But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.
 Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot find an answer.
 But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.
 (a cappella)

Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot find an answer. But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.

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Hymn of Preparation

454 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

Sermon Pastor Andy Dunkerton

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# **GRBC Calendar and Announcements**

We kindly request you turn off all cell phones/pagers before worship services. Please make use of our nurseries should children become talkative or fretful.

## **Today**

"Love Offering" <u>tonight</u> for the needs of those suffering under the earthquake devastation in Haiti. Please make checks to: GRBC.

\*\*\*All evening offerings will go to this effort unless otherwise designated.\*\*\*

#### **January**

#### Men's Prayer Meeting, 1/26, 6:30 am

Hawfields Service, 1/24, 3:00 pm

Annual Congregational Meeting- 1/24 & 2/7 — The first part of our annual meeting is scheduled for Sunday evening, January 24 after the evening service. Please plan to stay for this important meeting. We will meet again February 7, for the second portion of the meeting.

# Youth Meetings, 1/24, following the evening service

#### \*\*\*Attention Ladies: Opportunity to serve "Campus Outreach" \*\*\*

"Campus Outreach" is sponsoring a special event, January 20. A special speaker will be invited addressing the topic, "Is Jesus Really the Messiah?" *Refreshments are needed for this event.* If you would be able to provide snacks/drinks, please sign up on the board.

#### **Upcoming Events**

#### College/Career Lunch, February 7.

#### "Training Boys in Manly Leadership"

Any interested in attending lectures by Pastor Hendrix on this topic are asked to sign the sheet on the bulletin board. The meetings will be Thursdays, Feb. 4, 11, 18 & 25.