

**“But when the kindness and the love of God
our Savior toward man appeared, not by works
of righteousness which we have done, but according
to His mercy He saved us, through the washing
of regeneration and renewing of the Holy Spirit,
whom He poured out on us abundantly through
Jesus Christ our Savior, that having been justified
by His grace we should become heirs according
to the hope of eternal life.”**

Titus 3: 4-7

**Worship..... 11:00
Sunday Evening Worship..... 5:30
Wednesday Prayer Meeting..... 7:15**



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**Our Weekly Services
Sunday School
Sunday Morning**

**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

March 21, 2010

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

**# 69 "Lord with Glowing
Heart"**

Scripture Reading

Matthew 13: 24 -43

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

Hymn of Preparation

"Man of Sorrows"

1. Man of Sorrows! What a name for the Son of God, who came,

Ruined sinners to reclaim: Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! What a Savior!
 2. Bearing shame and scoffing rude, in my place condemned He stood,
 Sealed my pardon with His blood: Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! What a Savior!
 3. Guilty, vile, and helpless we; Spotless Lamb of God was He;
 Full atonement! Can it be? Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! What a Savior!
 4. Lifted up was He to die, "It is finished," was His cry;
 Now in heav'n exalted high, Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! What a Savior!
 5. When He comes, our glorious King, all His ransomed home to bring,
 Then anew this song we'll sing: Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah! What a Savior!

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Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Paul Watkins

Hymn of Praise

"My Hope is Built"

1. My hope is built on nothing less than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
 I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.
 On Christ, the solid Rock, I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.
2. When darkness veils His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace;
 In ev'ry high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.
 On Christ the solid Rock, I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.
3. His oath, His covenant, His blood support me in the whelming flood;
 When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.
 On Christ the solid Rock stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand.
4. When He shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in Him be found;
 Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne.
 On Christ the solid Rock I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
 All other ground is sinking sand. Amen

Scripture Reading

John 12: 20-36

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory/Preparatory Hymn

"The Power of the Cross"

1. O, to see the dawn of the darkest day; Christ on the road to Calvary.
 Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then nailed to a cross of wood.
 This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us.
 Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross.
2. O, to see the pain written on Your face, bearing the awesome weight of sin.
 Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed crowning Your bloodstained brow.
 This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us.
 Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross.
3. Now the daylight flees; now the ground beneath quakes as its Maker

bows His head. Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life – “Finished!” the vic’try cry.
This the pow’r of the cross: Christ became sin for us.
Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross.
4. O, to see my name written in the wounds, for through Your suff’ring I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live, won through Your selfless love!
This the pow’r of the cross: Son of God – slain for us.
What a love, what a cost! We stand forgiven at the cross.

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Sermon

Pastor Andy Dunkerton

Communion Hymns

“Behold the Lamb of God”

1. Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away, slain for us---and we remember
The promise made that all who come in faith find forgiveness at the Cross.
So we share---in this bread of life, and we drink---of His sacrifice as a sign---
Of our bonds of peace--- around the table of the King.
2. The body of our Savior Jesus Christ, torn for you---eat and remember;
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life paid the price to make us one.
So we share---in this bread of life, and we drink---of His sacrifice as a sign---
Of our bonds of love---around the table of the King.
3. The blood that cleanses ev’ry stain of sin, shed for you---drink and remember.
He drained death’s cup that we may enter in to receive the life of God.
So we share---in this bread of life, and we drink---of His sacrifice as a sign---
Of our bonds of grace---around the table of the King.
4. And so with thankfulness and faith we rise to respond---and to remember
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ as His body here on earth.
As we share---in His suffering, we proclaim---Christ will come again!
And we’ll join---in the feast of heav’n---around the table of the King.

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185 “By the Cross of Jesus Standing”

190 “Glory be to Jesus”

GRBC Calendar and 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

Communion – Tonight we will celebrate the Lord's Table at the close of our evening service.

Adult Chorus Rehearsal - The Chorus will practice beginning 10 minutes after the close of the service. Please come to the Fellowship room and plan to stay for 35 minutes.

March

Men's Prayer Meeting, 3/ 23, 6:30 am

"Missions" Prayer Meeting/Fellowship, 3/27, 10:00 am – The meeting will include a country report, time of prayer for various missionary efforts, prayer for our local efforts, and a time of fellowship following. There is a *sign up sheet* on the board for snacks for the fellowship time.

Hawfields Service, 3/28, 3:00 pm

Youth Meetings, 3/28, following evening worship

Blood Drive, 3/29 Mebane Presbyterian Church, see sheet on the bulletin board to sign up

Upcoming Events

Senior

Breakfast, 4/17

"Free Sale",

4/24

Fellowship

Song Evening,

May 7, 7:30

pm

Adult Chorus

Rehearsals for Song Fellowship:

March 28 following evening worship, April 11, 18 & 25 following evening worship, May 2, 4:00 in the auditorium

Courtney Corr and Taylor Hughes are involved in the Elon Campus Outreach and will both be raising support to go on Summer Beach Project this summer in Myrtle Beach, SC. They are available to babysit for the families within the church for the rest of this semester. This money will go toward their support for this summer. Their contact information is as follows:

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