

**“O GOD, You are my God; early will I seek You;
my soul thirsts for You; my flesh longs for You
in a dry and thirsty land where there is no water.**

So I have looked in Your sanctuary, to see

Your power and Your glory.

**Because Your lovingkindness is better than life,
my lips shall praise You. Thus I will bless You while**

I live; I will lift up my hands in Your name.

**My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness,
and my mouth shall praise You with joyful lips.”**

Psalm 63:1-5



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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

August 29, 2010

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

**# 133 "O for a Thousand
Tongues to Sing"**

Scripture Reading

Matthew 24:29-51???????

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

"O Church, Arise"

1. O Church, arise, and put your armor on;
hear the call of Christ our Captain.
For now the weak can say that they are strong,
in the strength that God has given.
With shield of faith and belt of truth,
we'll stand against the devil's lies;
an army bold, whose battle cry is love,
reaching out to those in darkness.
2. Our call to war to love the captive soul,
but to rage against the captor;
and with the sword that makes the wounded whole,
we will fight with faith and valor.
When faced with trials on ev'ry side,
we know the outcome is secure,
and Christ will have the prize for which He died
an inheritance of nations.
3. Come see the Cross, where love and mercy meet,
as the Son of God is stricken;
then see His foes lie crushed beneath his feet,
for the Conqueror has risen!
And as the stone is rolled away
and Christ emerges from the grave,
this vic'try march continues till the day
ev'ry eye and heart shall see Him.
4. So Spirit come, put strength in ev'ry stride,
give grace for ev'ry hurdle,
that we may run with faith to win the prize
of a servant good and faithful.
As saints of old still line the way,
retelling triumphs of His grace,
we hear the calls and hunger for the day
when with Christ we stand in Glory.

Hymn of Preparation

**# 488 “Lead On,
O King Eternal”**

Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Stephen Byrd

Hymn of Praise

**# 83 “We Praise Thee,
O God”**

Scripture Reading

Genesis 24:50-67????

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

487 “Faith of our????

Fathers”

Hymn of Preparation

**“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.
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Sermon

Pastor Stu Johnston

GRBC Calendar and Announcements

Today

College/Career Lunch, 8/29 – All College/Career young adults are invited to lunch following the morning service.

Tumey Twin Adoption – Please check the board for a list of helpful items to be used for Amadea and Serena when they arrive from Ethiopia. Place your contributions on the table in the SS wing.

September

LMS, 9/4, 9:00 am – Danielle Dix will speak regarding her trip to Guatemala, particularly about the ministry to women there. Cathy Clemmons will give a report on Malawi.

Loaves and Fishes “Bag Lunch Saturday, 9/4, 10:00 am” – GRBC is partnering with L & F to make and distribute bag lunches to Oakwood and Tanglewood **every 1st Saturday of the month, beginning in September.** We will need 8-10 people to meet at the church, make the lunches and deliver them. This should take 2-3 hours total. Please consider how you and/or your family can participate in this ministry opportunity. There is a “drop box” to donate non-perishable food items (more specifics will be at the box site in the SS foyer). If you need more info or have questions, please contact Neal Luther: 919-563-6642 or email:

nealandjenn@gmail.com

Please see the bulletin board for sign-up.

MCC, 9/10, 10:00 am

Annual Church Picnic and 40th Anniversary Celebration, 9/18 & 19 – We will share in food and fellowship on Saturday, **9/18 for our Annual Picnic** celebrating Pastor Hendrix’s 40th year at GRBC. The festivities begin at 4:00 pm. On the Lord’s Day, Pastor Randy Pizzino will preach both in the AM and PM. David Scott will be presenting a “history” of GRBC in the SS hour. *****Sign-up sheets for the picnic are now posted on the bulletin board! Please sign up ASAP!*****

Ladies’ Bible Study - Please sign up now if you desire to continue in the study this year, and please do sign up if you would like to join us. We are studying the book of Hebrews. We need to order some more books, and plan our small groups, so let us know ASAP if you plan to join us. You can sign up by emailing Patti Hamilton or by checking the bulletin board at church. We begin on the third Tuesday (the 21st) of September at 10:00. We do have a nursery for all you young mothers with children at home.

*****There is a new transportation sheet posted for the Fransons. Some of the rides are “drop-off” only. Please see the bulletin board if you can help.*****

*****Meal List for the Shelley Family*****

This is an ongoing need at present. A new sheet will be posted on Wednesdays for each upcoming week until the need no longer exists.

Sunday Morning Prayer, 9:00 am

A special time of prayer for our services is held in the Matthew Henry Room,
(College/Career room.) You are invited to attend.