

**"There shall come forth a Rod from
the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall
grow out of his roots.**

**The Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon
Him, the Spirit of wisdom and
understanding, the Spirit of counsel
and might, the Spirit of knowledge
and of the fear of the LORD."**

Isaiah 11: 1-2



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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

December 5, 2010

Call to Worship

Pastor Andy Dunkerton

Hymn of Praise

**# 145 "Come, Thou Long-
Expected Jesus"/
"O Come, Let Us Adore Him"**

O come, let us adore Him, O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.
For He alone is worthy, for He alone is worthy,
For He alone is worthy, Christ the Lord.

Scripture Reading

John 9: 1-25

Offertory Hymn

**# 77 "The Lord's My
Shepherd" (third tune)**

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn of Preparation

"There is a Redeemer"

1. There is a Redeemer, Jesus God's own Son;
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.
Thank You, oh, my Father, for giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit 'til the work on earth is done.
2. Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names;
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, O for sinners slain.
Thank You, oh, my Father, for giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit 'til the work on earth is done.
3. When I stand in Glory, I will see His face,
There I'll serve my King forever in that holy place.
Thank You, oh, my Father, for giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit 'til the work on earth is done.

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Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise

147 "O Come, O Come
Emmanuel"

Scripture Reading

Genesis 31: 1-18

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

153 "Behold a Branch
is Growing"

Hymn of Preparation

"All I Have is Christ"

1. I once was lost in darkest night, yet thought I knew the way.
The sin that promised joy and life had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own a rebel to Your will.
And if You had not loved me first, I would refuse You still.----
2. But as I ran my hellbound race, indifferent to the cost,
You looked upon my helpless state and led me to the cross.
And I beheld God's love displayed, You suffered in my place.
You bore the wrath reserved for me, now all I know is grace.----
Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.
3. Now Lord I would be Yours alone, and live so all might see
The strength to follow Your commands could never come from me.
O Father, use my ransomed life in any way You choose,
And let my song forever be my only boast in You.----
Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.
(a cappella)
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Sermon

Pastor Andy Dunkerton

GRBC Calendar and Announcements

Today

Casey Kirkman is continuing to teach in the SS hour at Sumner Baptist Church, Greensboro.

Nick Gaines is preaching at Trinity Church in Roanoke, VA.

The **College & Career Lunch** will be served today immediately following the service.

Testimonies tonight - Please plan to stay to hear the testimonies of Estela Gonzalez, Andra Penning, and Denny and Cintia Fernández immediately following the service.

Mebane MESSIAH - The Mebane Community Choir will present portions of Handel's MESSIAH today at 3:00 at the Mebane Presbyterian Church. Several of our folk are participating. Liza Hawkins and David White are soloists.

The new church directories are available. Two copies per family, please.

*****Youth Mission Scholarship Applications*****

If you are interested in serving "overseas" during the summer of 2011, you are encouraged to apply for this opportunity.
Please contact Stephen Byrd asap.

*****Grand Rapids "Youth Retreat"- Ages 14 through college*****

Brochures are available in the foyers.

*** **"New Year's Conference"*****

Young married couples and single adults - ages 18 (high school grads) and up.
Brochures are available in the foyers.

Opportunities to Serve

Donations are being collected for the Alamance Community Services Meal Site Christmas Party "gift bags". Some of the Seniors who receive these gifts attend our breakfasts. This year, our church is asked to donate stamps, note cards, hand sanitizer, lotion and baby wipes. **Please leave your contributions on pamphlet table in the SS foyer. The collection will end Wednesday evening, Dec. 8.**

Donations are needed for Loaves & Fishes - A box for your contributions for the bagged lunches is in the hallway of the new foyer. **Please read the list of specific needed items!*

December Calendar

Ladies' Bible Study, 12/7 & 21, 10:00 am

MCC, 12/10, 10:00 am

The **VisionYouth Christmas Party** is at 5pm on Saturday, Dec 11 at the home of Jonathan and Stephanie White. All high school and college aged youth are welcome. Please RSVP on the website or by contacting Jonathan and Stephanie or Ben and Andrea Allen.

The Adult Chorus Practice for Dec. 17 "Song Fellowship" will be on Sun., 12/12, @ 4:00 in the auditorium.

Children's Practice for the Dec. 17 "Song Fellowship", Sunday evening, Dec. 12. - Ages K-4 thru 3/4 grade will practice beginning 10 minutes following the close of the service and will last for 20 minutes.

Men's Prayer Meeting, 12/17, 6:30 am

Fellowship Song Evening, 12/17, 7:30 pm - Plan to bring your favorite "goodie" to share during the refreshment time.

"End of Year Conference" begins 12/31

Sunday Morning Prayer

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