"Oh, that men would give thanks to the LORD for His goodness, and for His wonderful works to the children of men! For He satisfies the longing soul, and fills the hungry soul with goodness."

Psalm 107:8-9



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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's 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

November 27, 2011

Call to Worship Pastor Stu Johnston

Hymn of Praise #10 "O Come, My Soul"

Scripture Reading Acts 24: 22 - 25:12

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn #139 "Jesus, I am

Resting"

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 Andy Dunkerton



Evening Worship

Call to Worship

Pastor Charles Fortner

Hymn of Praise

"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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Scripture Reading Genesis 47: 20 ~ 28: 22

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn #473 "Lord of Our

Life" (to alternate tune)

Preparatory Hymn #280 "I Love Thy

Kingdom, Lord"

(to alternate tune)

Sermon Pastor Stu Johnston

GRBC Calendar and Announcements <u>Today</u>

<u>Hawfields Ministry</u> - Casey Kirkman will be speaking at the service today. Everyone is welcome to join with these elderly residents for a time of worship. <u>Youth Meetings tonight following the service.</u> The Jr. Highs will meet at the home of the Griggs. "VisionYouth" will meet at the home of J. & S. White.

December

Ladies' Missionary Society, 12/3, 9:00 am

<u>Loaves and Fishes "Bag Lunch" preparation, 12/3, 10:00 am</u>
<u>Baby Shower for Mary Lopes, 12/3, 2:00 -4:00 pm, home of Pam Siler</u> Please see the bulletin board for sign-up and info.

MESSIAH Concert, Sunday, 12/4, 3:00 pm at the Mebane Presbyterian Church - Several of our singers participate each year in this Mebane Community Choir's presentation. A reception will follow and will end before our 5:30 service.

Foster Care Meeting, 12/5 - There will be a meeting here at the church on Monday, Dec. 5th, at 7:30 pm with representatives from Alamance County DSS and CHS. They will present information and take questions about foster care and foster-to-adoption opportunities in our county. *Please notify Lolly*

Wright if you are interested in attending this informational meeting.

Moms' Coffee Connection, 12/9, 10:00 am

Men's Prayer Meeting, 12/9 & 23, 6:30 am— There has been a change in the meeting schedule. You will now meet on the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month.

Adult Chorus Practice, 12/11, 4:00 pm in the auditorium

Men's Action Meeting, 12/15, 7:30 pm

<u>Children's Music Practice, 12/11, after the pm service in the auditorium Christmas Song Fellowship & refreshments, 12/18 following the evening service</u>

Announcements and Upcoming Events

<u>Youth Retreat 2011/Grand Rapids</u> - If you are interested in attending the retreat, please see Jonathan White ASAP!

 $\underline{\textbf{Campus Outreach Opportunities}} \text{ - Please see the bulletin board for ways you can help provide refreshments, etc. for our friends from Elon's CO.}$

"Food for the Hungry" - Please visit: fh.org/gracereformed or our website (grbc.net) for information.

<u>Franson's Tranportaion List</u> - There are ongoing needs to help with transportation for Peter and Joan. Please check the bulletin board list.

2012 Family Conference, July 10-13. Information can be found at: http://familyconference.grbc.net