"Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, and into His courts with praise.

Be thankful to Him, and bless His name.
For the LORD is good;
His mercy is everlasting, and His
truth endures to all generations."

Psalm 100: 4 - 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'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 March 18, 2012

#### Call to Worship

#### Pastor Andy Dunkerton

#### "Glorify Thy Name"

- Father, we love You, we worship and adore You, glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name in all the earth.
  - 2. Jesus, we love You... 3. Spirit, we love You...

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Hymn of Praise #10 "O Come, My Soul

Scripture Reading Romans 4:13 - 25

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Hymn

#535 "How Good It Is to Thank the Lord"

#### Hymn of Preparation

"A Hymn of Thanksgiving"

I thank You, Lord, for Your sov'reign goodness,
the mercy You've shown me, Your glorious church. I thank You, Lord,
for justification, divine contemplation, the comfort and goodness
and the truth of Your Word.

I thank You, Lord, for the joys of communion, of table and closet, the sweetness of prayer. I thank You, Lord, for the saints gone before us, the heavenly chorus, and future rejoicing in the LORD who is there.

Surely goodness and mercy follow me all of my days--and I will dwell in the house of the Lord, forever and ever, Amen.

- I thank You, Lord, for each precious baby, the blessings of children, the pleasures of home. I thank You, Lord, for opening bare wombs, for conquering the tomb,the promise of reaping from the tears we have sown. I thank You, Lord, for corporate mercies, the work of Your Spirit, the gifts we employ.
  - I thank You, Lord, for heavenly glimpses, for all that Your Word says, the giving of thanks with Your people in joy. (*Chorus*)
- I thank You, Lord, for restoring the lost years, for bottling my tears, renewing my soul. I thank You, Lord, for healing diseases, salvation in Jesus, for each wand'ring sheep that's brought back to the fold.
   I thank You, Lord, for the trials you have brought me, the patience you've taught me, in suff'ring and loss.

I thank You, Lord, for the hope that You give me, that You'll never leave me, the work of redemption, for gold from the dross. (*Chorus*)

Sermon

Pastor Gary Hendrix

## Evening Worship

Call to Worship Hymn of Praise

Pastor Andu Dunkerton #53 Hallelujah,

Praise Jehovah"

Scripture Reading Offertory Hymn

Exodus 8:1-15 "In My Heart"

1. In my heart there is a stirring, one that did not start with me; A love to worship my Creator, to show His love for all to see. I will worship, I will honor, I will exalt the Lord above; All my days I'll sing the praises of His great redeeming love.

2. In my heart there is a treason, one that poisons all my love.

Take my heart and consecrate it, wash it in Your cleansing flood. (Chorus)

3. Tie me to the Rock unchanging, tie me to His wondrous cross. I'll fix my eyes upon the Savior, all other things I count as loss.

(Chorus, 2x's)

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# Pastoral Prayer

# Humn of Preparation

# "To Serve the King"

1. O Lord, we have gathered to worship You. Here as one in this place stand to bask in Your grace and to worship You. We bring to You our sacrifice, our gifts of gold and myrrh and spice and bowing adore You in the courts of our King! (Chorus) Come touch our lips and fashion praise, come set our hearts

with love ablaze for You alone, no desire but for You! We lift our hands to serve our King, our offering we gladly bring to You, our God!

2. O Lord, we remember where we began. In the service of all that was petty and small and our souls enslaved. You came to us *in our* misery, You gave Your life to set us free. Our years not more wasting, they are Yours now, O King! (Chorus)

3. O Lord, ev'ry day You've been there for us.

All our need you've provided, our way ever guided until this day. You've fought for us when hope was lost and calmed our fears when tempest tossed. Your arms kind and mighty are the arms of a King. (Chorus)

4. Come, Lord, no more waiting, please come to us! Cause the heavens to rend then for judgment descend and deliver us! Come purge this world of all that's wrong, then 'round You let the millions throng to serve You forever in the land of our King! (Chorus)

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#### Sermon

#### Pastor Stu Johnston

# GRBC Calendar and Announcements

# Today

#### Baptism/Membership Class

Pastor Andy will begin the first of a four-part class today at 4:15 pm at the church. The meeting will last for one hour.

#### Memorial Service

A memorial service for Mrs. Rosie Martin will be held tonight following the evening service for any who would like to attend. A nursery will be provided.

#### Adult Chorus

The group will **not** practice tonight. The next practice will be after the evening service on March 25th.

#### \*\*\* Pastoral Visitation Sign-up \*\*\*

If your last name begins with the letters A-F, please see the sheet on the bulletin board to sign up for a Pastoral visit from Pastor Fortner.

# March

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

Adult Chorus Practice, 3/25 following evening worship

Hawfields Ministry, 3/25, 3:00 PM

Youth Meetings, 3/25, locations TBD

### \*\*\*Senior Breakfast, 3/31, 9:00 AM - Sign -up sheets are posted!\*\*\*

Lots of helpers are needed. If you are 60 + and would like to attend, please sign up on the board as well.

#### \*\*\*VisionYouth Girls' Bible Study\*\*\*

Attention High School and College girls: Spring is a time of new-life and growth...Let's use this spring to grow our relationship with Jesus by coming together in His Word!We'll study to have a deeper Devotional Life and a more Faith-filled Life.

When: Each Sunday in April, 3:30 - 5:00 pm. Where: Stephanie White's home

### Announcements (continued next page)

- \*Church Directories may now be found in the church office. Two copies per family, please.
- \*Snack items are needed for Campus Outreach meetings. Please see the bulletin board if you can help provide these.
- \*"Food for the Hungry" You may visit: fh.org/gracereformed for information.
- \*Mebane Community Churches Blood Drive, Monday, 3/26, 2:00 7:30 pm, Mebane Presbyterian Church. Refer to bulletin board for further details.

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