

**"Now may the God of peace  
Himself sanctify you completely;  
and may your whole spirit,  
soul, and body be preserved  
blameless at the coming of our  
Lord Jesus Christ.  
He who calls you is faithful,  
who also will do it."  
I Thessalonians 5: 23-24**



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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

May 25, 2014

Call to Worship

John Walker

Opening Song

"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 is You.----  
**Hallelujah! All I have is Christ. Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.**  
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Scripture Reading

I Thessalonians 5: 12-28

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory Song

"How Deep the Father's  
Love for Us"

1. How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure,  
that He should give His only Son to make a wretch His treasure.  
How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away.  
As wounds which mar the Chosen One bring many sons to glory.
2. Behold the Man upon the cross, my sin upon His shoulders;  
ashamed, I hear my mocking voice call out among the scoffers.  
It was my sin that held Him there until it was accomplished;  
His dying breath has brought me life. I know that it is finished.
3. I will not boast in anything, no gifts, no pow'r, no wisdom.  
But I will boast in Jesus Christ, His death and resurrection.  
Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.  
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.  
**Why should I gain from His reward? I cannot give an answer.**  
**But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom.**  
**(repeat)**

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Hymn of Preparation

#190 "Glory Be to Jesus"

Sermon

Dr. Daniel Akin

## Evening Service

**Call to Worship**

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**Opening Hymn**

**#547 "My Jesus, I Love  
Thee"**

**Offertory Song**

**"When Trials Come"**

1. When trials come, no longer fear, for in the pain our God draws near,  
to fire a faith worth more than gold; and there His faithfulness is told;  
and there His faithfulness is told.
2. Within the night I know Your peace; the breath of God brings strength to me.  
And, new each morning, mercy flows as treasures of the darkness grow;  
as treasures of the darkness grow.
3. I turn to wisdom not my own, for ev'ry battle You have known.  
My confidence will rest in You; Your love endures, Your ways are good;  
Your love endures, Your ways are good.
4. When I am weary with the cost, I see the triumph of the cross;  
So in its shadow I shall run 'till He completes the work begun;  
'till He completes the work begun.
5. One day all things will be made new; I'll see the hope You called me to.  
And in Your Kingdom paved with gold I'll praise Your faithfulness of old;  
I'll praise Your faithfulness of old.

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**Campus Outreach Report**

**Paul Billings**

**Prayer**

**Song of Preparation**

**"Jesus, Thou Joy  
of Loving Hearts"**

1. Jesus, Thou Joy of loving hearts, Thou Fount of life, thou Light of men,  
From the best bliss that earth imparts we turn unfilled to Thee again.
  2. Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood; Thou savest those  
that on Thee call;  
To them that seek Thee Thou art good, to them that find Thee All in all.
3. We taste Thee, O Thou living Bread, and long to feast upon Thee still;  
We drink of Thee, the Fountainhead, and thirst our souls  
from Thee to fill.
4. Our restless spirits yearn for Thee, where'er our changeful lot is cast;  
Glad when Thy gracious smile we see, blest when our faith  
can hold Thee fast.
5. O Jesus, ever with us stay, make all our moments calm and bright;  
Chase the dark night of sin away, shed o'er the world Thy holy light.

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**Scripture Reading**

**I Peter 1: 3-12**

**Sermon**

**Pastor Andy Dunkerton**

## **GRBC Calendar & Announcements**

### **Today**

*Dr. Daniel Akin, President of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary is our guest preacher. Dr. Akin will speak during the SS hour and preach in the morning service.*

\*\*\*Hawfields Ministry, 3:00 p.m.\*\*\*

Daniel Porterfield will speak to the residents today.

\*\*\* Family Picnic tonight for both Youth Groups\*\*\*

Both youth groups and their families are invited to a picnic following the evening service.

### **May 25 - June 21**

- Sunday morning prayer, 9:00 a.m. in the College/Career room
- Men's Morning Bible Study, 5/27, 11:00 a.m.
- Ladies' Missionary Society, 5/31, 9:00 a.m.
- Special Offering for Bradford Academy, (scholarship fund), 6/1
- Adult Chorus Practice begins June 1 - All singers are welcome, 9th grade and above. Plan to meet in the Fellowship room beginning 5 minutes after the p.m. service. \*The chorus will practice each Sunday evening during the month of June.\*
- Men's Morning Bible Study, 6/10, 11:00 a.m. - This is the last meeting until fall.
- Fellowship Picnic, 6/15 following p.m. worship
- \*\*\*\*\*No Men's ACTION Meeting in June

### **Announcements**

\*2014 Youth "Beach Retreat", Monday-Thursday, June 30-July 3\* - High school and college youth are welcome. Please contact Jonathan White for further details.

\*The SRB Family Conference is scheduled for July 29-August 1 at the Ridgecrest Conference Center. Please register asap!\*

\*The 2014 Women's Conference is scheduled for October 17-18.\*

\*Alamance Pregnancy Services "Baby Bottle Boomerang"\*

Place your "filled" bottles in the church office. The collection ends June 29.

\*Emmanuel Baptist Church, Verona, VA announces the dates for their Ladies' Retreat - September 5-6. Brochures will be available soon.\*

(College and High School Graduates listed on the next page)

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**Congratulations to our College Graduates!**

**Undergraduate Degrees**

**Kerry Curry** - University of NC at Greensboro

**Michelle Jacobson** - Chowan University

**Michelle Orlowski** - NC State University

**Elizabeth Compère** - Thomas Edison State College (September 2014)

From Elon University:

**Stephanie Carroll**      **Kendall Crouther**      **Brian Gerwig**

**Zach Horner**              **Jack Isenbarger**      **Josiah Jodrey**

**Claire Mayo**              **Kaitlyn Palumbo**      **Ben Perron**

**Jimmy Stevenson**      **Alice Sudlow**

**Postgraduate Degrees**

**Ruth Compère** - Master's Degree, Appalachian State University

**Danielle Dix** - Master's Degree, Liberty University

**Benjamin Wright** - Master's Degree, Graduate Institute  
of Applied Linguistics

**Congratulations to our High School Graduates!**

**Joshua Andersen** - Alamance Christian School

**Kelsey Hamilton** - Glen High School

**Michael Jacobson** - Orange High School

**Audrey White** - Alamance Christian School

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