

## TAPESTRY Praise Service

March 19, 2017 11:15 am  
Welcome  
\*Opening Songs "You're Worthy of My Praise"  
"You are My King"  
\*Opening Prayer  
\*Congregational Response "The Stand"  
\*Greeting  
Sharing Our Gifts "Hungry"  
Scripture Reading Judges 16:1-21  
Message "Samson and Delilah" John Hartman  
\*Closing Song "Open the Eyes of My Heart"  
\*Blessing

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

### Wednesday Night Live

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for dinner at 5:45pm followed by a new study by John Ortberg, "Who Is This Man," which is about the impact of Jesus Christ as history's most familiar figure, yet he is the man no one really knows. From the Dark Ages to Post-Modernity, he is the man who won't go away. The menu is teriyaki chicken with rice, steamed vegetables, apple crisp, and fruit punch. There will be gluten free and vegetarian options – please advise when you place your reservation. Adults \$7, Children \$3. Please contact us at [info@fellowship-presbyterian.com](mailto:info@fellowship-presbyterian.com) or 336-288-5177 by Tuesday at noon to guarantee a dinner.

### Electronic Messaging Sign Update:

Construction will begin this week!

After two years of planning, it will become a reality!

\$29,950.00 has been donated.

\$1,425 expected in pledges, totaling \$31,375.00.

That will leave \$6,625 needed by April 1, 2017.

**Thank you for your generous donations!**

Hopefully we can dig deep to fulfill this commitment to share our story with the community.

## Concerns & Celebrations Prayer List – 03/19/17

### Fellowship Family:

Steve Brandt – neck surgery 2/10  
Chuck Morgan - surgery 2/9, 3/2  
Carol Morgan – neck surgery 1/4  
Gray Delafield  
MaryLu Sanders  
Bill Riedel & Geneva Camp Riedel  
Tom Roach  
Ned Steele  
Yvonne & Jerry McGrady

### Our Homebound:

Ruth Trace  
Sel Coble  
Jay and Eileen Morman

### Military Service:

Jimmy Clark, Ft. Benning, GA

### Ministry of the Week:

Creative Hearts & Hands  
Contact: Nora Burlison at 336-375-5518  
or [hnb81454@bellsouth.net](mailto:hnb81454@bellsouth.net).

### March Congregational Care Contact:

Nancy Gibble at 336-545-1019 or  
[ngibble@triad.rr.com](mailto:ngibble@triad.rr.com)

### Praying For Others:

Jim Keffer, Gail & Wayne Hill –  
Beverly Cooper's family and friends  
Amelia & Jack Hosier –  
Wayne's parents  
Larry Boccio – Jeanette Hosier's dad  
Evelyn York – Gail French's mom  
David French – Greg's dad  
John Lindahl – Steve's brother  
Don Davis - Donna Lane's father  
Jackie Sullivan – VF  
Mike Kelley – Friend of Morgans  
Jim Saveriano – Toni Lindahl's father  
Donna Yow – friend of Harts w/cancer  
Madison Batten Davies – Anne's niece  
Ruth Steele – Ned's mom  
Charlotte Summers – Donna's mom  
John & Sarah Haack –  
Cathy Lee's parents  
Stan Lee – Dick Lee's father  
Joan MacGregor – Don Sanders' sister  
Gwen Flowers – Linda Ueland's sister  
David Wood – Sarah St Cyr's brother  
Jean Blake – dialysis

(Please let us know of any new Concerns and Celebrations  
by emailing [info@fellowship-presbyterian.com](mailto:info@fellowship-presbyterian.com)  
or by calling the office at 336-288-5177 by Wednesday morning.)

*We ask that all cell phones be turned to silent and that food and drinks  
(with the exception of water) remain outside the Sanctuary.*

**FRIENDSHIP PADS:** Please sign and pass the folders during the service. Visitors, please give your name, address, phone number, and email.

**VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME** to get involved in the life and ministry of our church. If you have questions, please call the church office (336-288-5177).

**HEARING DEVICES** are available in the Narthex for those who may need them. You may keep the earpiece and reuse it. Just ask an usher for assistance. Please return the receiver after the service.

**LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BIBLES** are available in a basket in the Narthex. Please replace your book in the basket after the service.

**NURSERY** - Children of all ages are welcome in our worship. We do have a nursery for children (birth to age four) of families participating in Worship & Sunday School. Children's Activity Blue Bags are available in the Narthex. An usher will assist you.

### Congregational Participants

**Worship Leader** Julie Davis

**Ushers** Amy Dunphy, Larry Van Horn, Hubert Lathan, Fred Delafield

**Nursery Volunteer** Julie Davis

**Media Tech** Brian Dunphy, Charles Layno, Jim Spain

**Elder to unlock building in March** Dick Lee

**Money Counters in March** Dan Dobbins, Dick Lee



### Fellowship Presbyterian Church

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We're on Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/fpcgso>

And we tweet: [www.twitter.com/fellowshipcc](http://www.twitter.com/fellowshipcc)

John Hartman's sermons are available on our website.

**FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH . . .**

*Called to follow Christ,*

*Equipped to share Christ's teachings,*

*Committed to serve Christ in the world!*

**FELLOWSHIP CALENDAR**

Sun. March 19 9:45am Traditional Worship  
 10:45am FPC Mingle in the Dogwood Lobby  
 11:15am Tapestry Praise Service  
 11:15am Sunday School

Mon. March 20 6:15pm Girl Scout Troop # 02879  
 7pm Fellowship Ringers

Tues. March 21 12 noon SAGES  
 6:30pm Women's Bible Study in the Parlor  
 Bulletin & Blast Deadline

Weds. March 22 7am Holy Grounds Men's Study at Panera Bread  
 5:45pm Wednesday Night Live  
 7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thurs. March 23 6 pm Daisy Girl Scouts  
 7pm Praise Team Rehearsal in the Sanctuary

Sun. March 26 9:45am Traditional Worship  
 10:45am FPC Mingle in the Dogwood Lobby  
 11:15am Tapestry Praise Service  
 11:15am Sunday School



John Hartman continues his countdown of the Top 40 Stories in the Bible with God creating humanity. Next week, we will look at Joshua and the Walls of Jericho.

**HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE**

<b>April 13, 7:00pm</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Service</b>
<b>April 14, 7:00pm</b>	<b>Good Friday Service</b>
<b>April 16, 7:00am</b>	<b>Easter Sunrise Service</b>
<b>9:45am</b>	<b>Traditional Service</b>
<b>11:15am</b>	<b>Praise Service</b>



Yard Sale, Saturday, April 1 from 6:00am to 12 noon.  
Sunday, April 30, 10:00am – "Church Has Left the Building"  
Saturday, May 20, Church Picnic at Bur-Mil Park

**Service of Worship For The Lord's Day**

March 19, 2017

9:45 am

**Gathering of the People of God**

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements, and Signing of the Friendship Pads

\*Choral Introit "Come Sing to God"

\*Call to Worship from Psalm 30

Pastor: Sing praises to the Lord, all God's faithful people.

**People: Give thanks to God's holy name.**

Pastor: God's anger is but for a moment;

**People: God's favor is a for a lifetime.**

Pastor: Weeping may linger for a night;

**People: But joy comes in the morning.**

**All: Be glad in the Lord and sing for joy!**

\*Hymn # 307 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

Prayer of Confession (unison)

*Merciful God, we confess our disobedience to you in thoughts, words and deeds. We have surrendered to sinful temptations, rather than surrendering our lives to your will and your ways. We have behaved in a foolish manner, failing to realize that our selfishness hinders our faith development. Forgive us, and help us to cling to the grace and strength you offer to us. Free us into the joyful obedience of your love which bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, and endures all things. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray . . .*

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of God's Forgiveness

Leader: Here is a truth you can take to heart, put your weight on, and depend upon:

**People: Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners just like us.**

\*Congregational Response "Change My Heart, O God"

*Change my heart, O God; make it ever true.*

*Change my heart, O God; may I be like you.*

*You are the Potter; I am the clay.*

*Mold me and make me; this is what I pray.*

*Change my heart, O God; make it ever true.*

*Change my heart, O God; may I be like you.*

\*Greeting

*Concerns and Celebrations, Prayer, and The Lord's Prayer*

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

**Hearing God's Word**

Scripture Reading

Judges 16:1-9

OT page 234

\*Hymn # 286

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

Scripture Reading

Judges 16:10-21

OT pages 234-5

Message

"Samson and Delilah"

John Hartman

**Giving Thanks to God**

Our Tithes and Offerings to God

Choral Anthem "Be Thou My Vision"

\*Offertory Response # 607 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.*

*Praise Christ, all people here below;*

*Praise Holy Spirit evermore;*

*Praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.*

Prayer of Dedication

**Sending Forth in God's Name**

\*Hymn # 269

"Lead On, O King Eternal!"

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction "God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

\*Postlude

**Coffee & Conversation meets in the Library:**

Sunday School for March 2017: The Eden Narrative in Genesis 2 & 3 offered a Tree of Life with immortality available. This week we will look at Adapa, one of two early Mesopotamian accounts we will review on the theme of lost immortality, for comparison and contrast. We'll discover an echo of one its plot lines that seems to have appeared in a familiar New Testament account. Class meets at 10am and 11am in the Library.

**Seekers Class meets in the Parlor:**

The Seekers continue the study of the Heidelberg Catechism, one of our Presbyterian Church's Confessional Statements that date back to 1563, and uses a question and answer format, drawing on biblical language and reformed theology. Belva Jo Moore, Discussion Leader.