

FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH . . .

Called to follow Christ,

Equipped to share Christ's teachings,

Committed to serve Christ in the world!

FELLOWSHIP CALENDAR

- Sun. Oct. 14 9:30am Traditional Worship
10:30-11:20am Adult Education & Fellowship Blend
11:30am Tapestry Contemporary Service
- Mon. Oct. 15 6pm Girl Scouts in the Fellowship Hall
7pm Fellowship Ringers
- Tues. Oct. 16 12 noon SAGES
5:45pm Stewardship & Finance Committee
6:30pm Women's Bible Study in the Library
- Weds. Oct. 17 7:00am Holy Grounds Men's Study at Panera
6:30pm Programs Committee
7:30pm Chancel Choir
- Thurs. Oct. 18 5:30pm PCC Board Meeting in the Library
6:30pm Property Committee
6:30pm Transition Team in the Parlor
7pm Tapestry Praise Team Rehearsal/Sanctuary
- Sun. Oct. 21 9:30am Traditional Worship
10:30-11:20am Adult Education & Fellowship Blend
11:30am Tapestry Contemporary Service
2pm Girl Scouts in the Fellowship Hall

FELLOWSHIP STAFF MEMBERS

Rev. Dr. Nancy Jo Dederer Interim Pastor	Blake Tickle Music Director/Student Intern	Martha Shannon Office Manager
Cynthia Hartis Accompanist	Melissa Mitchell Dir. Fellowship Schools	Claire Clark Dir. Handbells
		Debbie Clark Dir. After School

Welcome to Fellowship Presbyterian Church! We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Please stay for fellowship time in the Dogwood Lobby, and take a moment to introduce yourself to Pastor Nancy.



October 14, 2018

Fellowship Presbyterian Church

2005 New Garden Road, Greensboro, NC 27410

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We're on Facebook, and we tweet: www.twitter.com/fellowshippc



Service of Worship For The Lord's Day

October 14, 2018

9:30am

*Congregation stands as able. Indented BOLD indicates Congregation to speak.

Gathering of the People of God

Prelude

Welcome, Announcements, and Signing of the Friendship Pads

Introit

***Call to Worship**

Here in this sacred space, there are no foreigners.

All are welcome in God's house.

In this time of worship, may there be only acceptance,

**for love is the language of faith. Here in our lives, there are no divisions,
for God dwells in each of us. Come, let us worship in unity and love.**

***Hymn # 35**

Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

Lobe Den Herren

Prayer of Confession

God our Redeemer, you are our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. You accompany us in moments of blessedness and in periods of brokenness; yet, at times we fail to recognize your presence. We choose instead to live in self-centered reliance as though we are in isolation. In turn, we isolate the most vulnerable. We act as though crises beyond our community do not deserve our concern. Forgive us for all of the times when we have given into the fear of uncertainty instead of the grace of solidarity. We confess that by expulsion or neglect, we push away those who seek refuge in our midst, ignoring that you are the Redeemer who offers refuge to all. Free us now from our suffocating isolation, that we may breathe anew your liberating Spirit, the source of all compassion, the strength of all justice. We pray in the name of Christ Jesus and by the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Concerns & Celebrations Prayer List – 10/14/18

Fellowship Family:

Katie Steele
Belva Moore-hip replacement recovery
Margie Lathan
Chris Dederer – surgery Monday
Barbara Smith
Phyllis King
John & Judy Meyler

Our Homebound:

Ruth Trace
Eileen Morman
Lea Groves

Military Service:

Jimmy Clark, Fort Benning

October Congregational Care

Contact: Linda Ueland at 336-314-5481 or lindaueand@gmail.com

Praying for Others:

Rev. Bryan McFarland – traveling in Kenya
for Sister2Sister Hunger Ministry
Donnie & Jackson Kirstner – at home
Nicole Lindahl, daughter of Toni & Steve
Heather Meyler – Judy's daughter-in-law
Keith Gamble – teacher Betsy Miles' dad,
slowly recovering in Utah
Yanique's sister Thasya – chemo
Rohn Raghav – surgical cancer recovery,
prayers for wife, family, (daughter
works w/Terry Anderson)
Chris Floyd – Christy King's mother, bad
fall requiring surgery
Shirley Walser – heart surgery
Ruth Steele – Ned's mom
Charlotte Summers – Donna's mom
Stan Lee – Dick Lee's father
Gwen Flowers – Linda Ueland's sister
David Wood – Sarah St Cyr's brother

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

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 folders during the service. Visitors, please give your name, address, phone, and email.

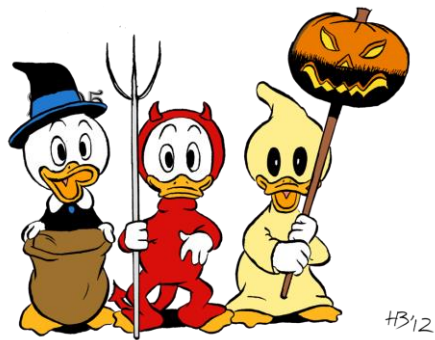
VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME to get involved in the life and ministry of our church. If you have questions, please call the church office (336-288-5177).

HEARING DEVICES are available in the Narthex for those who may need them. You may keep the earpiece and reuse it. 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.

CHILDREN OF ALL AGES are welcome in our worship. Children's Activity Blue Bags are available in the Narthex. An usher will assist you.

PRINTED COPIES OF PASTOR NANCY'S sermons are also ordinarily available. Just ask an usher for assistance.



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Invites all the little ghosts and
goblins in your life to a very fun,
very spooky, very tasty, very safe
and very free

Trunk or Treat Halloween Celebration

Saturday, October 27th from 3:00-5:00pm

Wear your scariest or prettiest or cutest costume and get FREE treats!
Trunk or Treat will be in the large parking lot to the left of the church!
Don't you dare miss it!!

SAGES

SENIOR RESOURCES OF GUILFORD COUNTY

What: Lunch: \$5, with presentation by Richard Smith of Senior Resources of Guilford County

When: Tuesday, October 16, 12 noon

Where: Fellowship Hall

RSVP: Nancy Gible, 545-1019, by Sunday, May 13
Friends welcome.

Women's Bible Study

You are invited to the Women's Bible study on Tuesdays at 6:30pm. Our topic of study is Twelve More Women Of The Bible.

Silent Prayer

Declaration of God's Forgiveness

Friends, hear and believe this good news of the gospel:
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Passing of the Peace, Greeting, and Pennies for Hunger Offering

***Congregational Song # 398**

How Very Good and Pleasant

B. Boertje

Hearing God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Readings

Psalm 146

Ruth 1:1-18

Message

"All Roads Lead to Home"

Blake Tickle, Intern

Responding to the Word and Giving Thanks to God

***Hymn # 319**

Men of Faith, Rise Up and Sing

Smith

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

***Affirmation of Faith**

We believe in God, the Creator and Lover of the Universe;

And we respond to this God in love.

We believe in Jesus Christ, the embodiment of Love and the Savior of all;

And we respond to this God in love.

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, Love's power poured out,
and the Presence of Love within;**

And we respond to this God in love. We believe in the Church,

**A community of Love designed by God for justice,
reconciliation, and compassion;**

And we believe in life renewed and eternal;

Love enjoyed and shared with God and creation for ever.

And again we dedicate ourselves today to this love and to the God who gives it.

Amen.

Our Tithes and Offerings to God

Offertory Anthem *The Plans I Have for You* Pote/Long

***Offertory Response # 607** “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

***Prayer of Dedication**

Gracious God, for the blessing of this day and all of the many gifts we have been given, we pause in this moment to simply say thank you. Accept, we pray, not just these material offerings but also our lives freely offered in gratitude for all you have done for us. Use them for the work of this ministry and wherever you might take us. Amen.

Sending Forth in God’s Name

***Hymn # 546** *Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing* Sicilian Mariners

***Benediction**

***Choral Response # 539** *We Will Go Out with Joy* Donaldson/Donaldson

***Postlude**

Topic for Sunday School: Ruth and Naomi. In concert with our sermon series we are supplementing the message with additional material and discussion of Ruth and Naomi. Today’s study will dovetail nicely with Blake’s sermon.

Congregational Participants

Worship Leader Greg French

Pianist Judy Cram

Ushers Ned Steele, Ralph Barnes, Sarah & Steve St. Cyr

Media Techs Steve Brandt, Amy & Brian Dunphy, Charles Layno, Jim Spain

Elder to unlock building in October Jim Spain

Money Counters in October Greg French, Jim Spain

TAPESTRY Praise Service

October 14, 2018

11:30 am

***Opening Songs**

*It Is You
Beautiful One*

Furler
Hughes

***Prayer of Praise**

***Greeting**

***Song**

God of Wonders

Brewster

Prayer

Offering

The Power of Your Love

Bullock

Scripture Readings

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Ruth 1:1-18

Message

All Roads Lead to Home

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***Closing Song**

Love the Lord

Brewster

***Benediction**