

Morning Service

August 29, 2010

10:45 A.M.

Prelude

Preparation for Worship

Pastor Tim Martin

*Call to Worship **Hymn No. 457 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"**

Praise and Worship **Hymn No. 122 "God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory"**
"Ancient Words"
"Speak O Lord"

Welcome

Worship with Offerings

Hearing Christ's Word John 17:1-26 (page 903 in the pew Bible)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God!

Seeking Christ in Prayer

Children, ages 4 to 6 years, are invited to *Grace Kids*

Ms. Mary Beth Pizzino

Christ's Message of Grace "JESUS' PRAYER FOR GLORY" Pastor Martin
Text: John 17:1-26

*Our Response to God's Grace **Hymn No. 44 "How Great Thou Art"**
"Glorify Thy Name"

*Benediction

*"Gloria Patri" (page 735, Trinity Hymnal)

*Standing

Worship lyrics projected under CCLI # 254295.

CDs of the sermon may be ordered by sign-up at the table in the foyer. Because of copyright laws, music cannot be included on the CDs.

Evening Service at 6:00 in Gearhart Hall

SERVING NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

Nursery:

Sunday School:

A.M. – A Jon and Mary Hagmaier

B Liz Onesty and Abbey Knouff

P.M. Nancy Martin

Sound A.M.: Bob Gordon

Sound FH: Philip Knouff

Grace Kids: Nancy Martin

Greeters: Jim and Betty Gruver

Raleigh Ct. Health Care Center: Danny Dugan

Ushers

Scott White

Bill Martin

Gary Carter

Zack Shiffer

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Today 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning service
4:00 p.m. Handbell practice
6:00 p.m. Evening service
Tues. 7:00 p.m. Scout Troop 289 meets in Gearhart Hall
Men's Evening Fellowship in the Parlor
Wed. Noon Prayer in the Parlor

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept. 6 A Walk on the Greenway to benefit Refugee and Immigrant Children
CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED FOR LABOR DAY
Sept. 13, 14 & 20 & 21 - Women's Encouragement Groups – see Announcements
Sept. 15 Wednesday Night Activities resume
Sept. 17-19 Scout Camping and Canoeing
Sept. 22 Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Study begins
"Meet Me At The Pole" Global Day of Student Prayer at the Flagpole
Sept. 23 Blue Ridge Women's Center Fundraiser at Hotel Roanoke
Oct. (date TBD) Scout Hiking/Camping
Oct. 16-17 Missions Conference with Dr. Andy Silman, pastor of Cornerstone PCA
Church in Brevard, NC
Nov. 15 Samaritan's Purse Shoebox collection date!

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Apr. 1-2 Women's Retreat at Camp Alta Mons – details to follow

**Oct. 22-23 2011 Missions Conference with Dr. Sheldon Sanford, III, Senior
Pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, Rock Hill, SC**

ATTENDANCE AND FINANCIAL REPORT FOR AUGUST 22, 2010

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| Sunday School | 74 | P.M. Service | 41 |
| A.M. Service | 130 | Faith Promise | \$2,350.00 |
| Nursery A.M. | 9 | General Fund | \$4,765.50 |

Capital Campaign

Received last Sun. \$ 110.00
Total Gifts to Date \$108,779.00

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| <i>Handicap Men's Room</i> | <i>Elevator</i> | <i>Windows (Aud. & FH)</i> |
| Actual Cost \$44,836.20 | Actual Cost \$52,602.20 | Need – Est. \$28,000.00 |
| Given \$44,836.20 | Given \$52,602.20 | Given \$11,340.60 |
| Status COMPLETED! | COMPLETED! | Remaining \$16,659.40 |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S ENCOURAGEMENT GROUPS Due to the Labor Day holiday, the schedule for the Encouragement Groups will be altered for the month of September. Groups normally meeting on the first Monday and Tuesday will meet September 13 and 14. The second Monday and Tuesday groups will also move forward a week and meet on September 20 and 21. The regular schedule will resume in October.

THE NEW LIFE BIRTH CENTER will have a yard sale on Saturday, September 11, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in Gearhart Hall. If you have items to donate, please bring them to Grace Church on Thursday, September 9 or Friday, September 10. If possible, please put price tags on each item with a suggested price. Contact Karen Winstead at 489-4064 if you will volunteer to help with the sale.

A NOTE OF APPRECIATION Donna, the recreational therapist at Emeritus at Ridgewood Farms, has expressed her appreciation to the youth and Justin and Leah Conley for leading the Bible Study recently. One youth read scripture, another gave testimony and Justin led a Bible Study on prayer. Leah sent homemade cookies for the residents to enjoy following the study. Thank you Justin, Leah, and the young people who participated!! You were a blessing to the residents!

A CPR CLASS WILL BE OFFERED HERE AT GRACE CHURCH ON SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2. The class is 4 hours long and will be taught in Gearhart Hall. The fee is \$50.00 per person and each participant will receive a card. Sign-up and payment are required by September 12. Please see Scott White, as a limited number of scholarships are available.

WALK ON THE GREENWAY TO BENEFIT REFUGEE AND IMMIGRANT CHILDREN will take place on Monday, September 6, at Wasena between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., starting at the Wasena Park Brick Shelter. Registration fee is \$15.00 for adults; students, \$10.00; or family, \$40.00. Free T-shirts, snacks and water. For information, please call 342-7561.

A MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY!

AFTER-SCHOOL GOOD NEWS CLUBS

The Evangelism Leadership Team is planning one or more *After-school Good News Clubs* that will begin soon after city public schools start. This is an opportunity to reach boys and girls in Roanoke City with the gospel and to help Christian children grow in the Lord. The clubs will be held at school once a week at the end of their day. **We need teachers, helpers, and people who will make this a special matter of prayer.** If you will join in this ministry, please contact any member of the Evangelism Team or call Dru Naff (774-8858).

PRAYER REQUESTS and PRAISES

- Pray for our schoolteachers and students as they return to the classroom. Ask God to give them a bold witness for Him.
- Lucy Poland has requested prayer for her brother who probably has two to four months to live. Pray that he will trust only in Christ for his salvation and for God to give him His peace.
- Remember to pray for Judy Harman while she is in Africa with Carol Arnold and the rest of the EPI team. Pray for clarity in the lessons and for God to work in the lives of the attendees.
- At the writing of the bulletin, Mildred Bono was in Roanoke Memorial Hospital for tests. Pray for Mildred's healing and for strength and comfort for her family.
- The New Life Birth Center is having a yard sale on Sept. 11. Pray that God will bless this event with many shoppers!
- Baseball season is drawing to a close, with only one more chapel on Sept. 5. Joe Bono, chaplain for the Salem Red Sox, asked that we pray that the seeds sown this season would yield fruit for His kingdom. There have been great opportunities to share the gospel with players on the home team, as well as with the visiting teams and umpires!
- David Stoddard has asked that we pray that God would send people to SETECA who can help with the new technologies required to reach people through the web. They know SETECA is affecting lives around the world through the students that God brings to them. Pray also that God would send those of His choosing to the Ministerial Program with which David works.

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