

# WHITE MEMORIAL

— PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

AUGUST 13, 2017  
8:15 & 11:00 A.M.

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

### Greeting

Kirsten Homdrom

*One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.*

**All: And also with you.**

*One: Let us prepare for worship.*

### Preparation for Worship

*Grant, O Lord, that we may see in you the fulfillment of all our need, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on the true and living bread which you have given us in Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.*

### Prelude - Intermezzo in e minor, Op. 119 No. 2

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

### Christian Welcome and Announcements

Chip Pope

Please pass the Friendship Register to your neighbor; include all requested information.

### Minute for Mission: Imagine Campaign

Mike Condrey

### Call to Worship

*One: Our God is the God of all people,*

**All: people of pain and fear, people of anger and joy,**

*One: people of compassion and grace, people from East and West.*

**All: Let us worship God, who makes all people one.**

### \*Hymn 409 - God Is Here!

ABBOT'S LEIGH

### \*Call to Confession

### \*Prayer of Confession

**Merciful God, you call us to welcome strangers as neighbors and to open our hearts to those who need a home; yet we turn away from the poor and vulnerable, guarding our own space and time, land and possessions. Forgive our isolation and ignorance, our apathy and our stinginess. Break open all barriers so that we may do as you command, and love our neighbors as ourselves. Amen.**

### \*Assurance of Pardon

### \*Passing of the Peace

### \*Response - May the Peace of Christ

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May the peace of Christ be with you. May the love of God dwell deep in your heart. May the



Spir - it en-light - en your way. May you walk in the com-fort of God's care.

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## WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

**Old Testament Lesson** - Psalm 85:8-13

pew Bible, p. 514

**Epistle Lesson** - Romans 10:5-15

pew Bible, p. 149

**(11:00) A Time with the Younger Church**

Children through fifth grade are invited to come forward. Following our time together, all children will return to their pews for the rest of the service.

**Sermon** - *Welcome to Gander*

Grier Richards

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

**\*Hymn 400** - *I Rejoiced When I Heard Them Say*

ENGLAND

**Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer**

Gloria Johnson

**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.**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory** - *I Want Jesus to Walk With Me*

arr. Hal H. Hopson (b. 1933)

See Hymn 775 for text.

Kathy Hart, soprano

**\*Offertory Response Hymn 716** - stanza 1

BEACH SPRING

**God, whose giving knows no ending, from your rich and endless store,**

**nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross, grave's shattered door:**

**gifted by you, we turn to you, offering up ourselves in praise;**

**thankful song shall rise forever, gracious donor of our days.**

**\*Affirmation of Faith**

from *Confession of Belhar*, 1986

**We believe that the unity of the people of God must be manifested and be active in a variety of ways:**

**in that we love one another; that we experience, practice and pursue community with one another;**

**that we are obligated to give ourselves willingly and joyfully to be of benefit and blessing to one another;**

**that we share one faith, have one calling, are of one soul and one mind;**

**have one God and Father, are filled with one Spirit,**

**are baptized with one baptism, eat of one bread and drink of one cup,**

**confess one name, are obedient to one Lord,**

**work for one cause, and share one hope.**

## WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

**\*Hymn 749** - *Come! Live in the Light!*

WE ARE CALLED

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Congregational Response Hymn 306** - stanza 1

DENNIS

**Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.**

**The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.**

**\*Chiming of the Trinity**

The worship service ends with the Chiming of the Trinity. Please be mindful of those who remain to listen to the postlude.

**\*Postlude** - *Poco Vivace; VI, werk 9*

Hermann Schroeder (1904-84)

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\* ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND.

**Greeters:** 9:30 - Bill Fairfax, Susan Fairfax, Heather Garrabrant, Claire Glover, Gray Glover, Senior High Class; 11:00 - Heather Horton, Michelle Juetter, Rebecca Kayye.

**Ushers:** 8:15 - Wesley Jones, chair, Muriel Summers, Roy Teel, Katherine Thomas, Michael Tollison, Ray Watson; 9:30 - Elizabeth Saylor, chair, Remi Adebimpe, David Allen; 11:00 - Rob Wyatt, chair, Kendra Allen, Carolyn Andrews, Bob Banta, Molly Banta, Betty Baldwin.

**Service Assistant:** 8:15: Thomas Clark; 11:00 - Lucas Pleasants.

**Treasurer's Assistants:** Margaret Weaver, Stan Lambeth.

**Shuttle Driver:** Jeb Juetter.

### Praying for Our Youth

Prayer is central to our lives as faithful disciples. In the upcoming year, we encourage members of all ages to consider being a Confirmation Prayer Partner. Our eighth graders participate in a year-long Confirmation class, and each youth is paired with a prayer partner who holds them and his or her family in personal prayer during that time period. Prayer partners will receive updates from their assigned confirmand. To become a prayer partner or for more information, contact Deb Smith at 919-834-3425, ext. 217, or [dsmith@whitememorial.org](mailto:dsmith@whitememorial.org).

### Widowers of White Memorial

There has been some interest in forming a group of men who are widowers at WMPC. If you are interested, please contact Sarah Clapp at 919-834-3425, ext. 210. There are plans for the group to meet for dinner in Geneva Hall on Wednesday, September 13, at 5:30 p.m.

### Bible Study Dinner Group

Join us for dinner out at different local restaurants and Bible study. Adults who are age 35 to 59 are invited to contact Kristen Beightol at [kbeightol@gmail.com](mailto:kbeightol@gmail.com) for details about joining this group.

# DISCIPLE

## BECOMING DISCIPLES THROUGH BIBLE STUDY

Consider making the commitment to deepen your faith  
and knowledge of the scriptures  
by entering our Disciple program.

Class runs every Wednesday

from September 6-May 24

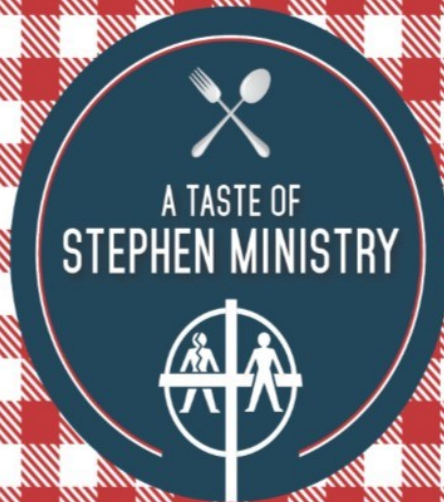
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Led by Dan Daniel

For more information about the class, contact  
Dan at 919-740-5234 or [dandanieljr@gmail.com](mailto:dandanieljr@gmail.com)

or

register today at [whitememorial.org/register](http://whitememorial.org/register).



Please join us for an Informational Picnic  
& Open House to learn more about  
Stephen Ministry

Monday, October 2 6:30-8:00 p.m. in C200

This is a time of great food, fellowship and fun!  
To help us prepare for you please make reservations  
at [whitememorial.org/register](http://whitememorial.org/register).

**WELCOME TO WHITE MEMORIAL  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC(USA)**

We are glad you are worshipping with us.  
Visiting? Stop by the Welcome Table in Jane Bell  
Gathering Space for information, directions and a  
friendly greeting. New members are received after a  
one-day Beginnings Class.  
Visit [whitememorial.org/join](http://whitememorial.org/join)  
or contact Elizabeth Viohl at ext. 206  
for details, class dates and registration.

**THINGS TO KNOW:**

- Shuttle buses run every Sunday at five- to ten-minute intervals, 8:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m., from Carolina Place, 2626 Glenwood Avenue, across from Glenwood Village Shopping Center.
- Restrooms are located in the Luther Building immediately behind the sanctuary/Jane Bell Gathering Space.
- Childcare is available for children up to four years old.
- Church School is offered at 9:30 a.m. for all ages.
- Refreshments are served in Carol Copeland Courtyard or Pickard Hall on Sundays at 10:30 a.m.
- Hearing Assistance: The sanctuary has a loop hearing aid system and an FM system.
- Live-streamed services are at [whitememorial.org](http://whitememorial.org).
- Radio, WPTF 680 AM, every other Sunday at 11:00 a.m.: today and August 27.
- Bulletins left in the sanctuary following worship services are recycled as part of our care for God's creation. WMPC is a certified Earth Care congregation of the PC(USA).
- We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.

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**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK**

**Sunday, August 13** (*Psalm 85:8-13; Romans 10:5-15*)

Worship (8:15 & 11:00 - Sanctuary; 11:00 - OnPoint@1704, Pickard)

Collection of School Supplies through August 31

9:30 a.m. - Summer Forum (Sanctuary); OnPoint House Band (Pickard);

Cover-to-Cover (C302); Summer Middle/High School Coffee Hour (C100/C200)

6:00 p.m. - 2017 Haiti Mission Trip Reunion (Off Site)

6:30 p.m. - Session Meeting (Geneva)

**Monday, August 14** (*Ps. 5; 2 Sam. 13:23-39; Acts 20:17-38; Mark 9:42-50*)

5:30 p.m. - T'ai Chi for Exercise (Pickard)

7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous (C100)

8:00 p.m. - Adult Basketball (Pickard)

**Tuesday, August 15** (*Ps. 42; 2 Sam. 14:1-20; Acts 21:1-14; Mark 10:1-16*)

7:00 a.m. - Men's/Women's Breakfast Bible Study (Geneva/K100)

9:30 a.m. - Fit after Fifty (Pickard)

3:00 p.m. - Labyrinth Open for Walking (Chapel)

3:45 p.m. - Building Committee (C204)

6:00 p.m. - Centering Prayer (W400); StepUp Life Skills Program/Dinner (Geneva)

StepUp Co-Partner Training (C200)

7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir (S300)

**Wednesday, August 16** (*Ps. 89:1-18; 2 Sam. 14:21-33; Acts 21:15-26; Mark 10:17-31*)

8:00 a.m. - Clothing Closet (W100)

10:00 a.m. - Chair Yoga: "Give It a Try" - no charge (C200); Building Committee (W400)

11:15 a.m. - Yin Yoga: "Give It a Try" - no charge (C200)

6:45 p.m. - OnPoint House Band (K100)

7:00 p.m. - Youth Summer Yoga: Grades 6-12 (Chapel)

8:00 p.m. - Al-Anon (C100)

**Thursday, August 17** (*Ps. 97; 2 Sam. 15:1-18; Acts 21:27-36; Mark 10:17-31*)

8:00 a.m. - Middle School Adventure Days: Greensboro Day (Off Site)

Labyrinth Open for Walking (Chapel)

9:30 a.m. - T'ai Chi for Exercise (C200)

11:30 a.m. - Keenager Summer Lunch (Off Site)

7:30 p.m. - Sanctuary Choir (S300)

**Friday, August 18** (*Ps. 51:2 Sam. 15:19-37; Acts 21:37-22:16; Mark 10:46-52*)

8:30 a.m. - Habitat Home Preservation Project (Off Site)

9:30 a.m. - Fit after Fifty (Pickard)

8:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous (C100)

**Saturday, August 19** (*Ps. 104; 2 Sam. 16:1-23; Acts 22:17-29; Mark 11:1-11*)

8:30 a.m. - Church School Setup (Luther Classrooms);

Habitat Home Preservation Project (Off Site)

11:00 a.m. - Eagle Scout Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

noon - Eagle Scout Ceremony (Sanctuary)

C=Calvin Building

K=Knox Building

L=Luther Building

W=Witherspoon Building

S=Sanctuary Annex (Jane Bell Gathering

Space, choir rooms, sanctuary, nurseries)