Timeless Values for a Changing World: Faith, Hope, Love
THE WORSHIP OF GOD  
September 17, 2017

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and all that is within me,  
bless His holy name.  
Bless the Lord, O my soul,  
and do not forget all His benefits

Psalm 103:1-2, NRSV

ORGAN PRELUDE

Come Christians, Join to Sing................................. arr. Mary McDonald  
Maddie P., Acolyte  
Jackson Glover, Organ

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Kristen Muse

INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE, 335

Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him.......................... HYFRYDOL  
Children come forward during the final stanza for Children’s Sermon.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Ward Page

INSTRUMENTAL MEDITATION

Larita Kellision, Piano

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 18:21-35, NRSV  
(page 800 in the Pew Bibles)  
David Hailey
HYMN OF RESPONSE

Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive.................................................. St. Agnes

“Forgive our sins as we forgive,” - You taught us, Lord, to pray;
but You alone can grant us grace - to live the words we say.

How can Your pardon reach and bless - the unforgiving heart
that broods on wrongs and will not let - old bitterness depart?

In blazing light Your cross reveals - the truth we dimly knew;
what trivial debts are owed to us, - how great our debt to You!

Lord, cleanse the depths within our souls, - and bid resentment cease;
then, bound to all in bonds of love, - our lives will spread Your peace.

PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL PRAISE

The Lord Is Listening.............................................................. Pepper Choplin
Chancel Choir

SERMON

Practicing Forgiveness
David Hailey

HYMN OF COMMITMENT, 490

Take My Life, and Let It Be (Stanzas 1, 2, c5 5)....................... Hendon

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Barbara Jean Warren, Koinonia Class

OFFERTORY

It Is Well with My Soul.............................................................. arr. Marilyn Ham
Jackson Glover, Organ

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

BENEDICTION

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POSTLUDE

Thine Is the Glory.............................................................. arr. Anna Laura Page
Jackson Glover, Organ

*Those who are able may stand with ministers and choir.
Our pianist today is Larita Kellison.
Our organist today is Jackson Glover.
Weekly Opportunities

Sunday, September 17 - Children’s Retreat at Camp Willow Run

9:45 AM  Sunday School
9:45 AM  Membership Matters (Rm. 106)
11:00 AM  Morning Worship Service (Sanctuary)
11:15 AM  Grace for All Nations (Chapel)
1:00 PM  KidzStuff Pickup unsold items (FLC-Gym)
4:00 PM  Hosanna Dance Troupe (Fellowship Hall)
4:15 PM  Handbells (Rm. 10)
5:00 PM  Youth Choir Rehearsal (Rm. 118)
6:00 PM  Youth @ The Point (FLC-Rm. 201)

Monday, September 18

8:45 AM  Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
9:30 AM  Ministers’ Meeting (Rm. 100)
9:45 AM  Companions in Christ (FLC-Rm. 204)
1:50 PM  Staff Meeting (Rm. 224)
5:30 PM  Evening Fitness (FLC-Gym)
6:00 PM  Long Range Capital Planning Meeting (Rm. 206)
6:00 PM  Personnel Committee (Rm. 100)
6:00 PM  Children’s Choir Leaders Meeting (Rm. 106)
6:30 PM  Cub Scouts Den Meeting (Rm. 30)
7:30 PM  Boy Scout Troop Meeting (Rm. 32)
8:00 PM  HBBC Member’s Fellowship Basketball Night (FLC-Gym)

Tuesday, September 19

7:00 AM  Yost Men’s Bible Study (Rm. 100)
10:00 AM  Painting with Lorraine (FLC-Rm. 201)
10:00 AM  Senior Game Day (FLC-206)
12:30 AM  AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-Rm. 201)
4:45 PM  Chair Yoga (Rm. 206)
5:30 PM  HBBC Ladies Basketball (FLC-Gym)
6:00 PM  Girl Scout Troop Meeting (Rm. 30)
6:00 PM  Gentle Yoga (Rm. 206)
7:00 PM  Compassionate Friends Group (Rm. 206)

Wednesday, September 20

8:45 AM  Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
1:00 PM  Ministers’ Meeting (Rm. 100)
5:00 PM  Family Night Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
5:30 PM  Recreation with Kids (FLC-Gym)
5:30 PM  Alpha Bells (Rm. 10)
6:00 PM  Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
6:15 PM  Annual Business Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
6:15 PM  Women’s Bible Study (Rm. 204)
6:15 PM  Youth Discipleship (FLC-Rm. 200)
6:15 PM  Children’s Missions
7:15 PM  Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Rm. 118)
7:30 PM  Wednesday Basketball Fellowship (FLC-Gym)

Thursday, September 21

12:30 PM  AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-Rm. 30)
5:50 PM  Step-Up Ministry Alumni (FLC-201)
5:50 PM  Evening Fitness (FLC-Gym)

Saturday, September 23

8:00 AM  AA Saturday Group (FLC-Rm. 201)
8:00 AM  Grace for All Nations Bible Study (Chapel)
WELCOME VISITORS
We are honored by your presence this morning. We would love for you to record your attendance on the Friendship Pad when it is passed to you and provide information so that we can contact you further.

ENTER TO WORSHIP
This is a holy hour. We invite you to enter this sanctuary with joy and reverence. We invite members and visitors to be seated near the front of the sanctuary to enhance our sense of community in worship. When you have taken your seat, spend a few moments in quiet reflection as you prepare your heart for worship. If the service has already begun, please enter quietly by one of the side aisles. Please remember to silence your cell phone.

RESOURCES FOR HEARING IMPAIRMENT
Hearing assistance devices are available for those who have such need. Please see an usher for more information.

BECOME A MEMBER OF HBBC
Those who desire to join our church may come forward to where the pastor is standing during the Hymn of Commitment. If you would like to meet with a minister before making this decision, any of our ministers would be happy to answer your questions.

FOR CHILDREN DURING WORSHIP
Extended Session: Childcare is provided for birth-5 year olds during worship. Children ages 4-5 visit the Sanctuary briefly for the Children’s Sermon.
Children’s Worship: For 1st-5th graders, 1st & 3rd Sundays during the school year. (Children leave at the designated time during worship and are picked up in Room 11 following worship).
Worship Bags: Worship bags are available at all of the entrances to the Sanctuary to encourage children to participate in worship. Please return them as you leave worship.

ABOUT SUNDAY SCHOOL
On Sunday mornings at 9:45 a.m., we provide classes for all ages to enjoy Bible study and fellowship. Call the church office for more information.

TODAY’S EXTENDED SESSION HELPERS
Assistant: Elizabeth Hamilton; Infants: Mickey Pleasant, Ginny Ivey, Eric Gupton, Amanda Gupton, Bob Barksdale; Ones: Amie Ray; Twos: Melissa Dougher, Barbara Jean Warren; Threes: Kate Brown, Andre Brown; Fours: Chip Zug, Laura Zug; Kindergarten: Rankin Muse, Michael Sizemore

WORSHIP LEADERS
Dr. David Hailey, Pastor .................drdhailey@hbbc.org
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TO GIVE ONLINE
If you are interested in giving online, you may scan the QR code to the right or go to www.hbbc.org/give.
ABOUT TODAY'S WORSHIP

Today’s sanctuary flowers are given by Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Story in memory of: Dr. and Mrs. Stratton R. Story, Mr. Raymond E. Finch, Mr. Raymond E. Finch, Jr., Mr. Wallace Ashley, Jr., Mr. Wallace Ashley III, and Mr. and Mrs. James Whitley.

We welcome Jackson Glover as our guest organist today. Jackson is a first-year student at The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He is planning to major in Health Policy and Management and minor in music. He was the former Organist for First Baptist Church, Clinton, NC for three years prior to beginning college.

IN RESPONSE TO NATURAL DISASTERS

Due to the devastation of Hurricane Harvey in Texas and the destruction caused by Hurricane Irma across the southeast, we have extended our Grace Offering, so that we may continue to fund relief efforts through CBFNC and NC Baptist Men, both of whom are responding to needs caused by the storms. In contributing, you can choose to designate your offering to HBBC Missions, North Carolina Baptist Men, or to CBFNC Missions. Give at www.hbbc.org/give or return a Grace Offering envelope to the church office or to the offering plate.

BUSINESS MEETING: SEPTEMBER 20

Wednesday night during The Gathering, join us for our Annual Business Meeting at 6:15 PM. Come find out what is happening in the life of our church.

FAMILY NIGHT STUDIES

Beginning on September 20, we have both a large group and two small group offerings during The Gathering. Our large group will join Dr. Hailey in the Fellowship Hall for a study on the book of Jonah. If you are looking for a small group conversation and study with other women, join Kristen in the Hailey Sunday School classroom as we explore the book, “Words that Hurt, Words that Heal” by Carole Mayhall. Contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbbc.org) for information about ordering a book. Todd Whitlow is organizing a men’s study, with more information to come. We hope that you will be a part of The Gathering on Wednesdays!

MOVERS AND SHAKERS: SEPTEMBER 26

Our September Movers and Shakers Luncheon on September 26 features estate appraiser Cornelius Swart. You are invited to bring two items for him to appraise, but please do not bring art or jewelry. We will meet from 12:00–1:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch is $6 per person. Contact the church office before September 19 to make a reservation.

SCREENAGERS: OCTOBER 1

Join us the evening of Sunday, October 1 at 6:00 PM, for a screening of the award-winning documentary, Screenagers, which addresses how best to navigate the world of technology and social media with your children. The event is free and open to the community, and dinner will be provided. Doors open at 5:00 PM. Reserve your seat today at www.hbbc.org/screenagers.

HBBC CLASSIC: OCTOBER 6

The First Annual HBBC Classic Golf Outing is scheduled for Friday, October 6th at 1:00 PM with lunch being provided ahead of time. It is a captain’s choice event and will be held at Raleigh Golf Association. Contact David Keel (dkeel@hbbc.org) ASAP or go to www.hbbc.org/flc to reserve your spot today.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

Have you recently joined HBBC or are you prayerfully considering becoming a member? Do you have questions about what being a Baptist is all about? Do you want to know what makes HBBC unique? Do you desire more information about how to join the church or how to find a place of service? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then you would be a perfect candidate for Membership Matters: a 5-week discussion group that deals with all of these issues. Susan Hailey, Betty Boyce, and Nancy Graybeal will serve as facilitators for the class. Join us on Sunday mornings at 9:45 AM in room 106.

KIDZ STUFF CONSIGNMENT SALE: THANK YOU, VOLUNTEERS

It takes so many hands to make the KidzStuff Sale a success each fall and spring. Thank you to everyone who volunteered. We couldn’t have done it without you.