

FATHER'S DAY
June 15, 2008

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in memory of Paul Stephenson, and in honor of all fathers on Father's Day, by Sam and Wendy Stephenson and their family.

Welcome

Prelude and Acolyte

Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 85

Leader: *Restore us again, O God of our salvation,*

People: *and put away your indignation toward us.*

Leader: *revive us again, so that Your people may rejoice in You*

People: *Show us Your steadfast love, O LORD, and grant us Your salvation.*

Leader: *Let me hear what God the LORD will speak,*

People: *for he will speak peace to his people,*

Leader: *Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;*

People; *righteousness and peace will kiss each other.*

Leader: *Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,*

People: *and righteousness will look down from the sky.*

Leader: *The LORD will give what is good.*

All: *Let us worship the Lord this day.*

Opening Hymn

"Shine Jesus Shine"

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Confession of Sin (In Unison)

O gracious God, we confess our sins before You. We do not pursue peace with our neighbors and we only seek to obtain our own desires in this world. We place obstacles in front ourselves and others by placing our faith in that which we can control. We fail to see beyond ourselves and pursue those things that satisfy us for the moment. We have failed to realize Your joy and grace in our lives. Help us to seek a right relationship with You – in all that say and do.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *We have been redeemed by the Lord of our salvation,*

People: *Our sins forgiven with the blood of Jesus Christ, Amen!*

***Responsive Hymn**

"Seek Ye First"

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*** Greeting and Rites of Friendship**

Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*** Doxology**

Hymn # 34

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Lesson

Numbers 6:22-27

Anthem

"Psalm 8"

Adult Choir

Musical Interlude

(Children exit with Kent and Courtney Walton to Children's Church)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

Colossians 3:15-17

Sermon

"A Father's Peace of Mind"

Rev. Jim Davis

***Dedication Hymn**

"Let there be Peace on Earth"

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*** Acolyte, Benediction and Postlude**

** Signifies Congregation to Stand*

June Scripture Passage

²² By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. ²⁴ And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. ²⁵ If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit. ²⁶ Let us not become conceited, competing against one another, envying one another. **(Galatians 5:22-26)**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FORT FISHER RETREAT. The Church is planning its annual retreat to Fort Fisher for Friday, September 19 – Sunday, September 21. Anyone interested in going should contact Georgeanna Phillips at 207.0604 by August 1. All money will be due by August 15.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! The Christian Education Committee has received Session approval to renovate and update all of the children's Sunday School rooms at a cost of \$4070.00. We are asking for financial contributions and support to complete this project. For more information, please contact Christian Education Elder, Elaine Wood at 639.2926 or 801.5328.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Ushers: Gary Phillips and Atlee Roberts **Acolyte/ Bell Ringer:** Abigail Wood
Infant Nursery: Mary and Emily Langdon
Toddler Nursery: Crissy Porter and Carolyn Stuart

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, June 22:

Ushers: Mark Nelms and Ryan Nelms **Acolyte/Bell Ringer:** Daniel Stephenson
Children's Message: Wendy Stephenson
Children's Church: Richard and Andrea Jones
Infant Nursery: Heath and Heather White
Toddler Nursery: Pam and Lauren Collier

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School Assembly in the Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School and New Member's Class
11:00 a.m.: Worship
No Youth meeting

Events for this week:

Wednesday, June 18: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
Sunday, June 22: Baptism and New Members during Worship; Youth Group meeting at 5:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

June 29. Coffee and Doughnuts in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45 a.m.
July 7. Christian Education Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m.
July 13-19. Youth Camp at Montreat
July 27-31. *God's Big Backyard* Vacation Bible School from 6:00 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. for children and youth ages Preschool – High School, and a Bible Study offered for Adults.

The Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

JOYS:

CONCERNS:

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the Woodall family in the loss of Rosemond Sherry Baker, friend of Mary Langdon, cancer
Annie Ruth Barbour, friend of Kathy Ryals, cancer
Edward Bernier, Pam Collier's father, cancer
Eddie Blanks, Randy Benson's friend, tumor
Jeannie Byers, John Pickens' sister, degenerative spine
Sarah Clayton, friend of Chellie Poston, recovering from car accident
William Collier, David Collier's brother, health concerns
Bill Ellis, Georgeanna Phillips' father, prostate cancer
Bill Embrey, Dick Embrey's brother, cancer
Ed Fontana, Mary Langdon's father, recovering from back surgery
Ashley Green, friend of Beth Pickens, lymphoma
Lacy & Marilyn Johnson, members of church family, health concerns
David Kopanski, John Kopanski's brother, cancer
Carol Mayben, Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, cancer
Laura McLamb, member of church family, recovering from knee replacement
Julia Nales, member of our community, cancer
Carol Nauquin, friend of Beck & Laura McLamb, cancer
Ray Nooney, Jon Nooney's father, health problems
Jim Parrish, friend of the church, 50/210 Fire Chief, brain cancer
Jennifer Peedin, Chellie Poston's granddaughter, mission trip to Ireland
Peyton Rodgers, Andrea Jones' niece, health problems following surgery
Alice Stephenson, member of church family, health concerns
Jimmy Stephenson, member of community, cancer
Linda Stephenson, Ann Stephenson's sister-in-law, infectious gall-bladder
David Stewart, Kathy Wood's uncle, health concerns
David Stowe, Kent Walton's friend and business partner, cancer
Glenn Stuart, Jimmy Stuart's brother, complications from surgery
Chris Wade, relative of Bob & Nadine Reed, medical concerns
Gwen Walton, member of church family, recovering from surgery

If you have updates or changes to the prayer list, please notify DeEtta Wood at 919.331.9046 or jdwood72@gmail.com.

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Rev. Jim Davis

Beck McLamb <i>Mission & Outreach</i>	<u><i>Class of 2008</i></u> Nadine Reed <i>Congregational Care</i>	Elaine Wood <i>Christian Education</i>
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John Kopanski <i>Personnel & Clerk of Session</i>	<u><i>Class of 2009</i></u> Steve Nordan <i>Long-Range Planning</i>	Kent Walton <i>Fellowship</i>
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Sandra Lordi <i>Finance</i>	<u><i>Class of 2010</i></u> Mark Nelms <i>Worship</i>	Atlee Roberts <i>Property & Facilities</i>
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

To make new disciples by sharing the gospel through our words and actions,
To nurture existing Christians into a mature faith by worship, fellowship and Christian education,
To serve God by worshipping Him through Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.



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