

Sermon Notes

'Life Seen from God's Perspective'
Scripture Reading: Psalm 139:16

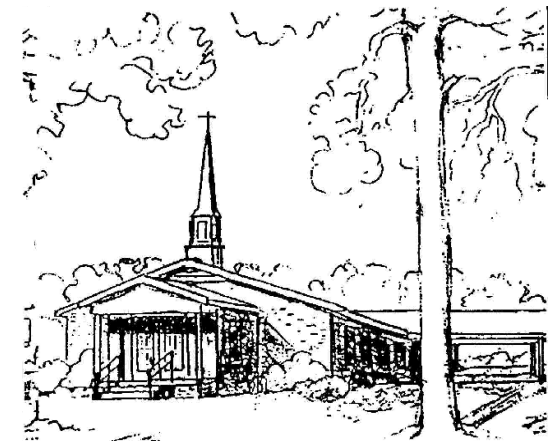
Weekly Reminders

Birthdays & Anniversaries. Happy birthday this week to Kim Taylor. If we missed your special day please let us know!

Flowers in the Sanctuary: If you wish to have flowers placed in the sanctuary on a particular Sunday (birthday, anniversary, memory of loved one, etc.) please see or call Merle at 670-5733.

Village Chapel Presbyterian Church

*Bulletin for Sunday, May 14,
and for the week of May 14-20, 2017*



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Sunday Morning Worship of the Lord our God

- Preparing for Worship in Silent Prayer as the music begins
Announcements and Welcome 10:30 am
- * **The Call to Worship** Psalm 90:1-2
- * **Prayer of Adoration and Invocation**
- ***Singing of Praise to the Lord Our God**
'Rejoice, the Lord is King ...' Trinity #310
'O Love of God, How Strong and True ...' Trinity #81
- Profession of Our Faith** Trinity, p.821
Psalm 100, Responsive Reading
- Confession of Sin, Silent Prayer, Assurance of Pardon**
Psalm 51:1-4 Psalm 51:7-13
- Giving of the Tithe and Offering**
- ***Doxology** Trinity #731
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.
- ***Prayer of Thanksgiving, Supplication, & the Lord's Prayer**
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 have forgiven 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.
- Preparation for God's Word**
Introduction to the subject of this morning
'Great God, How Infinite Art Thou!...'
Trinity #27
Prayer for God's blessing upon His Word read and proclaimed
- The Reading of God's Word** Psalm 139:16
- The Proclamation of God's Word** Pastor Evans
(See 'Sermon Notes' page)

Observance of the Lord's Supper

- ***Hymn of Response**
'My Hope ...' Trinity #521
- * **Departing to Serve the Lord and the Benediction**
- * **Gloria Patri**
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.
- * Standing, if able
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If you are visiting *Village Chapel Presbyterian Church* today we welcome you. It is our great joy each Sunday to worship the Lord our God together and during the week to serve Him individually and in various activities and ministries together. We invite you to join with us in other worship, fellowship, and ministry opportunities listed in the bulletin. Please feel free to call if we may answer any questions you may have or be of help to you in any way.

The Village Chapel Calendar

This Week:

- Sunday: 9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Morning Worship
(Nursery during worship provided for children under 6)
12:15 pm Lunch in the fellowship
(No officer nominee instruction this afternoon)
- Wednesday: 6:30 pm Worship in the sanctuary
Friday Dinner & Bible postponed to next Friday)

Looking Ahead:

- Sunday, June 18: Gildards from Toulouse, France with us
Sunday, June 25: Tom Hart, RUF@ECU with us and preaching
Sunday, July 9: John & Julie Limmer (Wycliffe) with us
Monday-Friday, July 31-August 4: About 30 young folks from the PCA youth group in Wilson, NC with us to do day projects on the outside of the church building and grounds

Announcements

This past week has left us in stunned silence as the Lord unexpectedly called Thomas Sterling Home to be with Him! What a joy to know our dear brother and friend is now with and in the presence of the Lord, but what a sorrow we feel as his physical loss among us begins to set in. May the joy of knowing he is with his Savior overwhelm the temporary but deep sorrow we feel. May God be glorified in our response to Him, in our trust in His providential guidance, and in our serving Him as Thomas set an example of serving Christ and one another.

Continually In Prayer:

In praise, thanks, and confession before God ...
In Petition, with our needs and for others:
For one another: For God's presence and leading through the joys and trials we face.
Locally: EPIC (Eastern Pregnancy Information Clinic)
RCS (Religious Community Services)
For Reformed University Fellowship Campus Ministries @ NCSU, Raleigh, Rev. Charles Askew & Meredith College, with Amy Hudson, (NCSU oversight), @UNC Chapel Hill, Rev. Simon Stokes, @Duke, Durham, Rev. Crawford Stevener, @ECU, Rev. Tom Hart, @UNCW, Rev. Jay Denton
Across NC: Eastern Carolina Presbytery with 27 churches/missions
Missions Abroad:
Jamie & Jacki Gildard with MTW in Marseille, France,
Sandra Hart with MTW with the Philippines,
Jon & Julie Limmer with Wycliffe Translators
For our community and nation: For the Gospel's power to bring repentance, faith, and hope as Christ is made known ...