

**THE ORDER OF SERVICE**

August 19, 2018 8:30 a.m.

**Gathering to Worship God**

**Prelude:** "Nearer, My God, to Thee" Nick Capone  
Marianne Kim

**Welcome and Announcements**

[Please sign the connection pad at the end of the pew and pass it down the pew and back again. Note who is sitting near you and greet one another.]

**Anthem:** Combined Women's Choir from Grace United Methodist and Graystone Church

"In the Garden"  
C. Austin Miles, arr. By Patti Drennan  
"I'll Fly Away"  
Albet E. Bramley, arr. By Craig Courtney

**\*Call to Worship** from Psalm 5

**Leader:** But we, through the abundance of Your steadfast love, will enter Your house.

**People:** **We will bow down toward Your holy temple in fear of You.**

**Leader:** Lead us, O Lord in Your righteousness

**ALL:** **because of our enemies, make Your way straight before us.**

**\*Hymn:** "All Creatures of Our God and King" Hymn 11

**\*Prayer of Confession**

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in Your will, and walk in Your ways, to the glory of Your Name. Amen.

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Response of Praise:** "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.*

**Sharing Our Life Together**

**\*Passing of the Peace**

**Leader:** The peace of Christ be with you.

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**

**Offertory:** "Holy Ground" Nick Capone  
Mark Hayes

**\*Doxology:** "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

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 Dedication**

**Prayers of the People**

**Hearing God's Word**

**Scripture:** Mark 14:36

**Message:** **Prayer: Propels Us** Rev. Joe Stroup  
"Yet not what I will, but You will." Mark 14:36

**We Leave to Serve the Lord**

**\*Hymn of Response:** "How Deep the Father's Love for Us" Hymn 101

**Benediction**

**Postlude:** "Blessed Assurance"  
James Mansfield

**\*Indicates that the congregation will stand**

**Prayer List as of Thursday, August 16**

Please remember to mention during the hospital admission process that you are a member of Graystone. Also, if you know of a member who has been hospitalized please notify the church office.

Prayer Concerns: Graystone Members	
Fred Foster	Floyd Lewis
Montie Miller	Don and Gladys Rodgers
Clair Ruffner	Nellie White
Prayer Concerns: Friends and Relatives	
Deloris Bishop Kathy Beatty's mother	Diana Campbell Family
Judy Cessna Lois Miller's daughter	Dawne Davis Family
Deana Kirkland Ron and Deb Port's daughter	Courtney LeBlanc Katie and Randy LeBlanc's daughter
Andrew Manzek friend of Karen Brown	Logan McCracken Debby McCracken's grandson
Bud and Peggy McCune Larry McCune's parents	Quinn Santini Clair & Donna Ruffner's great - granddaughter
Darlene Snyder Crystal Simpson's sister-in-law	Pam Stroup Joe Stroup's mother

**Serving in the Military**

Russell Blankenship - Serving in the Middle East  
Justin Ming - Serving in Anchorage Alaska  
Andy Neely - Serving in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Payton Smith - Navy; USS Washington  
Dylan Wells - Fort Bragg, North Carolina  
Derek Watson, Shane Bothel, and Tyler Bothel - Navy Pilots

**Mission Focus**

**Frontier Fellowship**

God desires to be worshipped by all peoples. More than two billion have never heard of Jesus. FF is working to establish churches to proclaim the Good News. Pray for His Kingdom to come throughout the Muslim and Hindu world.

**Ministry Focus**

In this season of transition of leadership and even in this change of seasons, pray that God would be at work in our leadership and in all of us to take the steps to pursue what God has in store. Pray for new leaders to step up in all areas of ministry to help people connect to one another and to grow in their faith. Pray that what God is going to do in our lives would be something we are prepared to do as opportunities arise and that we could follow as God leads us.

**Greeters:** Vanessa Milleman, Brina Milleman, Harry Dushac, Anita Dushac

**Ushers:** Jim Brown, Greg Holsinger, Dave Moore, Gaylene Robinson, James Wagner

**The Chancel Flowers** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Linda Moore Mack** by **her husband, Jeff and children, Meghan and Andrew.**

**A PRAYER TEAM** is available under the right balcony after the service. A box for prayer requests is in the rear of the sanctuary as well as the office.

**For those who have not yet heard** - It was announced last week that after much prayer and listening Pastor Hurley announced his retirement as of October 31. His last Sunday in the pulpit will be October 28 with a retirement celebration that evening. Save the date and watch for details.

## What's YOUR next step?

### GATHER

**MOVE UP SUNDAY FOR ALL KIDS AND YOUTH** – Next Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup> all kids and youth will move up in their Sunday School classes. Kids aged 3 & 4 will be welcome to join the Purple Room, those starting kindergarten in the fall will join the Yellow Room, those going into 3<sup>rd</sup> grade this fall will start in the Blue Room, and those starting in 6<sup>th</sup> grade are welcome to join our middle and high school kids for Sunday School in the Youth Room.

**NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS** - Join Colin and Heather Ashe for a class titled "Your Best Us" August 26 - September 30. This is a marriage class open to couples of all ages and stages. The class will meet upstairs in Room 201.

### CONNECT

**LEADERS NEEDED!** As we get set for our Life Group season kicking off this fall, we are looking for leaders. If you would be interested in leading a Life Group or learning more about what that commitment looks like, email Pastor Ryan at [rmowen@graystonepc.org](mailto:rmowen@graystonepc.org)

**ALL CHURCH PICNIC** - Mark your calendar for the ALL CHURCH PICNIC on Sunday, September 16, at Mack Park Pavilion. Watch the bulletin for details.

**WELCOME BACK BBQ** - Welcome the IUP students back with a church BBQ. On August 22nd and 29th at 7:30 PM we are hosting BBQs for the college students. Help out by grilling, bringing any side dish or dessert, or just welcoming the students. This is going to be a lot of fun and we can't wait to have you with us! Contact Kenny at [kcampbell@ccojubilee.org](mailto:kcampbell@ccojubilee.org) if you have questions.

**LIBRARY BOOK CLUB INVITATION** - You are invited to Graystone's Seanor Library Book Club! The selected book, "Miss Brenda and the Loveladies," is a heartwarming true story of grace, God, and gumption. Books are available to borrow and anyone can sign up. Discussion meeting will be September 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in the library. Ed Smith will join us to share some of his experiences counseling prisoners at the Indiana Jail. Sign up in the Library or the Welcome Center today!

**FALL KICK-OFF FOR YOUTH** - All 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited to join us for our Fall Kick-Off event Sunday August 26<sup>th</sup> here at Graystone from 6pm - 8pm. We're going to have big games and bigger prizes that night as well as an entire rain gutter full of ice cream! This is a great time to jump in as we get the school year started and look to what God is going to do in this ministry in the coming year.

**ATTENTION WOMEN OF GRAYSTONE:** Enjoy Scripture? Enjoy Walking? On Saturday, August 25th from 10-11am you're invited to combine scripture as we walk. Join us in the lower parking lot by the tables at S&T Arena. We'll get our morning walks in, enjoy nature, peace, and incorporate scripture. Bring a friend and/or family member to enjoy time outdoors together. Rain date is Saturday, Sept. 8th. If you haven't responded via Facebook, please sign up on the sheet in the lobby.

### SERVE

**ITEMS** - Stop by the Gathering Place today and shop through some items that we have gathered from around the church. They will only be available this Sunday.

## CALENDAR

### Happening today

8:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45 a.m.

Prayer for Worship - Library  
Worship - Sanctuary  
Sunday School for All Ages  
New Class: Discipleship - Room 101  
Worship - Sanctuary  
Stone to Go - George and Cheryl Caroff's Home

11:00 a.m.  
6:00 p.m.

### Happening this week

#### Monday, August 20

11:00 a.m.  
6:30 p.m.

PEP Team - Library  
Retirement Party Planning Team - Room 101

#### Tuesday, August 21

10:00 a.m.  
12 Noon  
6:30 p.m.

Staff Meeting - Library  
Mugs & Muffins - Room 101  
Deacons - Room 101

#### Wednesday, August 22

8:00 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.  
6:30 p.m.  
7:30 p.m.

Prayer Group - Library  
Image Bearers' Bible Study - Eagles' Rest Park  
Children's Committee - Graystone Kids' Space  
CCO Welcome Back BBQ

#### Thursday, August 23

6:30 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
7:30 p.m.

Promise Keepers Bible Study - Eat N Park  
Library Team - Library  
Worship Team - Sanctuary

#### Saturday, August 25

7:30 a.m.

Men's Bible Study - Perkin's Restaurant

#### Sunday, August 26

8:00 a.m.  
8:30 a.m.  
9:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m.  
12:00 p.m.  
6:00 p.m.

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Worship - Sanctuary  
Sunday School for All Ages  
Worship - Sanctuary  
CCO Lunch - Center Gathering Place  
Stone School Kickoff - Graystone Gathering Place

# Welcoming People, Following Jesus.

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Prayer  
"Propels Us"

		Sundays 9:45 a.m.
CLASS	LOCATION	TEACHER
Builder's Class	Graystone Library	Bill Miller
Challenge Class	Graystone Gathering Place (Rear)	Chris Pusateri Scott Elgin Julie Greenawalt
Foundations Class	Graystone Chapel	Andy Arblaster
Discipleship 101	Room 101	Kenny Campbell