

**THE ORDER OF SERVICE**

February 25, 2018 8:30 a.m.

**Gathering to Worship God**

**Prelude:** "Crown Him With Many Crowns" Nick Capone  
David Hegarty

**Welcome and Announcements**

[Please sign the folder 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.]

**Choir Introit:** "Give God Thanks" Chancel Choir  
Lloyd Larson

**\*Call to Worship** Taken from John 2 and 1 Peter 1  
**Leader:** Behold the Lamb of God...  
**People:** **who takes away the sin of the world!**  
**Leader:** We have been ransomed from our futile ways...  
**People:** **Not with perishable things but by the precious blood of Christ, like a lamb without blemish.**  
**All:** **Hallelujah, What a Savior!**

**\*Hymn:** "Crown Him With Many Crowns" Hymn 304

**\*Prayer of Confession**  
Eternal God, have mercy upon us, for we burden You with our sins. We do not bring You our offerings; we seldom make sacrifices. Praise of Your glory is not often heard; we are dedicated to seeking our own fortunes. We live not by faith but by our own resources. Forgive our reluctance to accept Your promises. Forgive our human quest for security at all costs, and help us to commit our lives to You alone. 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**

**Anthem:** "Pie Jesu" Graystone Bells  
Andrew Lloyd Weber

**\*Passing of the Peace**  
**Leader:** The peace of Christ be with you.  
**People:** And also with you.

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings**  
**Offertory:** "Lord, For Thy Tender Mercies' Sake" Chancel Choir  
Richard Farrant

**\*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 and 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**\*Hymn of Preparation:** "Rejoice the Lord is King" Hymn 302

**Hearing God's Word**

**Scripture:** Mark 2:1-12, 18-22  
**Message:** **Behold the Man: Gospel of Mark "Uncontainable"** Rev. Rick Hurley  
"And no one puts new wine into old wineskins...the skins will burst." Verse 2:22

**We Leave to Serve the Lord**

**\*Hymn of Response:** "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name!" Hymn 311

**Benediction**

**Postlude:** "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"  
Diane Bish

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

**NOTES:**

**Prayer List as of Thursday, February 22**

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.

<b>Graystone Members</b> Dean & Faye Haupt Don & Gladys Rodgers	<b>Prayer Concerns</b> Floyd Lewis Shirley Shearer Stan Spence	Montie Miller Shirley Shick
<b>Friends and Relatives</b> Deloris Bishop (Kathy Beatty's Mother) Doris Cochran (Friend of Sarah Watkins) Deana Kirkland (Ron/Deb Port's Daughter) Darlene Snyder (Crystal Simpson's sister-in-law)	Bob Box (Friend of Jane Terebus) Annah Hill (Niece of Craig/Dottie Neal) Andrew Manzek (Friend of Karen Brown) Marguerite Thorton (Michelle Elgin's 2nd Son's Mother-in-Law)	Judy Cessna (Lois Miller's Daughter) Zoey Izzo (Friend of Kelli Stubbe) Peggy McCune (Larry McCune's Mother) Rosemary Veltz (granddaughter of Dave/Jan Irvin)

**Serving in the Military**

Joe Weaver - Marine Boot Camp  
Russell Blankenship - Serving in the Middle East  
Payton Smith (Naval education/training)  
Dylan Wells - Fort Benning, Georgia  
Derek Watson - Navy Pilot  
Shane Bothel - Navy Pilot  
Tyler Bothel - Navy Pilot

**Mission Focus**

Chevy Chase Community Center provides meals, food and clothing, educational programs and emergency services to low income residents in Indiana County. In addition to the financial gifts, Graystone members glean bakery products from local stores to help the center. Pray for God to guide those in charge, as well as for those they seek to help.

**Ministry Focus**

Thank God for the finishing touches to the Next Generation Children's space. May it be used for His glory. As finishing touches are made to the "Graystone Kids Space", pray that God would fill the space with kids eager to learn and grow.

**Greeters:** Alan Holsinger, Mark Grant, Denise Watson, Camden Dean

**Ushers:** Alton Strong, Anthony Enciso, Tom Graham, Randy Greene, Jeff Mack, Bob Pollock, Tom or Sharon Swartz

**The Chancel Flowers** are given to the glory of God and in honor of **our pastors, Rick Hurley, Ryan Mowen and Joe Stroup, by the Graystone Bell Choir.**

**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.

*Join us for refreshments downstairs in the Gathering Place following the service.*

**GRAYSTONE VALUES...**

- FOLLOWING JESUS WITH OUR WHOLE LIVES**  
We are not content to just follow Jesus on Sunday mornings but in every square inch of our lives.
- TRUSTING GOD'S WORD**  
We are people who are anchored, fed, and shaped by God's Word.
- EMPOWERING THE NEXT GENERATION**  
We equip parents, children, youth, and young adults to lead our church and the world into a future defined by the Gospel.
- PURSUING COMMUNITY**  
We are together because God made us a family and even when it's messy, it's worth it.
- SHARING THE LIFE-CHANGING MESSAGE OF JESUS**  
We bring the hope found only in Jesus into our homes, communities, and the world.

# What's YOUR next step?

## GATHER

**INVITE SOMEONE** - Pray and think about who you can invite to church. Try to invite one person this week.

## CONNECT

**GROWTH PATH** - Everyone is invited to attend Graystone's Growth Path. This is a three-week course designed to help all Graystoners find their next steps in "Following Jesus". For those who are interested in membership at Graystone, this course is a requirement. Beginning March 4 at 9:45 a.m., and continuing March 11 and 18 in Room 101. (The next class will be April 8, 15 and 22). For those interested in membership, the Membership Class will be held April 29 at 7:30 p.m. in Room 101.

**SUMMER'S BEST TWO WEEKS APPLICATIONS** - Applications/YMCA waiver are available in the office as well as on the church website. All kids going in to Kindergarten - 8th grade are invited to sign up for these amazing two weeks of competition, fellowship, fun and learning about God. Sign up soon, because spaces are filling up quickly.

**PEP-ON-THE-GO TRIP** - is planned to visit the Bible Museum in Washington, DC for April 23 and 24. Cost for the trip is \$65 per person for a double occupancy room. Meals will be on your own. (There will be continental breakfast served at the hotel). Contact the church office by February 28 to sign up. Limited space available.

**GRAYSTONE KIDS SPACE GRAND OPENING!** For months we've been preparing a place just for kids to belong here at Graystone and its finally complete! You are invited to come and see the Graystone Kids Space under the Sanctuary for our big unveiling Sunday March 4<sup>th</sup>. After both services, you can come take a walk through and see how the spaces will be utilized as we welcome kids to find a home in our church family and learn what it means to follow Jesus!

## SERVE

**SPRING WORK DAY** - Mark your calendars now for Saturday, March 17 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon. for a church work day. There will be both inside and outside work for all ages and skill levels. Come for all or part of the morning.

**GOOD FRIDAY BREAKFAST**—The YMCA of Indiana will hold the 62nd Annual Good Friday Breakfast on Friday, March 30, at 6:30 a.m. in the YMCA Gymnasium. Tickets are available in the church office for \$12 each UNTIL March 02 and then \$15.00 each March 03-30. Guest speakers this year are Chris and Dot Hall.

**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS-** Sunday, March 11, 2018. Be sure to set your clocks forward 1 hour.

# CALENDAR

### Happening today

8:00 a.m. Bells Play/Baby Bottles Dedication  
8:30 a.m. Prayer for Worship - Library  
9:45 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11:15 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary  
6:00 p.m. Celebration Choir  
STONE PM - STONE Lounge

### Happening this week

**Monday, February 26**  
6:30 p.m. Pusateri Small Group - Room 101

**Tuesday, February 27**  
12:00 noon Mugs & Muffins - Room 101  
6:30 p.m. Session - Center Social Hall  
7:00 p.m. Bells - Room Center Gathering Place

**Wednesday, February 28**  
8:00 a.m. Prayer Group - Library  
9:30 a.m. Image Bearers Bible Study - Center Gathering Place (L3)  
1:00 p.m. Milligan Life Group - Library  
6:30 p.m. Worship Team - Room 101  
7:30 p.m. CCO - Landing from Jubilee

**Thursday, March 1**  
6:30 a.m. Promise Keepers Bible Study - Eat N Park  
9:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study - Room 101  
1:00 p.m. Library Team - Library  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir - Room 211  
7:00 p.m. Worship Team - Sanctuary

**Friday, March 2**

**Saturday, March 3**  
7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study - Perkin's Restaurant  
9:00 a.m. Elder Training

**Sunday, March 4**  
8:00 a.m. Grand Opening for Kid's Space  
8:30 a.m. Prayer for Worship - Library  
9:45 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School for All Ages  
11:00 a.m. Growth Path  
12:00 noon Worship - Sanctuary  
6:00 p.m. CCO Lunch - Gathering Place  
STONE PM - STONE Lounge

# Welcoming People, Following Jesus.

February 25, 2018

8:30 a.m.

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the skins will burst." Mark 2:22

## Continue to Pray for our Elders

### Class of 2018

**Andy Arblaster** - Adult Ed and Discipleship  
**Rob Brown** - Worship Chair  
**Mark Elgin** - Facilities  
**Sherman Good** - Worship  
**Sue North** - Next Generation Ministry  
**Dave Strong** - Facilities Chair

### Class of 2019

**Dave Jackson** - PEP  
**Brook McGinnis** - Finance  
**Sean Moran** - Next Generation Ministry  
**Eric Neal** - Next Generation Ministry  
**Ron McLean** - Personnel  
**Gaylene Robinson** - Memorial

### Class of 2020

**Beth Ann Fanning** - Next Generation Ministry  
**Larry McCune** - Mission  
**Bill Miller** - Next Generation Ministry  
**David Nehrig** - Facilities  
**Bob Pollock** - Finance  
**Jody Shepler** - Personnel Chair