

THE ORDER OF SERVICE

June 3, 2018

8:30 a.m.

Gathering to Worship God

Prelude: "Jesus I Love Thee" Nick Capone
Stephen Amber

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: "Praise, Praise the Lord" Chancel Choir
Jay Althouse

***Call to Worship** inspired by Romans 13 and Matthew 18
Leader: People of God, open your eyes! Look around!
People: **The presence of our Lord Jesus Christ is here—among us and within us.**
Leader: God's salvation is close at hand—nearer than you know.
All: **So open your hearts and minds to the Spirit, and let's worship God together!**

***Hymn:** "Be Thou My Vision" Hymn 83

***Prayer of Confession**
Holy and merciful God, in Your presence we confess our sinfulness, our shortcomings, and our offenses against You. Forgive us our sins, and help us to live in Your light, and walk in Your ways, For the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior. 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: "Oh, Lord, Your Table Now is Spread" Chancel Choir
Words by J. Paul Williams, Music by Brad Nix

***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: Luke 24:13-35

Message: **On the Road with Jesus** Rev. Joe Stroup
"And their eyes were opened and they recognized him." Luke 24:31a

We Break Bread and Share the Cup Together

Invitation to the Banquet Table

***The Apostles' Creed:** (Traditional)
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.
...who forever sing to the glory of Your name.

Sanctus: Tune: Land of Rest Congregation
Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, in the highest, hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution
Sharing the Bread and the Cup

You may partake of the bread as it is passed to you. Please keep the cup so that we may partake together when everyone has been served.
Gluten free wafers are also available.

We Leave to Serve the Lord

***Hymn of Response:** "My Jesus, I Love Thee" Hymn 552

Benediction

Postlude: "Exultate"
Roger Wilson

***Indicates that the congregation will stand**

Prayer List as of Thursday, May 31

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	
David and Ingrid Borst	Fred Foster
Faye Haupt	Floyd Lewis
Montie Miller	Don and Gladys Rodgers
Shirley Shick	
Prayer Concerns: Friends and Relatives	
Deloris Bishop: Kathy Beatty's Mother	Diana Campbell Family
Judy Cessna: Lois Miller's Daughter	Dawne Davis Family
Alyssa Eckenrode: Rita and Ed Link's Daughter	Deana Kirkland: Ron and Deb Port's Daughter
Andrew Manzek: Friend of Karen Brown	Logan McCracken: Debby McCracken's Grandson
Bud McCune - Larry McCune's Dad	Neal Petroski: Friend of Ida Evans
Quinn Santini Clair & Donna Ruffner's Great -Granddaughter	Darlene Synder: Crystal Simpson's Sister-in-Law
Marguerite Thorton: Michelle Elgin's Son's Mother-in-Law	Rosemary Veltz: Granddaughter of Dave & Jan Irvin

Serving in the Military and First Responders

Russell Blankenship - Serving in the Middle East
Justin Ming - Serving in Anchorage Alaska
Andy Neely - Serving in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Payton Smith (Naval education/training)
Dylan Wells - Fort Bragg, North Carolina
Derek Watson, Shane Bothel, and Tyler Bothell - Navy Pilots

Mission Focus

Child Evangelism Fellowship (CEF) is a Bible-centered organization composed of born-again believers whose purpose is to evangelize boys and girls with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ and to establish (disciple) them in the Word of God and in the local church for Christian living.

Ministry Focus

As the school year ends, we pray for all those children, youth, teachers, and administrators as the summer season begins. We pray for a time of rest, of excitement and fun, and that God would work in the lives of our young people and help them to follow after Him. We pray gratitude for those graduating and stepping into a very new season and we ask that God would use them powerfully as they step up as adults.

Greeters: Alan Holsinger, Sara Almes, Bill McMillen, Karen McMillen

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

The Chancel Flowers are given for the glory of God and in loving memory of **our grandparents** by Rich and Marian Fiscus.

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.

What's YOUR next step?

GATHER

GUEST SPEAKER - Samuel Sesay, President of EduNations of Seirra Leone, a Missionary Evangelist in the EPC, and a Graystone Mission Partner will be speaking next Sunday, June 10. Come hear how God is using Samuel and EduNations to touch communities with the Gospel of Jesus.

CREATION 2018 – JUNE 27th – JULY 1st - Registration for middle and high school students to join us at one of the greatest gatherings of Christian speakers and musicians in the country! Register today at www.graystoneyouth.org. The trip costs \$100 and is worth every cent. We hope you can join us!

CONNECT

PEP-ON-THE-GO will be taking a trip to the Johnstown and South Fork Flood Museums on Wednesday, June 27. We will leave the Graystone parking lot in vans promptly at 8:30 a.m. and head to South Fork. Lunch will be at Asiago's at the top of the Johnstown Incline, then we will head to the Johnstown Flood Museum. We plan to arrive back at Graystone between 4:30 and 5:00 p.m. Cost for the trip is \$11.00 per person (lunch will be on your own.)

YOU'RE INVITED TO GRAYSTONE'S LIBRARY OPEN HOUSE - Please stop in the library Sunday, June 24th anytime between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. The library has books, videos, audiobooks, and small group kits to help you study God's word, lead you in His way and enjoy the life He's given you.

SERVE

FAMILY PROMISE - COMPANY'S COMING and with them the opportunity to plug-in and serve. The family will arrive next Sunday June 10, 2018. Please stop in the Christian Education Lobby today before or after services to see just where your skills fit and how you can support this important ministry. You will be a blessing and expect to be blessed, too.

TAKE THEM A MEAL - We rejoice with Russell and Jaci Blankenship at the birth of Mason Timothy. Please consider providing a meal for this beautiful family during this time of rest and recovery. Although Russell has returned to his military post, Jaci's mother will be visiting her. Meals for 2 are needed. Contact the church office at 724-349-5556 or Beth Hurley at 724-422-1345 to sign up.

GRAYSTONE ENDOWMENT TRUSTEES are accepting application letters for five available scholarships. We have been blessed by previous members who have made these scholarships possible. Scholarship information is available in the church office. Letter of application is due by June 30.

SB2W NEEDS YOUR HELP! SB2W will be here before we realize it (July 9-20)! Please stop by the bulletin board in the Christian Education Lobby to see what camp needs you to donate!

SPECIAL THANKS - We would like to express our deepest gratitude to the Graystone family for all your cards and prayers. You have been a ray of light in a dark time. We appreciate your faithfulness through Bill's journey with cancer, especially the Thursday Ladies Bible Study. You have been a blessing to us. Thank you, The Trowbridge family

Continue to Pray for our Elders

Class of 2019	Class of 2020	Class of 2021
Dave Jackson Brook McGinnis Sean Moran Eric Neal Ron McLean Gaylene Robinson	Beth Ann Fanning Larry McCune Bill Miller David Nehrig Bob Pollock Jody Shepler	Kevin Addleman Cheryl Caroff Mark Hansen David Hill Andrew Neal Jason Stubbe

CALENDAR

Happening today

8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.
9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.

Senior Sunday

Prayer for Worship - Library
Worship - Sanctuary
Sunday School for All Ages
Worship - Sanctuary
No Stone this Week

Happening this week

Monday, June 4

Tuesday, June 5

9:00 a.m.
10:00 a.m.
6:30 p.m.
6:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Stephens Ministry Peer Group - Center Social Hall
Staff Meeting - Library
Personnel - Room 101
Library Committee - Library
Bell Choir Rehearsal - Center Social Hall

Wednesday, June 6

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

Prayer Group - Library
Youth Ministry Team - Stone Room
Facilities - Room 101

Thursday, June 7

6:30 a.m.
9:00 a.m.
1:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Promise Keepers Bible Study - Eat N Park
Ladies Bible Study - Room 101
Library Team - Library
Worship Team - Sanctuary

Friday, June 8

Saturday, June 9

7:30 a.m.

Men's Bible Study - Perkin's Restaurant

Sunday, June 10

7:00 a.m.
8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.
9:45 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
5:30 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Samuel Sesay
Graystone Welcomes Family Promise
Bell Rehearsal
Prayer for Worship - Library
Worship - Sanctuary
Sunday School for All Ages
Worship - Sanctuary
SB2W Counselor Training - Gathering Place
Stone PM - Stone Room

Welcoming People, Following Jesus.

June 3, 2018

8:30 a.m.

On the Road with Jesus

"And their eyes were opened and they recognized him."
Luke 24:31a

		Sundays - 9:45
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