

3. God's command to love each other is required of everyone. Showing mercy to another mirrors his redeeming Son. In compassion he has given of his love that is divine; on the cross sins were forgiven; joy and peace now fully thine.

4. Come in praise and adoration, all who on Christ's name believe. Worship him with consecration, grace and love you will receive. For his grace give him the glory, for the Spirit and the Word, and repeat the gospel story till the world his name has heard.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving

Melanie Vick

†The Doxology

OLD 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God, above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Pastoral Benediction

Randy Wright

The Reflection of Worship

George J. Webb, arr. Cindy Berry

Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus
Rebecca Turner, piano

Stand up, stand up for Jesus, ye soldiers of the cross; lift high his royal banner, it must not suffer loss.

†Please stand, as you are able.

CHILDREN'S EXTENDED SESSION WORKERS

Aug 11 - Wendy Case **Aug 18** - Bailey Erps **Aug 25** - Scarlet Batts
Sept 1 - Kathy Hensley **Sept 8** - Lauren Barker

WELCOME, GUESTS! We are honored to worship God with you today. If you would like to become a member of Fernwood Baptist Church or if you need pastoral care, you are invited to speak with the minister/speaker following the worship service, email office@fernwoodchurch.org or call 864-582-7467.

SO GLAD YOU ARE HERE! Text "hello" to (864) 501-0585,
For more information and to let us contact you.

GUEST INFORMATION

Name _____ Date _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Cell # _____ Home Phone # _____
Best Time to Call: Morning Afternoon Night
Email Address _____

Your Age Group: ___13-18 ___19-29 ___30-39 ___40-49
 ___50-59 ___60-69 ___70 & Older

Children:
Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____
Name _____ Age _____

Please check the applicable:

First time guest Returning guest
 New to area Would like a visit
 Would like more information about the church
 Would like to know more about becoming a Christian
 I am a guest of _____
 Prayer Request _____

OPTIONS TO GIVE EASILY AND SECURELY

- 1) Offering envelopes during service or by mail.
- 2) Set up *Bill Pay* straight from your bank.
- 3) On our website www.fernwoodchurch.org
- 4) Directly through our online giving <http://onrealm.org/FernwoodBaptist/give/now>
- 5) Text from your phone: 73256 then keyword "fernwood" and dollar amount and follow the instructions.

SAVE THE DATE: Old Time Gospel Music Hymn Sing - Sun, August 25th - 5:00PM

- Invite friends and family - aim to bring at least ten guests each. A love offering will be collected during the service. Then join us for a dessert and ice cream social in the dining hall. Please bring a well-filled basket with your favorite dessert and ice cream (store-bought is fine).

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Sunday, August 11, 2024
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday

9:00am – Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
9:45am – Sunday School (*in-person and online*)
11:00am – Worship (*in-person and online*)

Wednesday

Activities resume in the fall.

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Mr. Seth Johnson.....Nursery Attendant
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Mrs. Rebecca Turner.....Music Associate
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***Our Vision is to be Christ to each other and our community –
doing justice, loving mercy and walking humbly with our God.***

The Lord's Day August 11, 2024

The Welcome & Announcements Dr. Stafford Turner

The Passing of the Peace Stafford Turner
One: May the peace of Christ be with you.
All: And also with you.

The Preparation for Worship George N. Allen, arr. Cindy Berry
Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone?
Rebecca Turner, piano

Must Jesus bear the cross alone, and all the world go free? No, there's a cross for everyone, and there's a cross for me.

†The Hymn of Praise, No. 536 LAUDA ANIMA
Lord, You Call Us to Your Service
(vs. 1, 2, 5)

1. Lord, you call us to your service, summon us for work, divine, reach to us for life's vocation as the witness you design. Alleluia! Alleluia! Send us as your kingdom sign.

2. Great Creator of the living, in the dark your light shines through. Out of nothing you have made us priestly people, holy, true. Alleluia! Alleluia! Make our lives as songs to you.

5. Lord, you call us to your service, grant us fruit as you ordain. Risking all, we make disciples, working for your coming reign. Alleluia! Alleluia! Faithful servants we remain.

The Blessing of the Backpacks Lee Anne Bailie

The Psalm Reading Diana Wright
Psalm 34:1-8 NRSV (Pew Bible, page 441)
One: The Word of God for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

The Hymn of Adoration, No. 656 CHEREPONI
Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

Refrain: Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love, show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

1. Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their feet, Master who acts as a slave to them. *Refrain*

2. Neighbors are wealthy and poor, varied in color and race, neighbors are near us and far away. *Refrain*

3. These are the ones we should serve, these are the ones we should love, all these are neighbors to us and you. *Refrain*

4. Loving puts us on our knees, silently washing their feet, this is the way we should live with you. *Refrain*

The Pastoral Prayer Rev. Dr. Randy Wright

The Anthem David Schwoebel
The Servant Song
Sanctuary Choir; Rebecca Turner, piano

If anyone would be first, they shall be the last of all, they shall be the servant of all.

We are travelers on a journey, fellow pilgrims on the road; we are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load. I will hold the Christ-light for you in the night-time of your fear; I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.

Sister, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you; pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.
Brother, let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you; pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant, too.

Congregation:
I will weep when you are weeping, when you laugh, I'll laugh with you; I will share your joy and sorrow, till we've seen this journey through. We will sing to God in heaven, we will find such harmony, born of all we've known together of Christ's love and agony.

The Gospel Reading Randy Wright
Mark 6:1-13 NRSV (Pew Bible, page 817)
One: The Good News offered for all.
All: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon Randy Wright
Be Dependent, Expect Resistance, and Accept Failure

Deacon Installation and Ordination Randy Wright
Installation of Suzanne Brown and Sara Gardner / Ordination of Mike Ethridge and George Small

The Litany of Dedication Randy Wright

Minister: Every Christian is called to follow Christ in service to God. These have been called to a special ministry of leadership and service. We ordain, install, and dedicate them to God.
Congregation: We affirm the one to be ordained and those who come to be installed for service.

Minister: Members of Fernwood Baptist Church, do you promise to walk with these deacons in their discipleship journey and support them with your love and prayer ministry?
Congregation: We do.

Minister: Deacons, do you now, in the presence of God and this church family, commit yourselves to this trust and responsibility?
Deacons: We do.

Minister: Will you be faithful to God's calling of personal discipleship in your faith journey?
Deacons: We will.

Minister: Will you be willing to see others through the eyes of Christ and be willing to show compassion to those in need?
Deacons: We will.

Minister: Will you do your best to follow the teachings of Jesus and allow his model of shepherding to guide you in your personal servanthood?
Deacons: We will.

Minister: Will you seek to build up and strengthen the Body of Christ known as Fernwood?
Deacons: With God's help, we will.

The Laying on of Hands and Ordination Prayer Randy Wright

†The Hymn of Response, No. 488 BEACH SPRING
Come, All Christians, Be Committed
(vs. 1, 3, 4)

1. Come, all Christians, be committed to the service of the Lord. Make your lives for him more fitted, tune your hearts with one accord. Come into his courts with gladness, each your sacred vows renew, turn away from sin and sadness, be transformed with life anew.