

April 18, 2010
9:00 Contemporary Worship
Rev. Derek Porter, Pastor
Rev. Lesley Langford, Associate Pastor
Craig Hembree, Music

*We have listening devices for our worship services. You can get them from an usher.
Please remember to silence your cell phones!* * = Please Stand

Song

Welcome

Call to Worship

Leader: Sing, all people of God! Sing the good news:

People: **We cry ourselves to sleep and God comes in with the dawn, to awaken us with Joy's embrace.**

Leader: Sing, in every land, in every tongue! Sing the good news:

People: **when our lives bottom out, God takes us by the hand to lead us into the light.**

Leader: Sing, in heaven and on earth! Sing the good news:

People: **We will sing the good news of Easter!**

Opening Prayer

**Come to us, Jesus, each on our own Damascus Road,
stop us in our tracks,
soften our hearts,
show us yourself,
and help us to fulfill our calling in a way
that does justice to your gracious love, Amen.**

Song

The Blindfold Experiment

Scripture

Song

Message

Offering

Song

Sending Forth

Leader: Go forth into the world with the assurance of God's glorious presence with you.

People: Open our spiritual eyes to the vision of service and hope for the world.

Leader: Proclaim the wondrous, transforming power of God in your words and in your lives.
Go in peace.



Freda Mason
 Bob Peterson
 Family of Candice Smith
 Family of Michael Shadle
 Sherry Tanner (*Sister of David Hildebrand*)
 John Watson (*Cousin of Sandra Hildebrand*)
 Dan Nuckles (*Cousin of Sandra Hildebrand*)
 Marsha Mayfield (*Friend of Gail Hayes*)
 Amanda Riley (*Niece of Lori Cummings*)
 Family of Mike Sweeney (*Friend of Petersons*)
 Patsy Yarbrough (*Cousin of Dan Langford*)
 Mary Goss (*Grandmother of Kirk Goss*)
 Shirley Cooper (*Sister of Susie Wiggin*)
 Jason Roberts (*Friend of Mask Family*)
 Elizabeth Grace Cooke (*Friend of Tibbetts Family*)
 Family of Karen Gable (*Cousin of Rick Gable*)
 Sandy and Roy Collins (*Friend of Richard Currier*)
 Gina Cooper
 Larry Thomas
 Carole McLaughlin
 O'Kasidee Thomas
 Gary Cooper
 Rhonda Stapleton
 Mike Jenkins
 Earl and Georgia Rogers
 Rondah Hardy
 Rev. Lesley and Dan Langford, Rev. Derek Porter
 Dr. Howard Wright (*D.S.*), Michael Watson (*Bishop*)
 The Sims Family, (*Missionaries We help Support*)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Kathy Robinson 4/9
 Emily Powell 4/11
 Anna Lee Robbins 4/11
 Vicky Alexander 4/13
 Nicholas Shadle 4/15
 Mike Strickland 4/15
 Joe Garrard 4/16
 Hannah Gibbs 4/16
 Jason Cutts 4/17
 Mary Jo Leedy 4/17
 Marge Counts 4/18
 Marleigh Cummings 4/19
 Hannah Shadle 4/19
 Luke Shadle 4/19
 Sarah Mason 4/20
 Keli Compton 4/24
 Marilyn McLaughlin 4/25
 Tiffany Blount 4/28
 Kelsey Dempsey 4/28
 Jennifer Shadle 4/29
 Addison Leach 5/1
 Melissa Mask Smith 5/3
 Katelyn Quinnell 5/3
 Kuria Quinnell 5/3
 Linda Spradlin 5/4
 Gail Hayes 5/5
 Anna Belle Cawley 5/6
 Paul Quinnell 5/7



Food for the Journey Dinner ~ April 14, 2010

*Barbeque Sandwiches, Cole Slaw, Baked Beans,
 Tater Tots, Cherry Cobbler*

Please make your reservations before noon on Monday by filling out a form which can be found in the black attendance books or in the narthex. You can also leave a message on the church answering machine or you can email us at brookschurch@bellsouth.net.

Wednesday Night Classes

Adult Class— "24 Hours That Changed the World"

Kid KMotion—Join us for fun at 6:45 pm!

Youth Small Groups— All youth are invited to join our small groups.

Announcements



Finance Meeting ~ Finance will meet this Monday, (4/12), at 7:00 pm.

Adult Fellowship— We will be visiting the Oakland Cemetery on April 15th. Adults tickets are \$10.00 and seniors \$5.00. We will lunch at the "Six Feet Under" restaurant. We will leave the church at 9:00 am. Come see the burial site of Margaret Mitchell and others. If you have any questions, please contact Shirley Fisher.

Relay for Life ~ There will be another meeting this Thursday (4/15) at 7:00 pm. Luminaries are available for purchase in honor or memory of loved ones. See the table in the narthex for information and a there is a donation can also.

Ladies' Inspirational Speaker, Mary Lou Miller ~ All ladies are invited to attend our evening coffee on Friday, April 16th, at 7:00 pm. God, Grits and Gravy will be the topic. Invite a friend!

KidVenture April 17th ~ Kids in K – 5th grade are invited to attend the La-Grange District Children's Day on April 17th from 10:00am – 1:00pm that will be held at LaGrange First UMC. There is a \$5.00 fee that will cover lunch and supplies. Sign up in the narthex or call Rev. Lesley to register or chaperone.

Appalachian Service Project ~ If you are interested in this week of service July 25—31 see Rev. Lesley Langford. The covenant agreement form and the \$160.00 fee per person is due by April 25th.

Financial Seminar ~ A Financial Seminar will be held at the church on Saturday, April 24th, from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Topics include wills, final wishes, long-term-care insurance, annuities, tax information, trusts, giving, etc. The presenters are professionals from the church and the Atlanta area. It is free to everyone but we need reservations so that we will know how many people to set up for. Please call Nancy Currier at 404-702-5741 to make your reservation and feel free to bring guests, we just need a reservation for them too.

Youth Service Day ~ Join us for a day of service at the parsonage on April 25th. Meet at the church at 2:00 pm to ride together. We will be helping with landscaping and miscellaneous things. Later we will have a movie night at the L.O.F.T. with free food for participants of the service day!

Parsonage Clean Up—There is a list on the hallway bulletin board with items needed to prepare the parsonage for a new pastor this summer. Please consider donating toward this project. Please put your check or cash in an envelope and designate that it is for the parsonage clean up.

Thanks! ~ Much appreciation goes to all who helped by donating candy and eggs and to those who helped with the games, crafts etc to make our Easter Eggstravaganza a fun day for all.

By His Grace

By His Grace
I am redeemed.
By His blood
I am made clean.
And I now can know Him
face to face.

By His power
I have been raised.
Risen now in Christ
by faith;
I will praise the glory
of His grace.

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Heart of Worship

When the music fades
And all is stripped away
And I simply come
Longing just to bring
Something that's of worth
That will bless your heart

I'll bring You more than a song
For a song in itself
Is not what You have required
You search much deeper within
Through the ways things appear
You're looking into my heart

I'm coming back to the heart of worship
And it's all about You
All about You, Jesus
I'm sorry Lord for the thing I've made it
When it's all about You
It's all about You Jesus

King of endless worth
No one could express
How much You deserve
Though I'm weak and poor
All I have is Yours
Every single breath

I'll bring You more than just a song
For a song in itself
Is not what You have required
You search much deeper within
Through the way things appear
You're looking into my heart

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Its all about you Jesus

Lord Reign in Me

Over all the earth
You reign on high,
Every mountain stream,
Every sunset sky.
But my one request,
Lord, my only aim
Is that You'd
Reign in me again.
Lord, reign in me,
Reign in your power,
Over all my dreams,
In my darkest hour:
You are the Lord
Of all I am.

So won't You
Reign in me again?
Over every thought,
Over every word,
May my life reflect
The beauty of my Lord.
'Cause You mean
More to me
Than any earthly thing.

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Reign in
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Lord, reign in me,
Reign in your power,
Over all my dreams,
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Famous One

You are the Lord
The famous one, famous one
Great is Your name in all the earth
The heavens declare
You're glorious, glorious
Great is Your fame beyond the earth

For all You've done and yet to do
With every breath I'm praising You
Desire of the nations and every heart
You alone are God
You alone are God

The morning star is shining through
And every eye is watching You
Revealed by nature and miracles
You are beautiful
You are beautiful

