

SERMON NOTES

TODAY'S INSPIRATION

Grace—unmerited favor of God, as manifested in the salvation of sinners and the bestowal of blessings.

Grace—getting what you don't deserve / unmerited favor

Mercy—not getting what you do deserve / withheld punishment

MATTHEW 6:19-20

Treasures in Heaven

19Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. 20But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal.

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SICK/ SHUT-IN AND PRAYER LIST

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Vernetta Scott	Adoree Millsaps
Edith Dula	Rosalee Patterson
Reather Ervin	Willow Carter
Jerlene Dula	Angela Dula
Laura New	Curtis Dula
Vondra Johnson	Rev. E.B. Freeman
Jarae Millsaps	Patricia Grimes
Jeffery Harshaw	Edna Bingham
William McDowell	Walter Foster

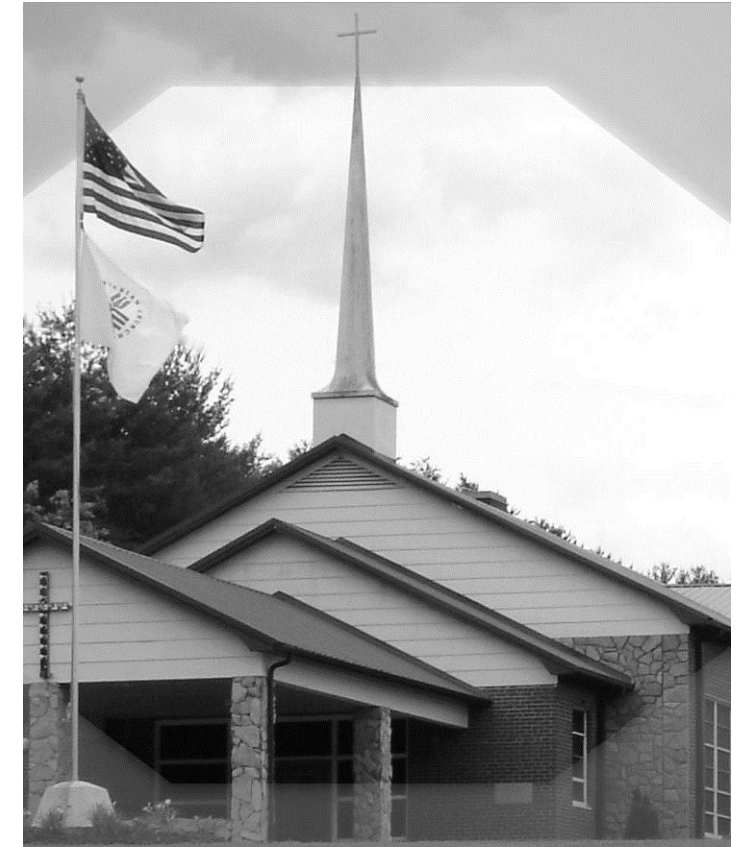
Deposits/Credits—06/ 2015 8,613.70

Withdrawals/Debits— 06/2015 -7,422.14

Revenue over Expenses —06/2015 1,191.56

CHURCH INCOME - JUNE 21, 2014

Sunday School	\$ 8.00
Mission	\$ 57.29
Children Fund	\$ 12.41
Per Capita	\$ 8.00
DPC Men & Women	\$ 200.00
General Offering	\$ <u>771.00</u>
Total	\$ 1,056.70



6th SUNDAY
after
PENTECOST

DULATOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. HAROLD J. BENNETT II, PASTOR

SUNDAY, JULY 05, 2015

“stand firm in your faith”

WORSHIP SERVICE
SUNDAY, JULY 05, 2015—10:45AM

PRELUDE (PRAISE TEAM)
INTROIT OR PROCESSIONAL
LIGHTING OF CANDLES (ALCOLYTE)
WELCOME (LITURGIST)
CALL TO WORSHIP (LITURGIST)
PRAYER OF INVOCATION
OPENING HYMN
THIS LITTLE LIGHT OF MINE #549
INVITATION TO CONFESSION (LITURGIST)
PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)
ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS (LITURGIST)
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UNISON)
GLORIA PARTRI #654
WELCOME/RECOGNITION OF VISITORS
ANNOUNCEMENTS
OFFERTORY (SCRIPTURE)
SELECTION BY CHOIR
OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY
PRAYER OF DEDICATION (LITURGIST)
TIME FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES (CHILDREN'S CHURCH)
HYMN OF PREPARATION
THANK YOU, LORD #531
INTERCESSORY PRAYER
WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC (CHOIR SELECTION)
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (LITURGIST)
GOOD NEWS
HYMN OF INVITATION
SPECIAL SELECTION
GOOD NEWS
BENEDICTION (TILL WE MEET AGAIN)
SENDING/PASS THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVELY)

Come and celebrate! Shout joyfully to the Lord, your God! Glorify him with your praise!

**Everything on earth will worship you;
they will sing your praises,
shouting your name in joyful songs.**

Come and see what our God has done, what awesome things he has done for us!

Let the whole world bless our God and sing his praise. For our lives are in his hands, and he keeps our feet from stumbling.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (RESPONSIVELY)

Merciful God, of what do we boast? Can we truly say with Paul that we do not boast about ourselves or our achievements? Does the danger in such thinking lie in the next step—the thought that we can do anything, or all things—by ourselves?

Forgive us the times when we ignore you, O God, and depend on our own strength to do things our own way.

Paul talks about power being made perfect in weakness.

Forgive us for believing that we have to be hard and domineering if we want to get ahead in life.

Paul says that he boasts of his weaknesses so that the power of Christ may dwell in him.

Forgive us when we use our power selfishly or aggressively, ignoring that indwelling, Christ-given power which frees us to be vulnerable.

Jesus says "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." Permeate our lives with your grace, Lord, so that we can affirm with Paul that we are content with weaknesses for your sake, and fill us with the knowledge that it is when we allow ourselves to be empowered by you, that we are truly strong. **Amen.**

THE APOSTLES' CREED (UNISON)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the 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 arose 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.

MEETINGS/REHEARSALS

DEACON BOARD will meet Monday, July 6th at 6pm.

CHILDREN OF GOD CHOIR will rehearse Wednesday, July 8th at 6pm.

COFFEE SHOP MINISTRY will meet Wednesday, July 8th at 12 noon.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE will meet Thursday, July 9th at 6pm.

DPC WOMEN'S COMMITTEE will meet Saturday, July 11th at 10am.

MORNING STAR FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH REVIVAL Pastor Bennett will be speaking at Morning Star First Baptist Church during their Revival on July 13th at 7pm. Morning Star has asked the JVG Choir to sing.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL DPC Vacation Bible School will begin Monday, July 20, 2015 and end on Friday, July 24, 2015. Please refer to your insert for further information.

PARENTS: Please make an extra effort to drop your children off at the church for Sunday School.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS FOR JULY 2015!! Zarian Dixon—Jul 2, Christopher Dula, Sr.—Jul 7, Madeline Hendrix—Jul 14, Tresean Dula—Jul 16, Roberta Dula—Jul 20, Alaina Dula—Jul 21, Nadine Hood—Jul 26 and Everette Logan—Jul 28. Please let the Secretary know if any members need to be added to the May Birthday List. May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you always.

SCRIPTURE READING(S)

2 CORINTHIANS 12:2-10

SERMONIC MESSAGE

"SUFFICIENT GRACE"

COMMISSION AND BLESSING OR POSTLUDE (CHOIR)

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP/SHARING COMMUNITY LIFE