

SERMON NOTES

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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

Edward Corpening	Joyce Dula
Katherine Purnell	Harold Dula
Thelma Dula	Gary Phillips
Marie Phillips	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	Betty Dula
William McDowell	Walter Foster

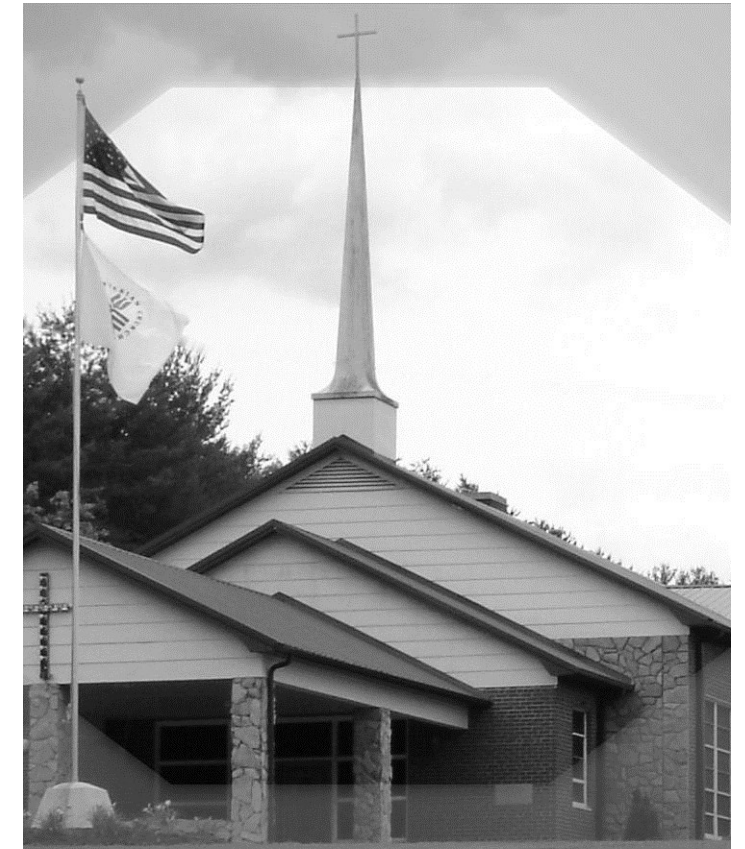
Deposits/Credits—06/ 2015 8,613.70

Withdrawals/Debits— 06/2015 -7,422.14

**Revenue over Expenses —06/2015 1,191.56**

CHURCH INCOME - JULY 26, 2014

Sunday School	\$ 8.50
Mission	\$ 66.55
Children Fund	\$ 13.00
Food Pantry	\$ 50.00
BDSF	\$ 25.00
DPC Men (SF)	\$ 200.00
Guest Minister Support	\$ 150.00
General Offering	\$ <u>1,074.00</u>
Total	\$ 1,587.05



**10th SUNDAY**  
*after*  
**PENTECOST**

**DULATOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

REV. HAROLD J. BENNETT II, PASTOR

SUNDAY, AUGUST 02, 2015

**“stand firm in your faith”**

WORSHIP SERVICE  
SUNDAY, AUGUST 02, 2015—10:45AM

PRELUDE (PRAISE TEAM)

INTROIT OR PROCESSIONAL

LIGHTING OF CANDLES (ALCOLYTE)

WELCOME (LITURGIST)

CALL TO WORSHIP (LITURGIST)

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

OPENING HYMN:

WHAT A MIGHTY GOD WE SERVE #478

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)

HYMN OF PREPARATION

DOWN AT THE CROSS #248

INTERCESSORY PRAYER PASTOR

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC (CHOIR SELECTION)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (LITURGIST)

**GOOD NEWS**

HYMN OF INVITATION

SPECIAL SELECTION

**HOLY COMMUNION**

BENEDICTION (TILL WE MEET AGAIN)

SENDING/PASS THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVELY)

Come to the water, all you who thirst—  
**come drink deeply from the river of life.**

Come to the water, all you who are weary—  
**come rest in the quiet pools of God's love.**

Come to the water, all you who long for a justice—  
**come be renewed in God's ever-flowing stream.**

For God is here among us,  
washing away the dust and grime of our lives,  
and pouring out the Spirit on all who thirst.  
**Let's worship God together.**

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

God of unity and love, place within each of us a spirit of hope and community. Have mercy upon us when we speak without love or act without humility. Cleanse us with the living water of your grace. Create in us willing hearts to live in patience and gentleness. Raise us up to be your children, growing toward maturity in faith and love. Strengthen this church, that we may be a model of ministry and unity for all the world to see. In Christ's name, we pray. 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, August 3rd at 6pm.

FOOD PANTRY will be open Wednesday, August 5th from 3pm to 5pm.

CHILDREN OF GOD CHOIR will rehearse Wednesday, August 5th at 6pm.

YOUTH CAREER FAIR 2015 Dulatown Presbyterian Church will host its 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Youth Career Fair, Saturday, August 8, 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Nine presenters will share their career paths and offer advice to our youth 10-18 years old. Students from 10 other churches have been invited to join our own. Prizes will be given for noted participation! The DPC student who invites the most students and brings them to the fair will receive a valuable prize! Let's support all our youth, and "get them to the fair".

PRAISE IN THE PARK We will have our Annual Church Picnic...Praise in the Park Worship and Fellowship on Sunday, August 9, 2015 from 9:30am to 2:30pm at the beautiful Catawba Meadows Park in Morganton, NC. Please see your insert for more information.

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

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS FOR AUGUST 2015! Charles Hood, Jr.—Aug 04, Hasan Dula—Aug 10, Jeselle Logan, Aug 21 and Jonathan (T.J.) Hendrix, Aug 29. Please let the Secretary know if any members need to be added to the August Birthday List. May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you always.

SCRIPTURE READING(S)

JOHN 6:24-35

SERMONIC MESSAGE

"MISSING THE POINT"

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