

SERMONIC 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

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SICK/SHUT-IN & PRAYER

Edward Corpening	Grover Bailey
Katherine Purnell	Gary Phillips
Thelma Dula	Adoree Millsaps
Edith Dula	Rosalee Patterson
Vondra Johnson	Willo Carter
Evelyn Bennett	Angela Dula
Mona Harshaw	Curtis Dula
Pastor Valerie Hightower	Rev. E.B. Freeman
Mekosha Austin	Donald L. Dula
Fritz Reid	Beatrice L. Dula
Roger Harris	

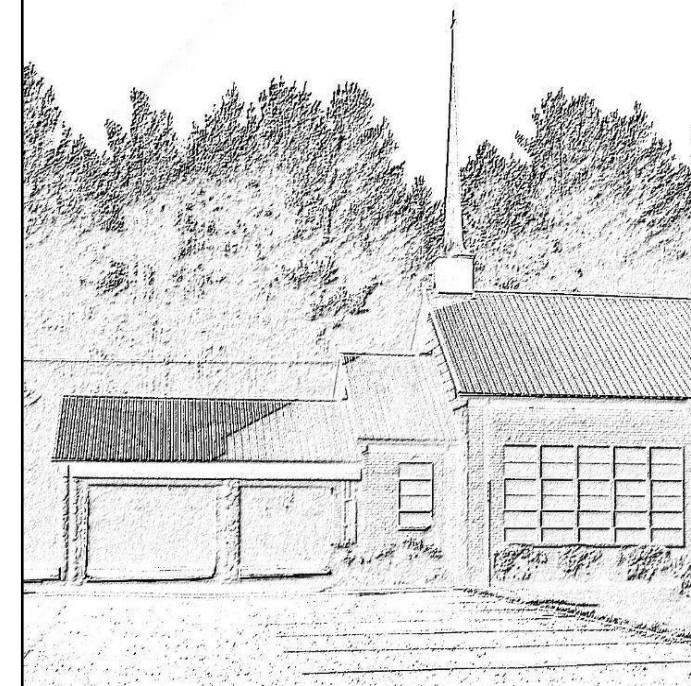
CAMPUS MINISTRY OUTREACH

Brooklyn Boston	Olivia
Sam	Rebecca
Phil	Nate

CHURCH INCOME – August 13th, 2017

Sunday School	\$	13.00
Mission Offering	\$	17.00
Music Support	\$	200.00
Multimedia	\$	200.00
Children Offering	\$	18.00
General Offering	\$	493.00
Total	\$	941.00

1st Sunday after Pentecost



DULATOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
REV. HAROLD J. BENNETT II, PASTOR

“stand firm in your faith”

WORSHIP SERVICE

Sunday, August 20th, 2017—10:45am

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GATHERING

PRELUDE

INTROIT OR PROCESSIONAL
LIGHTING OF CANDLES (ALCOLYTE)

WELCOME (LITURGIST)

OPENING HYMN: #

INVITATION TO CONFESSION
(LITURGIST)

DECLARATION OF PARDON
(LITURGIST)

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UNISON)

GLORIA PATRI #654

WELCOME/RECOGNITION OF
VISITORS ANNOUCEMENTS
(LITURGIST)

OFFERTORY: (SCRIPTURE)

SELECTION BY CHOIR

OFFERTORY/DOXOLOGY

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION
(LITURGIST)

HYMN OF PREPARATION: #

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC:
(CHOIR SELECTION)

GOOD NEWS

*HYMN OF INVITATION

BENEDICTION (TILL WE MEET
AGAIN)

SENDING/PASS THE PEACE

Please Stand If Possible

CALL TO WORSHIP (RESPONSIVE)

In the lonely places

The wilderness

Where we stand forlorn

Windswept and alone

Your voice calls out

Prepare a way for the Lord

In the dark places

The shadows

Where we hide our fears

Embrace our tears

Your voice calls out

Prepare a way for the Lord

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (RESPONSIVE)

God, you placed me in the world to be its salt.

I have been afraid of committing myself,
afraid of being stained by the world.

I did not want to hear what "they" might have to
say.

And my salt dissolved as if in water.

Forgive me, Jesus.

God, you placed me in the world to be its light.

I was afraid of the shadows, afraid of poverty.

I did not want to know other people's struggles.

And my light slowly faded away.

Forgive me, Jesus.

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.

OFFERING AND TITHES: The **first** plate(s)
passed by the ushers will be for **Tithes and Gifts**.
The **second** plate will be for **Mission** offerings.
The Children plate will be a small basket.
REMINDER: All key holders, if you open the
church doors, you are responsible for securing the
church doors.

Multimedia Members: Please make all your
checks to Multimedia.

NFL Jersey Sunday: Sept 10th

Your Membership Information 2017: Please fill
out the 2017 church directory.

Coffee Shop: Aug 23rd at 12N

LOST & FOUND: If you lose anything in the
church, please check the lost and found.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS FOR AUGUST 2017!

Hasan Dula 10th, Joel Vaught 13th, Nina Caldwell

18th, Jeselle Logan 21st, Jonathan Hendrix 29th,

Please let the Secretary know if any members
need to be added to the Birthday List for the
stated month. May the peace of Jesus Christ be
with you always.

SCRIPTURE READING(S):

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

SERMONIC MESSAGE:

Rev. Harold J. Bennett

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