

SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

JANUARY 14, 2024 • 11:00 A.M.

Ringing of the Bell		
Prelude		
Welcome and Announcements		Stephen Clyborne
Call to Worship	<i>We Have Come into His House</i>	Choir
Invocation		Melissa McMahan
*Hymn of Praise #52	<i>Blessed Be the Name</i>	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer		Stephen Clyborne
Choral Response	<i>Hear Our Prayer, O Lord</i>	Choir
Hymn of Reflection #639		Congregation
	<i>Dear Lord and Father of Mankind</i>	
Scripture from the Book of Psalms		Katherine Booker
	Psalms 23 (Pew Bible, p. 476)	
*Offertory Hymn #527		Congregation
	<i>I Know Whom I Have Believed</i>	
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory Music	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Katherine Booker
Scripture Reading		Stephen Clyborne
	John 1:43-41 (Pew Bible, p. 923)	
Anthem	<i>Day by Day</i>	Choir
Sermon	“Come and See”	Stephen Clyborne
*Hymn of Decision #593		Congregation
	<i>Where He Leads Me</i>	
*Benediction		Stephen Clyborne

*Congregation, please stand, if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are delighted that you are here. Please take a welcome card from the pew rack, give us whatever information you are comfortable giving us, and place it in the offering plate when it is passed your way. We would like to get to know you better and find out how we can serve you.

WORDS TO AND FROM GOD

A Prayer Meeting Series on the Psalms

Each Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the Howard Room

This Wednesday, January 17: “Waiting for Hope” (Psalm 25)

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

- Senior Adult Lunch Gathering-** Tuesday, January 16 at 11:00 am in the Morgan Building. Guest Musicians: Butch Blume, vocalist and guitarist, and Debbie Blume, pianist, presenting a wonderful mix of hymn arrangements. American standards, gospel music, comedy songs, and maybe a rune or two from the seventies. Catered meal: \$9 per person. Menu: baked spaghetti, tossed salad, bread, dessert, coffee and tea. **Today is the deadline to make your reservation by paying your \$9 in advance.**
- One-day Joint Senior Adult Retreat-**Thursday, February 1 from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm at Earle Street Baptist Church with the senior adults from Earle Street Baptist Church. Catered meal: \$7 per person. Make your reservation by paying in advance through the church office. The van will leave our church parking lot at 9:15, or you can meet everyone at Earle Street at 10:00 am.

PICKLEBALL GROUP

for all ages

This Thursday, January 18 at 6:00 pm

Family Life Center of Earle Street Baptist Church

If you would like to join our group, please contact Stephen Clyborne.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

The members of our choir invite you to rehearse with them each Wednesday evening at 7:30 pm in the choir room.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Each Sunday morning at 10:00
Childrens class - First floor of main building
Multi-generational class - First floor of Morgan Building

YOUNG ADULT LUNCH /BIBLE STUDY-TODAY

12:15 PM IN THE MORGAN BUILDING

If you would be willing to prepare or provide lunch for our young adult group any Sunday, please contact Stephen Clyborne.

RESHAPING CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday, January 21 at 4 pm in the Morgan Building.

After reflecting on the congregational input gathered in previous congregational meetings, the pastor and deacons are excited to bring important recommendations to the congregation at this meeting on January 21. Please make every effort to be present for this very important meeting.

COMMUNITY MOBILE FOOD BANK

Friday, January 26, 2024

11:00 am until ?

The Greenville Church Without Walls will be providing another Community Mobile Food Bank on January 26 for food-insecure people in the Piedmont community. Volunteers from our church will be needed to help pack and distribute the food bags, and meet our neighbors who come to receive food. Contact Stephen Clyborne if you can be present to help.

WEEKLY EMAIL UPDATES

If you are not currently receiving our weekly email updates, and would like to, please contact the church office.

TO WATCH OUR WORSHIP SERVICES ONLINE

Go to <https://www.youtube.com/@fbcpiedmont/live>. You may also use the web address to view anytime to keep current on upcoming events, activities, and opportunities.

NEXT DEACONS MEETING

Wednesday, February 7

5:30 pm in the Morgan Building

NEXT BUSINESS MEETING

Wednesday, February 14

6:30 pm in the Howard Room

SAVE THE DATE...

INTERNATIONAL MISSIONS NIGHT:

Celebrating What God Is Doing Around the World

Wednesday, February 28 in the Morgan Building

Guest Pastor Soonthorn from House of Blessing in Bangkok, Thailand.

Covered dish dinner at 5:45 pm

Presentation by Pastor Soonthorn at 6:30 pm.

REGULAR CHURCH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

Sunday School	10:00 am
Morning Worship	11:00 am
Young Adult Bible Study	12:15 pm
Lord’s Supper: Second month in quarter, second Sunday	11:00 am

WEDNESDAY

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study	6:30 pm
Deacons Meeting 1 st Wednesday of Month	5:30 pm
Business Meeting 2 nd Wednesday of Month	6:30 pm
Adult Choir Rehearsal	7:30 pm

DEACONS

January Deacon of the Month: Ken Allen

2024

Al McAbee, Chair
Debbie Adkins, Secretary
Susan Allen
David Dickson

2025

Ken Allen, Vice Chair
Lee Allen
Jim Foxx
Crystal Selfridge

PRAYER LIST

Our Church

....that we will walk faithfully in the light God gives us.

Christian Sympathy

...to Sheila Comer, Kenneth, Crystal, Cierra, Logan and Aiden Selfridge in the recent death of Sheila’s mother, Crystals ‘grandmother, and Cierra, Logan and Aiden’s great-grandmother, Billie Comer.

Military

*Rob Campbell, Jon McCann

Recuperating at Home

Sheila Comer

Homebound

Hazel Allen, Maxie Freeman, Shirley Poston, Betty Tucker

Other Concerns

*Gail Blythe, Gerry Carraway, Jerry Hooper, Bill Johnson, *Ann Lane, David Lawless, *Nancy Rector, Evelyn Roper, Jane Satterfield, *Carolyn Shirley, James Thompson, *Mackenzie Watson and family, *Mary Ellen Wilkinson

*non-church members

If you have a prayer request or have a pastoral care need, please contact Stephen Clyborne at 864-354-8473 or pastor@fbcpiedmont.org.

If you would like to give your offering online, please scan this QR code.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Sunday, January 7

Offering Received \$2,280.00

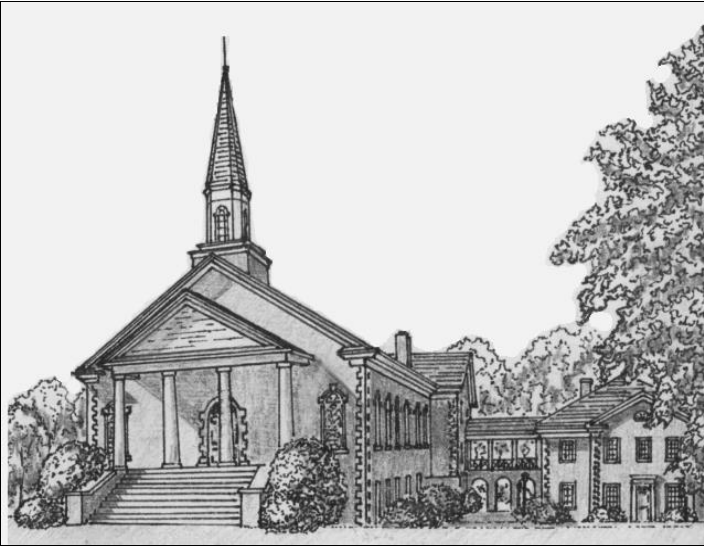


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DR. STEPHEN CLYBORNE – PASTOR

KATHERINE BOOKER– MINISTER OF MUSIC

KIM SPEARS – CHURCH SECRETARY

JUDY FLOYD LEAGUE – ORGANIST

FRANCES WARD – PIANIST

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