

SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

601 Madison Avenue, Kinston, NC 28501

August 2, 2020

**We will be broadcasting via Facebook Live
from the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m.**



Diaspora XX

The Church Scattered, Twentieth Sunday

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The Private Worship of God – August 2, 2020

COMMUNION WITH GOD

Meditation and Silent Prayer

Prelude Clay Whittington
God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale by Carl F. Schalk

Welcome, Announcements, and Concerns Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

CREATION AND PROVIDENCE

Call to Worship Hymn 74
O God, Our Help in Ages Past by Isaac Watts

1. O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home!
2. Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure;
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defense is sure.
3. Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.
4. A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone;
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.
5. Time, like an ever-rolling stream,
Bears all its sons away;
They fly, forgotten, as a dream
Dies at the op'ning day.
6. O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Be Thou our guard while life shall last,
And our eternal home.

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation Dr. Dew

Hymn of Dedication..... Hymn 480
Immortal Love, Forever Full by John Greenleaf Whittier

1. Immortal Love, forever full,
Forever flowing free,
Forever shared, forever whole,
A never ebbing sea!
2. We may not climb the heav'nly steeps
To bring the Lord Christ down;
In vain we search the lowest deeps,
For Him no depths can drown.
3. The healing of His seamless dress
Is by our beds of pain;
We touch Him in life's throng and press,
And we are whole again.
4. O Lord and Master of us all,
Whate'er our name or sign,
We own Thy sway, we hear Thy call,
We test our lives by Thine.

WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND PRAYER

Scripture Reading Genesis 6:3-22,7:1-5, 15-17, 23

Prayer of Intercession Dr. Dew

(Please review our prayer list and pray for those listed.)

Children's Lesson Noah Builds an Ark



Theme: Noah builds an ark.

Object: A simple model kit with instructions.
Drawing of Noah's ark.

Scripture: *This is how you are to build it: The ark is to be 450 feet long, 75 feet wide and 45 feet high. Make a roof for it and finish the ark to within 18 inches of the top. Put a door in the side of the ark and make lower, middle and upper decks.*
Genesis 6:15-16 (NIV)

Have you ever put together a model kit like this one? I have built several models and they are a lot of fun to build. I have built model cars, planes, and boats. Some kits have a lot of parts and are very difficult to build. Some are a little easier. There is one thing that every model kit must have -- instructions! Suppose I were to give you this kit with the instructions, do you think you could build it? Well, you might need some time and a little help, but you could probably do it.

What if I gave you a set of instructions like these (hold up the Noah's Ark plan) and told you I wanted you to build a boat that was 450 feet long, 75 feet wide, and 45 feet high. Do you think you could do it? You would probably say, "No way! That is bigger than a football field! I can't build a boat that big!"

Well, that is exactly what happened to a man named Noah. I know you have heard the story, but every time I hear it, I learn something new. Maybe you will too. One day God looked down on the world that he had created and he saw how mean and evil the people had become. It broke his heart to see the way people were acting. "I'm sorry I made them, he said, "I'll get rid of them all.

Children's Sermon is from www.sermons4kids.com)

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC AND GIVING

Hymn of Meditation Clay Whittington
O Cease, My Wandering Soul by J. E. Gould



O cease, my wan - d' ring soul,
Be - hold the ark of God!
There safe thou shalt a - bide,
Ah, yes! I all for - sake,



On rest - less wing to roam;
Be - hold the o - pen door!
There sweet shall be thy rest;
My all to Thee re - sign;

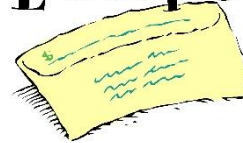


All this wideworld, to ei - ther pole,
O haste to gain that dear a - bode,
And ev - 'ry long - ing sat - is - fied,
Gra - cious Re - deem - er take, O take



Hath not for thee a home.
And rove, my soul, no more.
With full sal - va - tion blest.
And seal me ev - er Thine.

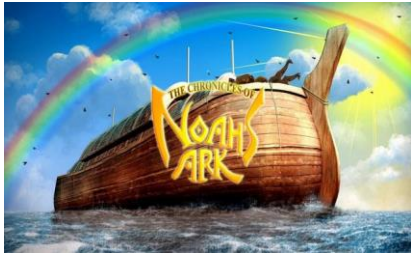
Offering Envelopes



Enclosed is a general offering envelope for your convenience if you wish to mail in your offering.

Special Music Clay Whittington
How Can I Keep from Singing by Richard Walters

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION



The Faithfulness of Noah

By Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

Genesis 6:3-22,7:1-5, 15-17, 23

(See Enclosed Sermon)

WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn Creation and Providence Hymn 54

Great is Thy Faithfulness by Thomas O. Chisholm

1. Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

Chorus:

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Chorus:

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Chorus:

Benediction Dr. Dew

*24 Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling,
And to present you faultless Before the presence of His glory with
exceeding joy, 25 To God our Savior, Who alone is wise, Be glory
and majesty, Dominion and power, Both now and forever. Amen.
Jude 24-25 (NKJV)*

Postlude Clay Whittington

Father all loving, who rulest in majesty by Ralph Vaughan Williams



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Baptist Church during this time!**

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Prayer List – August 2, 2020

Nursing Home or Assisted Living Center

Gnell Harper – Heritage Elite (room 201), Kinston
Marilyn Owens – Spring Arbor (room 314A), Kinston 7/31/19
Effie Smith – Magnolia Cottage Care (#2), Dover
Marie Spears – Spring Arbor (room 102), Kinston 9/5/19
Pearlie Wade (Betty Potter's sister), Snow Hill Assisted
Joyce Wetherington – Heritage Elite (room 305), Kinston
Trudy Wooten – Spring Arbor (room 108), Kinston 3/9/20

Requests for Prayer

Melinda Blackman (Don Lockamy's niece)
Mary Ann Braswell (Allan Ham's daughter) – brain tumor surgery 6/24
Avery Burchette – Duke, Raleigh, (daughter of friend of Beth Crisp) – 12-month checkup, still no sign of cancer! 5/31/20
Loraine Carraway's father – CT scan of aortic valve 5/12
Jackie Elmore (Joan Joyner's daughter) – chemo and radiation
Greg Gentry (Jerry Crisp's cousin) – home now
Kaylee Henry (Jimmy & Brenda Barlow's 8-year-old granddaughter) Heart cath on Feb 6th at UNC-CH
Louise Hill – doing very well now
Sonia Koonce (Clay Whittington's grandmother) – cancer 5/13/20, finished chemo
Cleon Lincke – prayer, her son, Paul, staying with her now
Joyce Lockamy – special prayer
Brooks Owens – fractured vertebrae 6/10/20
Kim Skeens (Loretta Skeens' daughter) – staying with Loretta now, able to walk now 2/12
Kingsley Platts – last chemo on 4/28/20, sister donating stem cells for transplant – 100% match
Sonya Williams (Shorty Hill's niece) – breast cancer
Sylvia Williams – skin cancer on leg, begins radiation 6/30

Lectionary Passages – Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

First Reading & Psalms: Genesis 32:22-31 Psalm 17:1-7, 15
Second Reading & Psalms: Isaiah 55:1-5 Psalm 145:8-9,14-21
Second Reading: Romans 9:1-5
Gospel Reading: Matthew 14:13-21



Added July 29, 2020 – 20th Week of Diaspora

Trudy Wooten – Back at Spring Arbor, Hospice Assisting

Added July 22, 2020 – 19th Week of Diaspora

The family of Ann West Houston – died 7/15, graveside 7/20

Added July 8, 2020 – 17th Week of Diaspora

Margie Davis (Bess Hooks' sister) – home 7/11
Michael McCarn of Florence SC (Claudia Dale's son-in-law)
stage 2 prostate cancer
HR Orr (Shirlene Koonce's brother) – kidney cancer, immunotherapy
Starting 7/29
Jimmy Overton – still experiencing pain from heart surgery

Added June 30, 2020 – 16th Week of Diaspora

Bryan Coy "BC" Carlyle – died 6/26, funeral 6/30
Jenny Holt – ongoing problems with shingles, better this week
David Taylor – heart related issues, new meds helping

Continuing Prayers for this Season

All the people impacted by the coronavirus pandemic
Individuals isolated
Families impacted by closed schools
Businesses and Employees impacted
Doctors, Nurses, Hospital employees