

RUMPLE: CALLED TO WORSHIP AND EMPOWERED TO SERVE

Rumple's Annual Summer Picnic is on the lawn immediately after worship today. All are welcome! Extra food has been ordered so please stay even if you did not make a reservation. The lunch is being catered by Come Back Shack with cake and ice cream to celebrate 100 years in ministry with Grandfather Home. Donation jars will be available on the tables for the youth international mission trip in 2019.

The Old Testament: Foundation of Our Faith

Next month, Rumple is hosting Old Testament scholar, Rev. Dr. Brent Strawn, for a weekend of teachings based on his recent book, *The Old Testament is Dying*. To prepare for some of the topics that will be discussed, we are offering a four-week "Lunch-and-Learn," led by Dr. Davis Hankins. These classes will be on Fridays from 11:30-1:00 on August 17, 24, 31, and September 7. Check your *eNews* for more information.

Mark your calendar for Rumple's Visiting Scholar! September 7-10, we will host Rev. Dr. Brent Strawn. He is an Old Testament professor, as well as the director of the Doctor of Ministry degree, at Emory University in Atlanta, GA. He will be teaching and speaking based on his recent book, *The Old Testament is Dying: A Diagnosis and Recommended Treatment*.

Trauma and Resiliency Forums and Healing and Wholeness Service continue this month. Today we welcome staff from Children's Hope Alliance (Grandfather Home) to share with us the trauma they see in the children they work with and where they see hope. Next Sunday, August 26, all are invited to discuss how Rumple can respond to what we have learned in this series of forums. The series will conclude with a Service of Healing and Wholeness on Wednesday, August 29, at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Childcare will be provided for the worship service.

Yoga offered at Rumple. Ann Whiddon, a new Rumple member, is teaching a gentle yoga class on Monday's at 6:00 in the Fellowship Hall. No yoga experience needed. Please bring a yoga mat and a donation to BR CARES as your offering to attend the class. Ann is a certified yoga and Pilates instructor holding certifications through NETA.

Monthly BR CARES food pantry donations needed! Most needed items for August are: pineapple in natural juices, apple sauce (low or no sugar), any canned fruits in natural juices, beans (pork & beans, pinto beans, Great Northern beans, lima beans, black-eye peas, etc.) canned salmon, canned sauerkraut, large cans of spaghetti sauce, toilet paper. Food can be dropped off in the shopping cart in the office reception area Monday—Thursday. Let's stock the pantry shelves!

Presbyterian Women Officer Installation and life membership presentations will be a part of worship next Sunday, August 26 at 11:00. There will be a reception after worship for honorary life membership recipients.

CASE Policy Training If you volunteering in the children and youth ministry during the 2018-2019 year (Children's Church, Sunday School, VBS, youth trips, etc.) or if you would like to volunteer, mark your calendar for our training on Sunday, August 26, following the 11:00 worship, in the Fellowship Hall. This training is on our church's updated safety policy and will go over general guidelines and procedures for working with anyone birth—18 years. If you cannot attend this training, there will be a training via Facebook Live on Tuesday, August 28.

**Please keep in your prayers
Rumple members**

Barbara Scott, Emma Humphries, Brenda Lentz, Bill and Pat Magruder, Recie Craig, Erin Tobin and Drew Taylor, serving in the military, Rumple's 2018 Elder Nominating Committee

Family and friends of Rumple

Emma Ewing, granddaughter of Maurice and Bonnie Ewing; Lou Moore's son in law, Luke Short cancer treatment, Grover Gore, Brennan Smith, son of Jeff and Angela Smith; Susie Reynolds, sister of Patty Laubach; Meg Wagner, neighbor of Leslie Novilla; Vicki Hamilton's grandson, Oliver; Helen, sister of Bill Magruder; Joyce Rodriguez, sister of Carolyn Nelson; Stanley Coffey, son of Betty Coffey, Phyllis Foster, friend of Wes Thompson, Al and Ellen Smith, missionaries in Russia

Please contact Hazel in the church office if you have other prayer concerns to add.

Sunday August 19

8:45 Worship
9:45 Sunday School
9:45 Trauma and Resiliency Series (FH)
11:00 Worship Grandfather Home Service
12:00 Church Picnic (Lawn)
1:00 Youth Committee (YC)

Monday August 20

10:00 Circle 3
4:00 Finance
6:00 Yoga Class (FH)

Wednesday August 22

11:00 Staff Meeting (L)
7:00 Sanctuary Choir (KMC)

Friday August 24

11:30-1:00 Old Testament Class (RH)

Sunday August 26

8:45 Worship
9:45 Sunday School
9:45 Trauma Series (FH)
11:00 Worship
12:00 PW Reception
12:15 CASE Training (FH)

YC—Youth Cottage FH-Fellowship Hall
RH-Rumple House KMC Keys Music Center
PS-Pastor's Study
ACU-Adult Classroom Upstairs

It's not too late to get your picture in the Rumple photo directory! We hope to have everyone's photo included. If you were unable to make a photo appointment, you can submit a photo. Please contact Hazel in the church office at office@rumplechurch.org.



Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church

The Order of Service for the Worship of God

August 19, 2018

A Celebration of 100 Years of Partnership in Ministry: Rumple and Grandfather Home

WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD’S NAME

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you
And also with you.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Partnership Video

+CALL TO WORSHIP

In the beginning before time, before people, before the world began, **God was.**
Here and now among us, beside us, enlisting the people of earth for the purposes of heaven, **God is.**
In the future, when we have gone and all we know has found its fulfilment,
God will be.

We come to worship God who redeemed this world through Jesus Christ.
God who was, who is, and who always will be.

+HYMN OF PRAISE

“What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine”

No. 837

Text: Elisha A. Hoffman Music: Anthony J. Showalter

Tune: SHOWALTER

+PRAYER OF ADORATION

God of love and mercy, in the quiet peace of morning we gather in this holy place to sing or praise to you and to be touched by your gentle Spirit. We offer grateful thanks for the gift of Sabbath rest and renewal. We pray that through our worship we may be recreated in your likeness once more. Let your cleansing Spirit enter our lives, that the shadows of our souls may be pierced by the brilliance of your Light. Let our destructive thoughts be transformed into expressions of beauty, reflecting your uncompromising love. We pray in the name of our Redeemer. Amen.

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

Holly Bannan

WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER OF PREPARATION

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 5-7; selected verses; p. 4

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

THE WORD IN MUSIC

The John Cockman Family

John (Father) Jennifer (Mother) Arwen, Lorien and Morgen

Beside Me

'Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Orphans of God

Jesus Loves Me

You Know My Name

He Leadeth Me

WE RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS

+PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING OF OUR LIFE AND LABORS

OFFERTORY

“Brother James’ Air”

Larry Shackley

DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

No. 606

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WE DEPART TO SHARE THE GOOD NEWS

+SENDING HYMN

“Go to the World!”

No. 295

Text: Sylvia G. Dunstan Music: Ralph Vaughan Williams

Tune: SINE NOMINE

+CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Children of the Heavenly Father”

James Pethel

Bold font indicates all say or sing in unison +Indicates those who are able may stand. * Used by Permission CCLI# 3145863

WORSHIP NOTES

Leading worship: Kathy Beach; Pastor; Dave McCollum; Eric Luke, Accompanist; Ushers and Greeters: Leslie Novilla, Debbie Clay, Pat Coley, Dottie Watson

Rumple welcomes The John Cockman Family of musicians back this morning to share their musical gifts.

Rumple also welcomes Celeste Dominguez, President and CEO and Stephanie Knowles, Chief Operating Officer, of Children’s Hope Alliance (Grandfather Home and Barium Springs Home for Children) to help us celebrate 100 years of partnership in ministry.

Large Print Hymnals and Assisted Listening devices for worship are available in the narthex. If you would like to use a “Sound Mate” while in worship, please see Kent Leonard (at the soundboard) or an usher for assistance. Please recycle your bulletin; place it on the table in the back entrance or recycle bin in the office workroom.

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of the baptism of Eston James Earl, son of Robert and Meleah Earl and grandson of Bill and Linda Mauldin. We also celebrate God’s love of His children as we give thanks for 100 years of honoring the children of Grandfather Home in Banner Elk.

A Nursery is provided each Sunday morning (8:30-12:15) for infants through five years old in the Keys Church Nursery area on the downstairs level of the education building. Please ask an usher to direct you to the nursery. The nursery is staffed by supervisor, Julie Anderson and assistant, Mary Leah Reece.

There is no Children’s Church today for children kindergarten—second grade. There are Bibles, books, and worship bags at both entrances of the sanctuary. We invite them to remain in the service to be part of today’s special service.

There is a Sunday School class for children, kindergarten through 5th grade. They meet in the "Butterfly classroom" from 9:45-10:45, led by Holly Bannan. Join us as we explore "The Ten Commandments" during August.

Welcome to all who have come to worship God at the Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church this morning. If you are a guest or a visitor, this church family welcomes you. We invite you to fill out a visitor card or leave your contact information on the fellowship pad. The Rumple family would love to get to know you and share information about the ministries and missions of Rumple. If you would like to receive weekly news from Rumple, please leave us your email address with that noted. If you have questions, please speak to one of the ushers.

Summer worship times at 8:45 and 11:00 will continue through September 2; our third Hymn Sing will begin at 10:40 on Sunday September 2. Come a bit early for worship and enjoy singing your favorite hymns at Rumple.

Grateful Rumple at Work! We continue to give thanks for the ministry that the generous gifts of Rumple members, affiliates, and friends make possible. If you missed the great sheet describing how Rumple’s budget is allocated, please pick one up at either entrance to the sanctuary. This morning we continue to give thanks for Rumple’s support of mission in the local community, particularly 100 years of support for Grandfather Home for Children, now Children’s Hope Alliance. Since the first Grandfather Home service in 1918, this has been a signature mission of the Rumple Church family. Today we are celebrating new connections and new ways this congregation can continue to support the important ministry of Grandfather Home’s work with broken and hurting teens.