



The Memorial Baptist Church

Greenville, NC

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A SERVICE OF WORSHIP AND INSTALLATION

Dr. T. Bradley Smith

November 1, 2015, 3:00 pm

PRELUDE

Chorale from FINLANDIA
Dr. Catherine Garner and Mrs. Fran Wilson

Jean Sibelius

GREETING

Dr. Larry Dendy

CALL TO WORSHIP

Dr. Walter Byrum

To the powerful and the powerless, God calls us into the work of love.

The poor and the oppressor have this in common: the Lord gives light to the eyes of both.

Within the dissonance and the harmony, God calls us into the song of love.

God has put a new song in my mouth, a song of praise to our God.

As the Word became flesh and lived among us, God calls us into the story of love.

And we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

May love be the relentless pursuit of this beloved community, as pastor and people embark on a new journey together.

All: Since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. If we love one another, God lives in us, and God's love is perfected in us. Alleluia!

INVOCATION

Rev. E. T. Vinson

HYMN 435

God of Grace and God of Glory

CWM RHONDDA

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 42

Ms. Beth Harman

The Word of God for the people of God;
Thanks be to God.

WORDS OF BLESSING AND AFFIRMATION

Representing the Cooperative Baptist Fellowship of North Carolina
Representing the Community
Representing The Memorial Baptist Church

Dr. Jack Causey
Dr. Rick Bailey
Mr. Patrick Allen

PRAYERS OF BLESSING

Dr. Causey

HYMN 401

The Church's One Foundation

AURELIA

THE CHURCH IN COVENANT

DR. BILL LEE

By the leading of the Holy Spirit, we have called this man of God, Brad Smith, to be our Pastor, and he has responded as God has led him. Therefore, we do now enter into a solemn covenant with God and with our Pastor that we will faithfully follow his leadership as he follows Christ.

With thankful hearts for God's mercy and goodness, we accept this solemn covenant with God and with our Pastor.

Recognizing that this relationship with our Pastor is by divine appointment through the providence of God, we do now pledge to him our support as co-workers for Christ, our prayers as believers, our promise to participate in the worship services of the church, and our support of the total ministry of the church. We will encourage and sustain him in the discharge of his responsibilities as he follows the direction of our Lord.

With understanding love and a willingness to service God, we accept these responsibilities to go hand in hand with God and our Pastor.

Acknowledging that in and through Jesus Christ we are strengthened, we promise to work toward the evangelization of this community and the worldwide extension of the Kingdom of God, to strive to enhance the Church of Christ, and to endeavor to embody the truth of God's word in our daily lives. This high obligation requires that we be good stewards of all we have received from God and that we show the love of Christ toward all persons whom our influence touches.

With a fervent desire to advance the cause of Christ, we accept the challenge of this covenant.

All: Remembering gratefully all of those who have gone before us in the faith of our fathers and mothers, without whose sacrifice and dedication we would not be here today, we pause to honor our church's past. With joy for those who shall come after us, we join hearts to go forward in Christian unity and fellowship through our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. To God be the glory forever, Amen.

CHORAL WORSHIP

The Majesty and Glory of Your Name
The Chancel Choir

Tom Fettke

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Luke 10:38-42

Dr. Byrum

The Word of God for the people of God;
Thanks be to God.

THE CHARGE

The Main Thing

Rev. Ed Beddingfield

THE PASTOR IN COVENANT

Ms. Pattie Allen

Do you acknowledge and receive Dr. Brad Smith as your Pastor? Do you pledge yourselves to respect him for the sake of the Gospel, to encourage and support him in the work he will undertake for the extension of God's kingdom during his ministry here, and do you also pledge to nurture and support his family as they become a part of this community of faith?

We do so promise, the Lord being our helper. In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we declare you to be duly installed as Pastor of The Memorial Baptist Church.

PRAYER OF INSTALLATION

Dr. Glenn Jonas

RESPONSE OF THE Pastor

Dr. Brad Smith

+ HYMN 415

We Are Called to Be God's People

AUSTRIAN HYMN

+ BENEDICTION

Dr. Scott Conner

+ POSTLUDE

OLD HUNDREDTH Carillon
Dr. Garner

David Maxwell

+ All who are able, please stand.

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LEADING IN WORSHIP

- Dr. Larry Dendy, *chair of search team*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Dr. Walter Byrum, *associate pastor*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Rev. E. T. Vinson, *former pastor*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Ms. Beth Harman, *church clerk*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Dr. Jack Causey, *ministerial resources coordinator*, CBF North Carolina
Dr. Rick Bailey, *pastor*, First Baptist Church, Farmville
Dr. Glenn Jonas, *associate dean*, Campbell University College of Arts and Sciences
Mr. Patrick Allen, *member*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Dr. Bill Lee, *member*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Rev. Ed Beddingfield, *pastor*, Memorial Baptist Church, Buies Creek
Ms. Pattie Allen, *moderator*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Dr. Brad Smith, *pastor*, The Memorial Baptist Church
Dr. Scott Conner, *pastor*, Immanuel Baptist Church

THE MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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DR. BRAD SMITH
Senior Pastor

DR. WALTER BYRUM
Associate Pastor, Music and Worship Arts

REV. MISAEL MARRIAGA
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