

# FLAME SUNDAY



July 14, 2024

**HODGES BOULEVARD  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH**

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# Order of Worship

<b>*SONGS OF PRAISE</b>		Faith + 1
<b>WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS</b>		JoAnne Sharp
<b>OPENING PRAYER</b>		FLAME
<b>*OPENING SONG</b>	<i>Big House</i>	
<b>CALL TO CONFESSION</b>		FLAME
<b>PRAYER OF CONFESSION</b>		
<p>Holy God, so often we forget to live through you. We get distracted and our focus shifts from you to material things and wants. We get caught up in ourselves that we fail to come together as one. We stray from our faith, getting off track of your vision for us. Forgive us, O Lord, for putting you off. Help us to remember it takes many parts to make one while. Guide us to work as one people, not just single individuals. Lead us all in a direction of togetherness, so we may live faithfully as one. Through Christ we pray, Amen!</p>		
<b>DECLARATION OF PARDON</b>		FLAME
<p><i>The good news of the gospel is that everything we have done wrong is forgiven by the grace of God in Jesus Christ. Through God's grace any divisions can stop and togetherness can happen.</i></p>		
<b>*RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS</b>		<i>Gloria Patri</i>
<b>CHILDREN'S TIME</b>		JoAnne Sharp
<b>COMMISSIONING OF YOUTH MISSION TEAM</b>		
<b>*PASSING THE PEACE</b>		<i>Family of God</i>
	(Please stand and pass the peace of Christ.)	
<b>OFFERING &amp; MUSICAL OFFERING</b>	<i>All I Need Is You</i>	Faith + 1
<b>PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION</b>		
<b>FIRST SCRIPTURE READING</b>		1 Samuel 12:20-24

*\*All who are able may stand*

**SECOND SCRIPTURE READING**

Proverbs 19:17

**THIRD SCRIPTURE READING**

Matthew 5:13-16

**FOURTH SCRIPTURE READING**

1 Peter 4:10-11

**FIFTH SCRIPTURE READING**

Matthew 25:35-40

**SERMON**

Reflections from the Week

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**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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.**

**\*CLOSING PRAISE**

*Gratitude*

Faith + 1

**\*BLESSING**

**\*PARTING MUSIC**

## FLAME Missionaries

Gabriel Blunt  
Holden Degarmon  
Max Laning  
Baeddán Kilgore

Kahlan Kilgore  
Adalynn McGhee  
Ryland McGhee  
Samuel Stokes

## Calendar

Sunday, July 14 <b>FLAME Sunday</b>	9:00 am	Adult Discussion Class
	10:00 am	Worship
	11:15 am	Children's Ministry Team
Tuesday, July 16	6:00 pm	HOA Meeting

Please complete the welcome card located in your bulletin and place it the offering plate.

### Remember in Prayer

Dianah Bradshaw, Margo Grout,  
Brant Newland, Jeff Rossman

## Cross Mission Team Commissioning

**JoAnne:** In the Christian faith, our mission is to make the Lord Jesus Christ known to all people. We hear this in Jesus' words from John 13:34-35, "I command that you love one another as I have loved you...by this, all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.

Today we celebrate you all and your commitment to the work ahead of you, as you join with West End Presbyterian Church in mission at Cross Mission in Charlotte, NC. Through the gift of your service and its example of love, you will show others the infinite love that God has for all people. This is both a privilege and a responsibility, and we are going to ask you to affirm your commitment to this work. Will you accept the persons who you serve right where they are and just the way they are?

**Team:** We will, with God's help.

**FLAME:** Will you seek to work in glad cooperation and mutual support with others, being sensitive and helpful according to the needs presented to you?

**Team:** We will, with God's help.

**FLAME:** Will you remember that you are a beloved Child of God, and act the right way, remembering Ms. JoAnne has spies everywhere?

**Team:** We will, with God's help!

**FLAME:** Let us pray...Creator God, watch over our friends and their leaders this week. Give them your spirit, your grace and strength to do their very best on this trip. Remind them that all that they do is to glorify you. **AMEN.**

**Pastor Jon:** Friends, you are commissioned to go out and share the love of Christ with your gift of service to the work of Cross Mission. Remember you go as the hands and feet of Christ, and the faces of Hodges to the people of Charlotte. Remember you are loved, these people will be praying for and with you each day. Go with our support to do wonderful things. Amen.

Flowers today are dedicated to the glory of God and . . .



*In memory of  
Ruth Shafer  
by Martha Shafer*

