

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

Week of April 5-April 11, 2020

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

MON-THURS, 8:00am-4:30pm: FRI, 8:00am-12:30pm

SUNDAY NO ACTIVITIES UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

MONDAY

10:00 am *Beyond Words Radio: Peace in a Pandemic* with Paul Williams
WHKP 1450 AM & 107.7 FM

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

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Hendersonville Presbyterian Church

Blessed to be a Blessing
Genesis 12:2-3 (NIV)

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
Livestream Service 11:00 am
April 5th, 2020
Palm Sunday

CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: *All Glory, Laud and Honor*

No.235

OPENING PRAYER

SOLO: *The Holy City*

Soloist: Cathey Gilbert

Stephen Adams

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

Loving God, like the crowd that followed Jesus to the gates of Jerusalem two thousand years ago, we are also quick to turn away when the cross looms on the horizon. We have often chosen an easy path rather than the way of obedience. Hear now our silent confessions and renew in us the heart and spirit to follow you always, everywhere. May your will become our will, and may your purpose be fulfilled in our lives—even when the way is difficult. In the name of Christ, we pray, AMEN.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

HYMN: *Tell Me the Story of Jesus*

No. 234

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Inspired by Psalm 118, Written by Ann Siddall

Though we have known hardship and pain, though life has not always turned out as we had hoped, we will stand here and say: God's steadfast love endures forever! Though life becomes more complex, the deepest questions remain unanswered, and the mystery of faith deepens, we will say: God's steadfast love endures forever! And though the pain of the world often seems more than we can bear or address, we will stand firm in our faith and say: God's steadfast love endures forever!

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: No. 735
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 19:41-44

SERMON: "Tears for Jerusalem" Pastor Tom Pitman
*As he approached Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it and said, "If you, even you, had only known on this day what would bring you peace—but now it is hidden from your eyes."
Luke 19:41-42*

HYMN: *This is My Father's World* No. 111

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

BLESSING

POSTLUDE: *Praise We Sing to Thee* Franz Joseph Haydn

The flowers are given to the glory of God by Anne Carlin and in memory of Mike and Anne's parents.

UPCOMING EVENTS



ATTENDANCE AT SERVICES IS SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. PLEASE CONTINUE TO WATCH VIA LIVE STREAM. PLEASE CHECK YOUR EMAIL FOR UPDATES REGARDING SERVICES AND CHURCH RELATED EVENTS. THANK YOU.



PLEASE JOIN US ONLINE FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT TABLE TALK AT 6:30 PM!

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WE WELCOME YOU THIS MORNING!

Thank you for joining us via livestreaming!



CARE AND CONCERN

MISSIONARY PRAYER REQUEST: In March, Chris Matthews' had prayer requests for this week's needs. He was going to be teaching at the Streams in the Desert Bible Institute. The Corona Virus has changed everything. However, let's start our prayers with this little Bible Institute, their students, faculty, and all their connected families. He also wanted us to pray for the Deans of the Seminary in Seville, and the Spanish Churches. We have just been given a bigger prayer list. All those mentioned will need to have prayer cover from the Corona Virus as well as for all their families. Let's pray for each.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND COMMITMENT

RADIO PROGRAM: Tune in Monday morning, April 6th from 10:00am - 11:00am on WHKP 1450 AM/107.7 FM for Beyond Words Radio: Peace in a Pandemic with Paul Williams. Is there a way to find peace in the midst of the pandemic? For our own safety and that of others, we rightly garner facts from the news; and yet, those very facts may unsettle our spirits and cause anxiety. The Bible tells us that faith in God can calm our anxieties and bring peace. How is this possible? Paul Williams, a medical doctor with more than three decades of experience serving in international crises, provides wisdom and insights that can help you to experience peace in your heart and home in the midst of the worldwide epidemic. Archived podcasts are available online at www.scriptureawakening.com.

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