

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

### *Week of April 19-April 25, 2020*

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

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

#### SUNDAY

9:30 am Children Sunday School via Zoom  
10:15 am Youth Sunday School via Zoom

#### MONDAY

10:00 am *Beyond Words Radio: The Pandemic in Perspective*  
WHKP 1450 AM & 107.7 FM

#### TUESDAY

#### WEDNESDAY

6:30 pm Table Talk- online with Bill Campbell

#### 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 19th, 2020

SOLO: *Psalm 128*

Soloist: Ross Sortore

David Erb

CHIMES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: *A Mighty Fortress*

No.92

OPENING PRAYER

SOLO: *Psalm 6*

Soloist: Ross Sortore

David Erb

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

God of the Universe, thank you for caring for each of us. All Powerful One, your love and grace surround and bless us. Forgive us for so often fearing life rather than trusting our Lord, for fretting about circumstances rather than praying to you, and for worrying about the future rather than walking forward with the confidence that you will guide and protect us. We recommit ourselves to believing that you are the Sovereign King, God over all, our Redeemer and Savior. And so, be with us this morning as we pray and worship. AMEN.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

Based on Isaiah 40, written by Bruce Prewer

This we have come to know, this is what we have heard: the Eternal is an everlasting God, creator of heaven and earth, who does not grow weary or faint; whose wisdom is unsearchable, giving energy to the meek and strength to those who have none. Even youths shall faint and grow weary, young athletes shall fall exhausted; but those who love the Lord Jesus and patiently put their trust in God, shall renew their strength; they shall soar with wings like eagles, they shall run and not weary, they shall walk and not faint.

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:

Matthew 6:5-9

SERMON:

**“ How You Are to Pray”**

Pastor Tom Pitman

*And when you pray, do not be like the hypocrites, for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the street corners to be seen by others. – Matt: 6:5*

HYMN: *Our God, Our Help in Ages Past*

No. 30

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

BLESSING

POSTLUDE: *Blest Be the Tie*

Hans G. Nageli arr. Lowell Mason

## 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 with special music! Bill Campbell will present "A Word to Change Your World"**

**Learn about a powerful new program from Scripture Awakening that can bring you to a new level of engagement in and understanding of the Scriptures.**

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## WE WELCOME YOU THIS MORNING!

Thank you for joining us via livestreaming!



## CARE AND CONCERN

**MISSIONARY PRAYER REQUEST:** In Mindy Henson's March Update she observes the second anniversary of David's death and is still burdened with grief. She notes time's passing while she tries to follow Christ's leading for the "next thing" she is to do. Mindy just completed putting together a shipment to the "grey zone" of eastern Ukraine. Her boxes contain: clothes for orphans and disabled children, adult diapers, household and hygiene products, and school supplies for families with children. She asks us to pray for Ukraine's dealing with the virus, and her visit to a military hospital. Pray also for Mindy as she goes forward.

## SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND COMMITMENT

**RADIO PROGRAM:** Tune in Monday morning, April 20th from 10:00am – 11:00am on WHKP 1450 AM/107.7 FM for *Beyond Words Radio: The Pandemic in Perspective* with Chung Soo Kim. Korea was hit early on with the pandemic, and Koreans have had time to glean wisdom and insight about how to handle it. Chung Soo Kim, International Relations Manager for the Far East Broadcasting Company in Korea shares practical tips and spiritual insights that can help each nation and every person find a balanced and biblical perspective. Archived podcasts are available online at [www.scriptureawakening.com](http://www.scriptureawakening.com).

## CHURCH STAFF

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## A MIGHTY FORTRESS IS OUR GOD

### Verse 1

A mighty fortress is our God  
A bulwark never failing  
Our helper He amid the flood  
Of mortal ills prevailing  
For still our ancient foe  
Doth seek to work us woe  
His craft and power are great  
And armed with cruel hate  
On earth is not his equal

### Verse 2

Did we in our own strength confide  
Our striving would be losing  
Were not the right man on our side  
The man of God's own choosing  
Dost ask who that may be  
Christ Jesus it is He  
Lord Sabaoth His name  
From age to age the same  
And He must win the battle

### Verse 3

And though this world  
With devils filled  
Should threaten to undo us  
We will not fear  
For God hath willed  
His truth to triumph through us  
The prince of darkness grim  
We tremble not for him  
His rage we can endure  
For lo his doom is sure  
One little word shall fell him

### Verse 4

That word above all earthly pow'rs  
No thanks to them abideth  
The Spirit and the gifts are ours  
Through Him who with us sideth  
Let goods and kindred go  
This mortal life also

The body they may kill  
God's truth abideth still  
His kingdom is forever

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## O GOD OUR HELP IN AGES PAST (ST. ANNE)

### Verse 1

O God our help in ages past  
Our hope for years to come  
Our shelter from the stormy blast  
And our eternal home

### Verse 2

Under the shadow of Thy throne  
Thy saints have dwelt secure  
Sufficient is Thine arm alone  
And our defense is sure

### Verse 3

Before the hills in order stood  
Or earth received her frame  
From everlasting Thou art God  
To endless years the same

### Verse 4

A thousand ages in Thy sight  
Are like an evening gone  
Short as the watch that ends the night  
Before the rising sun

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