

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Traditional Service at 8:30 AM and 10:55 AM

King Street Worship at 10:30 AM

October 28, 2018

Reformation Sunday

PASSING OF THE PEACE

We encourage you to visit with each other, sharing the peace of Christ.

CHIMES and WELCOME

(Please sign and pass the friendship register in the pew next to the center aisle.)

INTROIT: *There is None Like You* Lenny LeBlanc, arr. Carol Tornquist
Pianist: Brenda Holmer

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN: *The Church's One Foundation*

No. 347

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Great and gracious God, thank you for the privilege of prayer. You allow us to come boldly into your presence and to share our dreams, our hopes, and our concerns with you. Yet too often we think ourselves too busy to pray. Forgive us, and teach us to pray with greater passion, even to becoming desperate for your presence and blessing. In the name of Christ, who lives to intercede for us, AMEN.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

READING OF THE NECROLOGY

8:30 am Reader: Bob Hicks

10:55 am Reader: Tom Sheppard

Toller of the Bell: Karen Grady

ANTHEM: *Come to Me and Rest* Paul Williams and Benjamin Harlan

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

MINUTE FOR MISSIONS:

Jackie Eadie

RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

From Psalm 119

We believe that God answers prayer.

The Spirit helps us to form the words,

the Son makes them acceptable,

and the Father responds to our prayers with wisdom and compassion.

We commit to praying boldly

for the promises of God to be fulfilled in our lives,

for the purposes of God to be accomplished in our day,

and for the glory of God to cover the earth

as the waters cover the sea.

God, make us a people of prayer. AMEN

WE WELCOME YOU THIS MORNING!

A warm Hendersonville Presbyterian Church welcome to those visitors who are worshipping with us today! We are glad you are here. If you would like to follow Jesus Christ through the fellowship of this congregation, please make a note on the friendship pad, or speak with one of the pastors at the door. Visitor name tags are available in the elevator lobby. Be sure to visit one of the welcome centers for a special gift. Ushers this morning are – 8:30 AM: Jim and Joann Youngs, Ron and Joyce Brandon; 10:55 AM: Nancy Lindsay, Gil Broyles, Tim Amnot, Meredith Hickson, Gib and Nancy Campbell, Dana Conlon and Chuck Mason. The special music at the 8:30 AM service features Gayle Stepp singing *The Love of God* by Frederick M. Lahman and *There is a Redeemer* by Melody Greene.

CARE AND CONCERN

MISSIONARY PRAYER REQUEST: John Hanna reports that Hurricane Florence hit some of the Carolina universities very hard. Several were closed for weeks by the flooding and the damage. Some of the interrupted classes were because the students were personally impacted supporting their families. The impact on the universities also meant impact on InterVarsity's programs causing interruptions in small group meetings and New Student Outreach programs. Three IV fall retreats had to be cancelled. Staff and Student leaders have had to revamp their programs to have them function. John asks for prayer for students from Coastal Carolina, UNC-Pembroke, and UNC Wilmington.

SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND ENRICHMENT

SUNDAY SCHOOL: We invite you to participate in one of our 9:30 AM classes. The Special Topics class meets in Room 206 and is studying, *Cultures in Conflict; Paul Proclaims Jesus as Lord, Part 2, featuring Ray Vander Laan*. The Trinity Class meets in Room 210 and is studying the Book of Romans. The Conversation class meets in Room 208 and is studying the Book of Acts.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL: We invite the children and youth to participate in one of the following classes. The Elementary School class is studying, the Healing Miracles of Jesus and the Middle and High School class is studying the Bible through the lens of The Bible Project. Classes meet in Rooms 215 and 219.

RADIO PROGRAM: Tune in Monday morning, October 29th, 2018, from 10:00 – 11:00 am on WHKP 1450 AM/107.7 FM for *Beyond Words Radio*. Topic: *"Mapping Church Missions"* with Sharon Hoover. Theologian Emil Brunner once famously stated that, "The church exists by mission, just as fire exists by burning." If the work of missions is essential to the existence of the Church, why is it so difficult to accomplish? Sharon Hoover brings her years of experience to help individual Christians and whole churches engage in missions in a most effective and unified manner. You may listen through the internet by connecting to the link found on www.whkp.com. Archived podcasts are available at www.beyondwordsradio.com.

COMMUNITY PRAYER GATHERING: Join us for a weekly prayer gathering, each Thursday at 12:00 noon in the Chapel. Come expecting God to meet us!

WORSHIP ATTENDANCE: Sunday, Oct 21st, 2018 – 326

8:30 AM: 23; KSW and 10:55 AM: (combined) 303

CAPITAL FUNDS UPDATE AS OF OCT 28TH, 2018

SETTLEMENT GOAL: \$600,000

Collected: \$529,948

Uncollected pledges: \$77,436

Balance Needed: ----

BUILDING (REDUCED) GOAL: \$320,000

Collected: \$289,649

Uncollected pledges: \$20,071

Balance Needed: \$10,280

UPCOMING EVENTS

WEDNESDAY TABLE TALK: For our Table Talk this week, please join us for "Mission Myanmar", with Dr. Dengthuama. Reservations for the 5:25 PM catered dinner are required and may be made at worship on Sunday or by calling the church office at 692-3211 by Tuesday noon. Also, if the need arises to cancel a reservation, please call the church office as soon as possible. The menu for this Wednesday is Sloppy Joes, Macaroni and Cheese, Cole Slaw, Greek, Mixed Greens and Chef Choice Salad. Fresh fruit is also available for diabetic restricted diets. You may attend the catered dinner at 5:25 PM or simply arrive at 6:25 PM when the service begins.

FRIDAY NIGHT ALIVE! Come join us this Friday and every first Friday of the month from 6-8pm when we will meet to worship, share, fellowship, and have fun! Invite your friends to this energetic and welcoming time. We have a lot of amazing things planned! Bring \$4 for pizza, if able.

BABY SHOWER: Women in Ministry will be hosting a baby shower to benefit Open Arms on Saturday, Nov 3rd from 2pm-4pm in the Fellowship Hall. All women of the church are invited to attend.

HEBRAIC PRAISE SERVICE: On Sunday, November 4th, at 4PM in the Fellowship Hall, there will be a Hebraic praise service including Scripture readings combined with music and dance in the Jewish tradition. Join us as we integrate our Jewish heritage with our Christian faith. Contact Bronlynn Spindler or Tarleton Brooks for more information.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: There will be a congregational meeting on Wednesday, November 7th, for the purpose of receiving the 2019 budget and approving the pastor's terms of call.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: Do you feel called to work with children or know someone who is? Would you like an amazing opportunity to use your gifts to equip and grow kids and families in the Kingdom of God? Email hpcdcm@gmail.com for more information.

PENNIES FOR SHOEBOXES – Do you have some change in your pocket or purse at the end of the day? Do you want to help "change" a child's life by helping to pay for the shipping cost of a shoebox? Sure, you do! So, at the end of the day drop that change into a container and then bring it to church on November 11th and we will use to help give a child a chance for presents and to hear about Jesus.

GIFTS FOR LOCAL CHILDREN: There are more than 2,100 children in Henderson County that will not have Christmas gifts unless they are "adopted" by folks like you! You will receive a child's sheet with all the information about the child: age, gender, clothing and shoe sizes and a wish list of what they would like for Christmas. Also, information on how to package it and get it to the Storehouse. To "adopt" a child please see Tanya Jones in Fellowship Hall after Sunday School and after 10:55 and King Street services.

MISCELLANEOUS



Don't forget to set your clocks back next Sunday morning as Daylight Savings Time ends on Nov 4th.

*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: *What a Day That Will Be* Jim Hill
Soloist: Rená Johnson

*DOXOLOGY No. 731

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING: Genesis 32:6-12, 22-28; 2 Chronicles 7:14

SERMON: **Desperate for God** Pastor Peter Kasirivu
"Jacob wrestled...until daybreak"
Genesis 32:24

*HYMN: *Christ is Made the Sure Foundation* No. 342

*INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

*BLESSING

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: Stanza 1, No. 30

*Our God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,
our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.*

*POSTLUDE: *I Will Arise* Robert J. Powell

*Those who are able may stand.

† 10:55 AM service only

The 10:55 am service is being broadcast on WHKP 1450 AM & 107.7 FM

*The flowers are given to the glory of God by Darlene Davey in loving
memory of James Davey.*

"May the fragrance of the flowers fall upon you like God's everlasting love."

Be sure to check out our Facebook page for up to the minute
announcements, program information, and ministry events!

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

Week of October 28 through November 3, 2018

SUNDAY

8:30 am Early Worship in Chapel
9:30 am Sunday School for all ages
10:30 am King Street Worship in Chapel
10:45 am Meet and Greet in Sanctuary
10:55 am Traditional Worship Service in Sanctuary

MONDAY

10:00 am "Mapping Church Missions"-Beyond Words Radio on
WHKP 1450 AM & 107.7 FM

TUESDAY

9:30 am Ladies Bible Study in Room 208
5:30 pm Community Chess Club

WEDNESDAY

5:00 pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal
5:25 pm Wednesday Evening Dinner in Fellowship Hall
6:10 pm Adult Choir Rehearsal
6:25 pm Table Talk: *Mission Myanmar*- Dr. Dengthuama

THURSDAY

9:00 am Women's Community Bible Study
12:00 pm Community Prayer Gathering in Chapel
5:00 pm Cub Scout Pack 628 Meeting
6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 628 Meeting
7:00 pm Christian Education Ministry Meeting

FRIDAY

1:00 pm GriefShare Meeting in Room 206
6:00 pm Friday Night Alive! - Youth Group Meeting

SATURDAY

2:00 pm Women in Ministry- Open Arms Baby Shower

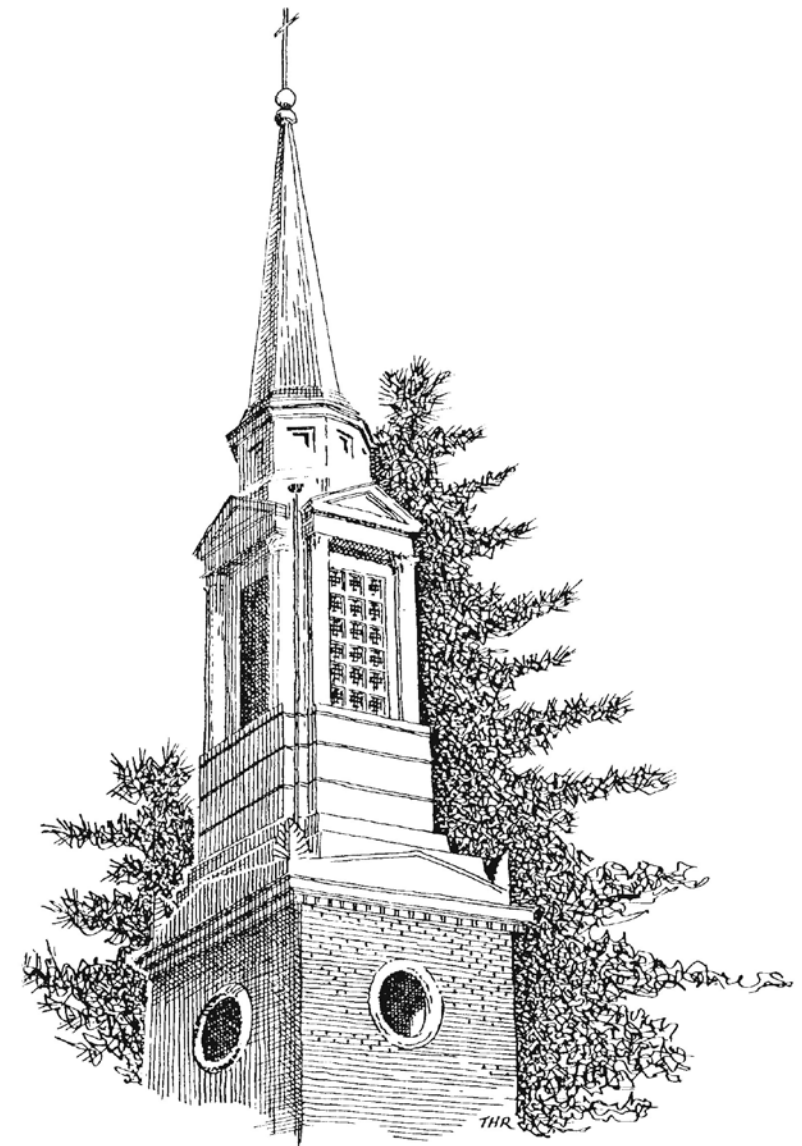
CHANCEL CHOIR

Brenda Bradshaw, Janet Briner, Carol Broyles, Reva Dixon, Len Dykstra, Ruth
Dykstra, Kathy Gagnon, Cathey Gilbert, Karen Grady, Roy Hathaway, Sally Hicks,
Bob Hollis, Brenda Holmer, Don Holmer, Bill Jones, Sherri Jones, Everett Lamb,
John Maier, Marguerite Martin, Caryl Mobley, Larry Mobley, Barbara Norris,
Nancy Payne, Diane Pearce, Grant Sitler, Susan Sitler, Barbara Smith, Bette-Lee
Taylor, Mary Beth Walls

CHURCH STAFF

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Blessed to be a Blessing

Genesis 12:2-3 (NIV)