

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

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

King Street Worship at 10:30 AM

November 18, 2018

Pledge Dedication 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.)

PRELUDE: *We Gather Together*

arr. Ron Harris

Clarinet Soloist: Kathy Reid

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMN: *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

No. 715

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Great and gracious God, who can give more than you? When we were steeped in sin and slated for a hopeless eternity, you stepped into our world and took the punishment we deserved. In your sacrifice we have life. Forgive us for not giving of ourselves more freely and fully to you and thus to each other. Move by your Spirit this morning. Help us to change our ways and to present ourselves as a living offering back to you. In Christ's glorious name we ask it, AMEN.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

ANTHEM: *Our Grateful Praise!*

arr. Lloyd Larson

DEDICATION OF OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOXES

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

WE WELCOME YOU THIS MORNING!

A warm Hendersonville Presbyterian Church welcome to those visitors who are worshiping 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: Bob and Carol Brinkley, Barbara Green; 10:55 AM: John McCaslin, Lynne Hemenway, Bob Walrath, Bob Briner, Chuck and Priscilla Rouse, Bob and Betsy Price. The special music at the 8:30 AM service features Diane Hamilton playing *We Gather Together*, Netherlands Folk Hymn and *For the Beauty of the Earth* by Conrad Kocher.

CARE AND CONCERN

MISSIONARY PRAYER REQUEST: Doug Flaherty carries InterVarsity students close to his heart and is asking us to pray in advance for the Christmas Holiday prayer gathering called Urbana 2018. This life-changing event happens every other year, drawing hundreds of students, and creates incredible changes in their lives. It has become harder to get students interested. He asks for prayer for the event and for those that could decide to attend from WNC. He notes that the enemy is applying increasing pressure on student leaders, making it harder to commit and follow Christ, and especially to rise to leadership. Prayer is needed!

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 "*Eternity is Now in Session*" by John Ortberg and Gary Moon. The Trinity Class meets in Room 210 and is studying Minor Prophets; Zephaniah, Part 1, on Nov 25th. 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, November 19th, 2018, from 10:00 – 11:00 am on WHKP 1450 AM/107.7 FM for *Beyond Words Radio*. Topic: "*Outbreak in Iran-P2*" with Salman Hassan. Listen as Salman continues his story and describes how Iraq, the birthplace of ISIS, is now giving birth to a mighty move of God. You may listen through the internet by connecting to the link found on www.whkp.com. Archived podcasts are available at www.beyondwordradio.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, Nov 11th, 2018 – 208

8:30 AM: 37; KSW: 34; and 10:55 AM: 137

UPCOMING EVENTS



NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER OR PROGRAMS

Also, please note that the church office will be closed on Thursday and Friday. Pastor Bill and the entire church staff wish all of you a very happy and blessed Thanksgiving.



BLUEGRASS BASH! Join us for an evening of fun, old-time gospel music with Appalachian Fire. Free ice cream, and a short gospel message, this evening, at 7:00 PM, in the Fellowship Hall. Invite your friends for this community- focused event.

HOLY LAND TOUR: Come join us for a life-changing, never-to-be-forgotten experience in God's Holy Land with Pastor Bill. April 29 – May 9, 2019. This is a beautiful time of the year to see the Land of Israel...the desert is blooming (Isaiah 35: 1-2). Please don't delay in registering as seats are limited. For more information, please call Linda Ander @ 828-707-8245 or email Linda@7thDimensionTours.com

SPIRIT NIGHT FOR CREATIVE BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL: Toss your apron and enjoy a meal out at Zaxby's, located at 67 Highlands Square Dr, near the Super Wal-Mart, on November 19th from 5pm-8pm. We will have a special decorated box on the counter labeled "Hendersonville Presbyterian Church, Creative Beginnings Preschool". For each receipt that is placed in the box, we will receive 10% of the total amount collected. This is for "dine-in" only. Come out and support our school, while enjoying a night off in the kitchen!

CHOIR CHRISTMAS MUSICAL: The Adult Choir Christmas Musical, *A Child This Day*, will be December 2 at the 10:55 service. Special music at the 8:30 service will be flautist, Candace Norton.

DINING AT THE MASTER'S TABLE: Join us for *Learning How to Hear the Voice of the Lord* with Dr. Paul Norcross on Friday November 30th 7pm-9:30pm and Saturday December 1st, 9am - 4pm in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will be on your own. Childcare will be provided.

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.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Adapted from Psalm 50

When we give to God, we are giving back what is already his.

As God told the Psalmist,

“Every beast of the forest is mine,

the cattle on a thousand hills.

I know every bird of the mountains,

and everything that moves in the field is mine.

The world is mine, and all it contains.”

A life surrendered is the greatest gift we can offer.

Thanks be to God for giving his life to us!

***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: *Lord, Blessing Rich in Plenty Come from Thee* Bach
(Bring forward tithes and pledge cards.)

***DOXOLOGY**

No. 731

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

OLD TESTAMENT READING:

Psalm 23: 1-6

SERMON: **At Home with God**

Pastor Bill

*“I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.”
Psalm 23:6*

***HYMN:** *Great is Thy Faithfulness*

No. 32

***INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

***BLESSING**

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

*Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen!
life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen!
on heaven’s blissful shore, his goodness we’ll adore,
singing forevermore, Alleluia! Amen!*

***POSTLUDE:** *Now Thank We All Our God*

arr. Willard Nevins

*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 and now live stream on our Facebook page and Website!

*The flowers are given to the glory of God in loving memory of
Henry Regenes by
Margaret Regenes and family.*

OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORSHIP AND SERVICE

Week of November 18 through November 24, 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 “*Outbreak in Iran- P2*”-Beyond Words Radio on WHKP 1450 AM & 107.7 FM
7:00 pm Session Meeting

TUESDAY

9:30 am Ladies Bible Study in Room 208
10:00 am Recorder Consort Rehearsal
5:30 pm Community Chess Club

WEDNESDAY

**No Wednesday Dinner or Programs
Creative Beginnings Preschool Closed**

THURSDAY

**Church Office Closed
HAPPY THANKSGIVING!**



FRIDAY

Church Office Closed

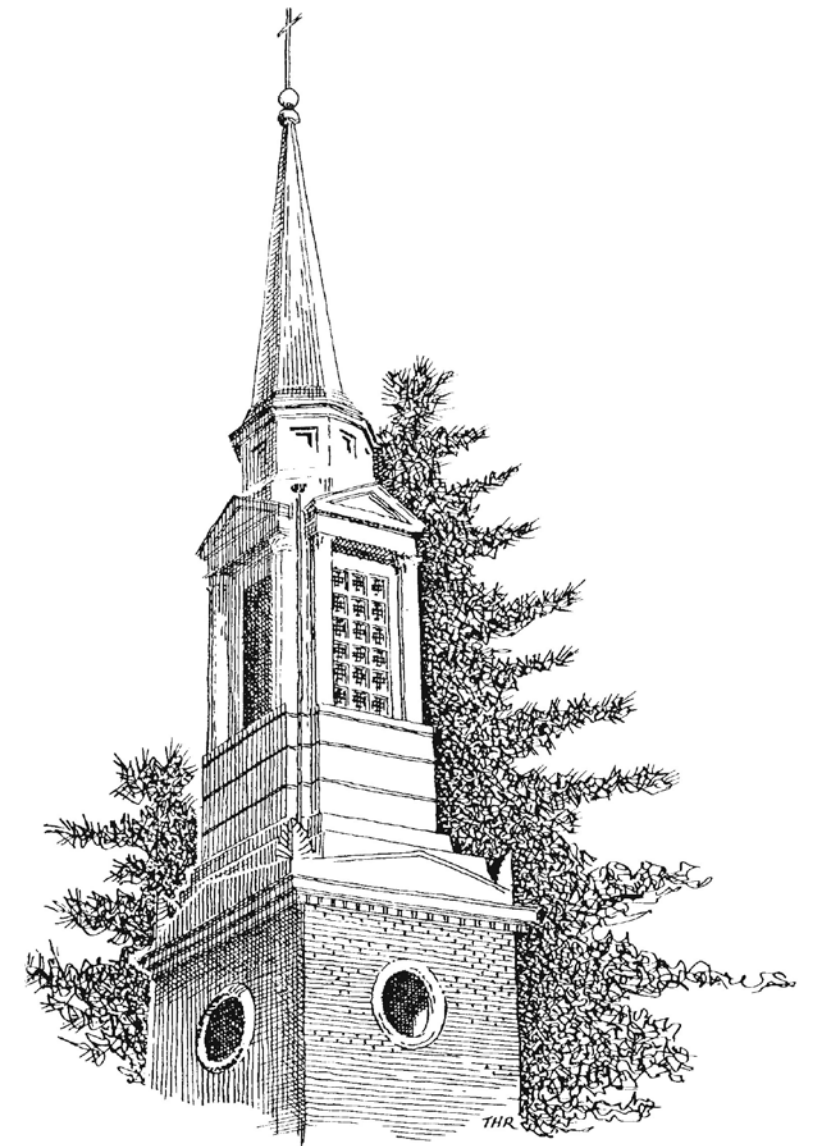
CHANCEL CHOIR

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Blessed to be a Blessing

Genesis 12:2-3 (NIV)