

WELCOME GUESTS!

We would like to welcome all our guests who are joining us for worship today, both in-person and online! We are so glad you are here. If you have any questions about the HPC Family, please make a note in the friendship pad, online on the comment bar, message us through Facebook, or email the office. Thank you for joining us today! We hope you will have an encounter with the Living God and join us again in worship.

WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:

We have two worship opportunities currently:
Contemporary Worship Service at 9:00 am in the Fellowship Hall
Traditional Worship Service at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary

CHILDRENS MINISTRY:

Our Children's Ministry is meeting each Sunday morning at 11:00 am. They meet in the Rec Room in the Children's Ministry wing of the Church. This is a fun-filled time of singing, study, and fun application at an age-appropriate level. If you would like to receive more information, please contact the Church Office – 828-692-3211

YOUTH MINISTRY:

6th-12th grade youth meet each Sunday at 11AM in the upstairs youth rooms. We also meet at HPC on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 8:30PM for food, fun, and fellowship. If you have questions or would like to know more about the youth group, text or call Pastor Charles at 540-679-0588, or email him at ckreed@hendersonvillepc.org.

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PASTOR: Rev. Rob McClelland
ASSISTANT PASTOR: Rev. Charles Reed
WORSHIP DIRECTOR: Gayle Stepp
CONTEMPORARY MUSIC LEADERS: Lisa Burns and Andrew Morris
INTERIM DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY- Stacy McClelland
DIRECTOR OF CREATIVE BEGINNINGS: Katrina Bowen
OFFICE MANAGER: Susan Thompson
BOOKKEEPER: Leslie McCreary
FACILITIES & COMMUNICATIONS MANAGER: Jessica Wallace
PASTOR EMERITUS: Rev. Dwayne Durham

Office Hours:
Monday – Wednesday 9 am – 4 pm
Thursday 9 am – Noon
Friday - Closed

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Reach, Teach, Pray, and Love!



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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Traditional Service 11:00 am

May 28, 2023

MEDITATION

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

William B. Bradbury
arr. Mark Hayes

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Spirit of the Living God
Choir

Daniel Iverson

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN #122:

God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Liturgist: Dale Stephens

Dear Heavenly Father, we lower our heads before You and we confess that we often forget that we are Yours. By living for ourselves, we fall short of being a credible witness for You. Forgive us.

We also ask for your strength. Give us clear minds and open hearts so we may bear witness to You in our world. Remind us to be who You would have us to be, regardless of what we are doing or who we are with. Give us the courage to live our lives for You.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

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.

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THE 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.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A #1

Q. What is your only comfort in life and in death?

A. **That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.**

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here
below, praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son and Holy
Ghost. Amen

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Matthew 25 (selected verses)

SERMON:

“What is Spiritual Apathy?”

Pastor Rob

*HYMN #580:

Lead On, O King Eternal

OFFERTORY PRAYER:

You may place your offering in the plates at the front of the sanctuary or in the box at the back of the sanctuary. You can also send God's tithes and your offerings to the Church office or give online through the Hendersonville Presbyterian Church webpage.

BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Peace Reigns Within
Gaye Carrier - Organist

Gerald Peterson

*Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Bob and Eloise Murray
in honor of our church staff.*

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Sermon Notes

“What is Spiritual Apathy?”

Congregational Meeting Called!

Today, following the 11:00 am worship service, the Session called a Congregational Meeting for the purpose of hearing the slate of members who have agreed to serve on the Congregational Nominating Committee this year. They will be tasked with bringing the congregation a list of potential elders and deacons for the class of 2026. Please plan to attend this brief meeting. It will be followed by a celebration of ministry for Fred and Nancy Lindsay in the Fellowship Hall.

Women in Ministry “A Time Apart 2023”

Join Women in Ministry for “A Time Apart 2023” on Monday, June 12th at 10:00 am in the chapel, with guest speaker Stacy McClelland speaking on our Hope in Christ, and guest pianist Rachel Everson.

A special Love Offering will be collected. Proceeds will go to Child Evangelism Fellowship and the Hendersonville Rescue Mission.

Lunch will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Please RSVP to Sherri Jones at sherri.l.jones@nd.edu or 574-261-0264. You can also sign up on the attendance sheet on the WIM bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.

Pray for our Missionaries!

John Hever sent a different kind of update. He didn't talk about his church, but a new path of spiritual growth. He has been participating in a church planting network called V3 for the past two years, and now is entering a new discipleship movement called Missional Community. Their focus is living in the world and bringing Christ to it. It will involve intensive discipleship experiences. Other experiences will stretch their faith walk, develop a few intense non-believer friendships, and radically slow down their lives to minister more. Please pray for John as he enters into this challenge.

Children's Ministry Summer Events

- Wacky Wednesday: Calling all rising K-5th graders to join us each Wednesday in June/July (beginning June 14th) for some wild and wacky fun!
- Thirsty Thursday: Ready to GROW in your faith? Thirsty for God's Word? Let's dig into the Bible together on Thursdays in June & July, beginning June 15th! Rising K-5th graders will meet from 10-12 p; Rising 6th-8th graders will meet from 2-4 pm.

Invest in Our Youth!

You are hereby invited to invest in our youth by buying "stock" in the summer mission trip. Our youth group will be partnering with Son Servants Ministries in Chattanooga, TN the week of June 26 to July 1. The youth and adults who go will help by serving widows, working in a food pantry, and repairing housing in underprivileged areas. After the trip, we will present a brief "shareholders report" to update our "investors" on how God works through this experience. Please make contributions payable to HPC with "youth mission trip" in the memo line, and most importantly, please pray for our youth, their leaders, and the mission trip to Chattanooga.

(Tear along dotted line and return to office)

Joy Fellowship Daytrip

Join us on June 9, 2023, as we take a tour of the Henderson County Heritage Museum.

- Meet at the church parking lot at 10:15 am to board the church bus and cars.
- Free tour of museum 11:00-12:00
- Travel to Sol Y Luna for lunch - reservations at 12:15 pm
- Order lunch from menu

Name(s): _____

Number of persons: _____

For more information or to reserve your spot, you may call or text Carolyn Baker at 419/329-0723.