

WELCOME GUESTS!

We would like to welcome all our guests who are joining us for worship today, both inperson 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 are One Church with two distinct styles of worship: 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 meets each Sunday morning at 11:00 am. 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 6:30PM in the upstairs youth rooms 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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Office Hours: Monday – Wednesday 9 am – 4 pm Thursday 9 am – Noon Friday - Closed

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Where we Follow Jesus as we Reach, Teach, Pray, and Love!



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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY Traditional Service 11:00 am September 10, 2023

PRELUDE Voluntary Selected

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION - Promotion Sunday

PRAYER

SPECIAL SONG I'm So Blessed arr. Andrew Morris

CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 96:1-4a

Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Sing to the Lord, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day.

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous deeds among all peoples.

For great is the Lord and most worthy of praise;

*OPENING SONGS: All Creatures of Our God and King.

Give Us Clean Hands

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Sovereign King, Redeemer of all; hear us as we call to you.

Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy. For we have sinned against you.

You are at the right hand of God the Father, the Way of salvation, and the Gate of heaven. Cleanse the stain of our sin.

Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy. For we have sinned against you.

We confess to you our willful sins. We declare our hidden sins with a contrite heart. in your great mercy, O Redeemer, forgive us.

Hear us, O Lord, and have mercy. For we have sinned against you.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

 $O\ the\ Deep, Deep\ Love\ of\ Jesus$

Goodness of God

*PASSING OF THE PEACE (greet those worshiping with you)

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION AND THANKSGIVING

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.

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Acts 1: 1-5

SERMON:

40 Forgotten Days

Pastor Rob

*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.

*CLOSING SONG:

Doxology (acapella)

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

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

Liturgist: Grant Sitler

Reprise

Goodness

Do you have a heavy heart today? Are you carrying a burden? A Stephen Minister is available today after the 11:00 service in the Parlor (behind the Sanctuary) for a confidential visit and prayer with you.

*Those who are able, please stand.

Pray for our Missionaries!

Chris Matthews was pleased to report answered prayers for the pool repair at the Retreat center. The lining was fixed and more than 20 people have been baptized. There was prayer for the students at the Global Impact Academy to hear God's calling and two have agreed to serve in the jungles of Ecuador with the Awa tribe. Chris asks for prayer for Ronnie Spicer, GIA Coordinator, as he focuses on student programs this year. Chris' asks for a strong prayer effort to open space for the Sevilla Seminary in the ancient monastery Pray for Chris' work at Liebenzell.



<u>Sunday Children's Hour is getting Revamped!</u> <u>Beginning: Sunday, Oct 1st</u>

Everyone is invited to get involved as we seek to be <u>intergenerational</u> in our approach to ministry! Contact Stacy today if interested in being a part of <u>any</u> of these teams:

Welcome, Snacks, Teaching, Music, or Games.
Volunteering commitment will be just <u>ONCE</u> a month AND training will be provided!

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Clothes Drive for Black Mountain Home for Children

HPC will be collecting clothing donations for Black Mountain Home for Children from Sunday, September 17 through Thursday morning, September 18th, in the church lobby, with a focus on clothing in good condition that can be used by children or clothing and items that can be sold in their resale store. Large or fragile items that will be difficult to transport (e.g. furniture, plates) would be better served for the Church Bazaar and sale. On October 14, the Black Mountain Home will have a Centennial Celebration Concert at their property featuring Willie and Korie Robertson with music by Shane & Shane. For more information please visit blackmountainhome.org.

Today is Promotion Sunday!

Join us for this special celebration and a gift of worship from our children and youth!

Bibles will be given to all children who are in 1st, 3rd, & 5th grades and Youth in 6th, 9th, and 12th grades

Na To Ca

Naomi Yoder (1st) Ana Morris (6th)

Tori McGraw (1st) Sam Morris (6th)

Caleb Yoder (3rd) Josiah Yoder (6th)

Abigail Reed (5th) Elliana Everson (9th)

Zoe Everson (5th) Gabe Morris (9th)

Peter Reed (9th)

Elianna Yoder (9th)

Julia Everson (12th)

HPC Youth Ministry

Starting September 10th, weekly meetings for 6th-12th grade students will be held on Sunday evenings from 6:30 to 8:30PM in the upstairs youth rooms. Please join us and invite your friends as we share food, fun, and faith. If you'd like to learn more about the HPC youth ministry, or to be added to the GroupMe distribution list, please text or call Pastor Charles at 540-679-0588.

<u>Women In Ministry – Honoring Dorothy Managan</u>

The Women in Ministry will meet on Monday, September 11th in the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 when we kick off the 2023-2024 year. We will honor long time member, Dorothy Managan, and will introduce our Bible Study for the year:

Twelve Women of the Bible: Life Changing Stories for Women Today.

As part of our tribute to Dorothy, members of the North Carolina Nurse Honor Guard will give a presentation describing their services and demonstration of their nurse's tribute. There will also be a sandwich/salad/dessert luncheon provided by the WIM Leadership Team. All women of the church are invited to attend this special event.

Bluegrass Bash

The Bluegrass Bash will be held on Sunday, September 17, 2023, at 7:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. This month's Bash will feature Lynn Goldsmith & The Jeter Mountain Band. Please invite your family and friends to come out and enjoy a night of Free Ice Cream, Christian Fellowship and Great Christian Bluegrass Music!

Opening Songs:

All Creatures of Our God and King

All creatures of our God and King. Lift up your voice and with us sing. O praise Him, alleluia.

Thou burning sun with golden beam. Thou silver moon with softer gleam O praise Him. O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Thou rushing wind that art so strong. Ye clouds that sail in Heav'n along. O praise Him alleluia

Thou rising moon in praise rejoice. Ye lights of evening find a voice. O praise Him. O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Let all things their Creator bless. And worship Him in humbleness. O praise Him, alleluia.

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, And praise the Spirit three in One O praise Him. O praise Him. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

O alleluia, alleluia, O alleluia, alleluia, O alleluia, alleluia, O alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Give Us Clean Hands

We bow our hearts, we bend our knees, Oh Spirit come make us humble. We turn our eyes from evil things, Oh Lord, we cast down our idols.

Refrain

Give us clean. Give us pure hearts.

Let us not lift our souls to another.

(repeat)

And God let us be a generation that seeks,

That seeks Your face, O God of Jacob.

(repeat)

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O the Deep, Deep, Love of Jesus (Ebenezer)

O the deep, deep, love of Jesus, vast unmeasured boundless free.
Rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me, is the current of Thy love.
Leading onward leading homeward to my glorious rest above

O the deep, deep, love of Jesus, spread His praise from shore to shore. How He loveth, ever loveth, Changeth never nevermore. How He watches o'er His loved ones, died to call them all His own. How for them He intercedeth, watches over them from the throne

O the deep, deep, love of Jesus, love of every, love the best.
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing; 'Tis a haven sweet of rest.
O the deep, deep, love of Jesus, 'Tis a heaven of heavens to me.
And it lifts me up to glory, For it lifts me up to Thee

Goodness of God

I love You Lord – Oh, Your mercy never fails me All my days I've been held in Your hands. From the moment that I wake up, until I lay my head, I will sing of the goodness of God.

> All my life You have been faithful. All my life You have been so, so, good. With every breath that I am able, I will sing of the goodness of God!

I love Your voice. You have led me through the fire.
In darkest night You are close like no other.
I've known You as a father. I've known You as a friend.
I have lived in the goodness of God!

Refrain

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me! Your goodness is running after, it's running after me! With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now, I give You everything. Your goodness is running after, It's running after me!