

## 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 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***

Come join us for a wonderful worship opportunity!

## 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 6:00 PM 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](mailto:ckreed@hendersonvillepc.org).

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PASTOR: Rev. Rob McClelland  
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INTERIM WORSHIP DIRECTOR: Tom Drick  
ACCOMPANIST: Marti Dushak  
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DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY- Stacy McClelland  
DIRECTOR OF CREATIVE BEGINNINGS: Katrina Bowen  
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SEXTON: Peter Sul  
PASTOR EMERITUS: Rev. Dwayne Durham

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

## Welcome to Hendersonville Presbyterian Church!

Where we Follow Jesus together:  
At home, in community, and in the world!



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# Hendersonville Presbyterian Church

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY  
Traditional Service 11:00 am  
January 28, 2024

PRELUDE *Amazing Grace* Gary Lanier  
(Grant Sitler – Trombone)

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND PRAYER

\*CALL TO WORSHIP:

**Leader:** Come, take off your shoes,  
**People:** **For where we stand is holy ground.**  
**Leader:** Come, love your neighbor, and do good to all around you.  
**People:** **For where we stand is holy ground.**  
**All:** **Love all that God gave us, for we are all standing on holy ground.**

\*HYMN #693: *Blessed Assurance*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: Liturgist: Robert Wallace  
**Mighty and merciful God, you have called us to be your people and claimed us for the service of Jesus Christ. We confess that we have not lived up to our calling. We have been frightened disciples, forgetful of your powerful presence and the strength of your Spirit among us.**

SILENT CONFESSION

**O God, forgive our foolish and sinful ways. As you have chosen us, and claimed us in our baptisms, strengthen us anew to choose Christ's way in this world. Give us your Holy Spirit that each one in ministry may be provided with all the gifts of grace needed to fulfill our common calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

...Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.  
**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!**

\*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**

CHOIR ANTHEM: *As The Deer* by Nustrom and Red

SCRIPTURE READINGS: **Acts 6: 8-15**

MESSAGE: **"A Face of Service"** Pastor Rob

ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS (See Insert)

OFFERTORY PRAYER:

*You may place your offering on 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.*

\*HYMN #726: *Spirit of the Living God*

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE *To God Be the Glory* William Doane

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.*

**Sermon Notes:**

**“Service”**

**Missionary Prayer**

During the three months leading up to Christmas, Steve and Margie Doty were busy teaching linguistics to students at Houghton University. Steve also taught a translation class in Thailand via Zoom. In addition, Margie checked several books of the Bible translated into the languages of Asia. The other major task Steve undertook was planning the next Translation Consultant workshop coming up this summer. Those completing this workshop will be considered very competent translators. Steve also tutors those needing extra help by using three of his training exercises. This training is intense in keeping with the job. Please pray for them.

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**WIM February Program & Socks of Love Service Project**

Please join us on Monday, February 12 for our monthly program.

We will meet in the Fellowship Hall at 9:45 for light refreshments & fellowship followed by a short devotion and Bible study beginning at 10:00.

For our Bible study, we will continue with Session 3 of the Twelve Women of the Bible DVD series. Our third session is titled “Abigail: Dealing with Confrontations in Relationships”, led by Gayle Emery.

The Leadership Team will meet at 9:00.

All women of the church are welcome! Join us and bring a friend.

## Questions for Ordination of Elders and Deacons:

1. Do you reaffirm your faith in Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior?
2. Do you believe the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be the Word of God, totally trustworthy, fully inspired by the Holy Spirit, the supreme, final, and the only infallible rule of faith and practice?
3. Do you sincerely receive and adopt the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church, as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures?
4. Do you promise that if at any time you find yourself out of accord with the system of doctrine as taught in the Scriptures and as contained in the Westminster Confession of Faith and the Catechisms of this Church you will on your own initiative make known to your Church Session the change which has taken place in your views since the assumption of this ordination vow?
5. Do you affirm and adopt the “Essentials of Our Faith” without exception?
6. Do you subscribe to the government and discipline of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church?
7. Do you promise subjection to your fellow presbyters in the Lord? (Elders)  
Do you promise subjection to your fellow officers in the Lord? (Deacons)

### **7b for Installation**

Do you now reaffirm the vows you took upon your ordination, and do you recommit yourself to them in the discharge of your obligations?

8. Have you been induced, as far as you know your own heart, to accept the office of Ruling Elder or Deacon respectively, from love of God and sincere desire to promote His glory in the Gospel of His Son?
9. Do you promise to be zealous and faithful in promoting the truths of the Gospel and the purity and peace of the Church, whatever persecution or opposition may arise to you on that account?

10. Will you seek to be faithful and diligent in the exercise of all your duties as a Ruling Elder or Deacon respectively, whether personal or relative, private or public; and to endeavor by the grace of God to adorn the profession of the Gospel in your manner of life, and to walk with exemplary piety before this congregation of which God will make you an officer?
11. Are you now willing to take responsibility in the life of this congregation as a Ruling Elder or Deacon respectively, and will you seek to discharge your duties, relying upon the Grace of God, in such a way that the entire Church of Jesus Christ will be blessed?

### Congregational Questions:

1. Are you, the members of this congregation ready to receive Rodney Gilliam, Sherri Jones, Andrew Morris, and Steve Umberger as ruling elders and Carolyn Baker, David Demergian, Priscilla Rouse, and Wendy Umberger as Deacons of this congregation.
2. Do you promise to submit to these ruling elders in matters of spiritual discipline, and to receive with humility and love the word of truth?
3. Do you promise to support these elders and deacons with your prayers, to give encouragement and assistance in every way as they seek to instruct you in the things of the Lord and to lead you in the building of the Kingdom of God in this place?
4. Do you promise to yield to them and all your officers all that honor, encouragement, and obedience in the Lord, to which ordination as an officer entitles them, according to the Word of God and the Constitution of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church?