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** 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.

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Hendersonville Presbyterian Church

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY Traditional Service 11:00 am January 7, 2024

PRELUDE

Spiritual Hymn

Selected

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

Hebrews 12:1-2, 28-29

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely,

and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith,

who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Therefore, let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus, let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, for our God is a consuming fire.

*OPENING HYMN #347: The Church's One Foundation stanzas 1 - 4

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Liturgist: Caryl Mobley

Father in Heaven, You are our covenant-keeping God. Although we acknowledge Your great faithfulness toward us and to all the saints who have gone before us, we admit that we are often faithless. You have commanded us to speak, but we have been silent. You have called us to do what is just, but we have been fearful. You have given us gifts to steward, but we have wasted them. We repent and seek your forgiveness. Pour out Your grace upon us and teach us the joy of losing our lives for Your gospel. We ask this in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ...

SILENT CONFESSION

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

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.

*HYMN #457:	Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing	stanzas 1 - 3
SCRIPTURE READINGS:		Acts 5: 1-11
MESSAGE:	"The Heart of Generosity"	Pastor Rob

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.

COMMUNION

* HYMN #334:	Breathe on Me, Breath of God star	nzas 1, 2 & 4
*BENEDICTIC	DN	
*POSTLUDE	Spiritual Hymn	Selected
	Flowers are given to the Glory of God in loving memory o	f

Lloyd and Sharon Candell by their children.

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:

"The Heart of Generosity"

Missionary Prayer

Don Wehmeyer's seasonal update highlighted the San Pablo Seminary choir, which gave a performance with ancient, traditional, and modern music. This represents an improvement over Covid times, which devastated many Mexican schools and Churches Don noted that the economy of Mexico is now improving which greatly impacts the country and allows more forward thinking. However, Don noted that the growth and improvements are spotty in some areas such as certain church ministries. The Sitpatch Church, where Don ministers, has been blessed by US construction teams, allowing real growth and development. He seeks your prayers.

Women In Ministry

The Women in Ministry January Program

We will meet on Monday, January 8th in the Fellowship Hall and will continue our study on Twelve Women of the Bible: Life Changing Stories for Women Today. This month, we will study Leah.

> 9:45 Fellowship & Refreshments 10:00 Devotion & Program

All women of the church are welcome! Invite a friend and join us for a time of fellowship and Bible study.

The Leadership Team will meet at 9:00 in the conference room.

Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Destinations

This the shoeboxes that were packed with love and missional hearts as part of the Buy-A-Box program and some of our Pack-A-Box party are going to be delivered to children in the following countries: Ecuador, Peru, Honduras, Panama and A-Hard-to-Reach Area. Thanks for all of your support and because of you, these children are going to get items they may never have received without your love and hear the Good News of Jesus. Without you they probably would have heard nothing about the Love of Jesus but now **They Will Hear**!!