Reach, Teach, Pray, and Love!

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.

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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 PASTOR EMERITUS: Rev. Dwayne Durham

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



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THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY Traditional Service 11:00 am March 5, 2023

MEDITATION	<i>His Eye is On the Sparrow</i> Candace Norton - Flutist	Charles H. Gabriel arr. Jack Schrader		
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS				
CALL TO WORSHIP	O Holy Jesus	Ruth Elaine Schram		

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN #246:

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Man of Sorrows! What a Name

Liturgist: Caryl Mobley

O God, whose blessed Son did fast forty days and nights in preparation for his mission: stir in us, we ask, the same desire which was in him to learn and do your will. Forbid that through indulgence of the flesh we should limit our vision of you and render ourselves unfit for your service. Give us grace to master our bodies and bring them into subjection to your good purpose for us. Teach us self-control through prayer and fasting, that we may count ourselves wholly to you and enter more and more into your kingdom through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Adapted from E.F. Tittle, A Book of Pastoral Prayers, Abingdon-Cokesbury Press, 1951.

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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Seekers of Your HeartDick Tunney, Beverly DarnallSherry Thomas – Soloistand Melodie Tunney

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:

Uniting in Worship People's Book - pg 128

This is the gospel which we have received, in which we stand, and by which we are saved, if we hold it fast: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day, and that he appeared first to the women, then to Peter and to the Twelve, and then to many faithful witnesses. We believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of the living God. Jesus Christ is the first and the last, the beginning and the end; he is our Lord and our God. Amen.

(Mark 16:1-9, Matthew 16:16, Revelation 22:13, John 20;23, I Corinthians 15:1-6)

*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 RE	ADINGS:	Matthey	w 21: 1-11
SERMON:	An Early Palm Sunday	I	Pastor Rob
COMMUNION	Remember, O Thou Man	Thomas R	avenscroft
*HYMN 359:	Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above		stanza 1

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	Sheep May Safely Graze	J. S. Bach
	Gayle Stepp – Worship Director	

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

An Early Palm Sunday

Pray for our Missionaries!

Leah Doty's major news was that she moved to a city several hours from where she had been. This city is larger and has many more "westerners". This change will allow her to work quietly and host small groups of this particular language group without drawing unwanted attention. Leah has recently undergone training in developing culture specific projects. She is also very pleased that after five years of study she has passed the requirements to begin translation. Leah is asking for prayer for the upcoming meeting with her language group to plan next steps. Please pray for her work.

Reminder to Crafters

All items for the Teacup Raffle are due Monday, March 13. If you have questions, please contact Tanya Jones at 692-8678 (home), 828-606-8605 (cell) or email: <u>tbtbs1981@gmail.com</u>

Maundy Thursday

Maundy Thursday worship service is scheduled for April 6 in the Fellowship Hall at 7:00 pm. Please make plans to attend.