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## 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](mailto:ckreed@hendersonvillepc.org).

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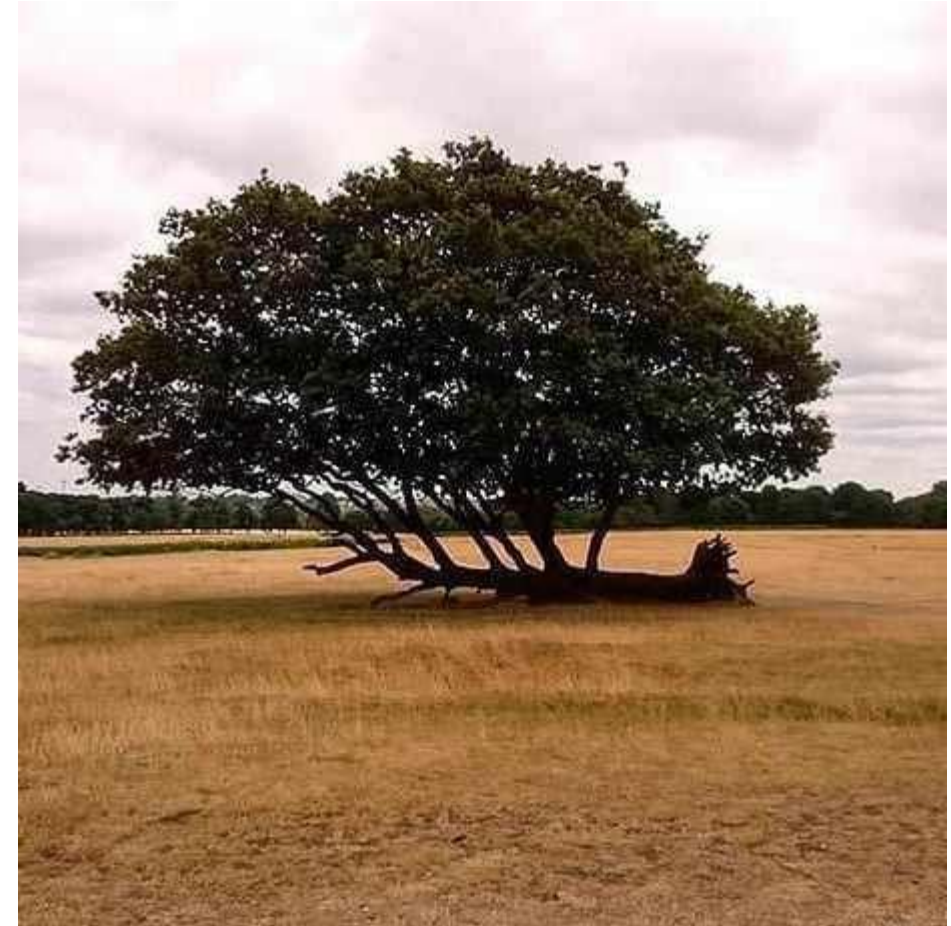
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PASTOR: Rev. Rob McClelland  
ASSISTANT PASTOR: Rev. Charles Reed  
WORSHIP DIRECTOR: Gayle Stepp  
CONTEMPORARY MUSIC LEADERS: Lisa Burns and Andrew Morris  
INTERIM DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY- Stacy McClelland  
DIRECTOR OF CREATIVE BEGINNINGS: 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

## Welcome to Hendersonville Presbyterian Church!

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



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# Hendersonville Presbyterian Church

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Traditional Service 11:00 am

June 25, 2023

### MEDITATION

*Day by Day*

Oscar Ahnfelt  
arr. Cindy Berry

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENT

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*You are my Song*  
Choir

Cindy Berry

### OPENING PRAYER

### \*HYMN #717:

*Blest the Man That Feared Jehovah*

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Liturgist: Grant Sitler

Dear Heavenly Father, we lower our heads before You and we confess that we have too often forgotten that we are Yours. Sometimes we carry on our lives as if there was no God and we fall short of being a credible witness for You. For these things we ask your forgiveness, and 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. Hold us to You and build our relationship with You and with those You have given us on earth.

### 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:

*Revelation 4.8,11; 5.9; 22.17, 20*

We say together in faith:

**Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God almighty, who was, and is, and is to come. We believe in God the Father, who created all things: for by his will, they were Created and have their being. We believe in Jesus Christ, who was slain: for with his blood, he purchased us for God – people from every tribe, language and nation. We believe in the Holy Spirit: our comforter and guide, who gives life to the people of God and makes Christ known in the world.**

### \*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 28: 1-15**

### SERMON:

**Which Story Will You Trust**

Pastor Rob

### \*HYMN #713:

*Great King of Nations, Hear Our Prayer*

### 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

*Te Deum*  
Gayle Stepp – Worship Director

Marc Antoine Charpentier  
arr. Noel Rawsthorne

*Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Marge Hever in loving  
memory of her husband, Bob.*

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

### Which Story Will You Trust

## Pray for our Missionaries!

Chris Matthews just sent his update. First, he will be meeting soon with the Spanish duke who owns one third of the monastery San Isidoro del Campo in Santiponce, Spain. This is the next step in a plan to establish a seminary using the old monastery. Second, Chris went to Guam as a board member of Pacific Islands University to witness the graduation of forty-four Chuukese pastors. The next week Typhoon Mawar went through the island and destroyed the university's administration buildings. There will be a major campaign to rebuild the damaged buildings. They ask for prayer for this project.

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## Children's Ministry Summer Events

- Wacky Wednesday: Calling all rising K-5th graders to join us each Wednesday in June/July 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. Rising K-5th graders will meet from 10-12 p; Rising 6th-8th graders will meet from 2-4 pm
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## 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.

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## HPC FAMILY OUTING ASHEVILLE TOURIST BASEBALL GAME JULY 30

- Sign up now in Fellowship Hall
- Bus ride to stadium, lunch, and baseball reserved seat ticket all included.
- \$20 per person or \$50 per family
- Register and pay to reserve your place.
- All reservations & payments must be made by SUNDAY JULY 16, 2023!  
Let's go with our church family out to the ballgame!!