#### 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 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 <a href="mailto:ckreed@hendersonvillepc.org">ckreed@hendersonvillepc.org</a>.

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# Welcome to Hendersonville Presbyterian Church!

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# Hendersonville Presbyterian Church

# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY Traditional Service 11:00 am

July 23, 2023 Deep River with There is a Balm in Gilead

arr. Bill Wolaver

CALL TO WORSHIPPrecious Lord, Take my HandThomas A. Dorsey;<br/>choral setting by Jack Schrader

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **OPENING PRAYER 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 #616:	Leaning on the Everlasting Arms	see insert

# CALL TO CONFESSION

**MEDITATION** 

Liturgist: Bill Jones

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, you are slow to anger and swift to have mercy; Forgive us when we abuse your gift of time. In our fast-paced lives and when our pace slows, help us to keep pace with you. Free us to live in your time, where there is a time for everything under heaven, and slow is not too slow, and fast is not too fast. Transform us into people who see time as a gift and a friend, who live as if we have time, because we know that your time will never cease. Forgive us, O Lord, and continue making us a new creation.

#### SILENT CONFESSION

## **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

PASSING OF THE PEACE (greet those worshiping with you)

#### **SCRIPTURE READINGS:**

2 Corinthians 9: 6-8

SERMON: Stockholder's Meeting – Youth Report Rev. Charles Reed

#### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH:

adapted from Psalm 3

The Lord is our God, and we are His people. The Lord is a shield around us; Our glory; the One who lifts our heads high! When we call out to the Lord, He answers from his holy mountain. When we lie down and sleep, we awaken because the Lord sustains us. We will not fear...From the Lord comes deliverance. May His blessing be on His people. The Lord is our God, and we are His people!

#### \*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

#### \*CLOSING MEDLEY:

see insert

Victory in Jesus All Creatures of Our God and King Be Thou My Vision

### **\*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	His Eye is on the Sparrow	Charles Gabriel
	Gayle Stepp – Worship Director	arr. Harold DeCou

Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Marge Hever in loving memory of Dana Dee Carter, who shared her talent as organist with us while she was a member.

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 <u>Old Time Religion – Stockholder's Report!</u>

# Pray for our Missionaries!

Leah Doty is taking us along as she begins a translation project in an area that has no written language. Four local individuals volunteered to become mother-tongue translators and as an answer to prayer were able to safely travel to Leah's location. After four days getting used to the process, they worked in their homes for a month and then, with Leah's guidance, worked together at her location. Starting with Mark's gospel, they focused on translating it into their language. It took learning the process of group project development, but they have a solid draft of the first 13 verses.

# **Calling ALL Stockholders!**

Today, the HPC Youth Mission team will be holding their FIRST ANNUAL Stockholders Meeting! It will be part of our normal service of worship, and I would encourage you to be present or to tune in online to hear from our youth and leaders who worked in Chattanooga, TN. Pastor Charles will be leading the meeting!

### 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 <u>must be made</u> by SUNDAY JULY 16, 2023! Let's go with our church family out to the ballgame!!

#### Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

What a fellowship what a joy divine Leaning on the everlasting arms What a blessedness what a peace is mine Leaning on the everlasting arms

#### Refrain

Leaning (leaning on Jesus) Leaning (leaning on Jesus) Safe and secure from all alarms Leaning (leaning on Jesus) Leaning (leaning on Jesus) Leaning on the everlasting arms

O how sweet to walk in this pilgrim way Leaning on the everlasting arms O how bright the path grows from day to day Leaning on the everlasting arms **(Refrain)** 

What have I to dread what have I to fear Leaning on the everlasting arms I have blessed peace with my Lord so near Leaning on the everlasting arms (**Refrain**)

#### **Closing Medley**

## **Victory in Jesus**

I heard an old, old, story, How a Savior came from glory. How He gave His life on Calvary To save a wretch like me. I heard about His groaning Of His precious blood's atoning Then I repented of my sins And won the victory!

## Refrain

O victory in Jesus My Savior forever He sought me and bought me With His redeeming blood He loved me ere I knew Him And all my love is due Him He plunged me to victory Beneath the cleansing flood (Continued on back) I heard about His healing Of His cleansing pow'r revealing How He made the lame to walk again And caused the blind to see And then I cried dear Jesus Come and heal my broken spirit And somehow Jesus came and brought To me the victory

# Refrain

#### All Creatures of Our God and King

All creatures of our God and King Lift up your voice and with us sing Alleluia, alleluia Thou burning sun with golden beam Thou silver moon with softer gleam O praise Him O praise Him Alleluia alleluia

And all ye men of tender heart Forgiving others take your part O sing ye alleluia Ye who long pain and sorrow bear Praise God and on Him cast your care O praise Him O praise Him Alleluia alleluia alleluia

#### **Be Thou My Vision**

Be Thou my Vision O Lord of my heart Naught be all else to me save that Thou art Thou my best thought by day or by night Waking or sleeping Thy presence my light

High King of heaven my victory won May I reach heaven's joys bright heaven's Sun Heart of my own heart whatever befall Still be my Vision O Ruler of all