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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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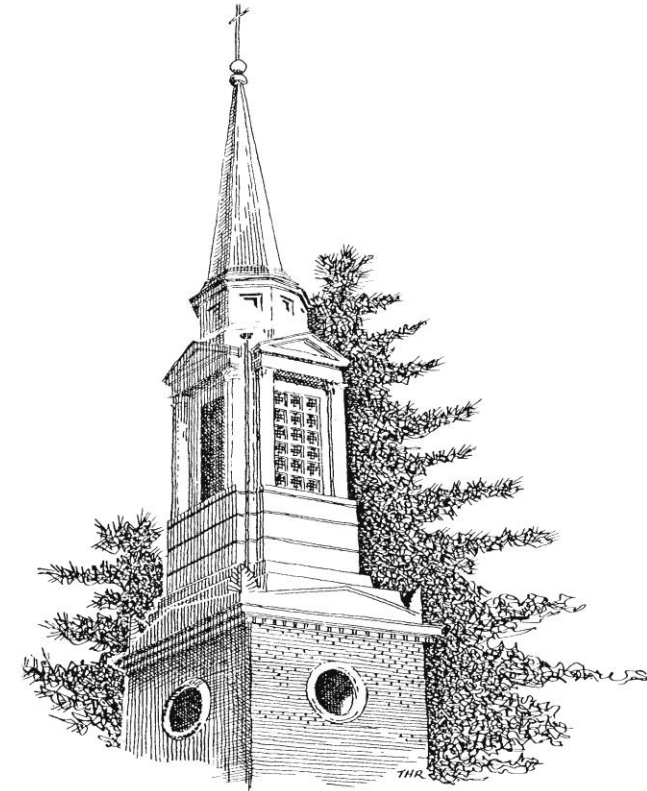
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PASTOR: Rev. Rob McClelland  
ASSISTANT PASTOR: Rev. Charles Reed  
WORSHIP DIRECTOR: Gayle Stepp  
CONTEMPORARY MUSIC LEADER: Kate Hurley Krause  
INTERIM DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY- Stacy McClelland  
DIRECTOR OF CREATIVE BEGINNINGS: Katrina 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

## 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

October 23, 2022

### MEDITATION

*Standing on the Promises*

R. Kelso Carter  
arr. Cindy Berry

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CALL TO WORSHIP

*The Kingdom of God Will Reign*  
Choir

Mary McDonald

### OPENING PRAYER

### SOLO:

*In The Garden*  
Cathey Gilbert – Soloist

Austin Miles  
arr. Mark Hayes

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Liturgist: Gayle Emery

Almighty God, we have fallen short of your glory again this week. We have strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have not kept your holy laws. We have left things undone which should have been done, and we have done things which we know we should not have done. Forgive us, O Lord. Have mercy upon us.

### 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:

Scots Confession Ch. 1

We confess and acknowledge one God alone, to whom alone we must cleave, whom alone we must serve, whom only we must worship, and in whom alone we put our trust. Who is eternal, infinite, immeasurable, incomprehensible, omnipotent, invisible; one in substance and yet distinct in three persons, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. By whom we confess and believe all things in heaven and earth, visible and invisible to have been created, to be retained in their being, and to be ruled and guided by his inscrutable providence for such end as his eternal wisdom, goodness, and justice have appointed, and to the manifestation of his own glory.

### \*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 15:21-28**

### SERMON:

**Who Deserves Mercy?**

Rev. Charles Reed

### \*HYMN 101:

*Come, Thou Almighty King*

### 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 your tithes and offerings to the Church office or give online through the Hendersonville Presbyterian Church webpage.*

### BENEDICTION

### \*POSTLUDE

*Hemsley*  
Gayle Stepp – Worship Director

arr. Richard Warner

*Flowers are given to the Glory of God by Darlene Davey in remembrance of Jim Davey.  
His absence is silent grief; his life is a beautiful memory.*

*\*Those who are able, please stand.*

## Sermon Notes

### **Who Deserves Mercy?**

## Pray for our Missionaries!

Terry Maner from John Hanna's office concludes his coverage of InterVarsity's New Student Outreach with a special prayer request for the annual Spiritual Formation Retreat. Prayer is needed for the staff as they take time for solitude, group times, small group discussion, and prayer. Prayer is also requested for the presenters as they lead guided reflections, small groups, and breakout sessions. This year's main focus is to center on God the Father, Christ the Son and the Holy Spirit for the whole upcoming year, which is asking for our committed year-long prayer support. Let's all do this.

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## Pennies for Shoeboxes

Pennies for Shoeboxes collection will be held November 6<sup>th</sup> prior to the service so please bring your pennies (we do accept other coins, paper money & checks). All this is to help defray the shipping cost (which went up to \$10 this year) of the shoeboxes packed this year.

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## OCC Pack-A-Box Party

Come One Come All - Operation Christmas Child Pack-A-Box party will be held Saturday November 12<sup>th</sup> in the fellowship hall starting at 9:00 AM. We are only holding 1 party this year and everyone is invited to participate. Bring your whole family and your friends so everyone can experience packing a shoebox so a child can receive a gift and hear about the love of Jesus. If you like bring your own items that you would like packed. We will pack until we have all the shoeboxes filled with quality items and your love. Remember - IF WE DO NOTHING, THEY HEAR NOTHING (about the Good News of Jesus).

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## OCC National Collection Week

Operation Christmas Child collection week is November 14<sup>th</sup> thru November 21<sup>st</sup>. Help is needed during that time to receive shoeboxes from donors and to pray over the shoeboxes and then pack them into cartons before loading them on the truck. It is a wonderful time to experience the love of all involved in OCC and get to meet others during the process. Hopefully you will be Blessed during this time. Sign-up sheets are at the church office window. If you can't work a full shift, just mark the hours you can work. You do not have to be a member of this church as anyone can volunteer.

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## Wednesday Night Dinners Return!

HPC has resumed Wednesday night dinners. They will run 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/16, and 11/30. Reservations can be made by marking your attendance on the Friendship Register or by calling the church office at 692-3211 ext. 9

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