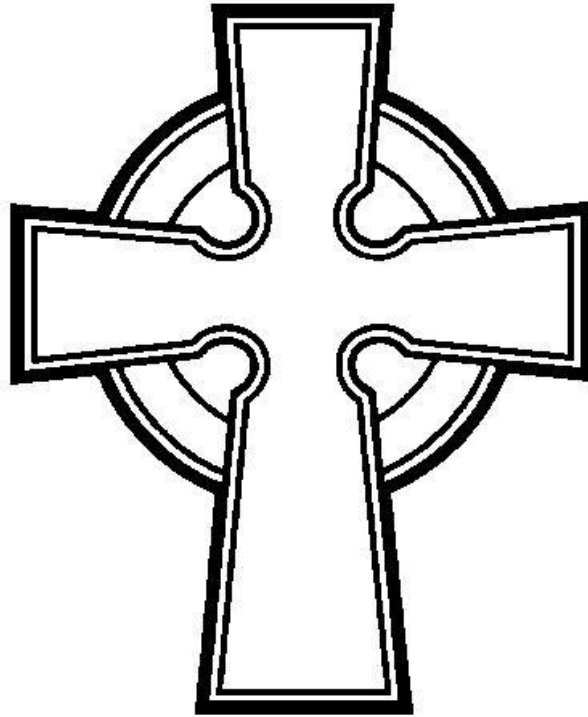


HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

September 8, 2024



Our Church Staff

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*Our Vision: to be a Christ-centered community, worshipping in the Spirit,
growing in discipleship, and sharing God's love.*

The Church at Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship

Psalm 138:1-3, 6-8

Rhonda Welfare

Leader: I give you thanks O Lord, with my whole heart;

People: Before the gods I sing your praise;

Leader: I bow down towards your holy temple

People: And give thanks for your steadfast love and faithfulness;

Leader: For you have exalted your name and word above everything.

People: On the day I called, you answered me, you strengthened by soul.

Leader: For though the Lord is high, he regards the lowly;

People: But the haughty he perceives from far away.

Leader: Though I walk in the midst of trouble,

People: You preserve me against the wrath of my enemies.

Leader: The Lord will fulfill his purpose for me;

People: Your steadfast love, O Lord, endures forever.

Invocation

Rhonda Welfare

Hymn of Praise No. 325

Great Is the Lord

GREAT IS THE LORD

Scripture Reading

Matthew 16:13-23

Toby Bowen

Children's Message

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Faith No. 295

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

NETTLETON

Worship through Stewardship

Offertory Prayer

Offertory

Be Thou My Vision

Arr. Marianne Kim

Leigh Bigger

Kathryn Bunch and

Barbara Rowley

Offertory Response

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;

praise Him, above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Benjamin Wines

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.

Anthem

Shout with Joy to God!

Lloyd Larson

Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing glory to his name! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim! How awesome are your deeds! Sing glory to his name! The earth bows down to you. His glorious praise proclaim! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing glory to his name! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim! Come and see what our God has done; how awesome his works on our behalf! How he turned the sea into dry land! Oh come and rejoice in him. Shout to God, all the earth! Glory to his name! Shout to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim! Come, let us rejoice in him! Sing glory to his name! He rules us by his power; his glorious praise proclaim! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing glory to his name! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim! Praise our God; let the sounds be heard; for he has set us on solid ground. He preserved our lives through the tests and trials. Oh come and rejoice in him. Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing glory to his name! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing glory to his name! Shout with joy to God, all the earth! His glorious praise proclaim!

Sermon

Soul Freedom

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Commitment No. 497

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

ASSAM

Benediction

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Postlude

The Solid Rock
Arr. Mark Thallander

Barbara Rowley

Deacons of the Week – Rachel Dossett & Leigh Bigger

Attendance last week - 55

If you would like to make a financial contribution to our church, please go to hvbc.org and scroll down to “Support HVBC”.

Deacon Ordination

On **Sunday, September 15**, we will be ordaining a new deacon during the morning worship service. Marie Bush accepted her call to be deacon and so we will ordain her on this date. Be sure to be here next Sunday to affirm her ministry!



TODAY after morning worship.
Please join us in the Fellowship Hall.

Pastor's Vacation

Pastor Ben will be on vacation from
September 16 through 22.

Fall Bible Study

Linda Ward will be leading a weekly bible study based on the book *I AM Statements of Jesus* by David Jeremiah. It begins on Tuesday, September 17 and ends on November 12. The study will be available via Zoom and the cost of the book is \$9.00. Please let Robin in the office know if you plan on attending.

JOIN THE CHOIR!

**Our first Advent/Christmas rehearsal
will be in the choir room on
Saturday, September 14th from
9:00 to 11:30!!
Come sing for the Advent and
Christmas Seasons!**

How to join: Just show up Tuesday at
7:30 or contact Kathryn with questions
kathrynbun@msn.com or 919-225-7545.

The Sermon Notes are on the next page.

