

# HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

November 17, 2024

There is no  
Holy One like  
the LORD,  
there is no  
ROCK  
like our God.



1 Samuel 2:2

## Our Church Staff

Rev. Benjamin J. Wines  
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*Our Vision: to be a Christ-centered community, worshiping 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 16:1-2, 5, 7-11

Toby Bowen

Leader: Protect me, O God,

**People: For in you I take refuge.**

Leader: I say to the Lord, "You are my Lord;

**People: I have no good apart from you."**

Leader: The Lord is my chosen portion and my cup;

**People: You hold my lot.**

Leader: I bless the Lord who gives me counsel;

**People: In the night also my heart instructs me.**

Leader: I keep the Lord always before me;

**People: Because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.**

Leader: Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices;

**People: My body also rests secure.**

Leader: For you do not give me up to Sheol,

**People: Or let your faithful one see the Pit.**

Leader: You show me the path of life.

**People: In your presence there is fullness of joy;**

**All: In your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**

## Invocation

Toby Bowen

## Hymn of Praise No. 372

*Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

ST. GEORGE'S WINDSOR

## Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 2:1-10

Brenda Doyle

## Children's Message

Julie Stoops

## Hymn of Faith No. 1

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

NICAEA

## Worship through Stewardship

### Offertory Prayer

Rhonda Welfare

### Anthem

*By Your Hand*

Ed Kee

*We've been blessed beyond all measure by the riches of Your grace, for Your handiwork is seen throughout our land. And whatever early treasure we may cherish or embrace, is provided by Your strong and mighty hand.*

**Refrain:** *By Your hand, by Your hand, there are blessings without number by Your hand. As countless as the stars, or as the oceans' shifting sand are the blessings we are given by Your hand.*

*By Your hand You have provided, by Your hand our lives are blessed, and with confidence and trust in You we stand. For our hearts are undivided, knowing all that we possess by the strong and mighty power of Your hand. **Refrain.** O the blessings we are given by Your hand.*

**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.**

**Sermon**

*Hannah’s Prayer*

Rev. Benjamin Wines

**Hymn of Commitment No. 493 *Have Thine Own Way, Lord***

ADELAIDE

**Benediction**

Rev. Benjamin Wines

**Postlude**

*The Solid Rock*  
Arr. Gaylen Sikes

Barbara Rowley

**Deacons of the Week – Ginger Rose & Toby Bowen**

**Attendance last week – 58**

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

Pastor Ben will be on vacation  
November 18-24  
Garry Crites from World Relief Durham  
will preach that Sunday.

**Sunday Social**  
Join us today after worship in the Choir Room.

**Families Moving Forward**  
Thursday, November 21  
Please let Anne Pokorny know  
how you can help.

**Baking Fundraiser**  
Jennifer Bowen will be baking  
Thanksgiving and Christmas rolls and  
breads as a fundraiser for Hope House.  
Order forms are available in the vestibule  
with more details. Please order using the  
form or via email - if you tell her what  
you want, she's likely to forget!

### **Thanksgiving Potluck**

Come to the Hope Valley Baptist Church Thanksgiving Potluck on November 28. Fellowship starts at noon and we will eat around 1:00 pm.

Participants should bring enough Thanksgiving goodies (appetizers, salad, vegetables, dessert) for their families with some to share. Members of the church community, our friends and family are welcome.

Please contact Rhonda Welfare with questions Call or email Robin in the church office by November 21 to RSVP.

### **Christmas Card Exchange**

As we get closer to Christmas, it's time to start writing Christmas Cards! We will again be hosting a church-wide Christmas Card Exchange as a fundraiser for Missions. You can drop off and collect your cards at the sorting box that will be placed next to the Hospitality Room at the end of November. **The deadline is December 15.** If the person does not live close by, please mail the card directly to them. **A collection box will be placed with the card box. A donation of 25 cents per card is requested.** Please make checks payable to HVBC with Missions in the memo line.

### **FOOD COLLECTION**

We will have a Food Drive in October, November, and December with donations going to Food Bank of Central and Eastern NC. There are bins in the vestibule for you to place your donations. Listed below are the Food Bank's most needed items:

Canned Fruits	Pastas	Canned Vegetables
Rice	Canned Meats	Lentils
Canned Beans	Dried Fruit	Cleaning Products
Dried Beans	Canned Soup	Beverages
Canned Dairy	Paper Products	Cereal & Oatmeal
Hygiene Products	Nuts, seeds, trail mix, and granola bars	

**Sermon Notes are on the next page.**

# Sermon Notes

November 17, 2024  
Twenty-Sixth Sunday  
after Pentecost

*"Hannah's Prayer"*  
1 Samuel 2:1-10  
Emphasis on verses 2, 8-9

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**Questions for Further Reflection:**  
Hannah's prayer is both intimate and cosmic in its scope.  
How do her words provide comfort to you as an individual?  
How do her words provide hope for our world?