

# HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

November 14, 2021



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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

## Gathering Music

### Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Benjamin Wines

### Chiming of the Trinity

### Prelude

*Footsteps of Jesus*

FOOTSTEPS

### Call to Worship

Psalm 103:1, 8-13, 22

Rev. Amy Herring

Leader: Bless the Lord, O my soul,

**People: And all that is within me, bless his holy name.**

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious,

**People: Slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.**

Leader: He will not always accuse,

**People: Nor will he keep his anger forever.**

Leader: He does not deal with us according to our sins,

**People: Nor repay us according to our iniquities.**

Leader: For as the heavens are high above the earth,

**People: So great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;**

Leader: As far as the east is from the west,

**People: So far he removes our transgressions from us.**

Leader: As a father has compassion for his children,

**People: So the Lord has compassion for those who fear him.**

Leader: Bless the Lord, all his works, in all places of his dominion.

**People: Bless the Lord, O my soul.**

### Invocation

Rev. Amy Herring

### Hymn of Praise No. 61

*We Gather Together*  
(all verses)

KREMSER

### Scripture Reading

Mark 2:13-22

Lucy Woodell

### Children's Message

Rev. Amy Herring

### 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

*In Thy Presence*  
(Ensemble)

Holman and Dean

*Lord, in Thy presence, here we meet, may we in Thee be found;  
O make this place divinely sweet, O let Thy grace abound.  
Lord, in Thy presence here we meet, our praise and tribute bring;  
O make our lives in Thee complete, our lives an offering.  
Lord, work in us Thy precious way, and make Thy way appear;  
That all may feel and all may say the Lord indeed is here.  
So all may feel and all may say the Lord indeed is here.*

**Sermon**

*Eating with Sinners*

Rev. Benjamin Wines

**Hymn of Commitment No. 361**

*My Jesus, I Love Thee*  
(all verses)

GORDON

**Benediction**

Rev. Benjamin Wines

**Postlude**

*People Look East*

BESANCON

Today's Ensemble is Anne Pokorny, Julie Stoops, Mike Bunch,  
Mike Dossett & Leigh Bigger.

**A big thank you to all of the above for sharing their gifts of music with  
us this morning.**

**Food Pantry Needs**

October through December are the months that Hope Valley is assigned to provide food for the Yates Association Food Pantry. You may place your donations in the brown bins in the vestibule and in the children's hallway or bring them by the church office. Please look at the most recent newsletter for a list of items they need. Thanks for your support!

**Be sure to look at the most recent  
Newsletter for more information about  
these upcoming events:**

Thanksgiving Dinner – November 25  
Deacon Ordination—December 5

**Church Family Meeting  
Today after morning Worship**  
The Finance Team will present the  
2022 Proposed Budget.  
Copies of the proposed budget  
are in the vestibule.

**Christmas Card Exchange**

As Christmas approaches, the deacons will again be organizing our Christmas Card Exchange for church members. There will be a box in the vestibule on Sunday mornings and outside the church office during the week for people to drop off their cards with the members name on the envelope. Please have all cards to the church by December 5. On December 12, the sorted cards will be bagged and waiting for pick up in the vestibule before or after morning worship. The deacons will deliver any cards not retrieved by December 19. If you know that you will not be at church on either of those Sundays, please let the church office know and we will arrange delivery of your cards after December 5.

If you wish to make a contribution to the Missions Offering in honor of the Christmas Card Exchange, we suggest a donation of 25 cents per card "mailed." Your donation can be dropped off with your cards or donated through the usual options of online, mail, or in the offering on Sunday mornings.

**RED CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS** - Beautiful red poinsettias will decorate our Sanctuary during the Advent and Christmas season. To order your poinsettias, please complete the form below, attach your check made out to Hope Valley Baptist Church, and drop it in the offering plate or bring (or mail) it to the church office. (Please note on your check that it is for poinsettias). All orders must be received no later than Sunday, December 5.

I will provide \_\_\_\_\_ poinsettia(s) @ \$12.00 each      (    ) In honor    (    ) In memory  
Of: \_\_\_\_\_

Given by: \_\_\_\_\_

A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ payable to Hope Valley Baptist Church is attached.