

HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

April 3, 2022

FIFTH SUNDAY IN
LENT



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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

Gathering Music

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Chiming of the Trinity

Barbara Rowley

Prelude

Holy, Holy, Holy
Arr. Mark Hayes

Mary Summerlin

Call to Worship

Psalm 126

Rev. Amy Herring

Leader: When the Lord restored the fortunes of Zion,

People: We were like those who dream.

Leader: Then our mouth was filled with laughter,

People: And our tongue with shouts of joy;

Leader: Then it was said among the nations,

People: "The Lord has done great things for them."

Leader: The Lord has done great things for us,

People: And we rejoiced.

Leader: Restore our fortunes, O Lord,

People: Like the watercourses in the Negeb.

Leader: May those who sow in tears

People: Reap with shouts of joy.

Leader: Those who go out weeping,

People: Bearing the seed for sowing,

Leader: Shall come home with shouts of joy,

People: Carrying their sheaves.

Invocation

Rev. Amy Herring

Hymn of Praise No. 354

Praise Him! Praise Him

JOYFUL SONG

Scripture Reading

John 12:1-8

Barbara Sanders

Children's Message

Rev. Amy Herring

Prayer of Confession and Extinguishing the Fifth Lenten Candle

Modern Disciples

Grace-full and loving God, we come to you this week as we always do—sinners in need of forgiveness. We pray that we would never forget the love and mercy you offer to us all. We pray that we would lean on your peace and your strength. Help us to live with conviction, truly believing that you are with us in everything. In Jesus' precious and holy name we pray, Amen.

Hymn of Faith No. 183

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

RATHBUN, ALT.

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

Holy Extravagance

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Anthem

*Rain Down
With "As the Deer"*

arr. James Koerts

Refrain: Rain down, rain down, rain down Your love on Your people.

Rain down, rain down, rain down Your love, God of life.

Faithful and true is the Word of our God. All of God's works are so worthy of trust.

God's mercy falls on the just and the right. Full of God's love is the earth. Refrain.

God of creation, we long for Your truth. You are the water of life that we thirst. Grant that Your love and Your peace touch our hearts. All of our hope lies in You. Refrain.

As the deer panteth for the water, so my soul longeth after You. You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship You. You alone are my Strength, my Shield. To You alone may my spirit yield. Rain down, rain down, rain down Your love on Your people. Oh, rain down, rain down, rain down Your love, God of life. Rain down Your love, God of life.

The Lord's Supper

Hymn of Commitment No. 184

Beneath the Cross of Jesus

ST. CHRISTOPHER

Benediction

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Postlude

*In Praise of God
Genevan Psalter*

Barbara Rowley

A big thank you to Brenda Doyle for directing our music this week and to Mary Summerlin for playing the piano.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 9, 2022

What could be more fun than our annual Community-Wide Easter Egg Hunt? An Easter Egg Hunt followed by an Easter Crafting Fair! The morning will begin at 10:00 am with an Easter Egg Hunt for children, followed by refreshments and an Easter-focused crafting party for all ages.

Ways you can help:

1. Take home empty Easter Eggs* to be fill with your own individually wrapped candy/treats. (Filled eggs should be placed in the marked bin in the Children's Hallway by Friday, April 8).
2. Volunteer to help hide eggs the morning of the Egg Hunt and/or lead age-grouped children to the appropriate "hiding" spots.
3. Volunteer to help with the Crafting Fair (set-up/clean-up, facilitating at a craft table, helping with refreshments).

Contact Amy Herring or the church office if you wish to volunteer or if you have questions.

*Though there are some empty plastic eggs available for pick-up at the church, we are in need of new plastic Easter eggs this year. (raindate: April 16)

Crop Hunger Walk

On **Sunday, April 10**, we will continue to fight against the challenges of disease, disaster, displacement and other concerns that leave people hungry. 75% of the funds go internationally and 25% of donated funds stay in Durham to fight hunger. To register to join the walk: www.crophungerwalk.org/durhamnc.

If you cannot walk , then you could sponsor someone that is walking.

If you cannot walk, then you may sponsor one of our walkers. Among the confirmed walkers from HVBC are: Daiane Balbino, Mike Dossett, Rachel Dossett, Michelle Hunt, Barbara Sanders, Dave Stoops and Julie Stoops.

Save the Date!
VBS 2022—July 14-17
Stay tuned for more details!

Easter Mission Offering
Hope Valley's Goal:
\$1,500

Easter Lilies

Beautiful lilies will decorate our Sanctuary on Easter Sunday. To order your lilies, 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 lilies). All orders must be received by April 10.

I will provide _____ Easter Lilies @ \$10.00 each () In honor () In memory

Of: _____

Given by: _____

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

You will have the opportunity to take your lily home immediately after the Easter Sunday Worship.



Saturday, April 9 – 10:00 am
Easter Egg Hunt & Crafting Fair
(Rain date April 16)

Bring your basket and come hunt for Easter Eggs! Then plan to stay for refreshments and an Easter Craft Fair! We'll be making suncatchers, jellybean prayer magnets, cross necklaces and more!

Sunday, April 10
Palm Sunday

Join us for morning worship as we enter Holy Week with loud shouts of "Hosanna!"

Wednesday, April 13
Holy Week Service – 6:30 pm

Come for a hand-washing service focused on the faithfulness of Christ.

Friday, April 15
Good Friday Service – 7:00 pm

A more contemplative, reflective service that ends in darkness as we acknowledge the steep price Christ paid on the cross.

Sunday, April 17 – Easter:
9:45 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Worship

Join our church for a joyous service as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord and declare that Christ has risen! He has risen, indeed!

Sermon Notes

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“Holy Extravagance”
“Preparing for Easter” Sermon Series
John 12:1-8
Emphasis on v. 4-6, 8

Questions for Further Reflection:

What does it mean for God to be extravagant?

**How are Christians supposed to respond to Christ’s statement
that we will always have the poor with us?**