HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

March 19, 2023



Our Church Staff

Rev. Benjamin J. Wines Senior Pastor

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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 Canticle on "When Morning Gilds the Sky"

HVBC Handbells

and All Things Bright and Beautiful

Linker/McFadden

Call to Worship Psalm 23 Elizabeth Herring

Leader: The Lord is my shepherd

People: I shall not want.

Leader: He makes me lie down in green pastures;

People: He leads me beside still waters;

Leader: He restores my soul.

People: He leads me in right paths for his name's sake. Leader: Even though I walk through the darkest valley,

People: I fear no evil, for you are with me;

Leader: Your rod and your staff—they comfort me.

People: You prepare a table before me, Leader: In the presence of my enemies;

People: You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

Leader: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me

People: All the days of my life.

Leader: And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord

People: My whole life long.

Invocation Elizabeth Herring

Hymn of Praise No. 352All Praise to Thee

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Scripture Reading John 9:1-12, 28-41

Narrator/Other Voices – Rev. Benjamin Wines; Jesus – Mike Bunch; Blind Man – Mike Dossett

Children's Message Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Faith No. 188 "Man of Sorrows!" What a Name HALLELUJAH, WHAT A SAVIOR!

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 Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) HVBC Handbells

arr. Linda Lamb

Sermon As Long as Christ is Around Rev. Benjamin Wines

Benediction Rev. Benjamin Wines

PostludeMay the Road Rise to Meet You

Lee Turner

Kathryn Bunch

May the road rise to meet you, may the wind blow at your back, may the sun shine warmly on your face; May the rain fall softly on your field.

And until we meet again, until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.

HVBC Handbell Ringers:

Director – Brenda Doyle

Kathryn BunchMike DossettMichelle HuntJan MangumAnne PokornyBarbara RowleyBarbara SandersFrances SmithLauren St. LouisJulie StoopsMary SummerlinRhonda Welfare

A special thank you to our guest ringer, Lauren St. Louis, for joining us today.

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

Our goal for Global Missions Offering this Easter season is \$1,500. You may support missions and missionaries around the world by giving to the CBF Global Missions Offering or the SBC Annie Armstrong Offering.

Crop Hunger Walk April 2 at 2:30 pm

Sign up or donate online at crophungerwalk.org/durham. HVBC's goal for 2023 is \$500. Or checks can be written to CWS-CROP and mailed to the church. Please contact Julie Stoops with any questions.

Ladies Tea Party with the King Saturday, April 1 1:00—3:00 pm Fellowship Hall

Please RSVP to Robin in the church office by Monday, March 27.

Opened to ages 7 and up!

Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 8 10:00 am—12:00 pm

Empty Easter eggs are in the children's hallway for you to pick up and fill. Please return the filled eggs to the marked bin in the Children's Hallway by Thursday, April 6.

There is a volunteer sign-up sheet in the vestibule. We will need greeters, craft table helpers, and egg hiders (need to be at the church by 9:00 am). Begin thinking of how you can help with this community outreach.

HVBC Yard Sale Saturday, April 29th, 2023 Time: 9AM - 2PM

Please look at the last newsletter for more information.

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 2.			
I will provide Easter Lilies @ \$12.00 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.			

(Sermon Notes are on next page)

Sermon Notes

March 19, 2023
Fourth Sunday of Lent

"As Long as Christ is Around"
John 9:1-12, 28-41

Emphasis on verses 2-5, 30-34

Questions for Further Reflection:

In this passage, Jesus does something unexpected.

Think about a time when you were surprised by something wonderful God did in your life. What made it so wonderful?