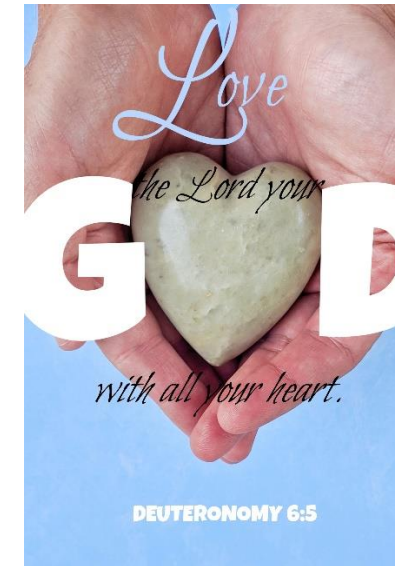


# HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

**July 23, 2023**



## **Super Saturday Adventures**

For children ages 3 – 12

The remaining Adventure date is:

**August 19**

**10:00 am to Noon**

All events are FREE but advance registration is required. Learn more at [www.hvbc.org](http://www.hvbc.org). Volunteers are needed and we thank our volunteers for helping in June & July!

## **Midweek Services in Person**

6:00 pm – Dinner, bring your own dinner.

6:30 pm – Bible Study

We will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

## **Senior Adult Ministry**

Mark your calendar for August 17. We will travel to Mt. Airy and the town of “Mayberry”. Please contact Robin in the church office if you plan on attending.

## **HVBC Summer Choir 2023**

- Plan to sing the last Sunday in July.
- No midweek rehearsal!
- No long-term commitment!
- Just show up in the choir room on Sunday at 10:00 am!

For more information, please contact Kathryn Bunch

## **Upcoming Bible Study**

Linda Ward will be teaching a weekly Bible Study this fall. The book she will be using is *The World of the End* by David Jeremiah.

**Starting Date: September 11 at 2:00 pm via Zoom.**

The cost of the book is \$15 and the study guide is also \$15. Please contact Robin in the church office if you plan on attending and to pick up your books.

## **Our Church Staff**

Rev. Benjamin J. Wines  
Senior Pastor

Kathryn Bunch  
Director of Music Ministries

Barbara Rowley  
Organist

Robin Wimberley  
Administrative Assistant

Jan Mangum  
Church Custodian

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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

*Please be sure to silence all electronic devices.*

## Gathering Music

*Wings of Grace*

## Welcome and Announcements

Kathryn Bunch

## Chiming of the Trinity

## Prelude

*Wings of Grace*

## \* Call to Worship

Psalms 139:1-4, 7-12

Toby Bowen

Leader: O Lord, you have searched me and known me.

**People: You know when I sit down and when I rise up;**

Leader: You discern my thoughts from far away.

**People: You search out my path and my lying down,**

Leader: And are acquainted with all my ways.

**People: Even before a word is on my tongue,**

Leader: O Lord, you know it completely.

**People: Where can I go from your spirit?**

Leader: Or where can I flee from your presence?

**People: If I ascend to heaven, you are there;**

Leader: if I make my bed in Sheol, you are there.

**People: If I take the wings of the morning and settle at the limits of the sea,**

Leader: Even there your hand shall lead me,

**People: and your right hand shall hold me fast.**

Leader: If I say, "Surely the darkness shall cover me,

**People: and the light around me become night,"**

Leader: Even the darkness is not dark to you; the night is as bright as the day,

**People: For darkness is as light to you.**

## \* Invocation

Toby Bowen

## \* Hymn of Praise No. 335

*Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him*

HYFRYDOL

## Scripture Reading

Deuteronomy 6:1-9, 12, 23-25

Mackenzie Smith

## Children's Message

Mike Dossett

## \* Hymn of Faith No. 581

*I Love to Tell the Story*

HANKEY

## Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Mackenzie Smith

**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

*Wings of Grace*

## Sermon

*"Knowing Your 'Why' in Worship"*

Mackenzie Smith

## \* Hymn of Commitment No. 488

*Come, All Christians, Be Committed*

BEACH SPRING

## \* Benediction

Mackenzie Smith

## Postlude

*Wings of Grace*

**\* Those who are able are invited to stand or to remain standing.**

Mackenzie Smith is the seminarian-in-residence at Yates Baptist Church, where she is pursuing field education as a rising second-year divinity student in the Masters of Divinity Program at Duke Divinity School. An alumni of UNC Chapel Hill, and Passport Camps staff for 4 years, her goals in pursuing this degree are to become a Minister of Music.

Thank you, Mackenzie!

We also thank *Wings of Grace* for sharing their musical gifts with us during our worship service! The group members are Lindy Kirkman, Cheryl Hall, Tara Hart, and Frankie Hart, and their mission is to bring the Lord's message of love and grace to all who will hear it.

*The restrooms between the offices and the music suite are available for your use today.*

*Exit at the back of the sanctuary and the ushers will direct you.*