

HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

August 6, 2023



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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

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need
Arr. Don Philips

Kathryn Bunch

Call to Worship

Psalm 135:1-4, 13-18

Lucy Woodell

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise the name of the Lord;

People: Give praise, O servants of the Lord,

Leader: You that stand in the house of the Lord,

People: In the courts of the house of our God.

Leader: Praise the Lord, for the Lord is good;

People: Sing to his name, for he is gracious.

Leader: For the Lord has chosen Jacob for himself,

People: Israel as his own possession.

Leader: Your name, O Lord, endures forever,

People: Your renown, O Lord, throughout all ages.

Leader: For the Lord will vindicate his people,

People: And have compassion on his servants.

Leader: The idols of the nations are silver and gold,

People: The work of human hands.

Leader: They have mouths, but they do not speak;

People: They have eyes but, they do not see;

Leader: They have ears, but they do not hear,

People: And there is no breath in their mouths.

Leader: Those who make them and all who trust in them

People: Shall become like them.

Invocation

Lucy Woodell

Hymn of Praise No. 1

Holy, Holy, Holy

NICAEA

Scripture Reading

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-20

Emma Stoops

Children's Message

Julie Stoops

Hymn of Faith No. 250

Living Stones

ST. ANNE

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

Useless Idols

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Anthem

Feed My Lambs

Natalie Sleeth

Feed My lambs, tend My sheep, over all a vigil keep; in My Name lead them forth gently as a shepherd. When they wander, when they stray, their protector be. As ye do unto My flock, thus ye do to Me. Feed My lambs, tend My sheep, over all a vigil keep; in My Name lead them forth gently as a shepherd. Unto all who lose the way, hope and comfort be. As ye do unto My flock, thus ye do to Me. Feed My lambs, tend My sheep, over all a vigil keep; in My Name lead them forth gently, gently as a loving shepherd of the Lord.

The Lord's Supper

Hymn of Commitment No. 413 *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind*

REST (ELTON)

Benediction

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Postlude

Jesus Shall Reign
John Hatton

Barbara Rowley

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. Volunteers are needed and we thank our volunteers for helping in June & July!

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.

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.

Midweek Services in Person

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

6:30 pm – Bible Study

We will meet in the Fellowship Hall.

School Supply Drive

We are collecting school supplies for Parkwood Elementary School again this year. There is a list of needed items in the vestibule and on all of the bulletin boards in addition to the most recent newsletter. There are several ways you can help with this ministry. There is a sign up sheet in the vestibule.

First you can purchase any of the items on the list. You can also completely fill a backpack with these items. Please place the supplies in the box in the vestibule or bring to the church office.

Second, you can donate money to this mission – just write, “School Supplies”, on your check or envelope.

Also, you can pray for this ministry and for the children and teachers at Parkwood.

Thank you for your support!

We will be collecting these supplies and donations until August 27.

2023 Deacon Nomination and Election Process

Our church needs to provide up to seven (7) Deacon positions for the new church year. Each person elected will be expected to serve a three-year term (October 2023 thru September 2026).

Beginning now through **Monday, August 28**, members are asked to nominate candidates for Deacon (using the form below) that they have talked with and feel are willing to serve if elected.

To those nominated, the Deacon Chair or a small group of Deacons will explain the role of Deacon and confirm they are willing to serve. Once a slate of nominees is complete, the church will vote to fill available Deacon positions from a list of nominated candidates who are willing to serve.

Deacons who are currently serving and ineligible for nomination are: Leigh Bigger, Toby Bowen, Mike Bunch, Johnny Bush, Mike Dossett, Brenda Doyle, Cameron Packer, Anne Pokorny, Scott Rose, Barbara Sanders, Mary Summerlin, Linda Ward & Rhonda Welfare.

Newly elected Deacons will begin service on October 1.

I nominate the following person(s) to serve as a Deacon for Hope Valley Baptist Church, beginning in October 2023. I believe this person(s) possesses and demonstrates a deep faith, a commitment to faithfulness in serving God and the church, and a spirit that reflects the love and compassion of Jesus Christ. I have checked with this person and he/she is willing to serve if elected by the congregation.

Nominated by:

Please return this form to Michael Dossett (Deacon Chair), Mary Summerlin (Deacon Vice-Chair), or the church office by **Monday, August 28**.

