HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

January 28, 2024

And they were astonished at his teaching, for he taught them as one who had authority, and not as the scribes.

Mark 1:22, FSV

Our Church Staff

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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

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Chiming of the Trinity

Call to Worship Psalm 111:1-4, 7-10

Toby Bowen

Leader: Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart,

People: In the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Leader: Great are the works of the Lord,

People: Studied by all who delight in them.

Leader: Full of honor and majesty is his work,

People: And his righteousness endures forever.

Leader: He has gained renown by his wonderful deeds;

People: The Lord is gracious and merciful.

Leader: The works of his hands are faithful and just;

People: All his precepts are trustworthy.

Leader: They are established forever and ever,

People: To be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

Leader: He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever.

People: Holy and awesome is his name.

Leader: The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;

People: All those who practice it have a good understanding.

All: His praise endures forever.

Invocation Toby Bowen

Hymn of Praise No. 296 Brethren, We Have Met to Worship HOLY MANNA

Scripture Reading Mark 1:21-28 Emma Stoops

Children's Message Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Faith No. 425How Firm a Foundation

FOUNDATION

Worship through Stewardship

Offertory Prayer Anne Pokorny

Offertory Shout to the North/Rise Up, O Church of God Arr. Tom Fettke

Offertory Response

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below: Alleluia, alleluia! Praise him above, ye heav'nly host, praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost: Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

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.

By the gentle waters You will safely lead me, in green pastures feed me, knowing what is best. Though I often stray, wander far away, I can hear You say, "Come to me and rest." Though the path be rough and rugged, though the trail be dark and steep, still the gentle Shepherd watches o'er His sheep. There's no need to fear when the Shepherd's near. When Your voice I hear, I find comfort sure. Free from all alarm, sheltered from all harm, in Your arms, I can rest secure. With the flock abiding, all my needs supplying, comforting and guiding, leading all the way, all the way. Jesus, loving Shepherd, You'll forsake me never. In Your flock forever, I am not alone, not alone. Though the darkness hide me, You are close beside me. Gentle Shepherd, guide me 'til I'm safely home, 'til I'm safely home, safely home.

Sermon *Power and Humility* Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Commitment No. 486 Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult RESTORATION

Benediction Rev. Benjamin Wines

Postlude We are Called To Be God's People Barbara Rowley Franz Haydn

If you would like to make a financial contribution to our church, please go to hvbc.org and scroll down to "Support HVBC".

Senior Adult Ministry

Tuesday, January 30 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall Bring food to share & games to play!

Souper Bowl of Caring Luncheon Sunday, February 11, 2024

Soup, Chili & more! Please plan on attending immediately after the morning worship service. There is no charge, donations will be sent to the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina. More details to follow!

> Ash Wednesday Service February 14

> > 6:30 pm

In the Sanctuary

Sermon Notes

January 28, 2024
Fourth Sunday after Epiphany

"Power and Humility"

Mark 1:21-28

Emphasis on verses 21-22, 27

Questions for Further Reflection:

Words are powerful things. How does Jesus use his words in this passage? What words has God spoken to you? How can you use your words for the good of God's kingdom?