

HOPE VALLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

November 3, 2024



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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 119:1-8

Mary Summerlin

Leader: Happy are those whose way is blameless,

People: Who walk in the law of the Lord.

Leader: Happy are those who keep his decrees,

People: Who seek him with their whole heart,

Leader: Who also do no wrong, but walk in his ways.

People: You have commanded your precepts to be kept diligently.

Leader: O that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes!

People: Then I shall not be put to shame,

Leader: Having fixed my eyes on all your commandments.

People: I will praise you with an upright heart,

Leader: When I learn your righteous ordinances.

People: I will observe your statutes; do not utterly forsake me.

Invocation

Mary Summerlin

Hymn of Praise No. 567

For All the Saints

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Scripture Reading

Mark 12:28-34

Emma Stoops

Children's Message

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Hymn of Faith No. 551 *There's a Land That Is Fairer Than Day*

SWEET BY AND BY

Worship through Stewardship

Offertory Prayer

Mike Dossett

Offertory

It Is Well with My Soul

Kathryn Bunch and

Marianne Kim

Barbara Rowley

Offertory Response

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him, above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Time of Remembrance

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

Building Bridges

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Anthem

By the Gentle Waters

Cindy Berry

*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.*

The Lord's Supper

Hymn of Commitment No. 264 *Where Charity and Love Prevail*

RESIGNATION

Benediction

Rev. Benjamin Wines

Postlude

Praeludium I
J. S. Bach

Kathryn Bunch

Deacons of the Week – Cheryl Wallace & John Myers

Attendance last week – 60

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

DEPARTED SAINTS

(November 2023 – October 2024)

Tommie Calhoun – February 6, 2024

Joe Story – March 25, 2024

LaVerne Ellis – May 29, 2024

Dr. Tom Jackson – October 6, 2024

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

Hebrews 12:1-3 (NIV)

Christmas boxes for Appalachia

We are again supporting the Appalachia ministry of CBF personnel Scarlett Jasper and Olive Branch ministries. This ministry serves the people in some of America's poorest counties in eastern Kentucky and Tennessee. For some families, these boxes may be the only gift a child will receive at Christmas.

Our HVBC goal is 40 boxes divided into preschool, elementary, middle-high school, and senior adults. Sign-up sheets, specific boxes and lists of items needed for each box are available in the vestibule. **The deadline is TODAY by 3:00 pm!**

Thanksgiving Potluck

Come to the Hope Valley Baptist Church Thanksgiving Potluck on November 28. Fellowship starts at noon and we will eat around 1:00 pm.

Participants should bring enough Thanksgiving goodies (appetizers, salad, vegetables, dessert) for their families with some to share. Members of the church community, our friends and family are welcome.

Please contact Rhonda Welfare with questions. Call or email Robin in the church office by November 21 to RSVP.

FOOD COLLECTION

We will have a Food Drive in October, November, and December with donations going to Food Bank of Central and Eastern NC. There are bins in the vestibule for you to place your donations. Listed below are the Food Bank's most needed items:

Canned Fruits	Pastas	Canned Vegetables
Rice	Canned Meats	Lentils
Canned Beans	Dried Fruit	Cleaning Products
Dried Beans	Canned Soup	Beverages
Canned Dairy	Paper Products	Cereal & Oatmeal
Hygiene Products	Nuts, seeds, trail mix, and granola bars	

Sermon Notes are on the next page.

Sermon Notes

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All Saints Sunday

"Building Bridges"

Mark 12:28-34

Emphasis on verses 32-34

Questions for Further Reflection:

Today, we celebrate those Christians that came before us. Take some time to reflect on the people who have helped shape your faith. How did your relationships with them blossom? What can we learn from Jesus' interaction with the scribe?