

Hixson Presbyterian Church
June 10, 2018

Prelude

Greetings

Greg Baney

Prayer of Preparation & Confession

Call to Worship From Psalm 135

†**Across the Lands**

You're the Word of God
the Father from before the world began;
Every star and every planet
has been fashioned by Your hand.
All creation holds together
by the power of Your voice.
Let the skies declare Your glory;
let the land and seas rejoice.

Chorus: You're the Author of creation,
You're the God of every man,
And Your cry of love rings out across the lands.

Yet You left the gaze of angels,
came to seek and save the lost
And exchanged the joy of Heaven for the anguish of a cross.
With a prayer You fed the hungry,
with a word You calmed the sea;
Yet how silently You suffered, that the guilty may go free.

With a shout You rose victorious,
wresting vict'ry from the grave
And ascended into Heaven, leading captives in Your way.
Now You stand before the Father, interceding for Your own;
From each tribe and tongue and nation
You are leading sinners home.

†**Grace Unmeasured**

Grace unmeasured, vast and free,
that knew me from eternity,
that called me out before my birth,
to bring You glory on this earth.
Grace amazing, pure and deep, that saw me in my misery,
that took my curse and owned my blame,
so I could bear Your righteous name.

Grace (grace, grace), paid for my sins and brought me to life
Grace (grace, grace), clothes me with pow'r
to do what is right
Grace (grace, grace), will lead me to heav'n,
where I'll see Your face,
and never cease to thank You for Your grace.

Grace abounding, strong and true,
that makes me long to be like You,
that turns me from my selfish pride,
to love the cross on which You died.
Grace unending all my days,

You'll give me strength to run this race.
And when my years on earth are through,
the praise will all belong to You.

Responsive Reading Preservation from Destruction

†O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

O the deep, deep love of Jesus—
vast, unmeasured, boundless, free;
Rolling as a mighty ocean in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me, is the current of Thy love.
Leading onward, leading homeward,
to Thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus—
spread His praise from shore to shore.
How He loveth, ever loveth, changeth never, never more.
How He watches o'er His loved ones,
died to call them all His own—
How for them He intercedeth,
watcheth o'er them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus—love of every love the best.
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing, 'tis a haven sweet of rest.
[O the deep, deep love of Jesus,
'tis a heav'n of heav'ns for me!
And it lifts me up to glory, for it lifts me up to Thee.]

Commissioning of the Jamaica Mission Team

God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Please fill out the friendship folder found at the end of the pew
There will be no Children's Church for the summer.

Offertory *Show Us Christ*

Sermon

"Sovereign and Holy"
Habakkuk 1:12-17

Robert Johnson

†Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Wonderful, merciful Savior, precious Redeemer and Friend,
Who would have thought that a Lamb
could rescue the souls of men—
Oh, You rescue the souls of men.

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper, Spirit we long to embrace,
You offer hope when our hearts
have hopelessly lost the way—
Oh, we've hopelessly lost the way.

Chorus: You are the One that we praise,
You are the One we adore.
You give the healing and grace
our hearts always hunger for—
Oh, our hearts always hunger for.
Almighty, infinite Father, faithfully loving Your own;
Here in our weakness You find us falling before Your throne—
Oh, we're falling before Your throne. (Chorus twice)

Communion

Bread in Unison *How Deep the Father's Love for Us*

Cup Individually

****Elders are available for prayer at the front of the sanctuary.**

Benediction

Postlude

Why Do We Do That?

Assurance of Pardon:

After our corporate prayer of confession we typically receive an assurance of pardon, either from the pulpit or in the songs we sing following this prayer. It is so easy to lose faith and think our prayers go unheard and unanswered. This portion of our liturgy assures us that God does hear our confession, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sin (1 Jn. 1:9), and we can stand before Him as clean children of the Kingdom (Ps. 51:17).

Sermon Notes - Robert Johnson
"Sovereign and Holy"
Habakkuk 1:12-17

First, It's Complicated

Second, "You Have Ordained Them" (12-17)

Third, Sovereign Over All

Finally, Sovereign & Good

Announcements for the week June 10, 2018

- **Uganda Mission Trip Meeting:** Today, immediately following the worship service for those who are interested in going on the mission trip this September 21st through the 30th. Please see the mission's page for all the details.
- **Children's Church** does not meet during the summer but will resume August 19th. There will be nursery care for children ages 4 and under.
- **You are invited!** HPC Music Camp presents "The Agape League" Meet General Agape and the rest of the league as they set out to help some kids overcome selfishness in Suburbiana City. Join us to find out what happens as they all learn a little more about the fruits of the Spirit! Friday evening, June 15th, 2018 at 6pm
- **Women's Ministry Self Defense Class:** Saturday, June 23rd at 10:00am. Ladies, please join us for a self defense class. You do not need to bring anything, just wear comfortable clothes. This event is open to all ladies, rising 6th graders and up. Sign up today using the tear-off or in the foyer.
- **Service of Renewal:** Sunday, June 24th at 6:00pm. Join us for a special, intimate time of worship and prayer as we take time to acknowledge the struggles of the past months, cast vision for the future and pray together in anticipation of all the Lord has yet to do among us.
- **Ladies Prayer Walk:** We meet every Tuesday morning from 8:30-9:30. All ladies are welcome. Please see Denise Jennings for more information.

Summer Sunday School

The Gospel of John – June 3rd through August 12th "In the beginning was the Word..." The gospel of John has always been a rich study as many of the most familiar sayings of Christ are contained in the blessed pages of this gospel narrative.

This summer we will embark on an eleven-week study of the gospel of John as taught by Floyd Richardson. Please make plans to attend during the Sunday school hour (9:30 till 10:30 AM) in room M1.

Women's Sunday School – June 3rd through July 29th Gospel

Centered Life by Bob Thune and Will Walker will enable us to discuss and explore how the gospel is life changing. Lessons are self-contained with no homework. Women of HPC, come journey together with Carolyn Hays during the Sunday school hour (9:30 till 10:30 AM) in room M2.

Three Generations Class (20s, 30s, 40s) - Beginning June 3rd. This class will study the book, *Uncomfortable* by Brett McCracken and will be facilitated by Thomas DeMoss in the conference room.

Summer Connection

Wednesday Nights Beginning June 6 (6:30-7:45)

Led by Pastors Robert & Greg

This is a great way to stay connected over the summer and dig deeper into the sermons. This Small Group will meet at the church for fellowship and to discuss the sermon from the preceding Sunday. A chance to dig deeper, talk about it and apply it in our lives.

Prayer with Pastors

Please join us for a time of concerted prayer, Wednesday mornings this summer, June through July, from 7:00-7:45 am in the church sanctuary beginning June 6.

Growing Pains: We need to put some procedures in place in order to:

- better schedule the many events going on in the life of the church so that we can avoid conflicts and other logistical problems;
- give proper notice to those serving us by setting and resetting rooms and providing for our technology needs;
- protect our worship space and equipment.

Therefore, we can no longer reserve a room or put an event on the church calendar unless a Building Use Request Form is completely filled out and turned in to the main office. The Form can be found on the Website under the "About" Tab, or obtained directly from the Main Office. Filling this out will help us to know what events are being planned, what rooms are being used and what needs you have for set up and technology. We are also asking that unless you have been trained by the church, please refrain from being up in the sound booth at any time. If your ministry has technology needs, please let us know in advance on the Request Form or by contacting Lindsey Pope at 423-635-1257 and we will make sure that your event is covered by someone who is trained. If you or someone from your ministry is interested in being trained, please contact Lindsey Pope at the above number and we will set up a training session. Thank you in advance for your help and cooperation as we try to serve ALL our ministries better.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 10

9:30 am Sunday School
10:45 am Worship Service

Monday, June 11

Tuesday, June 12

8:30 am Prayer Walk
7:00 pm Deacon Meeting

Wednesday, June 13

7:00-7:45 am Prayer with Pastors
6:30 pm Summer Connection Study

Thursday, June 14

Friday, June 15

6:30 am Men's Bible Study
6:00 pm Children's Music Camp
Performance

Contributions Report

<u>General:</u>	June 3, 2018	<u>Missions:</u>	June 3, 2018
Contributions	22,601.00	Contribution	1,985.00
Budget	15,200.00	Budget	1,876.00

<u>Month to Date</u>		<u>Month to Date</u>	
Contributions	22,601.00	Contributions	1,985.00
Budget	15,200.00	Budget	1,876.00

Building Fund Weekly	3,740	Month to Date	3,740
Weekly Goal	5,303	Monthly Goal	21,212