

**Sermon:**  
**A Higher Calling**  
1 Corinthians 7:17–24  
Bob Hayton

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# The Heights Church

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*"We exist to joyfully surrender our lives to Jesus Christ through God's Word, together proclaiming the gospel to all peoples, for the glory of God."*

## Worship

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Sunday, September 2, 2018

### Gathering

*How Firm a Foundation*

*Rippon's Hymn*

### Welcome

### Praise & Adoration

*Immortal, Invisible*

*Smith/Traditional Welsh Melody*

*All the Earth*

*Ingram/Rozier/Andrews/Smith*

Scripture Reading

*Psalm 33:20–22*

*O My Soul, Arise*

*Wesley/McAllister*

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

### Worship in Giving

*O Lord My Rock and My Redeemer*

*Nathan Stiff*

### Response

*Holy, Holy, Holy*

*Heber/Dykes*

### Word

*A Higher Calling*

1 Corinthians 7:17–24

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### Communion

### Closing

*Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery*

*Boswell/Papa/Bleecker*

### Benediction

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## The Heights Church

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## Welcome!

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Welcome to The Heights Church! We are grateful that you are with us today as we gather together to make much of Jesus Christ. If you have any questions or would like to know more about our church **please fill out our Connection Card** located in the pews. It is our joy to serve you.

We love having families worship together in our service. We also understand that a child may become restless during a service. If needed, you are welcome to use our restless child room directly behind the sanctuary where the worship service can still be heard. We also have a **Nursing Moms' Room** across the hall from the sanctuary where you can listen to the worship service.

### This Week

#### Sunday, September 2

10:15am Worship Service

#### Monday, September 3

Labor Day - Church office Closed

#### Wednesday, September 5

7:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal

#### Sunday, September 9

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)

10:15am Worship Service

### Attendance / Offering

Attendance last Sunday: 126

#### General Budget

Offering Given Last Sunday: \$4,246.52

Weekly Budget Need: \$6,123.50

#### Second Quarter to Date Giving (QTD)

(August 1–October 31, 2018)

Offering Given QTD: \$21,652.38

Offering Need QTD: \$24,494.00

### Preaching Schedule

Sep 2 Bob Hayton

Sep 9 Pastor Weyland Leach

Sep 16 Pastor Weyland Leach

### Prayer Requests

Do you have a prayer request?

It is our joy to pray for you. Please share your request via our prayer link at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) or by contacting the church office at 651.776.0519.

### Baptism / Membership

Do you have questions about baptism or church membership? Please contact us at 651.776.0519 or [theheightschurch1@gmail.com](mailto:theheightschurch1@gmail.com).

### Sermon Audio

Audio of today's sermon will be available for streaming/download at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) by this Tuesday. You can also request an audio CD of any sermon by contacting our church office.

### Mobile Giving

You can use your phone to give to The Heights Church. **Text "HEIGHTSMN" to 77977** to get a link to give a one-time or recurring offering.

When you send your text you will receive a one-time reply containing a link to give to The Heights Church (1msg/request). Please be aware that Msg & Data rates may apply. For full Terms & Conditions, please visit <https://pushpay.com/terms>. For the Privacy Policy, please visit <https://pushpay.com/privacy>. For help, reply HELP or STOP to cancel.

## Announcements

visit us at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org)

### Fall Sunday School Kick-Off (All Ages) - September 9

Join us as we begin our fall Sunday school classes for all ages (children, youth, and adults) on September 9, 9am. For class descriptions visit [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org). Parents, to help our classroom volunteers prepare, pray and plan, please have your **Family Registration Form** submitted by today, September 2.

### Women's Fall Bible Study Begins Saturday, September 15

Ladies, we invite you to be a part of our five week Bible study: *The Life of Samson*, by Dr. Robert Godfrey. This study will meet weekly at The Heights Church on Saturday mornings from 9:30–11am, September 15–October 13. All are welcome! For more information, visit [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) or contact Mary Schmuland (763.443.7293).

### New Missionary Prayer Guide Available

We encourage you to pick up our September Missionary Prayer Guide at the information table in the foyer.

### Benevolent Fund Giving

Our Benevolent Fund exists to help with the needs of those in our church family. Following the first service of each month, an opportunity to give toward this fund is provided at the back of the sanctuary. Please visit an usher and they will be glad to assist you.

## Serving One Another

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### Today

Ushers: Katherine Facklam, Matt Taylor, Joe Groppoli

Greeters: Russ Johnson

Coffee: Duane & Peggy Roub

### Next Sunday

Stephanie Facklam, Adam Physician

Ron & Pat Conklin, Loren Johnson

Carl & Alice Rogan

### Communion for September 2

Gary Horn, Jon Carlson, Matt Taylor, Guy Somers

Set up: Guy & Lee Somers