

Order of Morning Worship

February 01, 2026

Immediately preceding worship there will be a time for sharing community concerns and announcements. Thank you for giving our lay leaders your courteous attention.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

Barbara Bragg

Jonathan Willis, Piano

† CALL TO WORSHIP

The Faith We Sing 2086

*Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus,
to reach out and touch him, and say that we love him.
Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.
Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.*

† OPENING HYMN

"Holy Spirit, Truth Divine"

UMH 465

† THE APOSTLE'S CREED

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

The Faith We Sing 2080

1. *All I need is you, Jesus, all I need is you. You are the source of all I need. All I need is you.*
2. *All I want is you, Jesus, all I want is you. You are the source of all I need. All I want is you.*
3. *My only hope is you, Lord, my only hope is you.. You are the source of all I need. My only hope is you.*

PASTORAL PRAYER

† HYMN *"Be Thou My Vision"*

UMH 451

OFFERTORY PRAYER

GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

† DOXOLOGY

UMH 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures here below;
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

READING FROM THE GOSPEL

Matthew 5: 1-12

ANTHEM *"The Presence of the Lord is Here"*

Choir

SERMON *"Words of Truth and Beauty"*

Matthew M. Smith

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

UMH 12

Both visitors and members, adults and children, are encouraged to receive Holy Communion. A server will be glad to bring the sacrament to your seat if you are unable to come to the front.

SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP

Any offering you leave at the altar rail will be directed to the needy in our community.

† HYMN OF INVITATION

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

UMH 452

† BENEDICTION

† CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE (sung by all)

*As we go, may your Spirit go before us.
As we go, may we follow where you lead.
May we live what we have learned,
share the message we have heard,
and be a light unto the world as we go.*

POSTLUDE

† Please, stand as you are able.

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*The Altar flowers were given in Memory of
Gavin Ware By Linda Miller.*

Prayer Concerns and Praises

Remember ~

**Ronnie Pressnell, Father of Anna
Robinson**

Jeff Vest, Brother of Candy Welch

Jeff Havens

Jerry Owens and Family, after the
passing of his sister, Gloria
Bishop

The Gamble Family

David Miller

Beth Swanson

Ben Majors

John and Ruby Walker

The Robinson Family

Rutger Hill and Family

Jonathan Carter

Jim Jess

Justin Clark

Dan Adkins, Son of Leo Larkin

Jane Gerdeman's grandson,
Dalton

Hudson Boyett, Grandson of
Milburn and Beth Gross

Claudia Davis, friend of Wanda
Lamb

Marisha Pressley and Family

Charles Bishop, father of Larry
Bishop

Richard Patterson

Linda Turner

April Fitzgerald

Ryan Edwards

Donna Owens

Eric Zimovan's grandmother,
Dorothy

Deven Beard

Ryder Beard

Joanne Lowery

Lisa Adkins
Joyce Folk
Becky Crouch Ogungbe, David and
Gracie Crouch's daughter
Thelma Younger, Sandy Goode's
mother
Mac Rainey, Kim Carter's cousin
Jean Humphrey, Susan Hayes'
mother
Wendy Joiner
David Fry
Timothy King, Eileen King's
son
J. Paul and Linda Miller
Becky Aidarodini, Sarah
Carter's mother
W.H Anderson
Tyler Swafford, friend of
Heather Douglas and
family
Bob, Glenn, and John
Larkin
Mike and Linda Kumke
Jill McMurtrie
Stan Carnegie

Weekly needs ~
Loved ones in Armed Forces:
Devon Bachus; Tim Bagwell;
Johnnie Bone IV; Johnnie Bone III;
John Boswell; Forrest Collier; Houston
Curtis; Coleman Grider; Christian
Haines; Gean Johnson; Trevor Liles
Sam Nelson; Jonathan Perry; Dalton
Phillips; Adam Stoltz; Cole Temmen;
Wesley Yeager



WE'RE HAPPY YOU'RE HERE! ~ Please scan the
QR Code to sign in OR sign in on the red attendance
pads. Thank you for worshiping with us today!

Announcements & Events at HGUMC

NURSERY NURSERY VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE ~ February 1, 2026

Traditional Service - need volunteers
Contemporary Service - Mary Ann Smith & Rhonda Britton

Friendly Reminder- the nursery room is a “Shoe Free Zone” and please remember to pick up any trash and put away toys at the end of service. We need additional volunteers to staff the Nursery during Sunday morning services. You would serve once every other month. We are also looking for people to fill in as needed. Contact office@hazelgreen.org for more information.



HGUMC CHURCH BREAKFAST ~ Are you hungry? Breakfast is Served! First Sundays at 7:30 AM, we invite you to join us for our HGUMC Church Breakfast and fellowship. Our Next breakfast will be **February 1**. For more info or if you would like to volunteer, Please reach out to Donna Daniel.



2026 FLOWER CALENDAR ~ is now posted on the easel in the Narthex. Please sign up if you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor of or in memory of a loved one.



CHURCH COUNCIL 2026 ~ Church Council meetings for 2026 will be held at 6:30 PM on the following dates: **Feb 9, May 11, Aug 10, Nov 9.**



KARATE / SELF DEFENSE CLASS ~ will resume January 5th in the gym at 6:30. Join us in the practice traditional Okinawan Martial Art for health and wellness. Low impact , low intensity exercise with intent and purpose.



WEEKLY PRAYER LIST ~ Thank you for continuing to keep the office updated on additions to the prayer list. Please remember to also notify us if we need to remove someone from the list as well.



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SUPPORT GROUP ~ for widows, widowers and divorcees meets 3rd Thursdays at 11:30 AM in the Conference Room. If you are dealing with grief or feeling a loss, consider joining us for fellowship, discussion. Contact Pauline Childers for more information at (256) 682-4114. Next meeting will be **January 15th**.



COMFORT CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP ~ Normally Meets monthly on the 4th Sunday at 2 PM in the Conference Room. The next meeting is **January 25th**. For more information, contact Gracie Crouch.



HUNTSVILLE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ~ is in need of all types of canned goods and non-perishable groceries at their North location. Most needed items are **soups, jelly, and crackers**. Baskets for donations are located in the Sanctuary and Gym lobbies. They could also use more volunteers to help with labeling and stocking shelves. They also need volunteers to pass out groceries on Wednesdays from 12:30 - 2:30 PM. HAP is located at 11588 Pulaski Pike in Toney.



YOUTH GROUP MEETS ~ Sunday nights from 5:30 - 7:30 PM. All students in 6th-12th grade are welcome. Please contact the office for more information.



KIDS IN ACTION MEETS ~ Sundays from 4 - 5:30 PM in the gym. All children K - 5th grade are welcome. Please contact the office for more information.

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Sunday Worship Times 8:30 AM Traditional, 10:30 AM Contemporary
Sunday School Classes for All Ages 9:45 AM

Rev. Matthew Smith, Pastor
Craig Caroline, Contemporary Worship Leader
Marla Jenkins, Director of Traditional Music
Steve Schneider, Organist

Jonathan Willis, Accompanist
Cody McCreary, Director of Youth Ministries
Paige Peil, Director of Child Enrichment Center
Kelley Hawkins, Office Administrator

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Traditional Worship
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