

Sermon Notes

Romans 12:3-8
Transformation in Christian Community

1. How we are to think about ourselves
2. How we are to think about our place
3. How we are to think about our gifts

The Sermon isn't the finish line for Word ministry, it's the starting line. It begins in the pulpit, but then it must continue through the life of the church as members echo God's Word back and forth to one another.

Ministry Opportunities

Welcome

We extend our cordial greetings to all who are visiting us today and hope that you will join us again for worship. We ask you to, please, sign the Fellowship Register as it is passed so that we may have a record of your visit. If you give us an address, we can send you more information about Hartsville PCA, or you can pick up any of the brochures from the information display in the entry hall.

The Dollars and Sense of Hiring New Staff

Jesus told his disciples in Luke 10:2, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."

As a means of working with our prayers to that end, the Session has formed a Capital Campaign Committee to earnestly endeavor to seek the necessary funding to hire additional church staff to labor in the harvest in Hartsville. As is, we leave many people in the field because we don't have the additional pastoral help to disciple them along.

We will hold a congregational conversation about these things **today** during our Education Hour. You will want to remain and be a part of the conversation so that you can be a part of the Lord's grace and generosity in answer to our prayers.

The Week of May 6th

Communion Preparation

The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be celebrated during worship next Sunday morning. Because of the inestimable benefit we have in this sacrament and the great danger of eating and drinking in an unworthy manner, it is necessary that we come to it with knowledge, faith, repentance, love and with souls hungering and thirsting after Christ and His benefits. We are all encouraged to use all appointed means, public and private, depending upon God for the gracious preparation of the heart, according to His promise.

Graduation Recognition and Mother's Day

Next Sunday, May 13, we will celebrate with all those in our church who are graduating in 2018. Special refreshments will be served during the fellowship time in appreciation of graduates and mothers. Please sign up today in the Narthex to bring treats.



FNL

Friday Night Live with Pastor Mac

Friday Night Live with Pastor Mac for High School and College Students will meet **Friday, May 11, 6:30-9:30pm**, at Pastor Mac's House, 300 E. Richardson Circle. If you or your friends will be attending, please let Pastor Mac know by sending an email to FNL@Hartsvillepca.org.



Men's Breakfast Bible Study

Gather with other men at **6:30am on Friday mornings** at the church for Bible Study, fellowship, and breakfast.

This Week at HPC

Sunday, May 6

- 8:45am Prayer for worship services—Room 102
- 9:30am Morning Worship—Sanctuary**
- 11:10am Congregational Conversation
- 5:00pm Adult Choir—Sanctuary
Catekids—Room 101
- 6:00pm Evening Worship—Sanctuary**

Wednesday, May 9

- 6:30pm Prayer Meeting—Room 103
Covenant Choir Practice—Sanctuary

Thursday, May 10

Church Office Closed

Friday, May 11

- 6:30am Men's Chat and Chew—Church Building
- 6:30pm Friday Night Live with Pastor Mac—McIntosh Home

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- 8:45am Prayer for worship services—Room 102
- 9:30am Morning Worship with Communion—Sanctuary**
- 11:10am Educational Hour
- 5:00pm Adult Choir—Sanctuary
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Bible and Music Camp 2018

- June 17 BAM Camp Kick-off
- June 18-21 BAM Camp
- June 21 at 1pm Musical presentation