



# HUDSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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March 22, 2026

10:30am Worship

Pastor Shawn Carafa

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\*Those who are able are welcome to stand.

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 8:9-9:1-2

Lay Reader, Clark Wonderland

Leader: O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

**People: I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of your wonderful deeds.**

Leader: I will be glad and exult in you;

**People: I will sing praise to your name, O Most High.**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE** Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness Hymn No. 293

## \*UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Lord Jesus, we have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, and of neglect to seek you in our daily lives. Our sins and shortcomings present us with a list of accusations, but we thank you that they will not stand against us, for all have been laid on Christ. Deliver us from every evil habit, every interest of former sins, everything that dims the brightness of your grace in us, everything that prevents us taking delight in you. Amen.**

*(Please take a moment to silently confess your sins to the Lord)*

**\*PROCLAMATION OF FORGIVENESS** Psalm 51:17

[17] The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. (ESV)

## \*GLORIA PATRI

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be; world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**\*PASSING THE PEACE**

## PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER

*(A time to share our Thanksgiving and Requests to the Lord and with our Church family)*



## THIS WEEK

### SUNDAY

**Easter Flowers**

**LAST WEEK TO ORDER**

Bible Studies 9:30am

Worship 10:30am

Ladies Ensemble 11:45am

Youth Group 6:30-8pm

### MONDAY

AA 7pm, FH

### TUESDAY

Women's Bible Study 10am

Youth Handbell Choir Noon

### WEDNESDAY

### THURSDAY

HPC Bell Choir 6:30pm

AA 7pm, FH

### PALM SUNDAY

Bible Studies 9:30am

Worship 10:30am

Ladies Ensemble 11:45am

Youth Group 6:30-8pm

## DEACON of the WEEK

Sandy Borovicka

216-906-0635

## NEWS

### **Mission Fair**

The Mission Committee will hold a Mission Fair on Sunday, April 19 during the coffee hour in the fellowship hall.

Individuals from local missions that HPC supports will be in attendance to give their updates. In addition, the Mission Committee members will provide updates for our international partners and missionaries.

HPC uses 10% of our church offerings and holds fund raisers periodically to support our mission partners. We also organize opportunities for members of the congregation to participate in mission activities. The committee is thankful for our congregation's generosity.

We are also looking for your feedback. If you are aware of a Christ centered mission needing support, we will have a form available for you to provide us this information in order for the mission committee to investigate further.

**Save the Date!** Friday, April 24th at 6pm. Potluck carry-in dinner. Watch for details.

## CELEBRATIONS

**Another Year of Life**

Derek Schwarz

**Another Year of Life Together**

Ann and Boyd Stere

## SERMON SCRIPTURE

### Mark 12:35-37

#### Whose Son Is the Christ?

<sup>35</sup> And as Jesus taught in the temple, he said, “How can the scribes say that the Christ is the son of David? <sup>36</sup> David himself, in the Holy Spirit, declared,

“The Lord said to my Lord,  
“Sit at my right hand,  
until I put your enemies under your feet.””

<sup>37</sup> David himself calls him Lord. So how is he his son?” And the great throng heard him gladly.

## NOTES

## HOLY WEEK

### Palm Sunday March 29 ~ 10:30am Worship

On Palm Sunday, we'll recall Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem amidst waving palms and echoing Hosannas.

You can read about Jesus' entry into Jerusalem in Matthew 21:1-11, Mark 11:1-11, Luke 19:28-44, and John 12:12-19.

### Maundy Thursday April 2 ~ 7pm Worship

We commemorate the supper Jesus shared with his disciples before his path to the cross. Worship this evening will be a reflective service with Holy Communion.

These events are recorded in Matthew 26:17-75, Mark 14:12-72, Luke 22:7-62, and John 13:1-38.

### Good Friday

A time to reflect on the crucifixion of Jesus Christ and the deep love poured out for us on the cross.

The accounts of the crucifixion can be found in Matthew 27:1-62, Mark 15:1-47, Luke 22:63-23:56, and John 18:28-19:37.

### Easter Sunday April 5 ~ 10:30am Worship

Celebrate the resurrection of Christ and the promise of new life!

This celebration can be found in the Word in Matthew 28:1-13, Mark 16:1-14, Luke 24:1-49, and John 20:1-23.