

Glorify YOUR NAME

Howard Babbitt is Cancer- Free

*Praise the Lord God Almighty
Oh! My Soul!*

June 30, 2024

Church POTLUCK

After Sunday Service

Dinner
and
Talent Show



New Date & Time!

July 12, 2023

6:30 PM

Fellowship Hall

Fundraising Benefiting
Honduras Mission

Mark Your Calendar!

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Forward for Freedom
Monday Nights

renew your mind

Romans 12:2, NRSV

Date: June 17th
Time: 6:00 PM
Location: Fellowship Hall
Fellowship Menu: Spaghetti,
Garlic Bread, Salad
Desserts, & Drinks.

Virginia Creeper Bike Trail Trip
Open to All-Ages



July 20, 2024

Please sign-up by June 16th.

All the details are available in the foyer.
Please get in touch with **Monty Carter**. if
you have any questions.

Honduras Mission Team
COLLECTING Omeprazole, Tums and
Vitamins for HONDURAS MISSION.

This can be for adults or children,
but pills are preferred due to
weight. The date should be past
9/24.

Please place them in the Blue
Container in the foyer.



hendersonville CHURCH OF CHRIST

June 16, 2024

NO MATTER WHO YOU ARE
WHERE YOU HAVE BEEN
OR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE
WELCOME TO TODAY'S

PRAISE & WORSHIP

A S S E M B L Y

Welcome to our time of worship!

*Attended Nursery for ages 0-3years
available down the hallway.*

Attendants: Cindy & Alex Carpenter

Order of Service

Song Leader ▪ Matt Carpenter

Oh, to Be Like Thee - 429

Welcome

*Holy Spirit, Dwell in Me - (Slides)
Lord Reign in Me - (Slides)*

Opening Prayer ▪ Silas Brown

*Peace, Perfect Peace - 479
There Is a Place of Quiet Rest - 477*

Lord's Supper ▪ Sam Williams

Lord's Supper Attendants:

**Silas Brown
Charlie Pollard
Lucas Carpenter
Alex Carpenter**

In Christ Alone- (Slides)

**Children's Worship Dismissal
Ages 4 Years - 2nd Grade
Teachers ▪ Connie and Bill McElrath**

The Work of The Spirit ▪ Ethan Brown

Just a Closer with Thee - 406

Closing Prayer▪ Mark Leatherwood

*Thank you for throwing away trash in cans in the
lobby and recycling papers in table basket.*

**Weekly Bible Classes
In-Person for All Ages**
9:30 AM Sundays
6:30 PM Wednesdays

Today

**Special Order Tamales
Pick Up**
After The Service
Annex Kitchen

Tomorrow

**Forward for Freedom
6:00 PM**
Fellowship Hall

Next Week

**Youth and Family
S'mores at the Firepit**
June 26th - Wednesday
After Bible Study
Pavilion

Mark Your Calendar

Church Potluck
June 30th - Sunday
After Sunday Service
Fellowship Hall

Dinner and Talent Show
July 12th - Friday
6:30 PM
Fellowship Hall

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calendar & more!



In John 16:4, Jesus says to the apostles that he had not told them everything right at the very beginning. That was probably a wise strategy on our Lord's part, don't you think? Imagine if he had told them everything that he had planned for them right at the very beginning. Do you think any of them would have signed up for it?

In the last few sentences that came before him telling them that he hadn't shared everything with them up front, Jesus had told them that a day would come when anyone who killed them would think that they were offering service to God. People would kill them and think that was the right thing to do! And sure enough, that's what happened.

According to church tradition, only the apostle John lived into old age and died of old age. James was beheaded at Herod's order. Andrew was crucified on an X shaped cross, taking days to die, and is reported to have preached while dying. Peter was crucified upside down. Philip was hanged. Bartholomew was flayed, like what you do to a fish when you clean it. And on and on it like this. To all of them.

Who would agree to live in a way that was likely to end like that? Who would keep doing it when it turned ugly?

The answer to both of those questions is people who knew Jesus. When a person meets Jesus, and when they really get to know him, then they realize that being loved by him is worth more than breathing. What Jesus has to offer is so excellent that life in this broken world pales away and vanishes in significance by comparison.

Jesus offers us life. Real, true life. What we have known in this world is only an echo of that. We've lived our lives marked by sin, suffering, and sorrow. Even the life of a follower of Jesus is impacted by these things. What Jesus offers is life set free from all of that. The power of Jesus resurrection is at work in his followers even now, and we have hope for a future that is beyond imagining.

And the wonder of Jesus resurrection is a promise that the life he offers is a life beyond the reach of death. Those who follow him pass through death and into life. We die with him in baptism, and are raised with him into his way of life, something that we can never lose. Then, even if our bodies die, we know that death cannot hold us. Like Jesus, we are free.

Now before Jesus had gone through the cross and resurrection, who would be willing to bet his life on the possibility that Jesus could give us life beyond death? If he had told them this was his plan for them from the start, I suspect they would have run away in terror.

But not us. We have the whole plan from the beginning. It's safe for us to know that this might be part of what happens, because we also know that death ultimately cannot touch us. With our mighty King, Christ Jesus, we have passed from death to life and have overcome.

Ethan Brown



Pray and Care for Our Shut-Ins:

Pete Hunter
Reba Haynes
Carolyn Holland
Sam Ruth
Pat Jarvis
Eva Watkins

Prayer Updates are listed on the back. Long-term prayer lists are on the Prayer Board in the lobby.

**How to send prayer requests
and praise reports**

- ◆ Use the "Prayer Request" and "Praise Report" forms on HvlCoC Connect at hvlcocn.churchtrac.com.
- ◆ Fill out a paper card and put on the board, give to an elder, or give to a member of the Prayer Ministry Team.
- ◆ Email the Prayer Ministry Team at prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com.

Coupons for Troops sends product coupons to military families. Please put coupons in the box in the lobby or give to the Farleys'.

Domestic

Palmetto Bible Camp (SC)
Southeastern Children's Home (SC)



Foreign

Eastern European Missions—EEM
Nekemte (Ethiopia)
Samrit Kammanee (Thailand)
Steve & Dianna Teel (Baxter Institute, Honduras)

Recent Sunday Attendance

Date	9:30AM Bible Class	10:30AM Service
06/09	75	115
06/02	67	—

Contribution Numbers

June Contribution	\$ 11,166	Place contributions in the boxes near the auditorium entrance, mail to the church office, or give online through HvlCoC Connect.
June Budget	\$ 32,149	
Contribution YTD	\$ 134,950	
Budget YTD	\$ 147,885	

CHURCH OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR

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Our Mission Statement

As forgiven people who have been rescued by Jesus Christ, our calling is to:

- * Proclaim the good news of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus
- * Praise and honor our Father by seeking to live as Jesus did and taught
- * Teach and equip one another for works of loving service
- * Reach out and share the love and saving grace of Jesus with all people

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MINISTER

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DEACONS

Blain Bice: *Communication and Technology*
Jeremy Cochran: *Education*
Josh Propst: *Missions*
Jim Scott & Rod Price: *Facilities, Bus, and Trailer*

MINISTRY LEADERS

Bill Fitzpatrick: Benevolence & Fellowship Supplies Ministry
Karen Fitzpatrick: Stephen & Care Ministry
Jackie Gass: Forward for Freedom Ministry
Evan & Karen McGee: Prayer Ministry
Nancy McKelvey: Children's Worship & Ladies Ministry
Gary Stephenson: Hospitality Ministry
David Yelton: Disaster Relief Ministry