

Free! Free! Indeed!

Monday - September 16th

6:00 - 6:45 PM - Fellowship Dinner

6:45 - 7:30 PM - Big Group Meeting 7:30 - 8:00 PM - Open Share Groups Meeting

8:00 - 8:30 PM - Freedom Café

Fellowship Menu:

Nachos, Taco Salad, Corn and Salad

Enjoy some delicious desserts, coffee and hot tea at the Freedom Café

Forward for Freedom

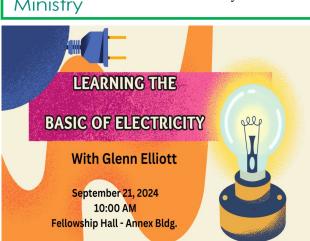


Monday, September 16, 2024

2:00 PM-4:00 PM

Evan McGee—Ministry Leader

Prayer Ministry Meeting





CAMP OUT MEEKEND

27-29 September, 2025

Camp-out Sunday

BON FIRE - GAMES - MUSIC - FUN - BBQ



THURSDAY 10 OCTOBER, 2023 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Bus leaves promptly at 9 AM from Church Parking Lot. Let Mark and Vicki Audia know if you want to

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Welcome to our time of Worship

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

Attendants: Ashley Brown and Kylie Cochran

Order of Service

Welcome • Josh Propst

Come Let Us Sing - (Slides) Listen to Our Hearts - 810

Opening Prayer • Ezra Cochran

He Gave Me a Song - 608 Come, Share the Lord - 364

Lord's Supper • Evan McGee

Lord's Supper Attendants: Silas Brown Fred Gore Bob Huff Harry Hudson

Children's Worship Dismissal Ages 4 Years—2nd Grade **Teachers • Nancy and Bill McKelvey**

Sing Hallelujah to the Lord - 242

Worship With My Voice - Ethan Brown

I Am Mine No More - 683

Closing Prayer • Sam Williams

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

Forward for Freedom 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM Fellowship Hall

> MAGI Boxes Due Auditorium

This Week

Prayer Ministry Meeting September 16, 2024 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM Conference Room

Learning the
Basic of Electricity
By: Glenn Elliott
September 21, 2024
10:00 AM - Annex Bldg.

Mark Your Calendar

Annual Camp Out September 27 - 29, 2024 Pavilion

Carley and Alec Wedding Celebration September 28, 2024

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Worship is a matter of the heart, but it is also a matter of the mind. In fact, the thing that makes Christian worship Christian is the information it contains. Christianity is a faith loaded with reasonable and rational content to be believed, and it is the rehearsal of and encounter with that content that makes Christian worship what it is.

We Christians are not the only humans that worship on this planet. In fact, all human beings devote themselves to something, and we all have to come to grips with the mysterious facts of our experiences. We are capable of complex and abstract thought, so we are more than our bodies. It is a universal human yearning to transcend our mortality and reach into the depths of the mystery beyond ourselves. We long to feel and experience something wondrous. All human beings year for a worship experience.

But not all human beings do that though the story of the resurrected, savior King of the universe. When we Christians worship, we do it through the stories of Jesus and of Israel, and all of the wondrous ideas that God has given us in the Bible. It is through rational concepts and stories that God leads us to himself.

If we are not moved in our hearts, then we are not worshipping. Merely thinking true things is not worship. The Devil can think of true things, but he's never moved to worship God. If we are going to worship, we have to allow the truths we tell ourselves to touch our hearts. If we never feel a string in our souls, if we never tremble at God's word, then we do not worship Him.

At the same time, if our minds are not engaged when we worship, then we may be feeling a lot of powerful things, but we are not worshipping God. We are not even thinking of him. God wants us to remind ourselves of all his wonderful acts, and to remember them in our minds. Christian worship is a matter of the heart, but it is a heart in motion guided by an engaged mind.

All of this brings us to singing. The reason that we sing is because music moves the heart. But we don't use merely irrational music. We sing. Singing involves the speaking of lyrics to ourselves, to each other, and to God. The beauty of the music may help us to pay attention, and may stir our emotions, making the moving of the heart easier. But it is the thoughts that we lift in song that compels us to engage with God with both our minds and hearts.

When we sing, we expose our minds and hearts to the Word of God. Some songs are the words of Scripture set to tune, and others are the thoughts drawn from Scripture and made into songs. Other songs are prayers - praise and expressions of devotion that we sing to God to bind ourselves to him. These thoughts pass through our minds to our hearts and move us to worship God.

This morning as you worship God by singing to him, sing with both your heart and your mind.

Ethan Brown



Pray and Care for Our Shut-Ins:

Reba Haynes Pat Jarvis
Eva Watkins Pete Hunter
Esperanza Harrington
Jim Keevert

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 hvlcocnc.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 prayerhylcoc@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	
09/08	56	100	
09/01	65	104	

Contribution Numbers

Sept. Contribution	\$ 10,137	Place contributions
Sept. Budget	\$ 32,149	in the boxes near the auditorium entrance, mail to the church office, or give online through HvlCoC Connect.
Contribution YTD	\$ 197,528	
Budget YTD	\$ 231,472	

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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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