to see Jesus

Advent at Hayes Barton Baptist Church
Week 2–Love
THE WORSHIP OF GOD

December 6, 2015
Second Sunday of Advent

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

As we prepare our hearts for the coming of our Lord,
we prepare our homes for the arrival of family and friends.
We imagine what it will be like to dine and visit with loved ones.
We treasure thoughts of home—a place of safety and love.

PRELUDE

Now Let Us Sing with Joy.................................................................J.S. Bach
Patty Pace, organ

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

David Hailey

LIGHTING OF THE ADVENT CANDLE OF LOVE

John and Meredith Parker

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Hope, peace, joy, and love!
These are the gifts You bring from above
Jesus, Emmanuel, come to be
Light of Your LOVE reflected in me.

INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN OF PRAISE, 77

Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus......................................................HYFRYDOL
Children will come forward during the last stanza.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Cindy Tuttle
Children will leave for Children’s Church following the Children’s Sermon.

SCRIPTURE READING AND PRAYER

Luke 3:1-6, NRSV
Ward Page
CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE
Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee;
Holy, holy, holy, merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

CHORAL MEDITATION
Holy .................................................................................................. Craig Courtney
Chancel Choir

SERMON
Listen
David Hailey

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT, 83
Arise, Your Light Has Come...................................................... Festal Song

*OFFERTORY PRAYER
Marsha Hutzler, Fellowship Sunday School Class

OFFERTORY
A Star............................................................................................ Pepper Choplin
Adult Ensemble

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

*BENEDICTION

*CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

POSTLUDE
Concerto in D Minor................................................................. Bach/Vivaldi
Patty Pace, organ
*Those who are able may stand with minister.

Our pianist today is Lisa Moxley.
**Weekly Opportunities**

**Sunday, December 6—Second Sunday of Advent**

- **9:45 AM**  Sunday School
- **11:00 AM**  Morning Worship
- **4:00 PM**  HBBC Girls Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- **5:00 PM**  24 Youth Choir Hanging of the Greens Rehearsal (Choir Room)
- **5:15 PM**  Preschool and Children’s Choir Call Time
- **6:00 PM**  Hanging of the Greens (Sanctuary)
- **7:00 PM**  Cookie Fellowship and Reception (Fellowship Hall)

**Monday, December 7**

- **6:00 AM**  Early Risers—Women (FLC-Gym)
- **10:30 AM**  Ministers Planning Meeting (Conference Room)
- **11:00 AM**  Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
- **5:00 PM**  Finance Committee Meeting (Conference Room)
- **5:30 PM**  Evening Fitness Class (FLC-Gym)
- **6:00 PM**  Personnel Committee Meeting (Conference Room)
- **6:30 PM**  Cub Scout Den Meetings
- **7:00 PM**  HBBC Junior Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- **7:30 PM**  Boy Scouts Troop Meeting (Rm. 10)
- **8:00 PM**  HBBC Member’s Fellowship Basketball (FLC-Gym)

**Tuesday, December 8**

- **6:00 AM**  Early Risers-Men (FLC-Gym)
- **7:00 AM**  Yost Men’s Bible Study (Conference Room)
- **10:00 AM**  Painting with Lorraine (FLC-Student Lounge)
- **12:00 PM**  Lunch Express (FLC-Gym)
- **12:30 PM**  AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-College Classroom)
- **5:30 PM**  HBBC Ladies’ Basketball (FLC-Gym)
- **7:00 PM**  HBBC Freshmen Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- **7:00 PM**  Deacon’s Meeting (Danielson Classroom)

**Wednesday, December 9**

- **6:00 AM**  Early Risers—Women (FLC-Gym)
- **11:00 AM**  Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
- **5:00 PM**  Recreation for Children (FLC-Gym)
- **6:00 PM**  Family Christmas Celebration
- **6:00 PM**  Handbell Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- **6:00 PM**  Taste for Truth Bible Study (FLC-College Classroom)
- **6:00 PM**  Youth Discipleship
- **6:10 PM**  The Gathering: Revelation Study (Fellowship Hall)
- **7:00 PM**  Senior Boys Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- **7:15 PM**  Chancel Choir Express (ends at 7:40 pm-Choir Room)
- **7:15 PM**  Kids Express (Gym and Nursery Suite)
- **7:15 PM**  Chancel Choir Rehearsal (ends at 8:40 pm-Choir Room)

**Thursday, December 10**

- **6:00 AM**  Early Risers-Men (FLC-Gym)
- **10:00 AM**  Tai Chi (FLC-Student Worship)
- **10:00 AM**  Movers and Shakers Trip
- **12:00 PM**  Lunch Express (FLC-Gym)
- **12:30 PM**  AA Epiphany Group Meeting (Danielson Classroom)
- **3:00 PM**  Stephen Ministry Meeting (Conference Room)
- **5:30 PM**  Evening Fitness (FLC-Gym)

**Friday, December 11**

- **6:00 AM**  Early Risers—Women (FLC-Gym)
- **6:30 PM**  HBBC Junior Boys Basketball Game (FLC-Gym)
- **6:30 PM**  HBBC Freshmen Boys Basketball Game (at Cary)

**Saturday, December 12**

- **7:30 AM**  Early Risers-Men (FLC-Gym)
- **8:00 AM**  AA Saturday Group (FLC-College)
- **11:00 AM**  HBBC Senior Boys Basketball Game (at Trinity)

**Sunday, December 13—Third Sunday of Advent**

- **8:30 AM**  SONShine in the Park (Moore Square, Raleigh)
- **8:30 AM**  Stephen Minister Continuing Education (Conference Room)
- **9:45 AM**  Sunday School
- **11:00 AM**  Morning Worship
- **2:30 PM**  HBBC Girls Basketball Game (at Cary)
- **6:00 PM**  Youth Discipleship
WELCOME VISITORS
We are honored by your presence this morning. Please record your attendance on the Friendship Pad when it is passed to you. Guests are encouraged to provide complete information for further contact. We also encourage all visitors to stop by the Visitor Welcome area in the Narthex immediately following the worship service.

ENTER TO WORSHIP
This is a holy hour. We invite you to enter this sanctuary with joy and reverence. We invite members and visitors to be seated near the front of the sanctuary to enhance our sense of community in worship. When you have taken your seat, spend a few moments in quiet reflection as you prepare your heart for worship. If the service has already begun, please enter quietly by one of the side aisles. Please remember to turn off all cell phones and pagers.

RESOURCES FOR HEARING AND/OR VISUAL IMPAIRMENT
Hearing assistance devices and large print hymnals are available for those who have such need. Please see an usher for more information.

BECOME A MEMBER OF HAYES BARTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Those who desire to join our church may come forward to where the pastor is standing during the Hymn of Commitment. If you would like to meet with a minister before making this decision, any of our ministers would be happy to answer your questions.

FOR CHILDREN DURING WORSHIP
Nursery Care: Birth-3 (Nursery Suite Area)
Extended Session: Ages 4-5 (Following Sunday School, this group visits the Sanctuary briefly for the Children’s Sermon.)
Children’s Church: For 1st-5th graders, 1st & 3rd Sundays. (Children leave at the designated time during worship and should be picked up in Rm.11 following worship).

ABOUT SUNDAY SCHOOL
On Sunday mornings at 9:45 a.m., we provide classes for all ages to enjoy Bible study and fellowship. Call the church office for more information.

TODAY’S EXTENDED SESSION HELPERS
Assistant: Brian and Katie Carroll; Infants: Betsy or Jimmy Patterson, Marie Abee, Hassan Elfaysal, Lori Elfaysal; Ones: Alex Miller, Emily Miller; Twos: Kate Hall, Bobby Hall; Threes: Rob Patton, Stephanie Patton; Fours: Toni Clegg, Kent Fullbright; Fives: Adam Holland, Lindsay Holland

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ABOUT TODAY’S WORSHIP

Today marks the second Sunday of Advent. Our worship theme for this season is “To See Jesus.” If we wish to see Jesus in this holy season we must take time to look, listen, obey, bow, and rejoice. Our advent wreath is being lit by members who have joined HBBC this year. We are thankful that God brought them to be part of our church family.

The roses on the pulpit are placed today to celebrate the birth of Matt and Jessica Currin’s daughter on November 26, and to celebrate the birth of Molly Wilson and Matthew Ramirez’s son on December 1, 2015, whose proud grandfather is Mark Wilson.

STEWARDSHIP: TOGETHER-TOGETHER

Our Stewardship 2016 Campaign has begun, and pledges are coming in. Please return your pledge card as soon as possible. You can find pledge cards in the rack near the church office, in the pew pad, or online at www.hbbc.org/stewardship2016.

ANGEL TREE 2015

Be an angel to someone in need this year! Our angel tree is up and decorated. Pick an angel and bring back the gift detailed on the back. Our angel tree benefits our Community Partners, so there is a wide variety of gift opportunities. You can also help wrap and distribute gifts! Find the info at www.hbbc.org/help_distribute_gifts/

HANGING OF THE GREENS--TONIGHT, 6:00 PM

This year our traditional “greening of the sanctuary” will have new energy with primary leadership coming from our children’s choirs and Youth Choir 24. Don’t miss this significant shift as our children and youth assume expanded roles and lead us in this inspiring event. Childcare will be available for children ages 2 and under, but parents are asked to pick up their children immediately after the service concludes. Following Hanging of the Greens, we will have a Cookie Reception in the Fellowship Hall.

ORDER YOUR POINSETTIAS--TODAY IS THE DEADLINE

Each Christmas we beautify our Sanctuary with poinsettias. The poinsettias cost $10 each, and you can order at www.hbbc.org or with the form in the pew pad or Happenings. A list of donors will be published. Today is the deadline for placing your order!

FAMILY CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Come join in some Christmas fun with your family and church friends on Wednesday, December 9th! We will share time together listening to stories, doing a family craft, completing a mission project and singing carols, all during our Music and Missions time. There will not be childcare provided. Please RSVP to Beth Kittler by December 7th.

YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY

Youth and their families are invited to party in the Fellowship Hall on December 20 at 6:00 p.m. Families of middle schoolers should bring a dessert, and families of high schoolers should bring a heavy appetizer. Also, wear your wackiest, tackiest Christmas costume. Prizes will be awarded. RSVP to Ward no later than December 13!

“TO SEE JESUS”--DECEMBER 20, 11:00 A.M.

A worship service led by our Chancel Choir and Orchestra. Through music and spoken word we will review the stories of individuals who “came to see” the new born baby. As we listen, we will hear the unceasing call of Christ: “Come to me all ye who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.” The service will include congregational singing, choral selections, instrumental features, and vocal solos.

SHOW THEM JESUS: 2015 HBBC CHRISTMAS MISSIONS OFFERING

Please be part of showing the world Jesus through our Christmas Missions offering this year. When you give to HBBC Missions, you help fill lives and bookbags, plant seeds of hope, send good news, share meals with our neighbors, and encourage people to continue to grow vocationally and spiritually. You can designate your gifts to HBBC Missions, the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, CBF Global Missions, or a combination of the three. Give by using one of the Christmas Missions Offering envelopes found in the pew pads or around the church, or by going to www.hbbc.org/give and choosing the fund you would like to apply your gift to. Help us reach our goal of $20,000.