

HAYES BARTON

— Baptist Church —



STEP UP
TO HIGHER GROUND

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HIGHER GIVING

February 5, 2017

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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Step Up to Higher Ground Sunday

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

*“You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid.
No one after lighting a lamp puts it under the bushel basket,
but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house.
In the same way, let your light shine before others,
so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.
Matthew 5:14-16*

PRELUDE

Allegro from Sonata in E Minor J.S. Bach
Patty Pace, Piano
Erin Munnelly, Flute
Jackson M., acolyte

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

David Hailey

CHORAL INTROIT

Spirit of the Living God..... Iverson/McKinney
Chancel Choir

INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAISE, 215

Rejoice, the Lord Is King DARWALL
Children come forward for the Children’s Sermon on the final stanza.

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Sarah Mears

*HYMN OF DEVOTION, 490

Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated..... HENDON

OFFERTORY PRAYER

David Hawkins, Danielson Sunday School Class

OFFERTORY

Gigue from Sonata in F G.F. Handel
Erin Munnelly, Flute
Patty Pace, Organ

SCRIPTURE READING AND PRAYER

Acts 20:25-38

(page 905 in the Pew Bibles)

Kristen Muse

MUSIC FOR MEDITATION

Lay Up Your Treasures in Heaven..... Pepper Choplin

Men's Quintet: Richard Austin, Ken Chambers, Larry Dickens,
Tyler Ingram, and Brandon Johnson

SERMON

Step Up to Higher Giving

Larry Hovis, Executive Coordinator of CBFNC

A TIME FOR COMMITMENT

Music for Meditation..... Joel Raney

Patty Pace, Piano

Erin Munnely, Flute

As the music is playing, we invite you to prayerfully consider how you will Step Up to Higher Ground in your giving to God through Hayes Barton Baptist Church. When you complete your Estimate of Giving card for 2017, please move to the front of the sanctuary and place your card in the church or on the communion table as your response to God's call. After you place your card, we encourage you to join us in the Family Life Center for our Celebration Luncheon.

CELEBRATION LUNCHEON

As you arrive in the Family Life Center, you will be directed to your table.

Parents, please pick up your children from Extended Session before the Luncheon.

Our meal today is a delicious chicken dish with sides. A separate meal has been prepared for children. A few special meals have been prepared for those with dietary restrictions. Please speak with your server if you have a special need.

Please begin eating when you arrive at your table. A blessing will be offered when all have gathered.

*Those who are able may stand with minister.

Our pianist today is Lucy Austin.

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5

- 9:45 AM Membership Matters (Rm. 106)
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Step Up to Higher Ground Sunday Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
- 11:15 AM Grace Church for All Nations Worship (Chapel)
- 5:00 PM Youth Choir (Rm. 118)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6

- 8:45 AM Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
- 9:45 AM Companions in Christ (FLC-200)
- 1:15 PM Soccer Shots (FLC-Gym)
- 1:15 PM Staff Meeting (Rm. 206)
- 2:30 PM Minister's Meeting (Conference Room)
- 5:30 PM Evening Fitness Class (FLC-Gym)
- 6:00 PM Boy Scout Court of Honor (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:30 PM Cub Scout Den Meetings
- 8:00 PM HBBC Member's Fellowship Basketball (FLC-Gym)

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7

- 7:00 AM Yost Men's Bible Study (Rm. 100)
- 8:30 AM Holy Yoga (FLC-Gym)
- 10:00 AM Senior Game Day (FLC-200)
- 10:00 AM Painting with Lorraine (FLC-201)
- 12:30 PM AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-200)
- 1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry (Rm. 101)
- 3:30 PM Soccer Shots (FLC-Gym)
- 5:00 PM HBBC Ladies Basketball (FLC-Gym)
- 6:00 PM Girl Scout Meetings
- 6:30 PM Junior Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8

- 8:45 AM Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
- 5:00 PM Family Night Fellowship Meal (Fellowship Hall)
- 5:30 PM Recreation with Kids (FLC-Gym)
- 6:15 PM Children's Music
- 6:15 PM The Gathering (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:15 PM Youth Discipleship (FLC-201)
- 7:00 PM Senior Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- 7:15 PM SPS Bible Study (Rm. 206)
- 7:15 PM Choir Express (Rm. 118)
- 7:15 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Rm. 118)
- 7:30 PM Wednesday Basketball Fellowship (FLC-Gym)

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9

- 12:30 PM AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-200)
- 5:30 PM Evening Fitness Class (FLC-Gym)
- 5:30 PM Step Up Ministry (FLC-201)
- 6:30 PM Freshman Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- 6:45 PM Family Life Center Council Meeting (Rm. 100)

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

- Segue Youth Choir Festival
- 8:00 AM AA Saturday Group (FLC-200)
- 8:00 AM Grace Church for All Nations (Chapel)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

- 8:15 AM SONShine in the Park (Moore Square, Raleigh)
- 9:45 AM Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Morning Worship (Sanctuary)
- 11:15 AM Grace Church for All Nations Worship (Chapel)
- 12:00 PM Children's Discipleship Class
- 1:00 PM Movers and Shakers to Louisburg College
- 3:30 PM Girls Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- 5:00 PM Handbell Rehearsal (Rm. 10)
- 6:00 PM Youth Discipleship (FLC-201)

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.

RESOURCES FOR HEARING IMPAIRMENT

Hearing assistance devices are available for those who have such need. Please see an usher for more information.

BECOME A MEMBER OF HBBC

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-2 (Nursery Suite Area)

Extended Session: Ages 3-5 (Following Sunday School, this group visits the Sanctuary briefly for the Children's Sermon.)

Children's Worship: For 1st-5th graders, 1st & 3rd Sundays during the school year. (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: Amie Ray; **Infants:** Gail Pulley, Susan Hailey, Elizabeth Turlington, Maggie Gordon, Vivian Hughes; **Ones:** Lori Elfaysal, Hassan Elfaysal; **Twos:** Katherine Teague, Kim Ray; **Threes:** Jeff Farris, Gena Ferris; **Fours:** Rankin Muse, Charles Hellwig; **Kindergarten:** Adam Holland, Lindsay Holland

WORSHIP LEADERS

Dr. David Hailey, Pastor drdhailey@hbhc.org
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ABOUT TODAY'S WORSHIP

Larry Hovis has been Executive Coordinator of CBF of North Carolina since 2004. Prior to his current position, Larry served as pastor of four congregations: The Memorial Baptist Church, Greenville, North Carolina; First Baptist Church, Mocksville, North Carolina; Bethlehem Baptist Church, Richmond, Virginia; and Washington Baptist Church, Washington, Virginia. While Hovis's particular strengths focus on leadership, stewardship, strategic planning, governance and organizational development, his passion is preaching and relating to Baptist congregations.

The rose on the pulpit is placed to celebrate the birth of Ken and Josie Thomas's grandson.

SEGUE SUNDAY-FEBRUARY 12

On February 12, Hayes Barton will host three youth choirs who are participating in the SEGUE festival at Campbell University Divinity School. The festival on February 11, climaxes with an evening concert in Butler Chapel at 6:30 PM on the Campbell campus. Eight choirs from across our state will participate. Choirs from First Baptist Church Smithfield and First Baptist Church Washington, NC will join our Youth Choir to lead in worship at Hayes Barton the following day at 11:00 AM. Our congregation is invited to attend the free concert at Campbell and join us in worship as the choirs conclude their weekend of singing, fellowship, and inspiration.

WOMEN'S RETREAT 2017

Join us at Caswell Retreat Center, March 3-5, 2017, as Ka'thy Gore Chappell leads us in a time of growth, fellowship and reflection. The cost for the retreat is \$175 for a double room; \$200 for a single room. The cost includes dinner on Friday night, three meals on Saturday, and breakfast on Sunday. A non-refundable deposit of \$75 is due in order to secure your room. The total balance will be due on February 15. Register now at www.hbbc.org/freshhope.

ASH WEDNESDAY - DRAWING FAITH INTO OUR DAILY LIVES

March 1st is Ash Wednesday and the beginning of the season of Lent, during which we symbolically prepare for the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus. Christians traditionally observe Ash Wednesday by wearing an ashen cross on their foreheads or right hands, symbolizing our need for God's grace. Not only does the cross inform others that we place our faith in Christ; it also invites conversations of faith into our daily routines. You are invited to come, worship and participate. More details will come soon.

CHILDREN'S DISCIPLESHIP CLASS

All children, 3rd-5th grade, are invited to participate in a Children's Discipleship Class February 12, 19, and 26 from 12:15-2:00 PM. We will learn about what it means to be a follower of Christ, as well as learn more about baptism, communion, and other important elements of our faith. Please RSVP to smears@hbbc.org today if your child would like to participate.

CALLING ALL RACERS!

Sign ups are now open for the Mission Fair and Car Race on Sunday, March 5. There are categories for both girls and boys (1st-5th grades), as well as alumni racers. Whether you raced last year, 10 years ago, or 30 years ago, we invite you to come back and compete! Please email Sarah at smears@hbbc.org or call the church office to sign up. Tickets are also available for the event for \$15 each (includes dinner). All proceeds from the event will go to support the youth group's summer mission trip to San Antonio.

SUMMER ARTS CAMP REGISTRATION IS OPEN

We are excited to offer an opportunity for preschool and grade school children to have a week of arts camp June 12-16. They will have the opportunity to explore different ways to express their creativity throughout the week, including special areas of emphasis like visual art, music, cooking, drama, recreation and more. For all the information and to register, go to www.hbbc.org/artcamp.