THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS

PENTECOSTAL MISSIONARY CHURCH
DECEMBER 30, 2018

Portraits of the King
PREPARING FOR WORSHIP

Praise the Lord!
Praise the Lord from the heavens; praise Him in the heights!
Praise Him, all His angels; praise Him, all His host!
Praise Him, sun and moon; praise Him, all you shining stars!
Praise Him, you highest heavens, and you waters above the heavens!
Let them praise the name of the Lord, for He commanded and they were created.
He established them forever and ever; He fixed their bounds,
which cannot be passed.

Psalm 148:1-6, NRSV

ORGAN PRELUDE

Prelude in Classic Style.................................................................................................. Gordon Young
Drew K., Acolyte

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Ward Page

*INTROIT

Doxology..................................................................................................................OLD 100TH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*INVOCATION AND LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN OF PRAISE, NO. 137

Sing We Now of Christmas..................................................................................FRENCH CAROL
(Children come down on the final stanza for children’s sermon.)

CHILDREN’S SERMON

Jessica McDougald

*HYMN NO. 150

As with Gladness Men of Old.................................................................................. DIX
SCRIPTURE READING AND PRAYER
1 Samuel 2:18-20, 26, NRSV
Luke 2:41-52, NRSV
(Pages 214, 833, and 834 in the Pew Bibles)
Sam Weeks, College Class

CHORAL PRAISE
At the Name of Jesus............................................................................................................. Cindy Berry
Chancel Choir

SERMON
The Pilgrim’s Gift
Ward Page

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT NO. 143
Go, Tell It on the Mountain .................................................................................................. GO TELL IT

*OFFERTORY PRAYER
Jacob Wells, College Class

OFFERTORY
Hark! Medley.........................................................................................................................arr. Bober
Lucy Austin, Piano

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

*BENEDICTION

*CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

*ORGAN POSTLUDE
Rejoice, the Lord is King!....................................................................................................... arr. Jason Payne

*Those who are able may stand with ministers and choir.
Our music leader today is Dr. Ran Whitley.
# WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

## SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30
- **9:45 AM** Sunday School
- **11:00 AM** Morning Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- **11:15 AM** Grace for All Nations (Chapel)

## MONDAY, DECEMBER 31
- **11:00 PM** Grace for All Nations New Year’s Eve Service (Chapel)

## TUESDAY, JANUARY 1 - NEW YEAR’S DAY (OFFICE CLOSED)
- **12:30 PM** AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-Rm. 201)

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 2
- **7:30 PM** Wednesday Basketball Fellowship (FLC-Gym)

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 3
- **8:30 AM** Bridge (FLC-Rm. 206)
- **12:30 PM** AA Epiphany Group Meeting (FLC-Rm. 201)
- **5:30 PM** Step-Up Ministry (FLC-Rm. 201)
- **5:30 PM** Evening Fitness (FLC-Gym)
- **6:30 PM** Scout District Leaders Meeting (Fellowship Hall)
- **6:30 PM** Pickleball (FLC-Gym)
- **8:00 PM** Senior Boys Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 4
- **6:30 PM** RBA Basketball Games (FLC-Gym)
- **7:00 PM** Grace for All Nations Bible Study (Chapel)

## SATURDAY, JANUARY 5
- **8:00 AM** AA Saturday Group (FLC-Rm. 200)
- **2:00 PM** TGCBA Basketball Games (FLC-Gym)

## SUNDAY, JANUARY 6
- **9:00 AM** Stewardship Committee Meeting
- **9:45 AM** Sunday School
- **9:45 AM** Membership Matters (Rm. 106)
- **11:00 AM** Children’s Worship (Rm. 11)
- **11:00 AM** Morning Worship Service (Sanctuary)
- **11:15 AM** Grace for All Nations (Chapel)
- **3:00 PM** Deacon Ordination (Sanctuary)
- **4:00 PM** Hosanna Dance Troupe (Fellowship Hall)
- **4:00 PM** Youth Mission Trip Informational Meeting (FLC-Rm. 201)
- **5:00 PM** Youth Choir (Rm. 118)
- **6:00 PM** Youth @ The Point (FLC-Rm. 201)

## MONDAY, JANUARY 7
- **9:00 AM** Fit Over Fifty (FLC-Gym)
- **5:30 PM** Evening Fitness (FLC-Gym)
- **6:30 PM** Freshman Basketball Practice (FLC-Gym)
- **6:30 PM** Cub Scout Den Meetings (Rm. 213)
- **7:30 PM** Boy Scout Troop Meeting (Rm. 30)
- **8:00 PM** HBBC Members’ Fellowship Basketball Night (FLC-Gym)
WELCOME VISITORS
We are honored by your presence this morning. We would love for you to record your attendance on the Friendship Pad when it is passed to you and provide information so that we can contact you further.

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 silence your cell phone.

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
Extended Session: Childcare is provided for birth-5 year olds during worship. Children ages 4-5 visit 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 are picked up in Room 11 following worship).
Worship Bags: Worship bags are available at all of the entrances to the Sanctuary to encourage children to participate in worship. Please return them as you leave worship.

ABOUT SUNDAY SCHOOL
On Sunday mornings at 9:45 AM, 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: Catherine Brett; Infants: Julie Jones, Dan Parrish, Dominique Parrish, Alice Moore, Sue Hodge; Ones: Bobby Hilgoe, Kitty Parker; Twos: Chase Welford, Stephanie Welford; Threes: Tommy Sherbert, Beth Sherbert; Fours: Jodi Dimond, Whitaker Hilgoe; Kindergarten: Rob Pulley, Kim Pulley

WORSHIP LEADERS
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ABOUT TODAY’S WORSHIP
Today's sanctuary flowers are given in honor of Mona Lomax Johnston and in loving memory of Mary Renn Forsyth, Mae Gupton Renn, Myrtle Whitby and Tess Lomax, by their family; Keven, Mary Beth, Nick and Brooke Johnston.

We welcome Ran Whitley to our service today. Dr. Whitley is Professor of Music Education at Campbell. He holds a Master of Divinity with Church Music and Doctor of Ministry from Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary and a PhD in Music Education from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. At Campbell he teaches courses in music education and music theory for the College of Arts and Sciences. He also teaches hymnody and Children’s music ministry courses for the Divinity School. He is an ordained Baptist minister and until recently served as minister of music at Macedonia Baptist Church, Cary, NC.
ANNUAL GIVING
It's such a busy time of year, we need to remind everyone that the last Sunday in December is today. Please be mindful of the dates provided below; we are going to be here to receive your end of year gifts for one more day.
If you plan to hand deliver your gift, the church office will be open Monday, December 31.
If you plan to mail your gift, it must be postmarked on or before Monday, December 31.
If you plan to give online, it can be made until a few minutes before midnight on Monday, December 31.
If you want to give by text, text to THIS number: 73256 with the message “HBBC $your gift amount”.
Your gifts make a difference.

CHRISTMAS MISSIONS OFFERING
Please be part of showing the world Jesus through our Christmas Missions offering this year. The Christmas Missions offering is an opportunity to bless the world through giving. You can designate your gifts to HBBC Missions, the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, CBF Global Missions, or a combination of the three. Give using one of the Christmas Missions Offering envelopes or online at www.hbbc.org/give and choosing the fund you would like to apply your gift to. Help us reach our goal of $25,000. So far, HBBC has given $18,699.29 to the Christmas Missions Offering this year.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS BEGINS JANUARY 6
Membership Matters is a 5-session class that meets during Sunday School to provide newcomers perspectives on living in faith at HBBC. This class is open to all visitors and new members alike. To sign up, please contact our church office at (919) 833-4617 or celler@hbbc.org.

SCHOOL OF MUSIC REGISTRATION
Registration has opened for Spring 2019 School of Music lessons. Lessons are available for piano, guitar, voice, flute, oboe, brass and more. To find out more about School of Music, or to register, go to www.hbbc.org/schoolofmusic.

WOMEN’S RETREAT
The 2019 Abide Women’s Retreat will be February 15-16, 2019 at the Rizzo Center in Chapel Hill. The retreat cost includes dinner on Friday night, breakfast and lunch on Saturday, snacks and lodging at the beautiful Rizzo Conference Center, and all retreat costs. The cost is determined by the number of ladies in a room: $325 (single); $250 (double); $225 (triple). You can also join us for Saturday only for a reduced rate of $100/person. There will also be an optional dinner outing on Saturday (cost not included) and Bed & Breakfast for the second night (Sat): $200 for single; $110 double; $80 triple. There is a $75 non-refundable deposit due by Monday, January 7; after that the price increases $25 per person. Register at www.hbbc.org/abideretreat and pay online at www.hbbc.org/give or turn in your check to the church office with Women’s Retreat in the memo line. Don’t let cost stop you from attending! Sponsorships are available. If you can’t attend this year’s retreat, consider helping someone else attend. Contact Kristen Muse (kmuse@hbbc.org) for sponsorship information.

2019 ROOTED IN STRENGTH FITNESS CHALLENGE
HBBC's three-month fitness challenge is coming soon to help you stay motivated through the new year (January 1-March 31). The church wide goal this year is to track 85,000 minutes of exercise. There will be two prizes given away this year. One for the person with the most minutes exercised and another for anyone that maintains or loses weight during the three month challenge. Contact David Keel (dkeel@hbbc.org) to sign up!

FELLOWSHIP DINNER GROUPS
We are forming new Fellowship Dinner Groups which will begin meeting in January, and throughout 2019 once a month for fun, food and fellowship. Groups meet in restaurants chosen by the member in charge of the month. It is a great opportunity to meet other church members. If you would like to be in a dinner group, make sure to sign up in your Sunday School Class, at www.hbbc.org/dinner, or contact Marilynn Nations at (919) 665-0459.

FAMILY NIGHT RESUMES
Family Night activities resume on Wednesday, January 9. Join us for dinner at 5:00 PM followed by open gym at 5:30 PM and children's choirs at 6:15 PM. Let's kick off the new year together!

DEACON ORDINATION
Mark January 6 at 3:00 PM on your calendar, and plan to be part of this special service as we will ordain and install our new Deacons who begin their three year service in 2019. What a special time it will be in the life of the church!