

Midweek@Highlands

Last session of 2016!

Join us for a delicious meal, warm fellowship and intriguing study!

New Members

Chad & Celeste Adams
Dan & Laurel Boyd
Chase Carroll & Kaylee Kaiser
Madison Dixon
David & McKenzie Henry
Harry & Sherri Hill
Nathan Hill
John & Karen Thomas

Whit & Shelley Hughes
Johan Kim
Adam Kowalczyk
Betty Lutz
Bill & Jackie Paine
Alan & Paula Perry
Stephen & Della Sellers

Communicants

Molly Street Elkins
Jacob Dew
Paxton Hughes
Phillip Hughes

Jane Bradley Madden
John Whit Snopek
Jake Veazey
Hughey Williford

Youth Ministry

If you have any questions or want to get plugged in to a program or an event, contact Billy or Devin. All weekly programs are open to visitors and take place in the Youth building behind the church (we call it "The U"). Jr. High and Sr. High meet at the same time and place, but have separate programs. Come join us!

All Youth

- Small Groups tonight, 5-7 p.m.
 - Food tonight: Susan Williford, Beth Tice, Bo and Joanna Miller
 - Nov. 13: Last Small Groups, students eat out with their group
- Youth Group – Wednesday: 6-7:30pm at The U
- Nov 19: Dudes Disc Golf + Mugshots (Dads are invited!), 9am-12:30pm at Pelahatchie Shore Park at the Rez. No experience or equipment needed. Bring \$ for lunch

SrHi Events

- TONIGHT: 4 pm (before Small Groups) - 2017 Yakama Commitment Meeting. Info at hpcym.org.
- Jan. 13-16, 2017: Graduating Senior Retreat – Ridge Haven Retreat Center, Brevard, NC.
- July 15-22: Yakama Mission Trip – Yakama Indian Reservation, WA

JrHi Events:

- Nov 19: Girls Watercolor Painting Class, 2-4pm at The U. 10 spots available - \$5 Deposit to reserve your spot is due to Jennifer Wolfe (601-850-6695) by 11/6. Total Cost = \$25.

Go to hpcym.org for the full youth calendar and other important information!

Sr. High Coordinator - Billy Meenan: billy@highlandspca.org

Sr. High Assistant Coordinator - Mary Moore: mary@highlandspca.org

Jr. High Coordinator - Devin Kahan: devin@highlandspca.org

Jr. High Assistant Coordinator - Jennifer Wolfe: jennifer@highlandspca.org

Announcements

Gluten-free Communion Bread is served to those seated on the east (piano) side of the sanctuary.

Officers' Meetings This Evening: The Diaconate will meet at 5:30 and the Session at 7:00.

Yakama Mission Trip Commitment meeting this evening at 4:00 p.m.: More information is available at hpcym.org/yakama.

Officer Nominations November 6 - December 31: Nominations of men to officer training and potential election to the office of Elder or Deacon will be accepted beginning Sunday, November 6. Nomination forms are available in the Atrium.

College Lunch Sunday November 20: College students, mark your calendars for lunch after church Sunday, November 20. Place TBD.

A Highlands Family Christmas: Join us on Sunday, November 27, from 5:00-7:00 p.m. as we begin the Christmas season together. The evening offers a variety of activities including a bonfire and hayride behind the church. A chili cook-off and hot dog supper will be shared with homemade Christmas cookies for dessert. After supper, the children will share a Christmas Program with us ~ *Breaking News! A Child is Born.*

Matches for MadCAAP November 12: Help us raise money for MadCAAP at Ridgeland Tennis Center November 12 from 8:30 a.m. until 12 noon. Highlands' first-ever tennis tournament will feature Men's and Women's Doubles teams. Please email Devin Kahan at devin@highlandspca.org for more information.

MadCAAP Thanksgiving Food Drive: Help provide Thanksgiving dinner for families in need in Madison County. Highlands is collecting **750 boxes of stuffing mix** for MadCAAP (Madison Countians Allied Against Poverty). Please place your donation (regular-size boxes) in the bins in the Atrium or the Fellowship Hall lobby now through next Sunday, November 13.

Save the Date!

November 9 ~ Midweek ends for the semester
November 27 ~ A Highlands Family Christmas
December 4 ~ Women's Christmas Event
December 6 ~ Christmas Caroling at The Waterford
January 20-21, 2017 Women's Retreat, The Country Place Retreat, Moscow, TN

Nursery Volunteers Today

Brad Tisdale
Brad Madden
Kacie Ratliff
Sarah Thomas
Scott Jones

Sara Tisdale

Ben Gladd
Reed Hogan
Laura Lee Beavers

Nursery Volunteers Next Sunday

Nikki Gladd
Lacey Madden
Meghan Luter
Bryan Thomas
McKenzie Henry

Highlands Presbyterian Church Financial Update

Year-end giving is vital to the ongoing ministry of Highlands Presbyterian Church. Up to 40% of our annual giving is received in the 4th Quarter of the Calendar Year.

General Fund, Budget 2016	\$ 1,697,707
General Fund, Received Year to Date	\$ 1,128,551
Giving Needed to Meet Budget by End of Year	\$ 569,156

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Highlands

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*A redeemed community
reaching out at the intersections
of life and culture.*

November 6, 2016

International Day of Prayer for the Persecuted Church

Morning Worship ~ 10:50 a.m.

Sunday School ~ 9:30 a.m.

Order for the Worship of God

November 6, 2016

Welcome

The Call to Worship

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And with your spirit.

Pastor: Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been sacrificed!

People: Come, let us keep the feast!

I Corinthians 5:7-8

We Praise Our Lord in Song

Lead On, O King Eternal

Ernest W. Shurtleff/Henry T. Smart

Lead on, O King eternal, the day of march has come;
Henceforth, in fields of conquest Thy tents shall be our home.
Through days of preparation Thy grace has made us strong;
And now, O King eternal, we lift our battle song!

Lead on, O King eternal, till sin's fierce war shall cease,
And holiness shall whisper the sweet amen of peace.
For not with swords loud clashing, nor roll of stirring drums;
With deeds of love and mercy, the heavenly kingdom comes.

Lead on, O King eternal, we follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning where'er Thy face appears.
Thy cross is lifted o'er us, we journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest; lead on, O God of might.

Jesus, with Thy Church Abide

Thomas B. Pollock/Christopher Miner

Jesus, with Thy church abide,
Be her Savior, Lord, and Guide,
While on earth her faith is tried:
We beseech Thee, hear us!

Arm her soldiers with the cross,
Brave to suffer toil or loss,
Counting earthly gain but dross:
We beseech Thee, hear us!

May she holy triumphs win,
Over-throw the hosts of sin,
Gather all the nations in:
We beseech Thee, hear us.

The Presentation of New Members and Communicants

The names of our new members are listed on the reverse.

The Morning Prayer

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Jacob Dew

We Bring God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory: Kyrie Eleison Matt Redman, Matt Maher, Jason Ingram, Chris Tomlin

*Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy, hear our cry and heal our land,
Let kindness lead us to repentance, bring us back again.*

*For Your name is great and Your heart is grace, Kyrie Eleison!
Over all You reign; You alone can save. Kyrie Eleison!
Lord, have mercy, Christ, have mercy on us now.*

*Who is this God who pardons all our sin, so ready to forgive?
You delight to show Your mercy.*

The Scripture Lesson

Revelation 6:9-11

We Receive God's Word

The Rev. Joseph Wheat

“It's Not Over”

The Communion Hymn

Alas, and Did My Savior Bleed?

Isaac Watts/Ralph Hudson

Alas, and did my Savior bleed, and did my Sovereign die?
Would He devote that sacred Head, for such a worm as I?

Was it for crimes that I have done, He suffered on the tree?
Amazing pity, grace unknown, and love beyond degree!

But drops of grief can ne'er repay the debt of love I owe,
Here, Lord, I give myself away, 'tis all that I can do.

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy
Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was
crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose
again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right
hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the
quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the
communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Church's One Foundation

Samuel J. Stone/Brian Moss

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord;
She is His new creation by water and the Word;
From heav'n He came and sought her to be His holy bride;
With His own blood He bought her and for her life He died.

The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord to defend,
To guide, sustain, and cherish, is with her to the end.
Though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,
Against or foe or traitor she ever shall prevail.

Yet she on earth hath union with God, the Three in One;
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won.
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we
Like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with Thee.

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

William Williams/Jeremy Casella

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land;
I am weak, but Thou art mighty; hold me with Thy pow'rful hand;
Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong Deliv'rer, be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
Death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side;
Songs of praises, I will ever give to Thee.

For All the Saints

William Walsham How/Christopher Miner

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be forever blessed. Alleluia! Allelu!

Thou wast their Rock, their Fortress, and their Might;
Thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light. Alleluia! Allelu!

For Martyrs, who with rapture-kindled eye,
Saw the bright crown descending from the sky,
And seeing, grasped it, Thee we glorify! Alleluia, Allelu!

O may Thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
Fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
And win with them the victor's crown of gold. Alleluia, Allelu!

But lo! There breaks a yet more glorious day;
The saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of glory passes on His way! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We Respond in Prayer and Praise

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Thomas Ken/*Geistliche Kirchengesänge*

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost;
O praise Him, O praise Him,
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

We Are Sent Forth

The Benediction

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