



Hudson Memorial
Presbyterian Church (USA)



To know, love, and serve God in Jesus Christ

Youth Arts Sunday - March 15, 2026



Fourth Sunday of Lent

Service for the Lord's Day

March 15, 2026

We Gather to Worship

People's Preparation

"The important thing is, not what they think of me, but what I think of them." - Queen Victoria

Prelude

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

arr. Keveren

Welcome

Marguerite Serrine

*Please sign the Friendship Pad, passing it down the pew and then back to the center aisle.
Guests, we invite you to share your contact information.*

Congregational Introit #701

Lord Prepare Me (Sanctuary)

Lead by the HMPC Youth Ensemble - The congregation may stay seated and sing along.

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary,
pure and holy, tried and true.
With thanksgiving, I'll be a living
sanctuary for you.

Call to Worship*

Jack McHenry

One: The Lord is my shepherd. There is nothing I lack.

Many: God guides me in proper paths for the sake of God's good name.

One: God bathes my head in oil; my cup is so full it spills over!

Many: Yes, God's goodness and faithful love will pursue me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Opening Hymn #300*

We Are One in the Spirit

HYMNS CAN BE FOUND AT THE END OF THIS DOCUMENT.

Sacrament of Baptism

Charlotte Rose Feurer
Child of Jordan and Greyson Feurer

Congregational Response #482

Baptized in Water (verse 1)

BUNSESSAN

Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,
cleansed by the blood of Christ our King;
heirs of salvation, trusting the promise,
faithfully now God's praises we sing.

Congregational Response #188 *Jesus Loves Me! (verse 1)*

Jesus loves me! This I know,
for the Bible tells me so.
Little ones to him belong.
They are weak, but he is strong.
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me!
The Bible tells me so.

We Repent & Seek Forgiveness

Call to Confession

Marguerite Serrine

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

O Holy One, we call to you and name you as eternal, ever-present, and boundless in love. Yet there are times, O God, when we fail to recognize you in the dailyness of our lives. Sometimes fear makes us small, and we miss the chance to speak from our strength. Sometimes doubt invades our hopefulness, and we degrade our own wisdom. Holy God, in the daily round from sunrise to sunset, remind us again of your holy presence hovering near us and in us. Free us from shame and self-doubt. Help us to see you in the moment-by-moment possibilities to live honestly, to act courageously, and to speak from our wisdom. Amen. *(Silence)*

Assurance of Pardon

Gloria Patri #581*

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.

Passing of the Peace*

HMPC Youth

One: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Many: And also with you.

Please offer a sign of Christ's peace to those around you.

We Hear God's Word

First Lesson

1 Samuel 16:1-13

OT. p 259; Kessler Dickerson

Anthem

You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)
Youth Ensemble

Imboden, Rhoton

Please feel free to sing along if you know the song.

VERSE

You are holy (You are holy)
You are mighty (You are mighty)
You are worthy (You are worthy)
Worthy of praise (worthy of praise)
I will follow (I will follow)
I will listen (I will listen)
I will love You (I will love You)
All of my days (all of my days)

CHORUS

I will sing to (You are Lord of lords)
And worship (You are King of kings)
The King who (You are mighty God)
Is worthy (Lord of everything)
I will love and (You're Emmanuel)
Adore Him (You're the great "I Am")
And I will bow down (You're the Prince of Peace)
Before Him (who is the Lamb)
I will sing to (You're the living God)
And worship (You're my saving grace)
The King who (You will reign forever)
Is worthy (You are ancient of days)
And I will love and (You are Alpha, Omega)
Adore him (beginning and End)
And I will bow down (You're my Savior, Messiah)
Before Him (redeemer, and friend)
You're my Prince of Peace,
And I will live my life for You.

ENDING

You're my Prince of Peace,
And I will live my life for You.

Prayer of Illumination

Marguerite Sirriner

Second Lesson

John 9:1-41

NT p. 102

Sermon

"Fulfilling for Whom?"

Marguerite Sirriner

We Respond in Faith

Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed (Unison)*

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.

Invitation to the Offering

Gus Tweedie

Offertory

I Got Shoes
Youth Handbells

Spiritual, arr. S. E. Rogers

To make an online offering to HMPC, we invite you to use this QR code:



Doxology #606*

OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Youth Ministry

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

We Bear and Follow the Word into the World

Closing Hymn #319*

Shout to the North
Verse 1, Verse 2, Bridge, Chorus, Verse 3, Coda ending
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Benediction*

Marguerite Serrine

Congregational Response 600*

Amen

Spiritual

Postlude

Toccata

Percy Fletcher

**Rise, in body or spirit*

Welcome

We are delighted you have joined us for worship today! Following the service, we invite you to a time of fellowship in Westminster Hall!

If you are a guest, we invite you to stop at one of the entryway tables for a gift bag and information about the church.

Worship Notes

Chancel flowers today are given by Claire & Jason Bond in celebration of Lou Bond's birthday. "Happy Birthday, Grandma Lou!" - Claire and Jason

Ushers today - Whitney Miller, Garrett Miller, Ellie Gatten, Jason Bond

Greeters today - Tripp Bradshaw, Roger Howard, Jeanna Gatten

Elder assisting with baptism today - Dan Vig

Blue prayer cards are available in the pew racks. If you are in need of prayer, you may fill out a card and put it in the offering plate.

Soundboard Operator - John Oldenburg | **Livestream Operator** - Bob Stowe

Deacon on Call (DOC) for March is Linda Meeks. If you are in need of prayer, comfort or assistance, please call the confidential Deacon Prayer line at 919-390-2688.

The Memorial Book today is open to memorial gifts given March 4, 2024: In memory of Dot Medlin by Elizabeth Circle and Carolyn Scott; In memory of Nancy Sinicki by Elizabeth Rankin, and John & Lucy Sinicki.

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A Little Child Shall Lead Them All - Glory to God #373 - Daw/Perry/Webb | *God Shall Fulfill the Promise - Glory to God* #109 - Perry/Hopson | *I Got Shoes* -American Spiritual, arr. Sharon Elery Rogers, (c) 1999 Jeffers Handbell Supply Inc. | *You Are Holy (Prince of Peace)*: Words & Music: Marc Imboden and Tammi Rhoton, (c) 1994 Imboden Music/Martha Jo Publishing, CCLI Song #2332149 | *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* arr. Keveren (c) 2011 Hal Leonard

Children & Their Families: Worship, Education & Helpful Hints

We enthusiastically welcome all children to HMPC! The comfort and security of children are our highest priority.

- **Nursery for infants, toddlers, and twos** is located on the north end of the first floor and is available from 9:15-12:15 today. Please sign in your child with one of our childcare workers. Staff are HMPC employees and experienced childcare professionals, and our nursery wing has its own security system.
- **We welcome all families to begin Worship together in the Sanctuary.** Please sign in children at the back of the Sanctuary near the Children's Worship Area and ensure each child is wearing his/her lanyard or a nametag. Following the Children's Message, all children age 3 years through 4th grade are welcome to go with the Children's Ministry volunteers to Sunday School.

Easter Lilies Available to Order!



Lilies may be dedicated in honor or in memory of a loved one. Each plant is \$15. Order forms are available at Sanctuary entrances or by scanning the QR code. You can put your order slip in the offering plate or in the mailbox of Lesley Ash Jacobsen in the Karl Hudson Room. The lilies may be picked up after the worship service on Easter Sunday.

What's Happening at Hudson



March 18 and 25 - Lenten Suppers & Services - 6:00 supper | 6:30 service
Led by the Deacons, as well as Rev. Jimmy Hulsey on Wednesday, March 18



March 22nd - Congregational Meeting to Elect Officers - After worship



March 29th - Palm Sunday - 10:30am Worship in the Sanctuary



April 2nd - Maundy Thursday - 7:00pm Worship in the Sanctuary



April 5th - Easter Sunday - 9:00 and 11:00am Worship in the Sanctuary



April 19th - Preschool Sunday - 10:30am Worship in the Sanctuary



April 25 - Habitat Build Work Day - More details in the Weekly Window

March Special Offerings - PCM

For March and April, our Special Offering and Tend My Sheep collection will support Presbyterian Campus Ministries (PCM). HMPC is a partner congregation of PCM, and we are proud to help sustain their vital outreach to students at NC State.



PCM provides a welcoming community where students gather for weekly meals, fellowship, and meaningful connection - offering both spiritual support and a safe place to belong. You can make a monetary donation by scanning the QR code, or going to hmhc.org.

For **Tend My Sheep**, we will be collecting gas cards and snacks for the PCM student lounge. Their most requested items include peanut butter crackers, cheese crackers, Gatorade, fruit snacks, pretzels, Capri Sun pouches, and individual iced coffees.

Our Mission Statement

To Know, Love and Serve God in Jesus Christ

Our Vision

We seek to welcome with the love of Christ, trust in the grace of Christ, and grow with the help of Christ.

Our Core Values

Worship, Generosity, Service, Nurture, Education & Gratitude

Session

Glenn Schindo, Clerk

Marguerite Serrine, Moderator

Class of 2026

Ken Krause
Caroline Smart
Dan Vig
John Williams

Class of 2027

Harry Bowles
Steve Guy
Don Haydon
Grace Hutchinson

Class of 2028

Barry Cobb
Jay Cummins
John James
Elizabeth Peeler

Deacons

Class of 2026

Winter Fox
Judie Greenawalt
Jill Hovis
Linda Meeks, Moderator
Mary Schindo

Class of 2027

Jeffrey Coonse
Gil Graybill
Caroline Rohs
Lisa Williams
Fred Woodward

Class of 2028

Jenn Autry
Nancy Eyre
Joanna Hulsey
Hope Parangi
Iva Stowe

HMPC Staff

Marguerite Serrine..... Transitional Pastor & Head of Staff
Aleta Ash Minister of Visitation
Hunter Cox..... Organist
Cary Dickerson..... Director of Children’s Ministry & Staff Liaison to Youth Ministry
Erica Hairston..... Business Manager
Joyce Hawkins Assistant Preschool Director
Lesley Ash Jacobsen..... Communications Manager
Barbara Loehr-Fox..... Director of Music Ministries
Hope Parangi Church Hostess
Dorothy Roche Preschool Director
Hannah Woodcock..... Administrative Coordinator



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We Are One in the Spirit 300

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

Capo 1: (Em) (Bm) (Em)
Fm Cm Fm



1 We are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord;
2 We will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand;
3 We will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side;
4 All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,

(Am) (Em)
B^bm Fm



we are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord,
we will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand,
we will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side,
and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,

(Am) (Em)
B^bm Fm



and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:
and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land:
and we'll guard hu - man dig - ni - ty and save hu - man pride:
and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:

Refrain (C) (Em)
D^b Fm



And they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love, by our

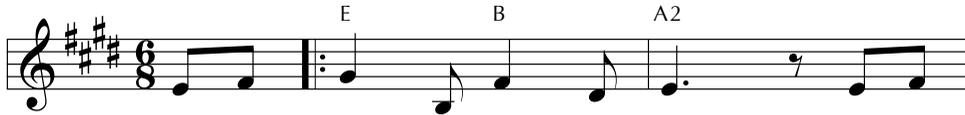
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B^bm Fm B^bm Cm Fm B^bm/F Fm



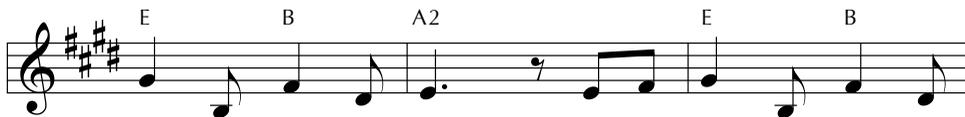
love; yes, they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love.

319 Men of Faith, Rise Up and Sing

Shout to the North



1 Men of faith, rise up and sing of the
 (2 Rise up,) wom - en of the truth. Stand and
 (3 Rise up,) church, with bro - ken wings; fill this



great and glo - rious King. You are strong when you feel
 sing to bro - ken hearts who can know the heal - ing
 place with songs a - gain of our God who reigns on



weak; in your bro - ken - ness, com - plete.
 power of our awe - some King of love.
 high; by God's grace a - gain we'll fly.

Chorus



Shout to the north and the south; sing to the



east and the west. Je - sus is Sav - ior to all, Lord of heav - en and



earth. 2 Rise up, earth.
 3 Rise up,

THE CHURCH

Bridge

C#m A

We've been through fire; we've been through rain;

C#m A

we've been re - fined by the power of your name.

C#m A

We've fall - en deep - er in love with you.

A Bsus B to Chorus

You've burned this truth on our lips.

Ⓢ Coda E A B Repeat as desired E

earth. He is Lord of heav - en and earth.