

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

HOPEWELL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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Day of Pentecost
May 24th, 2026 | 10:30 am Worship Service

§ Invites you to rise in body or spirit with the people of God.

As fallen people, we must be called from our worship of the created and focus on the proper worship of the Creator.

-WE GATHER TO PRAISE -

§ CALL TO WORSHIP

LITURGIST

One: The Holy Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs of God. Fellow heirs with Christ, come and bow your hearts to the Father and worship him.

-based on Romans 8:16-17

§ HYMN OF PRAISE

FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

HYMN 239

Verse 1 **For the beauty of the earth,
for the glory of the skies,
for the love which from our birth
over and around us lies;**

Refrain **Lord of all, to Thee we raise
this our hymn of grateful praise.**

Verse 2 **For the beauty of each hour
of the day and of the night,
hill and vale, and tree and flow'r,
sun and moon, and stars of light;**

Verse 3 **For the joy of human love,
brother, sister, parent, child,
friends on earth and friends above,
for all gentle thoughts and mild;**

Verse 4 **For each perfect gift of Thine,
to the world so freely giv'n
graces human and divine,
flow'rs of earth and buds of heav'n;**

Verse 5 **For Thy Church, that evermore
lifteth holy hands above,
off'ring up on ev'ry shore
her pure sacrifice of love;**

Verse 1

Great is Thy faithfulness,
O God my Father,
there is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not,
Thy compassions they Fail not;
as Thou hast been
Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain

Great is Thy faithfulness!
Great is Thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed Thy hand hath provided;
great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

Verse 2

Summer and winter,
and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon and stars in their courses above
join with all nature
in manifold witness
to Thy great faithfulness,
mercy and love.

Verse 3

Pardon for sin and a
peace that endureth,
Thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
strength for today
and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine,
with ten thousand beside!

§ CORPORATE PRAYER OF CONFESSION

As members of Christ's body, we confess the reality of sin and brokenness in personal and common life and ask for God's saving grace.

All: Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God.

A Moment of Silent, Personal Confession

One: Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin.

All: Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

§ ASSURANCE OF PARDON

§ RESPONSE TO PARDON

GLORIA PATRI

HYMN 614

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.

-WE SHARE OUR LIFE & GIFTS -

We pray for the world because God loves it. God created the world and cares for it. To abide in God's love is to share God's concern for the world. Our prayers should therefore be as specific as God's tender compassion for the least ones among us.

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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;
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.

OFFERTORY

§ RESPONSE TO GOD'S GOODNESS

DOXOLOGY

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 OF DEDICATION

- WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD -

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

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.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

ACTS 2:1-13

LITURGIST

**ONE THIS IS THE WORD OF THE LORD.
ALL THANKS BE TO GOD.**

DISMISSAL FOR JR. CHURCH

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON SCRIPTURE

ECCLESIASTES 3:1-15

REV. BRANDON JOLLEY

Through the sermon we encounter Jesus Christ in God's word, are equipped to follow Him more faithfully, and are inspired to proclaim the Gospel to others through our words and deeds.

- WE GO FORTH TO PROCLAIM -

§ CLOSING HYMN

WHATE'ER MY GOD ORDAINS IS RIGHT

C C/E F C/E G/B C Am F C/G G

1. What - e'er my God or-dains is right, His ho - ly will a - bid - eth;
 2. What - e'er my God or-dains is right, He nev - er will de-ceive me;
 3. What - e'er my God or-dains is right, Though now this cup in drink - ing
 4. What - e'er my God or-dains is right, Here shall my stand be tak - en;

C C/E F C/E G/B Am F C/E Fmaj7 G C

I will be still what-e'er He does And fol - low where He guid - eth.
 He leads me by the pro - per path, I know He will not leave me.
 May bit - ter seem to my faint heart, I take it all, un-shrink - ing.
 Though sor - row, need, or death be mine, Yet I am not for - sak - en.

Am F C/E C Am F G

He is my God, though dark my road; He holds me that I shall not fall;
 I take, con - tent, what He has sent; His hand can turn my griefs a - way;
 My God is true, each morn a - new Sweet com - fort yet shall fill my heart;
 My Fa - ther's care is 'round me there; He holds me that I shall not fall,

C F G Am Fmaj7 G(sus4) G C

And so to Him I leave it all, And so to Him I leave it all.
 And pa - tient - ly I wait His day, And pa - tient - ly I wait His day.
 And pain and sor - row shall de - part, And pain and sor - row shall de - part.
 And so to Him I leave it all, And so to Him I leave it all.

§ BENEDICTION

Mine eyes have seen the glory
of the coming of the Lord,
He is trampling out the vintage
where the grapes of wrath are stored
He hath loosed the fateful lightning
of His terrible, swift sword;
His truth is marching on.

Glory! Glory, Hallelujah!
Glory! Glory, Hallelujah!
Glory! Glory, Hallelujah!
His truth is marching on.

I have seen Him in the watchfires
of a hundred circling camps;
they have builded Him an altar
in the evening dews and damps;
I can read His righteous sentence
by the dim and flaring lamps.
His day is marching on.

He has sounded forth the trumpet
that shall never sound retreat,
He is sifting out the hearts
of men before His judgment seat;
O be swift, my soul, to answer Him;
be jubilant, my feet!
Our God is marching on.

**VETERANS AND ACTIVE SERVICE MEMBERS OF
HOPEWELL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

<u>NAME</u>	<u>BRANCH OF SERVICE</u>	<u>DATES</u>
GEORGE DOW	U.S. NAVY	1958-1977
ED HENRY	U.S. ARMY RESERVE	1968-1973
HOWARD KRAPF	U.S. ARMY & RESERVE	1955-1963
WILLIAM R. LIVERETT	U.S. ARMY	1961-1964
DAVID S. MILLER	U.S. ARMY	1957-1960
ROGER D. MULLINS	U.S. ARMY	1968-1971
STANLEY E. POE	U.S. ARMY	1958-1966
JOHN STEVENS	U.S. ARMY	1966-1970
JERRY TACKETT	U.S. AIR FORCE	1950-1954
KEN TEARMAN	U.S. AIR FORCE	1966-1969
FRANK WEAVER	U.S. MARINE CORPS	1958-1963
TODD CLAYTON	U.S. NAVY RESERVES	1987-2011
KELLY HENDERSON	AIR NATIONAL GUARD	2002-CURRENT
WIL H. TEARMAN	U.S. ARMY	CURRENT
ROSS SHILTS	U.S. ARMY	CURRENT
JAMES MARSTON	U.S. ARMY	CURRENT

IF YOUR NAME DOES NOT APPEAR ON THIS LIST, AND YOU HAVE SERVED IN THE MILITARY OR ARE CURRENTLY SERVING, PLEASE CONTACT KATHLEEN SPENCER AT KATHLEEN@HOPEWELLPC.ORG

VETERANS OF HOPEWELL

WAR OF 1812

JOSEPH COMBS
SIMON COVERT
GEORGE KERLIN
STEPHAN LUYSTER
WILLIAM MAGILL
TOM ROBARDS

BLACKHAWK WAR

DANIEL COVERT
AARON LAGRANGE
JOHN LIST
SAM MAGILL
GARRET VANDIVER

REBELLION OF 1861

T.W. ARMSTRONG
ISAAC BANTA
ISAAC COMBS
GEORGE COOK
WILLIAM EDDLEMAN
WILLIAM ELLIS
THOMAS FISHBACK
ELI P. HAYMAKER (CONFEDERATE)
PHILIP HAYMAKER
WILLIAM HAYMAKER
HIRAM HENDERSON
JOHN HENDERSON
HENRY KEPHART
H.H. LUYSTER
JOHN MCCARTY
JOHN RANSDALL
ABRAHAM RYKER
JOHN RYKER
MARTIN SCOTT
CORNELIUS SEBREON
W.H. UTTERBACK
C.D. VAN NUYS
SAMUEL WATSON VAN NUYS

KOREAN WAR

ROBERT BROWN
RICHARD CLARK
RONALD CLARK
BEN DAVENPORT
KENNETH FEWELL
PAUL FIELDS
RICHARD HENDERSON
DONALD HENDRICKS
EUGENE MAGGARD
TOM MATHENA
JOHN MOORE
DAVID MURRAY
TOMMY THOMPSON
DELFOORD WHITAKER

CUBAN CRISIS

JAMES BEDWELL

SPANISH AMERICAN WAR

CLARENCE COLLIER
JOSEPH ROBARDS

WORLD WAR I

KENNETH BLACKWELL
NORMAN COPE
HENRY DEMAREE
GORDON DUNN
HOWARD HEFLIN
RAYMOND KEGLEY
JOHN POTTENGER
HARVEY THOMPSON
RAY UTTERBACK
MARK VAN NUYS
DEWEY VERBRYCK
DON WYRICK
FREDERICK ROBBINS

VIETNAM WAR

GREGORY CARROLL
ROBERT HALL
RONALD HENDERSON
MARVIN PLUMMER
GILBERT O. SMITH
PAUL ERIC SOUTH
DAVID STONE
JACK TRUSTY
STEVE VICTORY

SERVED IN THE MILITARY

REX BALES - U.S. ARMY 1959-1961
FRED BURGESS - U.S. NAVY 1959-1962
LESTER BURTON - U.S. ARMY 1954-1959
WILLIAM WOODS - U.S. ARMY 1952-1954
HUGH CARTER - U.S. ARMY 1957-1960
DON ST. CLAIR - US ARMY 195 - 1962
ED ZEHR - US ARMY 1954 - 1956
BILL LESER - U.S. ARMY 1953 - 1955

WORLD WAR II

DON BECK
WORTH BENNETT
FRANK BANTA
JAMES H. BRIDWELL
LIFF BROWN
KENNETH CLARK
MORRIS CLARK
WILLIAM CLARK
LANSING DEER
WILLIAM W. DEMAREE
BYRON J. DEMING
NOBLE DENNIS
THEODORE DENNIS
DAVID DITMARS
KENNETH ELLIOT
JAMES GIDDINGS
LOWELL HAMILTON
CHARLES HENDERSON
VIVIENNE HENDERSON
WILBUR HENDERSON
JOE HENDRIX
ROLAND HENRY
JOE HICKS
DONALD HOLLIS
JOHN HOLLIS
KEN HUGHES
CORT KEGLEY
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ORAN PITCHER
NORMAN QUALKENBUSH
JOHN ROEDER
ROBERT M. RYKER
JOHN SCUDDER
PAUL HENRY SOUTH
LINDEL SUTTON
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LOREN WILHAM
WM. TED WYRICK

- ANNOUNCEMENTS -

THANK YOU: I want to share my deepest and sincerest thank you to the Sunday School and friends of Hopewell Presbyterian church. Your continued thoughts, prayers, check-ins, love and support have meant so much to me. I can't express enough how you all have helped me and Donna through this time. I appreciate each and everyone of you.

-Many thanks and blessings, Paul Harsch

VBS DESSERT SIGN UP SHEET: We are in need of desserts to go along with the provided meals for VBS. This is a great opportunity to lend a hand, if you are unable to help in person. The sign up sheet can be found in the side sanctuary.

VBS VOLUNTEER MEETING: There will be a quick meeting immediately following church service, Sunday, June 7th, to answer any questions and share last minute information for the volunteers of VBS.

FIFTH SUNDAY: All children (minus nursery) will be in service next Sunday, May 31st to allow children's ministry volunteers and for all children to be a part of service.

SUMMER SIGN-UPS: The summer sign up sheets for the children's ministry are out. Take a look and sign up for a date to help out in one of the rooms. Interested in volunteering? Reach out to Kathleen (kathleen@hopewellpc.org) with any questions.

THURSDAY MORNING STUDY AND PRAYER TIME: Thursday, at 9:30 am, in the pastor's study. We've just started a new study using Kevin DeYoung's book on the Heidelberg Catechism. The book's title is *The Good News We Almost Forgot*.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Saved, Experiencing the Promise of the Book of Acts by Nancy Guthrie. Sunday mornings at 9:30, downstairs in the back Fellowship Hall room.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Sam Yount, Paul Harsh, Kim Hamilton, Becky Wertz, Dave Pennington, Abby Dougherty Nusbaumer, Hannah McAdams, Ashley Kelly, Missionaries: Josh and Libby Auyer

HOMEBOUND: Clarellen Kelsay, Pat Mundorff, Becky Wertz, Richard Swaitek

MAY BIRTHDAYS: George Dow & Bill Liverett - 1st, Logan Howland - 3rd, Michelle Plummer - 4th, Libby Findley - 5th, Tammy Spencer - 6th, Sam Steinberg - 10th, Ron Kelsay - 17th, Nora Davidson & Rob Shilts - 18th, Jennifer Doty - 19th, Liane Pasborg - 22nd, Andrew Smith - 24th, Jetta-Bea Allender - 25th, Everett Spencer & Steve Yount - 27th

KIWANIS CLUB CONCERT: On June 13th the Greenwood Kiwanis Club will have their annual concert featuring the Retro Brothers at Martha St. Clair's home (4502 Moccasin Pl. Greenwood, 46142). As a thank you to all of their generous friends who have helped support Riley Hospital and other local programs for children, there will be hot dogs, chips, cookies, and water. Bring a lawn chair and a beverage of your choice; wear your red, white, and blue to celebrate 250 years and enjoy some music.

HOPEWELL SUMMER HANGOUTS: This summer Hopewell will be hitting three different spots to "hangout" and listen to some music (four if you count the Kiwanis concert...see info above). Meet us at the following places for an opportunity to get to know others of the church at local concerts.

June 4th - BIGG Country - Umbarger Plaza on Baldwin Street, Bargersville - 6:00-9:00 pm (concert begins at 7:00pm)

Welcome to Hopewell Presbyterian Church

Hopewell is a historic congregation rooted in the reformed tradition and the truth of the gospel, telling the story of Jesus to a modern world.

Core Values

Worship

We are committed to worship that connects us to the church in history and at the same time is accessible to our community today. We worship God together through reformed liturgy that is rich, accessible and emotionally honest. Through vibrant, expectant worship, we long for Jesus to become more beautiful.

Spiritual Formation

Growing in our relationship with Jesus does not come from determination or grit, but from embracing our dependence on Him. We seek to be a place where all are encouraged and equipped to be more like Jesus.

Community

As a gospel-transformed community, we seek to be a place of meaningful relationships marked by love, honesty, vulnerability, service and forgiveness.

Outreach

Because God has blessed us, we seek to serve and bless others in His Name.

Hospitality

As a people who have been welcomed in by the work of Christ, we extend the welcome of the gospel to members, visitors, and neighbors.

Interested in joining the Hopewell Family?

If you've been visiting and would like to make your membership official, the process is simple:

1. Schedule some time with Pastor Brandon so he can share with you the essentials of our faith, answer any questions you might have, and give you an opportunity to share your story and how God is working in your life.
2. Attend a brief meeting with elders from our church before worship on the Sunday you would like to join. This is an opportunity for you to introduce yourself and affirm your agreement with the essentials of the Christian faith.
3. Join us in worship so that we can welcome and pray for you.

ATTENDANCE: May 17th - 135; May Average - 131; YTD Avg.- 124

TO PONDER PRAYERFULLY

“Pentecost did not come and go –
Pentecost came and stayed.

Chronologically the day may be found on the historic
calendar; dynamically it remains with us in all its fullness
of power.”

– A.W. Tozer,
Tozer on the Holy Spirit: A 365-Day Devotional

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