

Welcome

to

Hanover Valley

We're glad that you're with us and we hope you'll find joyful worship that engages the heart and mind, genuine friendships, and a caring atmosphere. Feel free to take advantage of any of the opportunities offered here. If we can serve you or if you need anything today, simply speak to one of the ushers.

Please take a moment to fill out the tear off slip on the back cover of the bulletin and drop it in the offering plate when it is passed later in the service.

This bulletin contains all you'll need to follow the service. Just start on the next page and continue as the pastor leads, standing as indicated by the asterisk (*).

We invite you to stay for an informal refreshment time after the service - a great time to meet new friends.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday Morning Worship
April 11, 2010
8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

Prelude

Welcome & Call to Worship

***Songs of Praise**

He Is Exalted

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high; I will praise Him.

He is exalted, forever exalted, and I will praise His name!

He is the Lord; forever His truth shall reign.

Heaven and earth rejoice in His holy name.

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.

This Is the Gift of God

Because of His love, rich in mercy, He made us alive in him.

Saved us from death, rescued the sinners, this is the gift of God.

Chorus: Holy is the Lamb of God. Holy is the One who loved.

Not by works, but by His blood. This is the gift of God.

Before the creation, we were chosen, adopted into His love.

Glorious grace, lavished upon us, this is the gift of God.

Chorus

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Chorus (Repeat)

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Rescue

You are the source of life, I can't be left behind.

No one else will do, I will take hold of You.

Chorus: 'Cause I need You Jesus, to come to my rescue. Where else can I go?

There's no other name by which I am saved; capture me with grace.

I will follow You, I will follow You.

My heart is Yours for life, I need Your hand in mine.

No one else will do, I put my trust in You.

Chorus

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Dear Lord God, I can not count the sins I have done and still do. I have forgotten most of them and still feel my guilt. My works and my powers only make me hopeless. I do not know what else to do but to hope and pray for your mercy. As grace and faith control me, I am confident through Christ. Where these fail me, I know and confess that nothing good is left in me. My joy and comfort is that you, knowing these things, still accept me as righteous in your sight – not because of my works – but because of the work of Jesus, my Savior. Amen.

Private Confession

Words of Encouragement

1 John 1:8, 9

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

***Song of Christ**

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Church Life Announcements

Covenant of Baptism

(11:00 A.M.) Michael Daniel Summer

***Song of Praise**

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Scripture

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Sermon

A Sympathizing Savior

Pastor Drew Derreth

Offering & Special Music

Benediction

***Parting Song of Praise**

Mercies Anew

When I've fallen and strayed, there were mercies anew
for you sought me in love and my heart you pursued.
In the face of my sin, Lord, you never withdrew.
I will sing of your mercies anew.

Worship Musicians

Jess Stauffer — **Pianist**

Jimmy Lynn — **Guitarist**

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Mercies Anew

Ev'ry morning that breaks there are mercies anew.
Ev'ry breath that I take is your faithfulness proved.
And at the end of each day, when my labors are through,
I will sing of your mercies anew.

When I've fallen and strayed, there were mercies anew
for you sought me in love and my heart you pursued.
In the face of my sin, Lord, you never withdrew.
I will sing of your mercies anew.

And your mercies they will never end;
For ten thousand years they remain.
And when this world's beauty has passed away,
Your mercies will be unchanged.

And when the storms swirl and rage, there are mercies anew.
In affliction and pain, you will carry me through.
And at the end of my days when your throne fills my view,
I will sing of your mercies anew. I will sing of your mercies anew.

Rock of Ages

Rock of Ages, cleft for me let me hide myself in thee;
Let the water and the blood, from thy riven side which flowed,
be of sin the double cure, cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.

Not the labors of my hands can fulfil thy law's demands;
Could my zeal no respite know, could my tears for ever flow,
all for sin could not atone; Thou must save, and thou alone.

Nothing in my hand I bring, simply to thy cross I cling;
Naked, come to thee for dress, helpless, look to thee for grace;
Foul, I to the Fountain fly; wash me, Saviour, or I die.

While I draw this fleeting breath, when mine eyelids close in death,
When I soar to worlds unknown, see thee on thy judgment throne,
Rock of Ages, cleft for me, let me hide myself in thee.

Hanover Valley Bulletin Board

Parking During the Worship Service: *We're glad you've come this morning. We have prioritized our parking lot next to our building for guests, but there are a variety of locations less than a block away. Maps are on the table in the Great Room pointing out various locations nearby where you may be able to park on Sundays, as you come for worship. All public metered parking is free on Sundays.*

Kids Under Construction: *This is an active and age-appropriate learning time for children from four years old through high school. Child care is also provided during this time for those children who may be younger.*

Adult Workshop: *Wouldn't you love to read a letter from one of Jesus' closest friends while He walked on earth? John was called the "beloved disciple" and we will be discovering what he had to say in his first letter. This class, taught by Brian Blake, will take a break for **TODAY** (4/11). Class will resume on April 18th.*

Parenting Workshop: *"Getting to the Heart of Parenting" by Paul Tripp, national author and speaker, will be presented on May 7th and May 8th at Chapelgate PCA Church. Sign up to be a part of the group going to this event. Deadline to sign up is April 25th. Cost is \$20 per person and child care is provided for an additional fee. Call the office at 717-630-9510 for more details.*

Financial Update: *The desire of the church session and leadership is to provide on-going information and communication about the progress of the church's finances. At the end of each quarter, we gather to take a brief look at our finances, answer questions, and pray. The session will lead an update **TODAY**, April 11th, in place of the Adult Workshop. We hope that you will join us as, together, we place our needs before the*

Lord.

20/20 Vision Class: *Curious about the church? Just starting to get acquainted? Thinking of joining? This class will go through the distinctive nature of Hanover Valley Church and discuss the “why” behind all of what we do. Learn about the church’s vision, philosophy of ministry, leadership, history, theology, and ministry structure. Plenty of time is included to answer your questions. Come and find out what makes the church tick. Participation does not mean you are expected to become a member, but the class is required for all those desiring membership. This course will run during the Adult Workshop hour on Sunday mornings beginning April 18th and running through May 30th. Please register for this class if you plan to participate by contacting Pastor Drew Derreth.*

Growth Groups: *No one can thrive with just a Sunday morning connection. Each of us needs a place to develop genuine friendships, to ask honest questions, and to discover the implications of the Gospel to real life. Growth Groups are where that happens most authentically. They are the primary place for pastoral care. They are open groups led by trained lay leaders designed for the curious, the skeptic, the struggling, the experienced, the new and the old - people all along the spiritual journey. They are the very lifeblood of the church.*

Contact the pastor or one of these Growth Group leaders to discuss getting involved. Every group is always open to those not yet involved. Brochures on the value and format of Growth Groups are available in the Great Room.

Bob Anderson	637-7788	Mondays	7:00 P.M.
Colby Brewer	632-9807	Alternate Thursdays	7:00 P.M.
Drew Derreth	630-9510	Alternate Fridays	7:00 P.M.
Doug Hempfing	235-0197	2nd & 4th Wednesdays	7:00 P.M.
Dave Kieffer	549-3169	Alternate Tuesdays	7:00 P.M.
Paul Trask	632-2115	Alternate Fridays	7:00 P.M.
Bruce Schwarz	637-7696	1st & 3rd Wednesdays	7:00 P.M.
Hanover Borough	630-9510	1st & 3rd Sundays	6:00 P.M.

In addition to these growth groups, there are student Growth Group meetings on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month led by: Jim & Karen Neff and Josh & Teresa Summer.

We also offer a number of investigative Bible studies at Gettysburg College.

We'd also love to help you find a group. Contact the church office at 717-630-9510.

This Week

TODAY	8:30 A.M.	Worship Service
	9:45 A.M.	Refreshments
	10:00 A.M.	Financial Update Meeting
	10:00 A.M.	Kids Under Construction
	11:00 A.M.	Worship Service
	12:15 P.M.	Refreshments
MON	7:00 P.M.	Growth Group (Anderson)
WED	7:00 P.M.	Growth Group (Hempfung)
	7:00 P.M.	Growth Group (Youth)
THURS	7:00 P.M.	Praise Team Practice
FRI	7:00 P.M.	Growth Group (Trask)

Prayer Concerns

Praise

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort,
who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any
trouble with the comfort we ourselves have received from God.

Friends and Family

- Pray for students beginning to search and make plans for summer jobs and missions trips. Pray that Summer 2010 would be an encounter with our amazing God.
- Pray for joy in the journey of those who deeply desire to know God in an honest and fresh relationship.
- Pray that God would increase our faith in His power to transform our lives and the lives of those we love.
- Pray for broken relationships with family and friends to be rebuilt on the solid foundation of the forgiveness of Jesus.
- Pray for Dave Arnold as he will be looking for a new job as of June 2010.

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- Ephesians 1:17 - "I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know Him better."
- Our addictions and our idolatry erects a barrier between us and God. Ask God to destroy the barrier, humble our hearts, reveal our sin, and make us white as snow.
- Pray that vulnerability would replace pride as we engage in new friendships and places of ministry.

Steps of Faith in Ministry

- Pray that *Reel Faith* would open conversations about redemption and the character of God.
- Pray to be compelled by the call of Jesus to make disciples.
- Pray for the gathering of a Kids Fest leadership team that will prayerfully develop the theme and team for 2010 with the goal of seeing Jesus redeem lives in our community.
- Pray that the Men's Benefit Breakfast will raise awareness of how God is working and how He can use us to bring hope to the people of Haiti.
- Pray for cheerful giving and sharing of our resources to meet the needs of His church.

National and International

- Pray for Dave and Esther Miller and their team in Chile as they seek their role in caring for the Chileans after the earthquake. They live approximately 200 miles from Santiago.
- Pray for pastors and lay workers sharing the gospel and providing aid in Haiti. Pray for God's peace to pervade every corner of the cities and towns of Haiti and that hope would settle in the hearts of the people.
- Pray for Andrew Hoeprich (Karen Neff's brother) as Company Commander of a unit deployed to Haiti to provide security and humanitarian aid.

Health Related Struggles

Ask God to allow those who are struggling with health issues to experience His presence every day.

Melodi Arnold - recent diagnosis of Glaucoma; **Christ Woappi** - to respond to cancer treatment and for he and his family to know the presence and peace of God; Pray that God would set **those who are in our community fighting an on-going battle of drug addiction** free; **Trask family** - for Paul to be spared the typical seasonal illnesses that can cause serious complications related to ALS; **Elaina** (Deb Stapf) - 9 month-old dealing with severe lung issues and a trach tube, also for her parents Tana and Dennis as they care for her at home; **Emily and Tim Murphy** (friends of Ellen Highfill) - Tim's cancer is no longer operable, but he is receiving treatment and Emily's cancer is a slow-growing blood cancer, she is not currently in treatment; **Andrew Hauser** (son of Nancy and Art Rathell) - strengthened health as he continues to cope with Celiac's Disease and has moved to VA for a job; **James Mathais** (Melodi Arnold's brother) - brain cancer is in remission; **Kim** (friend of Debbie Trask) - ongoing potential of recurring Melanoma;

Susie Hancock (cousin of Lin Sullenger) - blood clotting disorder that threatens her heart and brain; **Warren Sullenger** - continued improvement in health.

Military

Pray for all those serving in the military both home and abroad.