

# 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**  
**June 20, 2010**  
**8:30 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.**

**Prelude**

**Welcome & Call to Worship**

**\*Songs of Praise**

**Your Love Is Better Than Life**

O Lord, You are my Lord. Your ways are higher than mine.  
I've seen the broken restored. Your love is better than life.

We thirst in a dry weary land. We hunger for thee.  
Lord, rain down as we lift up our hands. Your love is better than life.

O God, I stand amazed; how high, how deep, how wide.  
My lips offer you praise. Your love is better than life.

I stand in the shade of your wing. My soul clings to thee.  
In the joy of the Lord will I sing. Your love is better than life.

**Repeat 1st Verse**

Lord, your love is better than life.

### **Alas and Did My Savior Bleed**

Alas and did my savior bleed; and did my Sovereign die?  
Would He devote that sacred head for such a fool as I?

**Chorus:** The strangeness of love, my life in Your death, in Your brokenness my  
wholeness revealed.  
Your bonds are my freedom, Your sorrow my song and by Your wounds I am healed.

Was it for crimes that I have done He groaned upon the tree?  
Amazing pity! Grace unknown! And love beyond degree!

### **Chorus**

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

### **Chorus (Repeat)**

And by Your wounds I am healed.

### **You Are My King**

I'm forgiven because You were forsaken.  
I'm accepted, You were condemned.  
I'm alive and well, Your Spirit is within me  
because You died and rose again.

**Chorus:** Amazing love, how can it be that You, my King, would die for me?  
Amazing love, I know it's true. It's my joy to honor You,  
let all I do honor You.

### **Corporate Prayer of Confession**

Most gracious Father, your Son Jesus Christ, who came to seek and to save the lost, who invites the weary and the overburdened to rest, and who heals the hurting: we confess that we have lost our way. Forgive our wayward and willful disobedience. Lead us back to you. Forgive us for every thought, word, or deed that has brought hurt to others, harmed ourselves, or dishonored your name. Look to the Cross for our payment and to the righteousness of your Son for our covering. Heal the pain we have caused. Grace us with your Holy Spirit and lead us once again in the way that leads to life and holiness. Amen.

## **Private Confession**

### **Words of Encouragement**

Colossians 3:1-4

Since, then, you have been raised with Christ, set your hearts on things above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, who is your life, appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

### **\*Song of Christ**

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### **\*Song of Praise**

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### **Scripture**

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### **Sermon**

**Blood Brother**

Pastor Drew Derreth

### **Offering & Special Music**

Jess Stauffer

### **Benediction**

### **\*Parting Song of Praise**

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## **Worship Musicians**

Jess Stauffer — **Pianist**

Angela Brewer, Abby Trask, and Emma Trask — **Praise Team**

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### **God, Be Merciful To Me**

God, be merciful to me; on Thy grace I rest my plea.  
Plenteous in compassion Thou, blot out my transgressions now.  
Wash me, make me pure within; cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.

My transgressions I confess; grief and guilt my soul oppress.  
I have sinned against Thy grace, and provoked Thee to Thy face.  
I confess Thy judgment just; speechless, I Thy mercy trust.

I am evil, born in sin; Thou desirest truth within.  
Thou alone my Savior art, teach Thy wisdom to my heart.  
Make me pure, Thy grace bestow; wash me whiter than the snow.

Gracious God, my heart renew; ~~make my spirit right and true.~~  
Cast me not away from Thee, let Thy Spirit dwell in me.  
Thy salvation's joy impart; steadfast make my willing heart.

Sinners then shall learn from me; and return, O God, to Thee.  
Savior all my guilt remove, and my tongue shall sing Thy love.  
Touch my silent lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise accord.

## **I Will Glory In My Redeemer**

I will glory in my Redeemer Whose priceless blood has ransomed me  
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails And hung Him on that judgment  
tree

I will glory in my Redeemer Who crushed the power of sin and death  
My only Savior before the holy Judge  
The Lamb Who is my righteousness The Lamb Who is my righteousness

I will glory in my Redeemer My life He bought, my love He owns  
I have no longings for another I'm satisfied in Him alone  
I will glory in my Redeemer His faithfulness my standing place  
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me  
My feet are firm held by His grace My feet are firm held by His grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer Who carries me on eagle's wings  
He crowns my life with lovingkindness His triumph song I'll ever sing  
I will glory in my Redeemer Who waits for me at gates of gold  
And when He calls me it will be paradise  
His face forever to behold His face forever to behold.

## **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.*

**Movies in the Park:** *Bring your kids and friends out for a evening of fun! An outdoor movie will be shown each Friday evening of the summer months at Wirt Park. Join us to offer this event for our community and greet our neighbors. The Iron Giant will be the first movie of 2010 to begin at sunset on June 25th. The other dates will be July 30th and August 27th.*

**Grab This Opportunity:** *Join us for the Kids Fest poster-hanging event on Wednesday, June 30th! We will meet inside Dunkin' Donuts (Grandview Plaza) at 9:45 A.M. We will then hang posters around the community. Adult drivers are needed as well as **ANYONE** willing to hang up posters. If you are available to help, please e-mail Michelle O'Connor at [moconnor6@comcast.net](mailto:moconnor6@comcast.net).*

**Serving Opportunity:** *Each year, Hanover Valley provides a rest area with ice water at the downtown Dutch Days festival. Volunteers are needed to help hand out water and to greet the community from 8:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. on July 31st. If you think you would like to help the Mercy Team support this ministry, please sign up in the Great Room. We have the day broken down to two-hour periods, but we can still use your help if you can only volunteer for an hour! If you have any questions, please contact Melodi Arnold.*

**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.*

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

*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.	<b>Worship Service</b>
	9:45 A.M.	<b>Refreshments</b>
	11:00 A.M.	<b>Worship Service</b>
	12:15 P.M.	<b>Refreshments</b>
THURS	7:00 P.M.	<b>Praise Team Practice</b>
FRI	7:00 P.M.	<b>Movies in the Park</b>

## **Prayer Concerns**

### **Praise**

- Thank God for the many college graduates and the life they have ahead of them
- Praise God for the many children in South Africa introduced to salvation through Jesus in the last few weeks. May it become a ground swell of transformation throughout their land.

### **Friends and Family**

- Pray for eyes of compassion and hearts devoid of judgment as we care for our friends and family.
- Pray for those who are consumed by worry, bitterness, jealousy, anger, hatred. Pray that God would wash away the sin and renew their hearts and minds.
- Mark O'Connor, Dave Arnold, David Highfill, Butch, Sarah Schwarz, Megan Highfill, Andrea Hempfing, Jonathan Hempfing, and others looking for new employment. Pray that their view of life's circumstances would be through the eyes of the Father.
- Pray for Dave & Megan Royes (DiscipleMakers Staff) and their newborn premature daughter, JoAnna, in intensive care for a blood infection and watching that no brain abscesses occur.
- Pray for the Horvath family (friends of Dave Kieffer). Kim Horvath died suddenly at 20-weeks pregnant, leaving 2 young children and her husband.

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- Pray that God would convict us of our offenses against Him and forgive us for our sin.
- Pray that God would enlarge our hearts with His compassion and cause us to overflow with love for our community and each other. Pray that He would give us the resources and desires to act upon that love.
- Pray for Drew, Bruce, Dave, Paul, and Josh to be humble in their hearts and bold in their action as they teach, counsel, and pray.

### **Steps of Faith in Ministry**

- Pray to be aware of and affected by the Spirit of God to go into all the world to preach the gospel.
- Kids Fest 2010 still needs some key leaders in place. Please pray that God would make these leaders stand out.
- Pray that a deep, abiding love for our Savior would be the focus of our hearts, souls and minds.
- Pray for Growth Groups to be able to build deep friendships and maintain an openness to include others.

### **National and International**

- Pray for the global mission trips being planned. Pray that urban, rural, tribal, and inner-city areas would be transformed by the love of Jesus as shown through his people.
- Please pray for Steve Beck, church-planter in Germany, and his recent emergency quadruple by-pass surgery. Pray for his wife, Susan, as she cares for him in a foreign country. Pray for the many aspects of ministry to be able to carry on while Steve rests.
- Pray for the Agape Puppet Team as they prepare for a trip to Brazil in a few weeks.
- Pray for Nancy Blake and others as they bring the gospel to the people of China.

### **Health Related Struggles**

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

**Woappi family** - Pray for the Woappi family as they grieve the loss of Christ; **Paul Trask** - healing from infection at the site of his new feeding tube; **Trask family** - rest for Debbie as she juggles work, home-schooling, and family life and for the kids to remain focused on school, jobs, family, and a growing faith in God; **Amanda Jackiewicz**

(Gettysburg College student) - for a growth in the area of her head and spine; **Father of Andrea Lynn** - for recovery from septicemia and low platelet count and that he would believe in Jesus; **Craig** (father of Stephanie Brown) - for treatment in the Hyperbaric Chamber, the surgical procedure to improve blood flow to his foot, strength for the family, a quick recovery, and that his right foot would not become involved; **Melodi Arnold**-Praise God for misdiagnosis of Glaucoma and continue to pray for further testing; Pray that God would set **those who are in our community fighting an on-going battle of drug addiction** free; **Elaina** (Deb Stapf) - for 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 terminal, Emily's cancer has been treated; **Andrew Hauser** (son of Nancy and Art Rathell) - strengthened health as he continues to cope with Celiac's Disease; **James Mathais** (Melodi Arnold's brother) - brain cancer is in remission; **Susie Hancock** (cousin of Lin Sullenger) - to cope with lifestyle changes and proper medication as she struggles with a blood-clotting disorder; **Warren Sullenger** - thank God for improved health.

### **Military**

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