

November 19, 2023
Sermon Notes - Pastor Thad Davis
"Looking Forward by Faith"
Hebrews 11:8-12



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1. The Faith to Obey (v 8)

2. The Faith to Live (vs 9-10)

3. The Faith in Him Who has Promised (vs. 11-12)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Steven Edging

CALL TO WORSHIP

Colossians 3:12-15

HPC CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Trinity Song

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

SONGS OF WORSHIP

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)
Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

**Please fill out the friendship folder found at the end of the row.*
***PreK4 through 1st graders dismissed to children's church.*
If you are a first time visitor, please escort your children to the side door to ensure they are signed in appropriately.

SONG OF PREPARATION

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery

SERMON

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SONG OF RESPONSE

All I Have Is Christ

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOIN US TODAY TO HELP DECORATE THE CHURCH FOR CHRISTMAS:

There are three ways to get involved. 1. Come anytime from 3:00-6:00 pm to help decorate. All ages can help. 2. Provide & manage refreshments for all the families helping. 3. Bring a pot of Chili to celebrate. This promises to be a time of fellowship and memory making. If you have any questions, contact Amanda Mitchell (423) 463-8859.

NO MIDWEEK Wednesday, November 22 for Thanksgiving. Also, the **church office will be closed** Thursday, November 23 & Friday, November 24.

NEW BUILDING DEDICATION: Save the date for NEXT Sunday, **November 26** from 4:00-5:00 pm for a time to dedicate the new building. We will gather to write scriptures on portions of the floor in the new building and pray over the ministry activities and opportunities with this additional space. More details will be shared as the date approaches.

CONGRATULATIONS TO EMMANUEL AGABA, Kiroba, Uganda on his five/six year journey from seminary graduate to ordained Pastor. On November 26 the Kiroba Community Presbyterian Church will receive their first LORD's Supper. We celebrate from one church to another as God's kingdom increases and we together fulfill the Great Commission.

TRAIL LIFE & AHG CHRISTMAS BAKE SALE: Your Christmas goodies have always been a huge blessing to the Trail Life and American Heritage Girl ministries! Once again we would appreciate your help in bringing or buying baked goods on Sunday, December 3 at our annual Christmas Bake Sale on People Street after church.

PRIMETIMERS IN DECEMBER will go to Park Place Restaurant in Fort Oglethorpe on Tuesday, December 5 at 11:30 am. Anyone needing a ride can meet at church. After lunch, we will tour The History Company next door which is a museum and surplus store representing the Civil War thru today. There is also a museum at Chickamauga Battlefield which people are welcome to tour. Please call Marie Marlin (423-321-2845) or Carol Pierce (423-645-2306) to make reservations.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR PROGRAM will be on Sunday, December 10 at 6:00 pm. Please come and join us for ***All For The Glory Of His Name*** as we celebrate this season with both the adult and children's choirs.

A CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be on Sunday, December 17 immediately following the service. Members are encouraged to please plan to stay for this meeting to vote on Thad's call to Associate Pastor at HPC.

HPC Ladies, you are invited to a Women's Christmas Tea on December 13 from 6:30-8:00 pm. This special event will be held off site at the home of Peggy & Rodger Jenkins. The address is 7501 Clearwater Road, Hixson. Tea and refreshments will be provided. Please sign up online or in the church foyer.

CHURCH LEADERSHIP CONTACT INFO: Staff, Deacon, and Elder contacts will be circulating through the bulletin. When you need to reach church leadership, feel free to call the church office or watch this space for specific contact information.

FALL ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL STUDY

THEOLOGY TRACK: In M1, Thad Davis is guiding us through a tour of the Westminster Confession to discover how this 400 year old biblical document has some deep relevance for life issues today. We will use the Westminster Confession of Faith as well as memorizing portions of the Shorter Catechism. *This class will be recorded and the videos will be posted to the church website here: <https://www.hixsonpres.org/sunday/classes/truths-we-confess/>*

HIXSON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—STAFF

Robert Johnson, Senior Pastor

Thad Davis, Assistant Pastor

Steven Edging, Assistant Pastor & Interim Youth Pastor

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