

March 17, 2024
Sermon Notes - Pastor Robert Johnson
"Our Hearts Strengthened By Grace"
Hebrews 13:7-16



First, Jesus Christ Does Not Change (7-9)

Second, We Are Strengthened By Grace In Christ (9-12)

Finally, Thru Jesus Continually Offer Sacrifices (13-16)

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thad Davis

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 95:1-3

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

SONGS OF WORSHIP

*Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery
We Will Feast in the House of Zion*

BAPTISM

Tobias Benjamin Gardner

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.

HPC YOUTH ENSEMBLE

Isaiah 43

SERMON

"Our Hearts Strengthened By Grace"
Hebrews 13:7-16 Robert Johnson

SONG OF RESPONSE

Christ Our Hope in Life and Death

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED THIS TUESDAY, MARCH 19 as the staff will be on a retreat to plan for the coming year.

EASTER EGGS are eggspected to be returned today. Thank you for your help to prepare for Easter! If you still have eggs, please bring them to the office this week.....any day except Tuesday.

BAKE SALE for the St. Louis mission trip is next Sunday. Please bring baked goods to donate and come ready to purchase other tasty treats. Donated items can be dropped off on People Street before/after Sunday school. The proceeds will support the St. Louis mission team.

PALM LEAF PROCESSIONAL is next Sunday. All kids ages 4 and up are invited to join the Palm Leaf processional. Meet in the lobby at 10.30.

WEDNESDAY MEAL is **April 3rd**, 5:00 - 6:00 pm. Menu: Potato chicken, roasted potatoes, corn, coconut cake. Please **RSVP by Sunday, March 31**. You can sign-up on the Thursday eblast or contact the church office 875-0616. \$7.00--adults (11&up), \$3.00--children (ages6-10), \$1.00--children (5&under), \$28.00--family max.

MEN'S RETREAT will be *April 5-7 at Fort Bluff*. The cost is \$165 per person (\$65 Saturday only) and scholarships are available. Led by speaker, Steve Woodworth, we will explore the implications of living as brothers and fathers with each other while looking at the generational differences that tend to keep us from experiencing the kind of relationships that God created us for. Registration at: www.hixsonpres.org/mensretreat. *Registration deadline is March 24.*

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, MARCH 29.

Good Friday Service: March 29, 6:00 pm

Easter Sunday Services: 8:45 am & 10:45 am
(NO Sunday School & NO Children's Church)

Egg Hunt: 10:15 am (between services)

EASTER CROSS: Every year on Easter, we encourage our members to come together to decorate an Easter Cross. You can bring flowers fresh cut from your garden, greenery from your yard, or a bouquet from the store. Don't forget to look for the cross on Easter Sunday.

CHAPLAIN THAD DAVIS' newsletters and prayer requests are and will continue to be posted at the Mission Wall on People Street as we support the Davis family and their ministries as they represent Christ at school, in Hixson, and around the world.

SAVE THE DATES!

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COMBINED CHOIR WORSHIP SERVICE (AT HPC): April 14, 6:00 pm

KIDS' SPRING MUSICAL: April 21, 6:00 pm

CAMP NATHANAEL KENTUCKY MISSION TRIP: May 12-18

ST. LOUIS MISSION TRIP: June 1-8

JOE & BEV FITZPATRICK, missionaries, Sunday, June 9, 9:30-10:30 am

VBS: July 22-26, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

COMBINED CHOIR WORSHIP SERVICE (FBC SODDY DAISY): Sept. 15, 6 pm

GLOBAL MISSION CELEBRATION Sept. 28-29 with Dr. George Murray

ADULT SPRING SUNDAY SCHOOL

HABITS OF THE HOUSEHOLD (IN M2): [January 14 - March 24] This study based on the book, Habits of the Household, will look at 10 habits from waking to bedtime www.habitsofthehousehold.com/

BIBLE READING PLAN (IN M1): [January 14 - May 19] The class will look at different passages each week to help us mine the riches of Scripture as part of our daily devotion to enjoy the grace of God.

GOSPEL GARDENING (IN M2): [April 7 - May 19] Greg Koukl's book, *Street Smarts*, helps to give practical tools for evangelistic conversations and practical apologetics.

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Sign up below and put this in the offering plate!

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Phone #: _____

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