

- **Ron Farley's** back surgery was successful . Please pray for continued healing
- **Rod Price** - praying for a successful ankle surgery on February 27th and smooth recovery.
- Lifting **Howard Babbitt** in our prayers for his bone marrow transplant on the February 27th.  
Please send updates to [prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com](mailto:prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com) or fill out a form on HvlCoC Connect (link & QR code inside).



## Honduras Mission Team

Will meet today after Sunday Service.

Remember to give your \$100 deposit for your airline ticket.



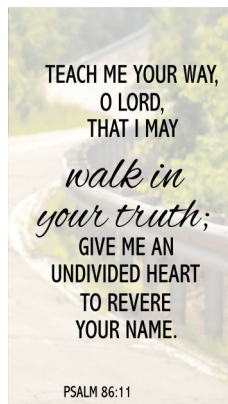
Our caring Meal Train is now signing people up for Farley's Family in March.

Love  
DELIVERIES

Please do not hesitate to pick up your phone to call or text, Susan Atwell would love to hear from you!

## Forward for Freedom Monday Nights

Location: Fellowship Hall  
Date: February 19 2024  
Theme: Choosing to Believe the Truth  
Time: 6:00 PM  
Fellowship Menu: Chicken Alfredo, Garlic Bread & Salad



## Prayer Ministry Meeting

Monday, March 18, 2024 from 1:00PM—3:00 PM  
Conference Room.  
Contact Evan McGee for any questions.



## Women's Ministry

## Ladies Tea



March 2, 2024  
Saturday  
3:00 PM  
Fellowship Hall

Aubrie Heck & Ian Galey  
March 10th, Sunday  
Fellowship Hall at 2:00 PM  
Registered at TheKnot.com

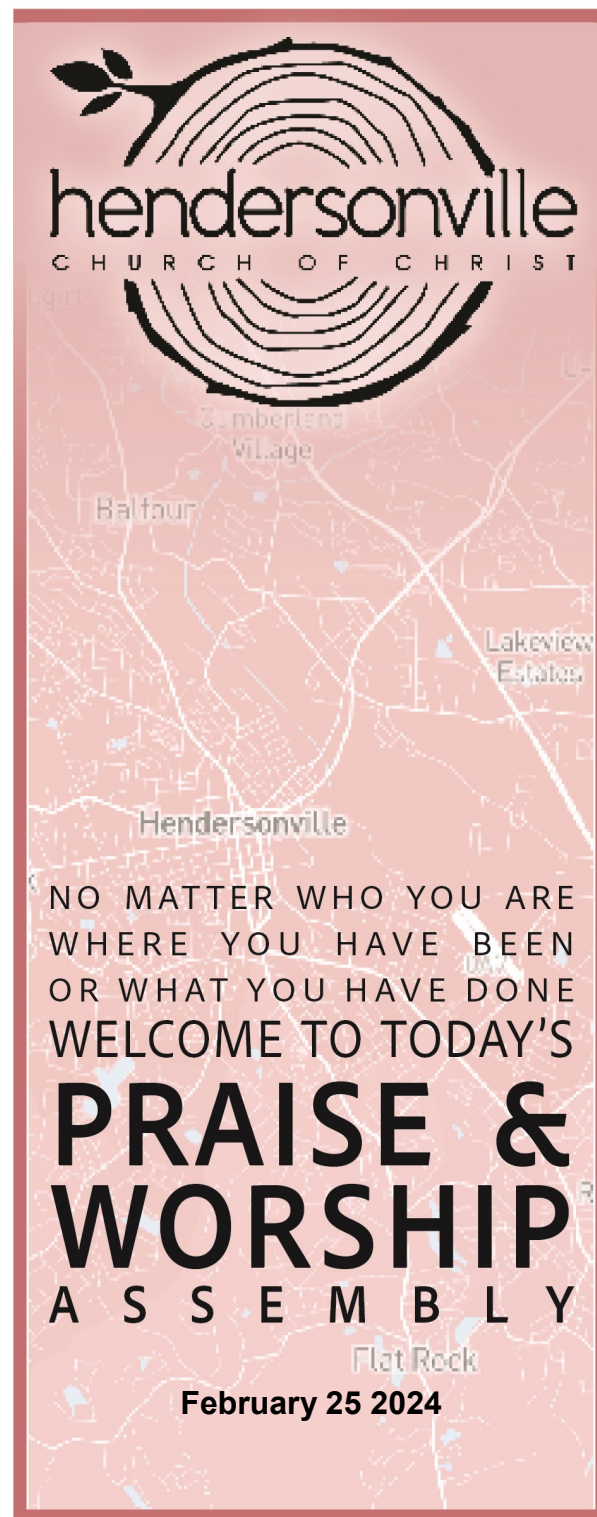
Gillian Brown & Andrew Thompson  
March 24th, Sunday  
Fellowship Hall at 2:00 PM  
Registered at TheKnot.com

## WEDDING SHOWER

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## Welcome to our time of worship!

If you are listening from your vehicle, tune to 105.7FM. Stream live on [www.youtube.com/user/HVLCOC](https://www.youtube.com/user/HVLCOC)

Or at [hvlcoc.org](http://hvlcoc.org)

Attended Nursery for ages 0-3years available down the hallway.

Attendants: Abigail Cochran & Kathy Morrow

## Order of Service

### Welcome

### Songs ▪ Lucas Carpenter

*There Is a God  
I Will Call Upon the Lord*

### Opening Prayer ▪ Alex Carpenter

### Songs▪ Fred Gore

*How Shall the Young Secure Their Hearts - 432  
In Christ Alone - (Slides)*

### Lord's Supper ▪ Ezra Cochran

*Restore My Soul - 567  
Holy Spirit, Dwell in Me - (Slides)*

### Scripture Reading ▪ Nathan Williams

**Children's Worship Dismissal**  
Ages 4 Years - 2nd Grade  
Teachers ▪ Nancy & Bill McKelvey

**Promise of the King, Gift of the Father▪**  
Ethan Brown

*"Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus - 679*

**Closing Prayer/ Announcement**  
Sam Williams

*Thank you for throwing away trash in cans in the lobby and recycling papers in table basket.*

**Weekly Bible Classes**  
**In-Person for All Ages**

**9:30 AM Sundays**  
**6:30 PM Wednesdays**

**Today**

**Honduras Mission Team**  
Will meet after Sunday Service  
Fellowship Hall

**Tomorrow - February 26th**

**Forward for Freedom**  
**6:00 PM - 8:30 PM**  
Fellowship Hall

**Next Week**

**March 2, 2024**  
**Ladies Tea**  
**3:00 PM**  
Fellowship Hall

**Mark Your Calendar**

**March 10, 2024**  
**Wedding Shower for**  
**Aubrie Heck and Ian Galey**  
**2:00 PM**  
Fellowship Hall

**March 24, 2024**  
**Wedding Shower for**  
**Gillian Brown and Andrew**  
**Thompson**  
**2:00 PM**  
Fellowship Hall

**Join HvlCoC Connect!**

cocnc.churchtrac.com or  
use the QR code for full  
calendar & more!



Jesus makes the most amazing promise: “I will ask the Father, and He will give you another Helper to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth ...” (John 14:16-17)

To say that this is kind of a big deal is like suggesting that the Grand Canyon is kind of a deep hole, that the nearest star is kind of a long way away, or that the center of the sun is kind of hot. This is one of the most important things that Jesus did for us.

Think about the challenges that we face as human beings. God’s expectations of us are very high. He says things like: “You shall be holy, for I the LORD your God am holy.” (Leviticus 19:2) Jesus comes and makes it even harder when he says: “You must be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect.” (Matthew 5:48) Can you do that?

Or consider when he commands us not to worry. He tells us, “Do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or drink, or about your body, what you will wear.” (Matthew 6:25) Or he will say, “Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.” (John 14:27). Okay, so I’m not allowed to get anxious or worried. Am I the only person who has ever been worried about being worried because Jesus told me not to be worried? So what happened was, I knew I wasn’t supposed to worry, only then I worried anyway, and the next thing I knew I worrying because I had allowed myself to get worried, and maybe I was in trouble for that. Am I the only one who’s ever been there?

If I had to do just these few things on my own - holiness, perfection, and freedom from anxiety - I am pretty sure my goose would be cooked. But Jesus makes the most amazing promise - I will never be on my own. He has asked the Father, and the Father has given the Holy Spirit, the helper for the followers of Jesus.

What that means is that if I want to follow Jesus, then I should live my life expecting to get help from a very excellent source - from God Himself. The Helper that Jesus tells his friends about is a Spirit sent by God to us who comes alongside us and appears on our behalf. He is the One who helps us to achieve what we cannot achieve on our own. Those things that are out of our grasp are not out of His. While I can never hope to obtain holiness, perfection, and peace by my willpower alone, He already has all those things by his very nature. He can share them with me and empower me to possess them.

The Helper that God has sent to us is the Spirit we receive when we accept Jesus in baptism and take on a life of following him. No one can live up to the excellent teachings of Jesus on his or her own. Take heart - Jesus has promised that you are never alone.

*Ethan Brown*



**Pray and Care for Our Shut-Ins:**

Linda Dill	Pete Hunter
Reba Haynes	Pat Jarvis
Carolyn Holland	Eva Watkins
Sam Ruth	

Prayer Updates are listed on the back. Long-term prayer lists are on the Prayer Board in the lobby.

**How to send prayer requests and praise reports**

- ◆ Use the “Prayer Request” and “Praise Report” forms on HvlCoC Connect at hvlcocnc.churchtrac.com.
- ◆ Fill out a paper card and put on the board, give to an elder, or give to a member of the Prayer Ministry Team.
- ◆ Email the Prayer Ministry Team at prayerhvlcoc@gmail.com.

***Coupons for Troops*** sends product coupons to military families. Please put coupons in the box in the lobby or give to the Farleys’.

**Domestic**  
Palmetto Bible Camp (SC)  
Southeastern Children’s Home (SC)

**Foreign**  
Eastern European Missions—EEM  
Nekemte (Ethiopia)  
Samrit Kammanee (Thailand)  
Steve & Dianna Teel (Baxter Institute, Honduras)



**Recent Sunday Attendance**

Date	9:30AM Bible Class	10:30AM Service
02/18	—	85
02/11	69	99

**Contribution Numbers**

Feb Contribution	\$ 14,779	Place contributions in the basket, mail to the church office, or give online through HvlCoC Connect.
Feb Budget	\$ 25,720	
Contribution YTD	\$34,188	
Budget YTD	\$ 45,009	

**CHURCH OFFICE ADMINISTRATORS**

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**Our Mission Statement**

*As forgiven people who have been rescued by Jesus Christ, our calling is to:*

- ★ *Proclaim the good news of the death, burial, and resurrection of Jesus*
- ★ *Praise and honor our Father by seeking to live as Jesus did and taught*
- ★ *Teach and equip one another for works of loving service*
- ★ *Reach out and share the love and saving grace of Jesus with all people*

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Bill McKelvey: 828-891-4787  
Sam Williams: 828-748-3263

**MINISTER**

Dr. Ethan Brown: 806-789-3606

**DEACONS**

Blain Bice: *Communication and Technology*  
Jeremy Cochran: *Education*  
Josh Propst: *Missions*  
Jim Scott & Rod Price: *Facilities, Bus, and Trailer*

**MINISTRY LEADERS**

Bill Fitzpatrick: Benevolence & Fellowship  
Supplies Ministry  
Karen Fitzpatrick: Stephen & Care Ministry  
Jackie Gass: Forward for Freedom Ministry  
Evan & Karen McGee: Prayer Ministry  
Nancy McKelvey: Children’s Worship & Ladies Ministry  
Gary Stephenson: Hospitality Ministry  
David Yelton: Disaster Relief Ministry