

(As you prepare for worship, please turn off all cell phones and beepers.)

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Prelude "I'll Fly Away" Hayes

Presenting the Word Tom Nicholson

†Call to Worship

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Till all the world adore His sacred name.  
Come Christians, follow where our Savior trod,  
The Lamb victorious, Christ, the Son of God.  
Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim  
Till all the world adore His sacred name.

†Prayer of Invocation & Lord's Prayer

† Hymn # 423 "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er The Sun" DUKE STREET

Words of Welcome

Call to Confession

Search me, O God, and know my heart; test me and know my thoughts. See if there is any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting. We express our longing for God's leading by our own transparent confession.

Prayer of Confession - UNISON

Almighty God; forgive our painful divisions and wounds. Forgive our faulty evaluation of others, our prejudice, distrust, hatred, doubt and fear. Forgive anything in us that would cause us to withhold from others the mercy we would seek for ourselves. Raise up in us the spirit that forgives without counting the cost. Help us to believe in Your promise so that we may treasure what is good and shun what is evil. Strengthen us to walk together in the unity of our one Master, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Kyrie Eleison

Lord, have mercy upon us,  
Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Assurance of Pardon

Leader: In Jesus Christ, we have redemption through His blood.

People: In Christ, we receive forgiveness of sins.

All: In Christ, we have the riches of God's grace which He has lavished upon us with all wisdom and understanding.

†Gloria Patri Hymn #579  
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.  
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be,  
World without end, Amen, Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Offertory "The Blood Of Jesus" Medley Ham

Doxology "Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow,  
Praise Him, all creatures here below:  
Praise Him, above Ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen."

†Prayer of Dedication

Words With Our Young Church Lenore Johnson  
Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so;  
Little ones to Him belong; they are weak, but He is strong.  
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Anthem "Christ Has No Hands But Ours" Hopson  
Chancel Choir

Scripture John 12:20-33  
Sermon "The Good And The Bad"  
Dr. Ernie Johnson

† Hymn # 339 "Be Thou My Vision" SLANE

†Affirmation of Faith

†Benediction

Blest be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love:  
The fellowship of kindred minds  
Is like to that above.

†Postlude "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" Ham  
†All who are able, please stand

**Worship Leaders**  
Dr. Ernie Johnson  
Dr. Ewart "Doc" Wyle  
Cathy Wilson, Director of Music Ministries  
Earlene McLamb, Organist

**Worship July 25**

Greeters Tom Nicholson  
& R. B. Goforth  
Acolyte Grayson Birch  
Sound Tim Parnell

**Worship August 1**

Greeters Larry McGlothlin  
& Bryan Carr  
Acolyte  
Sound Clay Johnson



Bud and Bette Tisdale are pleased to announce the marriage of their son, David, to Karen Brown Masotti, daughter of Bruce and Susie Brown on July 24th.



**Church Centennial Pictorial Directory**

The last opportunity to get your photos taken for the Centennial Directory is Tuesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup> through Saturday, August 7<sup>th</sup>. We want everyone included in this directory, so if you have not already scheduled an appointment or need to make a change, there are three ways to do so: (1) Electronically through the church web site at [www.hpchurch.org](http://www.hpchurch.org) and click on the church directory link; (2) Contact Shirley Barbour at 485-2147 or 484-9926; or (3) Contact Vicki Champion at 822-4373.



Mae Smith  
Donna Vann  
Betty Ellsworth  
Nancy Sappenfield  
Otis Lambert  
Patricia McLaurin  
(Mother of Bryan McLaurin)  
Fred Whitaker

Robert P. Tart  
(Father of Rosita Owens)  
Betty Sealy  
(Sister of Larry McGlothlin)  
Nancy Blackmon  
Harriet Hopkins  
Carra Belle Glass  
Oral Holden  
(Brother of Sammy Holden)  
Doris Johnson  
(Mother of Clay Johnson)



**Military**  
**Michael Johnson** - Afghanistan  
(and wife Amanda)  
**Noah Secrest** - Afghanistan  
and his wife, Jenni  
(Grandson of Bryan & Betty Sue Carr)  
**Marcus Hunter** - Afghanistan  
(Cousin of Penny Lindsey)  
**Tommy Nicholson** - Afghanistan  
(Son of Buster and Louanne Nicholson  
Grandson of Bonnie Hauser)

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Sunday broadcast can be seen on Ch. 9 - one week delay

A few lines my friends...

to say that the Purposeful/Missional Team met this past week and continued to move forward in the process of leading us as a congregation to the adoption of a PURPOSE Statement for our church. The requirements of a Purpose Statement is that it be easy to remember, measurable, and easily transferrable. In short our purpose statement needs to be one on which the majority of us are supportive. It is exciting to see this effort move forward. Once our purpose statement is adopted (hopefully in September/October) we can then move forward in shaping our ministry together around that purpose. Through this whole process we have grounded ourselves in Biblical Principles that describe the church of Jesus Christ.

to say that currently the Purposeful/Missional Team is in the process of forming sub-teams to implement various aspects of the Purposeful/Intentional direction.

a. The Outflow Team: to develop a six to eight week study for the entire congregation in the fall of this year.

b. The Curriculum Team: to develop a series of classes of instruction and orientation (Class 101, 102, etc.) for members and attenders to take that will cover such topics as — what is Presbyterian, what's our mission, how are we organized for ministry, discovering spiritual gifts, etc.

c. Developing Mission Central Team: Plan and develop the location and function of Mission Central which will be designed to help us all in finding our own call in service to Jesus Christ.

d. Bible Study Team: Work to create a team of teachers that will cover various studies of the scriptures in a systematic way.

e. Community Ministry Connection Team: To begin the work of developing collaborative ministries in the community where members can "flow out" as change agents in the community.

I hope you are excited about the unfolded landscape of this ministry as we venture forth into our centennial year. Let us all pray that God will continue to use us and inspire each of us to be about His work in this city we call home.

Your pastor and friend,



**CALENDARS!** Please contact any Youth or call Georgeanna to purchase your 2011 Calendar. Purchase price for this fantastic Youth project is \$10! There is also an order sign-up sheet at the front desk.

**Friday, July 30th** - Dinner and a Movie Night! Meet at Highland Presbyterian at 5:30. Dinner will be around 6:00, location to be determined. We will try to go to a movie around 7:30 or 8:00pm. Parents will need to pick up at the movie theater, which will be determined later!

**Mission Week - August 2nd-6th**

*Monday* - Ashwoods working with Interfaith, painting, etc.

*Tuesday* - Fayetteville Animal Shelter

*Wednesday* - Bethesda Nursing Home

*Thursday* - Food Bank putting together backpacks for needy children

*Friday* - Something special TBA

We will meet at Highland each morning at 9:00 and will return 12:30-1:00. We may need parents to assist in transportation. Please bring \$5-\$10 each day for lunch!

Wear your comfy clothes/shoes, you'll be doing a lot of work. Be prepared to have a lot of fun!

**Dear Highland Presbyterian Family,**

We would like to express our gratitude to you for all of the thoughts, prayers and correspondence during our African Mission Trip.

Your encouragement certainly boosted our spirits during an extremely trying time.

Knowing we had so many people back home praying for our safety and Scott's surgical recovery made a huge difference in our mentality.

Your support was appreciated more than you'll ever truly know.

In Christ,

Avery, Scott,

Wallace, Glenn & Hugh Cameron  
cameronsgoafrica.blogspot.com

**Stewardship Report**

as of 7-18-10

**Analysis of Pledges Due**

Total Pledges Due	534,340
Total Pledges Recvd	475,920
Shortage	58,420
% of Pledges Due That Have Been Recvd	89%

*Give generously!*

**Greetings from Highland Presbyterian Church**

Good morning and welcome to Highland Presbyterian Church. We are glad you are here and if you're visiting, we pray you will return often and that you will consider joining us here in ministry and service. Highland is



**Welcome to Our Church**

a caring family of all ages. Children and families are special to us and this is a great place to make new friends and to grow in Christian discipleship. You can join Highland by Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior; Reaffirmation of Faith if you've already made a Profession of Faith but have not been active in a church for some time; or by Letter of Transfer if you have been a member of another church and now want to join Highland. We do

hope you will consider joining us. Speak to any of the ministers or mark your wishes on the Friendship Pad and we will be in touch.

**Mon., Jul., 26**

**6:30pm** AA mtg - John M. Wilson Anteroom

**6:30pm** Ensemble Bells

**Tues., Jul., 27**

**1:00pm** Bridge

**4:00pm** Scheduled play in the Gym

**Weds., Jul., 28**

**4:00pm** Scheduled play in the Gym

**Thur., Jul., 29**

**12:00pm** Food Pantry

**4:00pm** Scheduled play in the Gym

**6:30pm** AA Mtg - John M. Wilson Anteroom

**Fri., Jul., 30**

**Sat., Jul., 31**

**Sun., Aug., 1**

**8:45am** Traditional Service - Chapel

**9:45am** Sunday School

**11:00am** Worship Service - Sanctuary

**6:00pm** 2nd Mile Service - Fellowship Hall



The flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today to the Glory of God and in loving memory of

**Paula Bleakley**  
and in honor of

**Bert Bleakley**, two hearts filled with Christian love. We love and miss you - *The Exploring Faith Sunday School Class*

**Making Disciples for Jesus Christ**

Worship and news of  
our church family

Highland Presbyterian Church

July 25, 2010



**The Highland Family and Missions**

**This week we will be featuring Joe Roberts**

The Cabell-Lincoln Work Camp takes place each summer, beginning on Father's Day, lasting one week. The volunteers come from Florida to Massachusetts, and many states in between, to Asbury Woods, a Methodist Camp about 15 miles south of Huntington, West Virginia, near the small little community of Salt Rock. Workers range from high schoolers to adults in their seventies. The purpose of the camp is to provide a mission to the people in the area who are in need of repairs to their homes, but cannot afford to do so on their own.

I have been going to the Cabell-Lincoln Work Camp since 1993. During that time I missed the summers of 2008 and 2009 for medical reasons, but have made it to West Virginia each June for the other 15 years. When I began going to camp I was a crew leader. Most crews have two co-leaders, both adults, and from three to five high school students. Our jobs range from replacing floors and roofs to repairing plumbing, from building wheelchair ramps to building porches which protect front doors and stacks of firewood in the winter and much, much more. Our charge is to make homes safe, warm and dry.

For the last seven years or so, I have put my knowledge of the area, and my four wheel drive truck, to work delivering supplies and picking up unused material from demolition projects. Our projects each year range over Cabell and Lincoln Counties, most located along the back roads and in the hollows throughout the two counties. It is nothing for me to drive 150 miles in a day mostly over roads that are barely a lane wide. I have forded creeks and gone up unpaved grades so steep that four wheel drive, in low range, was a must. Traversing the country side to our wide spread work sites is at times a challenge.

Although it is obvious that a lot is given in their work, campers, in reality get even more back in return. Though impoverished, the people we are working for are a hearty group. They are friendly, as self reliant as they can be, and proud. They are wonderful to be around and a pleasure to serve.

All of our work is done in the name of the Lord. Efforts are made to include the families we work for to be a part of what we do. Sometimes they help us on the job, sometimes they participate in mid-day devotions, and many times they attend Friday evening's meal and communion service which signals the end of camp. Although the high school students are the center of the camp's focus, we all learn about cultures different than those of which we are a part. We also learn to interact, with respect, with people who have not had the advantages we have had. The work is challenging and hard, but it is worth every minute we spend at it.

*Joe Roberts*