

**A CELEBRATION OF PRAISE TO THE FATHER,
SON AND HOLY SPIRIT**

8:30 A.M. WORSHIP

PRELUDE *“Variations on ‘Come, Ye Thankful People, Come’”*
F. Cunningham Woods

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT *“Sovereign King”* Brendon Elliget

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 145:8-9

Leader: The Lord is gracious and merciful.

People: He is slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

Leader: The Lord is good to all.

People: And his mercy is over all that he has made.

***HYMN** *Jesus Shall Reign* #341
(UBP CCLI 573921)

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord of deep compassion. You have placed your seal upon us and claimed us as your own. This wonderful privilege secures us by your mercy. Yet, in our arrogance, we act like spoiled children. We have abused our privilege as if it is a personal right. We have ignored your expectation for us to do justice, love kindness and walk humbly with you. Our sins are too numerous to count, and we ask for your forgiveness. Your claim upon us is established in your steadfast love. Grant us wisdom Lord. Through your son, our savior, we pray. Amen.

(Silent Prayer)

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***GLORIA PATRI** (all sing)

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.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD OF GOD

OLD TESTAMENT Isaiah 43:1-7 p. 1126

HYMN *Crown Him King of Kings* #340

NEW TESTAMENT John 17:1-10 p. 1679

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

SERMON Going through Customs Rev. Dr. Ted Martin

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (The Apostles’ Creed)

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *“Crown Him with Many Crowns”* Elvey
Peleh Shaltes, James Parker, and Ray Heller, trumpets

***DOXOLOGY** (all sing)
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**

THE SENDING

***HYMN** *God, We Praise You!* #3

***CHARGE AND BLESSING**

POSTLUDE *“Sovereign King (Reprise)”* Brendan Elliget

**ORDER FOR
10:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE**

WELCOME

SONG

SONG

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

SONG

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCRIPTURE John 17:1-10 p. 1679

MESSAGE Going through Customs Rev. Dr. Ted Martin

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING

SONG

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Sunday School @ 9:30 a.m. in the Library. Next Sunday we begin our Advent Series.

Adult Sunday Evening Discussion Group, “Emotionally Healthy Spirituality” on the 2nd and 4th Sundays, 6-7:30.

Women's Lunchtime Zoom Bible Study from 12:00-12:45 p.m.
Join us every other week as we discuss the book, *A Modern Girl's Guide to Bible Study*. Contact Amanda Wagner at amkwagner@me.com for more information and to pick up your book.

Friday Morning Men’s Breakfast & Bible Study @ 7:00 a.m. Meet at the Watenpools’ for the month of November.

Friday Morning Women’s Bible Study from 10:00-11:30 a.m. in the Hospitality Room. Contact Sissy Molnar, scmoln@zoominternet.net.

Community Thanksgiving Eve Worship Service November 27 @ 7:30
Parkwood Presbyterian Church will host the Hampton/Shaler/Etna Ministerium Thanksgiving Eve Service at 7:30 p.m. This community wide gathering is open to all with a combined choir and musicians.

Lend a Hand for Hanging of the Greens
Following the 10:30 a.m. Worship Service, please grab some pizza and lend a hand for as long as you can decorating for the Advent Season. Thanks for pitching in.

Thanksgiving Time Off
The Office will be closed November 28 - 29 in observation of Thanksgiving.

HEARTH Angel Tree - Please consider choosing an angel from the tree in the narthex and donating Christmas gifts to the families at HEARTH. Instructions for donating are included on each angel and at the table. Please return all gifts no later than Monday, December 9. Contact Susan Wilkins with any questions at 412-953-8553.

Advent Soup Supper ~ December 1 @ 5:00 p.m.
HPC prepares for the coming of the Christ child with the Advent Soup Supper on the first day of Advent. Bring a slow cooker of soup and two dozen cookies to share. Bring a muffin tin to try different soups at once. All are welcome!

Congregational Meeting December 8 in the Sanctuary @ 9:35 a.m.
The annual congregational meeting for approving the New Officers and the terms of call for our Pastors.

Young @ Heart
Christmas Tea and play reading on December 12 @ 11:30 a.m. Please RSVP via the sign up sheet on the Info. Desk.

Christmas Caroling December 22. Mark your calendar to begin with pizza and a drink then depart to spread some Holiday Cheer. We will car pool to different areas.

HPC is Hiring a Nursery Worker! This is a paid position. Qualified applicants love Jesus, enjoy working with young children, possess excellent interpersonal skills, are at least 18 years old, and are available to work at least 1 Sunday morning per month. Upon employment, PA Criminal, Child Abuse Clearances & FBI Clearance required. Contact Karen Shumaker at karen@hamptonpresbyterian.net.



PROGRAM INFORMATION

Karen Shumaker, Director of Children & Family Ministry
Karen@hamptonpresbyterian.net

HPC Nursery @ 8:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. for infants-3 yrs.
Coordinator, Sissy Molnar.

HPC Kids Sunday School @ 9:30 a.m.
Preschool | Room 302 K-2nd | Room 306 3rd-5th | Room 307

HPC Children’s Church in Room 306 (upon dismissal from Worship).
Children’s Church for ages 4 yrs.-2nd grade during 10:30 a.m. worship only.

K2Kicks (for K-2nd Graders) and Club 345 (for 3rd-5th Graders) on the
2nd & 4th Sundays from 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

K-5th Graders Christmas Pageant
“Glory to God in the Highest”

- Rehearsals on Mondays, 6:15-7:15 p.m.
- Mandatory dress rehearsal on Saturday, December 14, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
- The Christmas Pageant is Sunday, December 15 during both the 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. worship services.



Rev. Ryan Pixton, Associate Pastor
ryan@hamptonpresbyterian.net

Middle & High School Students

- **Sunday Night Live (SNL)** 6:00-8:00 p.m. in Youth Room
- **Confirmation Classes for 8th Graders @ 9:30 a.m. in Room 309**

Mark the 3rd Sunday for youth breakfast! Make sure to save the date so you can join us.

Dec 6 to Dec 8 - Winter Retreat for Middle and High School Students.
Departure is 7:00 p.m.

Counting Schedule

Nov. 24	A. Godlewski, D. Waybright, G. Scott, K. Huskey
Dec. 1	C. Knox, T. Baker, D. Donald, A. Bennett, R. Packard
Dec. 8	J. Gilmour, J. Donohue, J. Fanuele, J. Zeigler, L. Hagen
Dec. 15	J. Janovsky, D. Edmonds, D. Kenst, J. Kibler
Dec. 22	K. Wymard, J. Sarlouis, E. Orkis, N. Buzzelli
Dec. 29	M. Zahorchak, A. Flanders B. Bailey, J. Mabold

Communion Schedule for December 1

8:30 a.m.	M. Zahorchak, R. Packard, W. Metcalf, P. Graebing
10:30 a.m.	A. Godlewski, E. Orkis

ADORN THE SANCTUARY THIS CHRISTMAS
POINSETTIAS DEDICATED TO LOVED ONES



Number of Poinsettias at \$8.00 each.

_____ red # _____ pink # _____ white

In Memory Name _____

In Honor Name _____

Given By _____

Your Name _____

Your Phone _____

Please make checks payable to Hampton Presbyterian Church,
“*Christmas Flowers*” in Memo Line. Flower orders w/ check may be placed in the church office. [Additional Forms on the Information Desk.](#)

Order Deadline is Sunday, December 8.

Kristen at bkhuskey2@verizon.net

CHURCH STAFF

Church Office	724-443-3201
Senior Pastor	Rev. Dr. Ted Martin
Associate Pastor.....	Rev. Ryan Pixton
Pastor Emeritus.....	Rev. Dr. Don Dawson
Director of Children & Family Ministries	Karen Shumaker
Facilities Manager	Steve Ferrari
Custodian.....	Isaac Hamilton
Treasurer.....	Julie Wettach
Turning Point Music Director	Marie Doerge
Organist	Phillip Graebing
Sound Engineer.....	Dalton Green
Nursery Coordinator.....	Sissy Molnar
Director of Children’s Center	Betsy Lanyard
Children’s Center Office.....	724-443-5340

NOVEMBER 24, 2024

GATHERING IN GOD’S NAME

Welcome! Please feel free to introduce yourself to those seated around you. If you are visiting, we hope today’s worship service is meaningful and inspiring. Brochures detailing many of our ministries, services, and fellowship opportunities are available at the Information Center in the Greeting Area or you may log onto our web page at www.hamptonpresbyterian.net.

HPC WORSHIP

WORSHIP AT 8:30 A.M. IN SANCTUARY.

NURSERY IS OPEN FOR INFANTS-3 YRS FROM 8:15-11:45 A.M.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AT 9:30 A.M.

WORSHIP AT 10:30 A.M. IN SANCTUARY.

CHILDREN’S CHURCH FOR 4 YRS.-2ND GRADE AFTER CHILDREN’S MOMENT (DISMISSAL FROM THE 10:30 A.M. WORSHIP.)

ONLINE SERVICE VIA OUR CHURCH’S YOUTUBE CHANNEL AVAILABLE BY MONDAY AFTERNOON.

***GROUNDING IN FAITH AND GUIDED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT,
WE ARE SENT AS FAITHFUL AMBASSADORS TO REFLECT
THE HOPE OF SALVATION THROUGH JESUS CHRIST.***