

CORNERSTONE

Monthly Newsletter

Wonderful Wednesdays April Menus

April 6

Meat Loaf, Mashed Potatoes, Veggies, Salad, Birthday Cake

April 13

Pizza & Salad

April 17

Easter Sunday Breakfast

April 20

Lasagna, Salad, Bread

April 27

Baked Chicken, Rice & Gravy, Veggies & Salad

Hot Dogs, dessert & ice cream will be served each night.

Wednesdays activities:

5:30-6:15 Dinner 6:30-7:30 Bell Choir Practice, Ensemble Practice, Adult Bible Study, Men's Bible Study, Children and Youth activities 7:30 Adult Choir practice

Welcome, New Member, Carol Hendrian

Carol Hendrian (Bryan-Gilbert) was born October 5, 1957 in Canal Zone Panama. Her father was career Army. Her school years covered 12 schools in 12 year by High School graduation. Carol married at 19 and raised two children, Bryce and Crystal.

Her chosen career was nursing. She cared for adults and pediatric patients for 40 years before retiring in 2019.

Carol moved from California in 2016

after the death of her second husband, Tom.



Carol has 4 grandchildren: Nicholas, Davanie, Marco, & Alexander. Three live nearby while Alex lives in Illinois with his parents.

Carol came to know Jesus when she was 20 after the birth of her first child. Her church background was with First Christian Churches. She came to HHPC to find a family-like congregation.

Carol joined HHPC on December 12th by Reaffirmation of Faith.





Dr. & Mrs. Tim Foster request the honor of your presence at a reception for their son and daughter-inlaw, Josh & Lauren Foster.

Sunday, April 10th after the 11:00 service

Church Leadership

Staff

Tim Foster Senior Pastor/Head of Staff
Jason Gatlin Youth Director, AV Technician
Lesa Hart Children's Ministry Director
Mary Smith Financial Administrator
Rosie Blatt Administrative Assistant
Chiquita Paulson Music Director
Lauren Fiveash Ensemble Director & Pianist
Cindy Phillips Organist
Russell Mann Guitarist
Chrissy Thornton Parents' Day Out Director

Elders

Tim Foster - Moderator Bob Donan - Clerk Richard Armour - Treasurer Class of 2022

Josh Bond Lin Fryman Traci Gatlin

Class of 2023

Kendra Bowers Lesa Hart Perk Perkins

Class of 2024

Steve Allen Richard Armour Charle Dunstan

<u>Deacons</u> Class of 2022

Janice Linder Linda Melear - **Moderator** Karen Huddleston

Class of 2023

Barbara Almond Joe Dobson Barb James

Class of 2024

Joey Clark Sue Frost Rob McCleary

Pastor's Remarks



Did you know there is once again a Presbyterian church in the Highland Heights neighborhood? It is called The Avenue Community Church, because it's on National Avenue, one of the main arteries in HHPC's old stomping grounds.

Ruling Elder Rob McCleary and I served on a Commission that

officially confirmed The Avenue's status as the newest church in our Presbytery at a worship service attended by around 100 people on March 20th at 5:00 p.m. It began with a welcome from their Commissioned Pastor Tim Johnson; he is a Ruling Elder who has been getting hands-on experience in teaching, preaching, counseling, and administration at The Avenue for the past three years. The worship team was composed of a keyboardist, two guitarists, a drummer, and four singers, and there was lots of clapping and dancing. Like the Psalmist, "I rejoiced with those who said, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord'" (Psalm 122:1).

The congregation of The Avenue has been meeting at Highland Heights Baptist Church, which was recently purchased by The Collegiate School of Memphis, so they are now renting space from the school. **Recently The Avenue purchased Highland Heights Methodist Church, which closed last year.** They plan to move into that beautiful campus at the corner of Summer and Highland in 2023.

I had the privilege of asking Pastor Tim to reaffirm his vows before laying my hands on him and praying for his ministry. I told the congregation how grateful I was that there was a Presbyterian church in Highland Heights again. HHPC relocated in 1996, and about 25 years later the Lord gathered another flock in that part of Memphis. God is good!

Remember that I love you, and please continue to be faithful in worship and in giving.

Your Pastor and Friend,

Tim

APRIL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Evan Pollina	2 Ross Goodwin
3 The Lord's Supper 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 9:45 Sunday school 10:45 Community of Faith worship service 12:15 Deacons' meeting	4 Randy Brockwell Todd & Blair Bringhurst	5	6 5:30 Supper 6:30 Children's activities Pastor Tim's Bible Survey Pastor Bob's Men's Bible Study, Jr. & Sr. High Youth, Ensemble & Bell Choir practices 7:30 Choir practice	7	8 Peggy Payne Abbi England Bruce & Nancy Howland	9
10 Palm Sunday 11:00 Worship 9:45 Sunday school 10:45 Community of Faith worship service 12:15 Foster Reception Sandie Brockwell	11	12 4:45 Volunteer at Memphis Union Mission Peggy Baughcum Garth Reid	5:30 Supper 6:30 Children's activities Pastor Tim's Bible Survey Pastor Bob's Men's Bible Study, Jr. & Sr. High Youth, Ensemble & Bell Choir practices 7:30 Choir practice Kimber Street Mary Reid	14 Maundy Thursday 11:30 TOPS Outing 6:00 Maundy Thursday Service	15 Good Friday - Office Closed	16 1:00 Easter Egg Hunt
17 Easter 6:30 Sunrise Service 7:30-9:30 Easter Breakfast 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 9:45 Sunday School/ Confirmation Class 10:45 Community of Faith worship service	18 Bayleigh Billings	19	5:30 Supper 6:30 Children's activities Pastor Tim's Bible Survey Pastor Bob's Men's Bible Study, Jr. & Sr. High Youth, Ensemble & Bell Choir practices 7:30 Choir practice Terry Butt	21 10:30 Hope Circle 5:30 Forever Young - Women's Fellowship 6:30 Men's Supper Wes & Haley Moody	22 Central South Presbytery @ Huntsville, AL Robert & Shelly Ilsley	23 Central South Presbytery @ Huntsville, AL
24 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 9:45 Sunday school/ Confirmation Class 10:45 Community of Faith worship service Jeff Allen	25 Bobby & Amy Bunger	26 Kevin & Rebecca England	27 5:30 Supper 6:30 Children's activities Pastor Tim's Bible Survey Pastor Bob's Men's Bible Study, Jr. & Sr. High Youth, Ensemble & Bell Choir practices 7:30 Choir practice Darren & Lori Brown	28 10:30 Sarah Circle 6:30 Session	29	30 Jamie Bowers Joey Clark

Blue names = Birthdays

Red Couples = Anniversaries



Highland Heights Presbyterian PDO/Pre-K

We had a great time in March celebrating the birthday of Dr. Seuss. We are gearing up for the end of year evaluations, practice for Pre-K graduation and lots of fun Easter Parties. Summer is filling up with only a few spaces available.









TOPS LUNCH, SHOPPING Woman's Exchange of Memphis 88 Racine Street, Memphis April 14, 2022, 11:30 a.m.

The Woman's Exchange in Memphis was founded in 1885 to help women who needed to earn an income. In 2022, the Exchange continues the tradition of women helping women by showing and

selling the handiwork of hundreds of local consignors, and by employing highly skilled seamstresses to make signature infant and children's clothing.



Unbelievably, Memphis' longest continually operating non-profit operates with a 96 percent volunteer staff of over 250 members who sell handcrafted toys, mementos, sweaters, caps, blankets, books, wooden toys, stuffed animals, pottery, kitchenware, birdhouses, note cards, edibles, purses, scarves, and hand-made jewelry – according to what has recently been submitted for sale.

The friendly staff of volunteers also serves lunch each day. The Thursday \$16 special is beef tenderloin with mashed potatoes, a roll, and a salad; there are other options on the limited menu.

We will meet at W.E. between 11:00 and 11:20 to shop around, or order our meal. Lunch seating begins at 11:30. We likely won't all be seated together, but we are happy to have TOPS fellowship for the first time since Spring 2021.

As there are limited reservations for this outing, RSVP to Linda Rush (lrrush@aol.com, 901.734.1100) by April 5 for the lunch; also RSVP to ride the van, which will leave the church at 10:45.

To volunteer for the Nursery Team, please contact Lesa Hart - (901) 647-5348

APRIL CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Sunday	8:30 Nursery	Sunday School Nursery	11:00 Nursery	Children's Church	8:30 Acolyte	11:00 Acolyte	Wed. Night 6:30 - 7:30
1st Sunday 3-April	Barbara Glaze	Dolgor Tsagaan	Carolyn Allen Haley Moody	Lesa Hart	JT Bowers	Munhuush Amgalan	6-Apr Lesa Hart
2nd Sunday 10-April	Pat Edwards	Kendra Bowers Melanie Hayes	Deborah Womack Keira Bowers	Rebecca England	Munhuush Amgalan	Abbi England	13-Apr Sue Frost
3rd Sunday 17-April	Barb James	Amanda Clark	Lydia Johnson	Ben & Gabbi Huffstetler	JT Bowers	Jaxson Bailey	20-Apr Cortney Stone
4th Sunday 24-April	Deborah Womack	Ginger Wood	Cortney Stone	Lesa Hart	Munhuush Amgalan	Levi Wood	27-Apr René Foster

YOUTH



JASON GATLIN YOUTH DIRECTOR 901.337.4125 gatlinj007@gmail.co

April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3 Jason Out	4	5	6 Lesson & Activity	7	8	9
10 Prayer	11	12	13 Lesson & Activity	14	15	16 Easter Lock in
17 Easter	18	19	20 Field Trip TBD	21	22	23
24 Prayer	25	26	27 Lesson & Activity	28		

Youth News

Camp MVP (Summer Camp) dates have been set and I hope to have some additional info to you in the next couple of weeks. It will take place July 18th – 23rd and I would imagine the cost to be around \$300. Please let me know if you are interested in the camp if you have not gone before and as always don't let the cost cause you not to allow your youth to go. It has been canceled the last couple of years due to Covid so we are really hoping we can follow through with the trip this year.

Easter is of course the big item on the calendar this month. I hope that you will join us for the **Youth's Easter Sunrise Service**. We will be there bright and early for set up so any help would be appreciated. The service will be outside (weather permitting) and will be followed by breakfast, then the normal services from that point.

Last year, because we were a little shorthanded, I did have a "lock-in" Saturday Evening before Easter "Easter Eve?" just to insure everyone (myself included) would be at church on time. I will discuss with the youth as to if we want to venture into this again and will keep you posted.

Finally, we will have a field trip on the 20th. At this point is it TBD so I will also keep you posted on that.

As always, thank you for everything you do for this youth group, it could not be done without your prayers and support.

ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT APRIL 16 @ 1:00

We need candy and candy-filled eggs to hide. Please bring items on Sundays and Wednesdays. There are baskets at the entrances to collect items.

Please no peanuts.



Easter Sunday Schedule

6:30 Sunrise Service
7:30- 9:30 Easter
Breakfast - please
sign up on the
attendance card.
8:30 Worship
9:45 Sunday School
11:00 Worship

The Trumpet Lily is known as the Easter lily because in Christianity, it is a symbol of the resurrection of Christ, which is celebrated during Easter. The "lily has always been highly regarded in the Church", as Jesus Himself referenced the flower, saying "Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these."

button on the slider at the top of the home page or pick up an envelope. The cost is \$16.99 per lily.



To volunteer for the Security Team, please contact Josh Bond - (270) 853-1446

APRIL SECURITY VOLUNTEERS SCHEDULE

Date	Early Service 0830-0945	Sunday School 0945-1100	Late Service 1100-1215	Wednesday 1845-2100
4/3/22	John Blatt	Danny Spencer	Josh Foster	
4/6/22				Perk Perkins
4/10/22	Josh Bond	Don Forte	Don Rush	
4/13/22				Richard Armour
4/17/22	Bill Dalrymple	Joe Dobson	Catherine Johnson	
4/20/22				Mel Clark
4/24/22	Steve Allen	Bud Goodwin	Joey Clark	
4/27/22				Philip Ellis

Elders' Notes from March 24, 2022

- 1) Eli Kirk Moses, infant son of Amanda & Abbott Moses, was baptized on Sunday, March 13.
- 2) Congratulations to Josh and Lauren Foster, **who were married** by Pastor Tim on March 26 at Twin Oaks.
- 3) The Church **Easter Egg Hunt** will be Saturday, April 16, at 1:00 p.m.
- 4) <u>Holy Week Schedule at Highland Heights</u>

Maundy Thursday Service, 6:00 p.m.
Easter Sunrise Service, 6:30 a.m.
Easter Breakfast 7:30-9:30 a.m.
Easter Worship Services, 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

- 5) The elders are hoping to hire a part-time **Young Adults/Couples Ministry Director** this year.
- 6) **Volunteers are needed on the Security and Nursery teams.** You serve once a month on Sundays at 8:30, 9:45 or 11:00 or on Wednesdays at 6:30. To serve on the nursery team, contact Lesa Hart @ 901 647-5348. To serve on the security team, contact Josh Bond @ 270 853-1446.
- 7) The elders have established the **James Quillin Seminary Scholarship Fund** in memory of our Pastor Emeritus to be given annually to an EPC student at RTS, Jackson.
- 8) **From Memphis to Kenya** \$30/month per HHPC family helps to feed the 100+ children in our adopted orphanage in Kenya. *Are you giving to this important ministry?*
- 9) **General Ministry Fund** income through February 28 was \$33,570 and expenses were \$35,549 for a difference of \$1,979. The **General Ministry Fund balance** on February 28 was \$83,345.

