

**Lord's Day Worship**  
**November 27, 2022**  
**First Sunday of Advent**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** Andante from Concerto for Double Bass Antonio Capuzzi  
arr. Phillip Catelinet  
*Micah Everett, euphonium; John Leslie, piano*

**Call to Worship**  
“Then Joseph fell on his father’s face and wept over him and kissed him. And Joseph commanded his servants the physicians to embalm his father. So the physicians embalmed Israel. Forty days were required for it, for that is how many are required for embalming. And the Egyptians wept for him seventy days. And when the days of weeping for him were past, Joseph spoke to the household of Pharaoh, saying, “If now I have found favor in your eyes, please speak in the ears of Pharaoh, saying, ‘My father made me swear, saying, “I am about to die: in my tomb that I hewed out for myself in the land of Canaan, there shall you bury me.” Now therefore, let me please go up and bury my father. Then I will return.” And Pharaoh answered, ‘Go up, and bury your father, as he made you swear” (Genesis 50:1-6).

**Adoration**

**O Hymn**.....“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”.....196

**Invocation**

**The Lord's Prayer**  
Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**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 sitteth 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.  
*\*universal*

**Confession**

**Call to Confession**  
“For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon you” (Psalm 86:5).

**Corporate Confession of Sin**  
Almighty God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which Your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when He will come again in His glorious majesty to judge both the quick and the dead, we might rise to the life immortal; through Him who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.  
- adapted from First Sunday Advent Prayer, Presbyterian *Book of Common Worship*, 1946

**Silent Confession of Sin**


**Assurance**

**Assurance of Pardon**  
“Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins to deliver us from the present evil age, according to the will of our God and Father, to whom be the glory forever and ever” (Galatians 1:3-5).

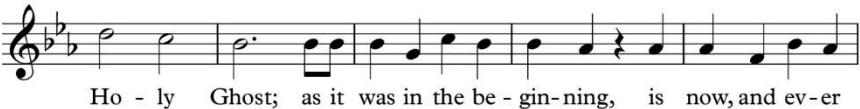
**Thanksgiving**

**Offertory** I Wonder as I Wander arr. Harold Burgmayer  
*Micah Everett, euphonium; John Leslie, piano*

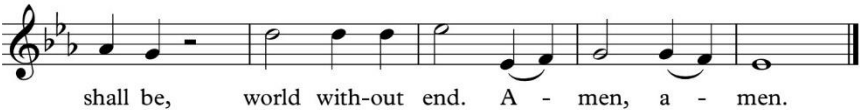
**Gloria Patri**



Glo - ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the



Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be - gin-ning, is now, and ev - er



shall be, world with-out end. A - men, a - men.

**Petition & Intercession**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Instruction**

**Children's Lesson**

**Hymn of Preparation**... “We Have Not Known Thee As We Ought”.....493  
*Pre-K and Kindergarten children are dismissed to Children's Church during the last stanza.*

**New Testament Reading:** Mark 13:33-37  
**Leader:** The Word of the Lord.  
**Congregation:** Thanks be to God!

**Old Testament Reading:** Nehemiah 1  
**Leader:** The Word of the Lord.  
**Congregation:** Thanks be to God!

**Sermon** “Emotionally Invested” Nehemiah 1  
Rev. Parker Tenent

**Charge & Blessing**

**Closing Hymn**.....“Comfort, Comfort Ye My People”.....197

**Benediction**

**Postlude** Rondo from Concerto for Double Bass Antonio Capuzzi  
arr. Phillip Catelinet  
*Micah Everett, euphonium; John Leslie, piano*

*John Leslie, Piano*

*U Ushers seat those arriving after worship begins  
Sermons are uploaded to our website each week*

**Announcements**

**Mission Statement:** College Hill Presbyterian Church exists to glorify God by making, maturing, and mobilizing disciples of Jesus Christ our Lord who advance the Great Commission in our community, University, and around the world.

**WELCOME VISITORS:** We extend a warm welcome and ask that you fill out a visitor’s card and place it in the offering plate so that we may get to know you better. Restrooms are available in the hallway to the right.

**Fighter Verse Week 48:**  
“[For] none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself. For if we live, we live to the Lord, and if we die, we die to the Lord. So then, whether we live or whether we die, we are the Lord’s. [For to this end Christ died and lived again, that he might be Lord both of the dead and of the living]” (Romans 14:7-9).

**Reading the Bible in 2022**

|           |                          |
|-----------|--------------------------|
| Sunday    | Ezekiel 38-39; 1 Peter 4 |
| Monday    | Ezekiel 40; 1 Peter 5    |
| Tuesday   | Ezekiel 41-42; 2 Peter 1 |
| Wednesday | Ezekiel 43-44; 2 Peter 2 |
| Thursday  | Ezekiel 45-46; 2 Peter 3 |
| Friday    | Ezekiel 47-48; 1 John 1  |
| Saturday  | Daniel 1-2; 1 John 2     |

**Nursery**

| Date                 | Church 10:15 – noon                     | Supervisor 9:15-noon |
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| Dec 4 <sup>th</sup>  | Wayne & Janet Prather, Sam Hill         | Meg Buchanan         |
| Dec 11 <sup>th</sup> | Casey & Ashley Rogers, Thomas Coopwood  | Faith Buchanan       |
| Dec 18 <sup>th</sup> | Stephen & Kristin Rogers, Sarah Prather | Kaila Marino         |

**Wednesday night activities**  
Come join us at 5:30pm on Wednesday, November 30th for dinner and prayer night! We will be serving Kabuki this week. We need you to RSVP by no later than Tuesday, November 29th, at 10am (colghill@bellsouth.net or 662-234-5020) if you plan on attending.

**Women's Tea**  
The Women’s Tea is coming up on December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30am in the church fellowship hall. If you would like to volunteer to help decorate a table, please text or email Faith Buchanan at 805-914-9066 or [faitheva1220@gmail.com](mailto:faitheva1220@gmail.com).

**Angel Tree is back this Christmas!** The Salvation Army has carefully vetted several needy children for this year’s gifting. The ages for our 17 boys and girls are between 2 and 12 years of age. Please see William Justice for more information.

**Families of the Week:**  
November 27<sup>th</sup> Alan & Anne Cochet; Laura Leigh Coleman  
December 4<sup>th</sup> Keith & Kristi Collins; Randy & Karen Corban

**Care Packages for RUF for exam week (first full week of December)**  
Each small care package will include things such as Gatorade, pencils, sticky notes, gum, candy, water flavor packets, etc. We will have a place set up at the church for you to bring any of those items and drop them off. Then we will pack them up together, and the Evangelism Committee will deliver them to the students! Feel free to bring as much of any of the items listed above as you can; we will keep everyone updated on what is still needed as we get closer to exam week. Deadline for bringing items is November 30<sup>th</sup>.

### Advent

Advent is a four week period in which the Church, rejoicing in Christ's first coming, eagerly looks forward to Christ's coming again. Beginning with the Sunday nearest November 30 and ending on the day before Christmas, the season is observed for the four Sundays prior to Christmas. The liturgical color is purple or blue.

### Upcoming Events:

- December 10<sup>th</sup> Kids' Cookie Decorating party & rehearsal 10am
- December 11<sup>th</sup> Kids' Christmas Program 5pm
- December 18<sup>th</sup> Lessons and Carols

### Women's Prayer Opportunities:

The women will meet for a time of prayer led by Beth Paul on Thursday mornings at 9am in the Parlor.

### Women's Fall Bible Study

Wednesdays 8:30am at the home of Ashley Rogers (37 CR 4015), childcare provided.

### Men's Book Study

The Men's Morning Book Study meets every Tuesday morning at 6:30am in the Parlor. We are currently reading *Living for God's Glory: An Introduction to Calvinism* by Dr. Joel Beeke. This book's relatively short chapters are theologically rich yet full of practical wisdom. Please join us!

### Men's Bible Study

We are having a Men's Bible study on Tuesday mornings at 6:30am at the ICM office located at 265 N Lamar Blvd. The study is on how to work in our daily occupations for the glory of God and not ourselves. Bill MacKenzie is leading the conversation. Please join us!

### Adult Choir

Our Adult Choir is now rehearsing at 4pm on Sunday afternoons in the fellowship hall, with childcare and light snacks provided. All who are interested are welcome to join us as we enjoy a second opportunity to sing God's praises on the Lord's Day. Please contact Micah Everett at 662-701-0642 or everett@runbox.com if you would like more information.

### Children's Sunday School (No Sunday School on Christmas Day morning service)

Grades pre-K & kindergarten: Teachers – April Kilpatrick, Stacey Cantrell, Louise MacKenzie  
Grades 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>: Teacher – Sarah Prather

### Adult Sunday School (No Sunday School on Christmas Day morning service)

Adult Sunday School has begun a new study on the Sabbath. Robbie Davis and Wayne Prather will be the instructors for this semester. Join us in the old youth room!

### Women's Sunday School Class (No Sunday School on Christmas Day morning service)

The Ladies Sunday School class will be meeting in the Parlor. We are doing a study on "The Twelve Disciples." For more information contact Ruth Ann Locke, 662-456-6339.

### Youth Ministry

|                 |           |
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| Sunday School   | Sabbath   |
| Wednesday night | 1 Timothy |

### Barnabas Ladies Bible Study

The Barnabas Bible Study meets on Wednesday mornings at 10am in the Parlor. We are currently studying The Sermon on the Mount. Materials are provided for all participants.

### Community Groups:

The following Community Groups meet to enjoy fellowship with one another and to support each other in prayer; there is often some good food involved as well. If you are interested in getting involved with a Community Group, please contact the church office at 662-234-5020 or colghill@bellsouth.net.

*Friendship Group:* meeting immediately after the morning worship service on the first Sunday of every month in the church's Fellowship Hall.

*Rogers Group:* meeting every other Sunday at 5:30pm at the home of Casey and Ashley Rogers; the Rogers' address is 37 CR 4015, just off CR 334.

### Opportunities & Assignments

#### Sunday

|                      |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Prayer Meeting       | 8:30am             |
| Sunday School        | 9:30am             |
| Adults               | Old Youth Room     |
| Youth                | Youth Room         |
| Ladies Sunday School | Parlor             |
| Children             | Education Building |
| Worship              | 10:30am            |
| Choir Rehearsal      | 4:00pm             |

#### Tuesday

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| Men's Book Study in Parlor  | 6:30am |
| Men's Bible Study at ICM office (265 N Lamar Blvd)                | 6:30am |
| Session & Deacons Meeting - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of Each Month | 6:00pm |

#### Wednesday

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| Wednesday night meal, fellowship, prayer, and testimonies | 5:30pm  |
| Ladies' Barnabas Bible Study (Parlor)                     | 10:00am |
| Youth Group   | 5:30pm  |

#### Ushers for November:

Lead Usher: Jie Tang with Michael Marino, Bobby Epps, Holdon Guy

#### Ruling Elders

|                |          |
|----------------|----------|
| Doug Paul      | 202-6619 |
| Wayne Prather  | 236-7700 |
| Bill MacKenzie | 801-6706 |
| Casey Rogers   | 816-7326 |
| Michael Marino | 380-3338 |
| Micah Everett  | 701-0642 |

#### Youth Director / Director of Operations

|            |          |
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| Bobby Epps | 578-1562 |
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#### Women's Ministry Leadership Team (\*contact)

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| Crystal MacKenzie | 816-9153 |
| Kaila Marino      | 275-0499 |
| April Kilpatrick  | 832-7362 |

#### Children's Ministry Coordinator

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| Kaila Marino | 275-0499 |
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#### Director of Communication

|                |              |
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| Hannah Newsome | 901-334-6892 |
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#### Deacons

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| Brett Cantrell   | 601-842-8489 |
| Randy Corban     | 801-5769     |
| John Hobson      | 457-1797     |
| Jie Tang         | 801-1729     |
| Scott Kilpatrick | 832-7361     |

#### Interim Pastor

|              |          |
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| Clint Wilcke | 234-5020 |
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#### Interim Music Director

|               |          |
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| Micah Everett | 701-0642 |
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#### Administrative Assistant

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| Kaylee Epps*    | 404-408-6923 |
| Meghan Buchanan | 816-6407     |
| Faith Buchanan  | 805-914-9066 |

#### Administrative Assistant

|               |                   |
|---------------|-------------------|
| Teresa Reeves | 801-3765/234-5020 |
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*Office hours (Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 9am – noon;  
Wednesday, 9am-4pm; Friday, closed)*

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# COLLEGE HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

“So the church...had peace and was being built up.  
And walking in the fear of the Lord and  
in comfort of the Holy Spirit, it multiplied.”

Acts 9:31

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