

Scripture Reading

Mark 10:2-16 (p. 46)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. Marguerite Sirrione

Response to the Gospel

* Hymn No. 188
Announcements
Prayers of the People

Jesus Loves Me!

The Offering
Offertory
* Hymn of Dedication

*Concerto in D minor
Doxology with Alleluias
Lasst Uns Erfreuen*

Vivaldi/Bach

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise Christ all people here below; Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise Holy Spirit evermore,
Praise Triune God, whom we adore.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

* Prayer of Dedication

*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* (in unison)

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.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Hymn of Preparation No. 509 *All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly*

Prayer of Thanksgiving and 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.

Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

The congregation is invited to follow the servers outdoors to receive the sacrament by dipping the bread in the cup outside the sanctuary.

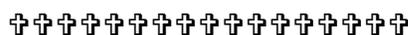
Jane Gaede – German; Judy Brown – Portuguese
Pierre Jaubert – French; Gustav Bernard – Afrikaans

Go Forth to Serve

* Hymn No. 295
* Charge and Benediction
* Response
* Postlude

Go to the World!

Farewell, Good Friends!



CHURCH NOTES - October 7, 2018

WELCOME VISITORS! We welcome you to Hillsborough Presbyterian Church and to this service. We are truly pleased that you have chosen to worship with us today because we believe that everyone who enters these doors is God's guest. We invite you to sign the guest book in the narthex or the Friendship Pad as it is passed among the congregation. We welcome all to be part of our community of faith, and participate in any of our activities and events.

We invite you to join us on Sundays for worship and education.

9:45 AM Sunday School -- for all ages!

9:45 AM Children's Nursery (downstairs, Room #201)

11:00 AM Traditional Worship – with organ music and choir

CHILD CARE is provided for infants and toddlers (infants – pre-k) in the Nursery on the first floor (downstairs from Sanctuary).

The **FLOWERS** are shared today to the glory of God by Art and Jean Fettig and in memory of her Brother, Tom Weeks.

Assisting in Worship today:

Liturgist: Robin Bedingfield Acolyte: Jack Stephenson

The **CHOIR's** benediction (#540) is from the "Glory to God" hymnal.

Volunteers are needed for a **Habitat Home Preservation** project on two Saturdays, October 13 and 20. We will be constructing a small deck and wheel chair ramp on a home in the Efland/Cedar Grove area. If you can help some or all on any of these days, please contact Joe Crane or Hervey McIver.

We love children in worship! There are Worship Bags (coloring pages, stories, etc.) available for children during worship. Questions? See Stephanie Morgan or Cynthia Latta.

Youth Group meets on **Wednesdays**, 6:00 - 7:30 pm in room #204. This year we will have 10-11 eligible participants. The O'Connor will provide meal on 10/10. To provide a meal, use the sign-up sheet on the Mission bulletin board. Questions? See Eric Cathey. (Open dates: October 31)

Circle #1 will meet at HPC at 11:00 on Monday, October 8th. All are invited to join us for our lesson from the study guide "Friendship". Bring a sandwich – hostess provides beverages and dessert. Visitors and guests are always welcome! Questions? See Ann Sebesan.

On **Sunday October 14, at 9:30-10:45am**, the Worship Commission will be offering a training and review session for all current and new Worship volunteers. For ordained ruling elders, we are also going over serving Communion as well. We will begin in Strudwick Hall and then break out to the various sessions. Each training will last 15 minutes and be repeated 4 times. This way you can attend any and all training session you like! Why? We want vibrant, diverse worship – which mean we want vibrant, diverse gifts – namely, yours. See Alicia Gonzalez with questions.

The HPC Book Club meets at 7:00 PM on Sunday, October 14th at the church. We will be discussing *Fahrenheit 451* by Ray Bradbury.

All are invited to the **Presbyterian Women's Evening Circle** on Wednesday, October 17th, at 7:00 PM, in Strudwick Hall as we continue our discussion of *No Innocent Bystanders, Becoming an Ally in the Struggle for Justice* by Shannon Craigo-Snell & Christopher J Dougat. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Linda Jaubert.

You are invited to our **sewing/craft group** on the 3rd Friday night of each month from 6:00 – 11:00 PM (**October 19**). Bring your sewing or hobby project, sewing machine, etc and stay as long as you'd like. Come enjoy working with friends and sharing time and ideas with each other. Questions? See Ann Sebesan.

HPC Choir rehearsals are on Thursday evenings, at 7:00 PM in Room #221. Questions? See Scott Schlesinger.

If God is the Alpha and Omega, the first and last letters of the Greek Alphabet, does that mean all the letters in between belong to us? *S* is the 19th letter in our alphabet. More English words begin with *S* than any other. *S* stands prominent in the names of Ebeth Scott-Sinclair and Cindy Stevens. Ebeth has been described as sorghum sweet and sassy sour; Cindy as rising smoke and river stone. **Join these two poets as they read from their collections on Sunday, October 21, at 4 p.m.** in the sanctuary. Refreshments following in Strudwick Hall.

Judy Brown is organizing a visit to the Holy Land: November 5-14, 2019. The program, Footsteps of Jesus, is through St George's College in Jerusalem. You will walk where Jesus did, and Mary and Martha... a life-changing trip. Contact Judy to reserve your space and make a commitment by October 15, 2018 - then put deposits (\$500/ person) and file registrations soon after. Limited space, 15 spots. Email Judy questions or to sign up!

Website: <https://www.saintgeorgescollegejerusalem.com/type/2019-programs/>



Check out our **HPC WEB PAGE** at www.hillsboroughpres.org – click on any event on our calendar page for details! You will also find the monthly newsletter and the weekly bulletin posted on this webpage! A great way to keep up with what's happening at HPC!

In an emergency or to share a concern, please contact the church office, 919-732-3131, or marguerite@hillsboroughpres.org

THIS SUNDAY: October 7 World Communion Sunday

Lectionary Readings: Job 1:1, 2:1-10; Psalm 26;
Hebrews 1:1-4, 2:5-12; Mark 10:2-16

- Mon** – 11:00 AM Circle #1 (Room #204)
- Wed** – 6:00 PM Youth Group (#204, O'Connor family provides meal)
- Thu** – 7:00 PM HPC Choir Rehearsal (#221)
- Sat**- 9:00 AM Habitat Home Preservation (see article above)

NEXT SUNDAY: October 14

Lectionary Readings: Job 23:1-9, 16-17; Psalm 22:1-15;
Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31

- 9:30 AM Worship Volunteer Training (Strudwick)
- 9:45 AM Sunday School – for all ages!
- 9:45 AM Children's Nursery
- 11:00 AM Traditional Worship
(Children's Worship Bags in the narthex - coloring pages, stories, etc.)
- 12:15 PM Christian Education Meeting (#204)
- 7:00 PM HPC Book Club (#204)

Volunteers:

- Liturgist:** Sara Clay
- Children's Sermon:** Kim Bryant
- Acolyte:** Jaiden Lytle
- Flowers:** Tom Brown and Robin Bedingfield
- Youth Meal (10/17):** James and Lisa Watts
- Nursery:** Robin Bedingfield
- Greeter:** Alicia Gonzalez, Jack Stephenson