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Sundays At A Glance

Adult Sunday School 9:30 am
Morning Worship 10:30 am

Sermon Series Outline

- October 19—Luke 15:11-24
- October 26—Luke 15:25-32
- November 2—Luke 16:1-18
- November 9—Luke 16:19-31

*Be sure to join us on Facebook Live and
YouTube on Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM if
you're unable to join us in person.

Upcoming Events

October 13-17—Fall Break for Schools
October 20—HCC Board Meeting
October 21—CMF Dinner
October 29—HCC Trunk or Treat
November 12—Congregational Dinner

Service Schedule

Children's Church

October 19—L. Taylor & A. Lindsey
October 26—M. Pace & T. Lisenbee
November 2—A. Yonce & L. Johnson
November 9—T. McCurry & M. Howard

Communion to Shut-Ins

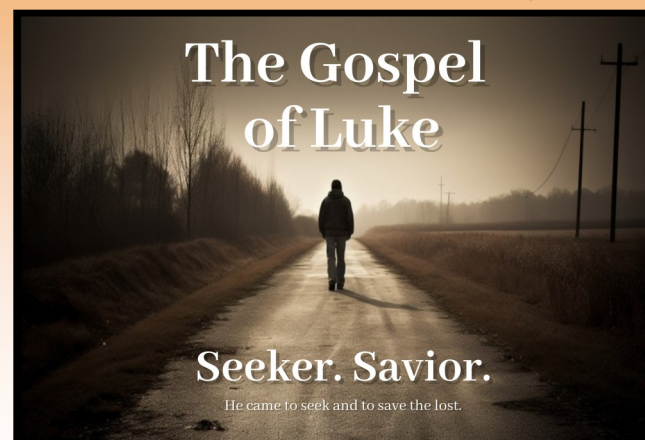
October 19—D. Howard & J. Lee
October 26—Tim Howard
November 2—R. Jones & C. Hendrickson
November 9—D. Howard & J. Lee

Van Drivers

October 19—Carter Hendrickson
October 26—Scott & Misty Pace
November 5—Carter Hendrickson
November 9—Scott & Misty Pace

Disciple Notes

Week of October 13, 2025



Parenting isn't for the faint-hearted. It's all excitement with that first baby. All of the new experiences and high expectations. "We're going to be the best parents and our children are going to be the most talented, the most handsome and beautiful, the smartest, the most athletic. And, they'll love and adore us because we're the perfect parents." And, then they're born and reality sets in. After a

couple of days with round-the-clock help at the hospital, they send you home and you realize you're on your own. You may have some help from your parents but that's not enough. What do we do now? Help!

And, then they start to grow up. They hit the "terrible twos" that spills over into the "thrashing threes" and the "forlorn fours" and sleep and ideals have gone out the window. I remember my brothers watching our kids growing up and thinking, "My kids will never do that." And, then, they had kids and I could only laugh because their kids did that, too.

Then they become teenagers and life's crazy for a few years as they come to the belief that their parents are stupid and the teen knows everything. After surviving that stage, I thought it would get easier from here. But, I've learned that being the parent of adults isn't always smooth sailing, either. I've still got a lot of learning to do. Parenting at any stage isn't for the weak.

We're going to see that this week as we look at one of Jesus' most famous parables about a rebellious son who thinks he knows best and his loving and forgiving father. I encourage you to read ahead as we talk about Luke 15:11-24 this Sunday. Let's prepare our hearts and come expecting to have an encounter with our loving Heavenly Father during our time of worship. We look forward to seeing you and bring a friend. Have a great week!

In Christ,
David

HCC Prayer List Hospital

Nursing Home/Rehabilitation

Dianne Corrison, Dan Forester, Ken Lawson,
Marilyn Unthank

Church Family

Trish Burkhardt, Will Cassim, Mikey & June Clem,
Phillip Dozier, Jennifer Elam, Evelyn Hopkins, Ann
Howard, Gayle Huff, Judy Kersey, George King,
Martha Lee, Cade Lindsey, Shelba Malcomb, Ginger
Parks, Linda Parsons, Alan Sutton, June Sutton, Ed
Taylor, Paul Welch, Margaret Yost

Friends & Relatives

Jesse Alcantar, Glenda Anderson, Earl Ball, John
Barrett, Anna Blanken, Brian Brock, Eric Bowling,
Marvenia Bowman, Ron Caldwell, Sonny & Brenda
Cassim, Sybil Caswell, Danielle Caudill, Wendy Clem,
Juanita Cole, Melanie Cooper, Johnny & Beth Creech,
William Curry, Lana Daniels, Rita Epperson, Brandi
Evans, Tim Evans, Tommy Evans, Frank Farley, Elmar
Hall, Ada Howard, Jacob Hubbard, Amy Johnson, Larry
Johnson, Kim Kelly, Jonathon Klein, Danny Lawson,
Olivia Lewis, Bill Lisenbee, Eddie Manning, Sharon
Marlin, Saylor McCurry, Barbara McKinney, Jonah
Miller, Steve Moore, Ralph Napier, Ron Pace, Conley
Parker, Clarinda Phillips, Rachel Florence Poe, Charles
Saylor, Garfield Saylor, Mary Simpson, Suzanne
Smallwood, Rook, Quinn Smith, Sara Stanton, Jan
Stringer, Roger Surgener, Wilma Swim, Dana Vanover

Family of

Mothers-to-Be

Others

Military/families, Christ's Hands, First Priority, Hope
Center, Lydia's House, Celebrate Recovery, E-House,
Cindy's Place, Navigator Ministries, Christians and
Church of Ukraine, Greater Piedmont Adult & Teen
Challenge, Israel Crisis

Prayer List Update

Please notify the church office at (606)573-1314 if
others should be added to or removed from the list.

Thanks!

Attendance & Offering October 5, 2025

Attendance: 124

General Giving: \$3,704.42

Benevolence: \$275.00

Morris Trust: \$50.00

Total: \$4,029.42

**Sundays
at
10:30 AM**



Church Board Meeting



Board Meeting—October 20 @ 6:30 PM



Ladies Group on Thursdays @ 5:30 PM

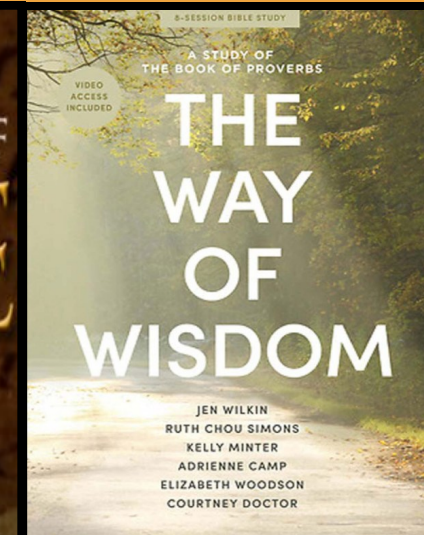
Please join us in praying this verse this week:
Surely the arm of the Lord is not too
short to save, nor his ear too dull
to hear.
(Isaiah 59:1)



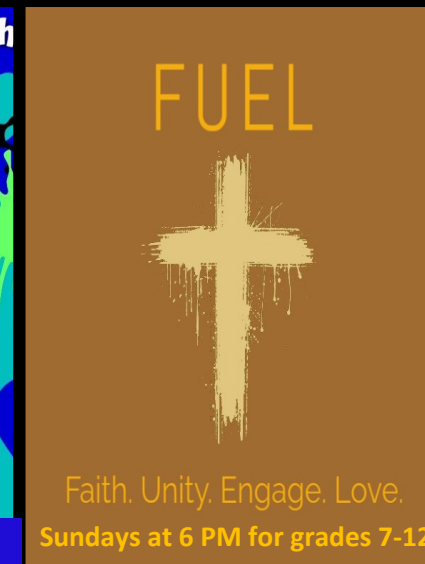
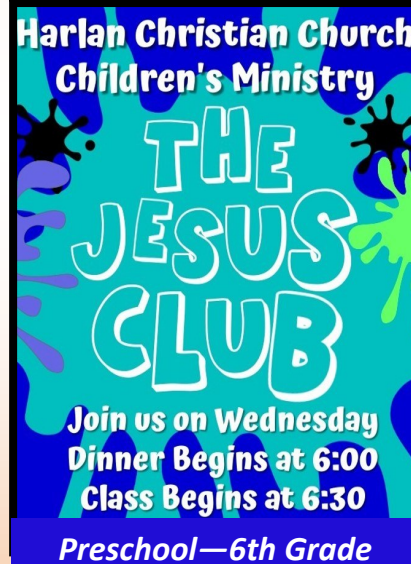
Adult Sunday School
Sundays at 9:30 AM



Group and Women's Study
Wednesdays at 6:30 PM



Women's Bible Study
Mondays at 9:45 AM



Men's Discover Study
Tuesdays at 6:00 PM



HCC Trunk or Treat
HCC will host its annual Trunk or Treat
event on First Street in front of our building
on Wednesday, October 29 from 6-7 PM.
This is a great outreach to our community.
We'll have a meal for church participants
after the event. Please see Roy to sign up to
participate and invite family and friends.