



Building Relationships with Christ, One Another, and the World



August 9 Hosea 3:1-4:10  
August 10 Hosea 5:4-15  
August 11 Hosea 6:1-7:2  
August 12 Hosea 7:3-16  
August 13 Hosea 9:17-10:15  
August 14 Hosea 11:1-11  
August 15 Hosea 14:1-9

**AT 10:00 A.M. OUR MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE  
WILL BE LIVE STREAMED ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE  
[www.facebook.com/hbcmeridian](http://www.facebook.com/hbcmeridian)  
AND YOUTUBE CHANNEL [www.youtube.com/hbcmeridian](http://www.youtube.com/hbcmeridian)  
CALL THE OFFICE TO ORDER A DVD OR USB FLASHDRIVE.**

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## HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH PLAN FOR AUGUST

### AUGUST 9, SUNDAY

Sunday School - 9:00 - 9:45 AM

Nursery—Adult 2

Worship Service REVISION 10:00 - 10:45 AM  
LAST NAME BEGINS WITH K-Z August 9

### AUGUST 19, WEDNESDAY

- No meal
- Prayer meeting will be in the sanctuary (6:00 - 6:45 PM)
- Youth worship will resume
- Kids' activities will resume

### ADULT 1 SUNDAY SCHOOL

Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.

- Ladies' Classes (Anderson/Neal, Poe and Gambill)  
Meet in the Tea Room each week
- Men's Class (Clayton)  
Meet in the Gathering Area each week

**\*\*\*REMEMBER WE WILL PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING AND ARE ENCOURAGING OUR CONGREGATION TO WEAR A MASK\*\*\***

## FROM OUR CHURCH ADMINISTRATOR...

When I was leaving to take my first job after college with the Monsanto Company in St. Louis, MO I made the bold, confident statement that only someone in their 20's can make. I boldly made the assertion that I would never be in construction, and I would never live in Mississippi again. Well, I was wrong. The Lord apparently believed that I needed further training and moved me from St. Louis, to Arizona (US Army), to St. Louis, to Houston, TX; to Aberdeen, MS (Conoco Chemicals), to Meridian (O.L. Snowden & Sons) ending with a daily commute to Jackson with the Department of Finance & Administration. The point of all this is that each job I had (even the one in the Army) dealt with some facet of the construction industry, and each new job built on knowledge and skills from all the previous jobs. So, God put me in Mississippi and in construction.

I am no longer 23 years old, but in January of this year I could have easily said that we would NEVER barricade ½ of the pews in the sanctuary, move all of the adult SS classes to different rooms, teach the children's classes with children sitting on the floor and worship with no choir. This bold assertion would have been just as wrong as the prediction made by me in 1969. The same God who guided me through life's training program remains in control, and still has a mission for Highland Baptist Church. I do not know the details of how we will accomplish the mission, but I do know that we must be innovative and open to guidance from the Holy Spirit. I ask that we all pray that we remain focused on the "goal", and not the "means and methods".

## THIS WEEK'S SERMON SCRIPTURE REFERENCE: PSALM 121

## Online Giving

If you own an Android phone, [CLICK HERE](#) to download the app.  
If you have an iPhone, [CLICK HERE](#) to download the app.  
Open the app and select Highland Baptist Church.  
If you have the Shelby Membership App, you may provide your cell number and enter a code provided by the app to obtain your giving data. If you already have an online giving account, you may sign-in and give online. If you do not have an online giving account, the app provides the option to create one.  
**TEXT GIVING.** The number for text giving is 601-340-9409.  
Type HBC in the message.  
Contact Rick Snowden ([rick@highlandbaptist.net](mailto:rick@highlandbaptist.net), 601.917.6335).

### MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are in memory of  
Mrs. Genola Jenkins given by Ray Jenkins,  
Phil and Lisa Jenkins and Chris and Reba Lee.

### HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH MEMORIALS

IN MEMORY OF JAMES GALLOWAY:

By the WOW Sunday School Class of Highland Baptist Church  
IN MEMORY OF ALLEN GOLDMAN:

Designated to the Music Ministry by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilkerson  
IN MEMORY OF GARY DYESS:

Designated to Capital Improvements by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilkerson

**ON-TO-COLLEGE 2020** Please contact the church office by August 10 if you have a college student!

### THE HBC NOMINATING COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS OF SERVICE:

Sunday school teachers needed:

Grades K&1 class                      Preschool 3&4 class

Children's church workers for 3 year old-K needed:

1st Sunday-1 worker                      5th Sunday-1 worker

Kidz worship (Grades 1-3) workers needed:

1st Sunday-2 workers                      2nd Sunday-3 workers

3rd Sunday-2 workers                      4th Sunday-2 workers

WOW workers needed:

Boys K-Grade 5-1 worker                      Preschool 3&4- 1or 2 workers

Please contact any member of the Nominating Committee to volunteer.

### STEWARDSHIP REPORT AUGUST 2, 2020

Budget	12,063.00	CDC Req. to date	721,006.37
Child Development Center	.00	(31@23,258.27)	
Designated	375.00	CDC Receipts to date	581,111.00
Total	12,438.00	SS ATTENDANCE	129
Budget Req. to date (31@22,740.93)	704,968.83	WORSHIP ATTENDANCE AM	129
Budget Receipts to date	641,403.85		

JULY OVER/UNDER EXPENSES Church : \$-71.76 CDC: \$18,046.99

Total Over/Under: \$17,975.23