

NEWS+EVENTS

March 7, 2021

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HBC Annual Meeting today, March 7 at 9am in the Worship Center: This is a time of worship as we reflect on God's faithfulness and provision. Members will vote to affirm the 2021 Budget, reaffirm the current lay-elders serving on the governing elder board, and to affirm the new elder candidate, Billy McGill. Ballots are available at the Welcome Center or from an usher.

Daylight Savings begins Sunday, March 14 at 2am. Please set your clocks ahead one hour the night before on March 13.

Inside this Worship Guide you will find a list of our Elders & Pastors. Please take a moment to connect their faces with their names and pray for them as they serve our church body.

Choir Rehearsal this Wednesday night, March 10 at 7:15. For those interested in joining choir or the orchestra, please contact Jonathan Dirrim, jonathan@heritageokc.org.

Good Friday service April 2, 7pm and **Resurrection Day Celebration** April 4—Worship services at 9:00am and 10:30am.

Save the Date—April 16 at 5pm: Life Adult (60 & Up) **“No Bus” Jubilee** here at HBC. Come and enjoy great food, songs, no fuss and no bus! More info and sign up to follow.

Kanakuk Kampout July 12-16: This summer we are again hosting KampOut, a Christian day-camp adventure for kids 5-12 years old! Registration is now open—sign up online at cometokamp.org. A few ways you can help with Kampout: Be a host home for staff, help provide staff lunch, or serve as a healthcare professional. If you have questions, contact Shawn McGill, shawn@heritageokc.org; or 773-3333 x109.

Get more information about a small group or ABF class on the [groups page](#) on our website or at the Welcome Desk.

Visit <http://heritageokc.org/serve/> to find more ways you can be part of what God is doing at Heritage Baptist Church.



As a family of forgiven people we are honored that you have joined with us today as we seek to develop people who delight in God and declare His glory—from our neighborhoods to the nations. Our prayer is that you will connect with God through Christ this morning and that this would be the beginning of a deep connection with other believers as well. Please take a moment to fill out the Communication Card located under the pew in front of you.



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Call To Worship
Pastoral Prayer

Songs of Worship

*Christ Our Hope in
Life and Death*

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

Scripture Reading

Romans 12:3-13

Songs of Worship

Oh How Good It Is

*O Lord My Rock and My
Redeemer*

Message

Announcements

Song of Response

Oh How Good It Is

“Your true identity is who God says you are. You will never discover who you are by looking inside yourself or listening to what others say. The Lord gets the first word because He made you. He gets the daily word because you live before His face. He gets the last word because He will administer your final ‘comprehensive life review.’”

David Powlison

“How did the early church ever function without the ‘expertise’ we have today? Yet those Christians turned the world upside down (Acts 17:6), and they did it without any celebrity testimonies, without modern management techniques, without psychotherapy, without mass media, and without most of the means the contemporary church seems to view as essential. All they had was God’s Word and the power of His Spirit, but they knew that was sufficient.”

John MacArthur

“The Gospel message alone is able to bring dead men to life and reconcile sinners to God and to one another. The accommodation of unbiblical ideology will only bring further division and render real reconciliation impossible.”

Author Unknown

“A home full of grace is also full of truth, because grace doesn’t make people less holy – it makes them more holy. Grace doesn’t make people despise or neglect truth – it makes them love and follow truth. Grace isn’t a free pass to sin – it’s a supernatural empowerment not to sin. By failing to address sin in each other’s lives we send an unspoken message: ‘I’ll overlook your sin if you overlook mine.’ Grace raises the bar – but it also enables us to joyfully jump over that bar. Any concept of grace that leaves us – or our children – thinking truth is expendable, is not biblical grace.”

Randy Alcorn

The Glory and Liberty of Knowing Our Identity in Christ

II Corinthians 5:14-21

Big Truth of Today’s Message: *Will we be defined by what others say about us or what we say about ourselves, or by what God says about us? There is glory and liberty in applying the gospel to all of life.*

Vv. 14-15 All things must be accomplished under the control of Christ’s love.

Vv. 16-17 Our primary identity must be in Jesus Christ.

Vv. 18-19 We are reconciled to God and to each other through the gospel.

Vv. 20-21 We are ambassadors for Christ and of the reconciliation He offers.