



## **Worship Bulletin and Herndon UMC News October 27, 2024**

If you are new to Herndon UMC, welcome! We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us. Please introduce yourself to any staff member or say hello in an email to **welcome@herndonumc.org**.

TRUNK OR TREAT TODAY 1:30-3:30 PM! Come enjoy fellowship, music and a little Halloween fun! Invite your friends and neighbors.

BRUNSWICK STEW. Herndon's Men are looking for help making the stew. Sign up and donate canned goods in the usual places, or join in the fellowship and fun on 11/1-2. Contact **men@herndonumc.org** for more information. Pre-order the delicious, savory, Brunswick Stew for yourself, a friend, or LINK by 10/29 at **bit.ly/OrderStew2024**.

KIDS 5-13, MAKE SOME ROOM FOR CHRISTMAS! Be a part of the Children's Christmas Musical this year. Rehearsals are Wednesdays starting 11/6 and the show will be at the December Worship & Fellowship Dinner on 12/18. Sign up today at **bit.ly/ChristmasMusical2024**.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS AT 2AM ON SUNDAY 11/3.

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY, 11/3 – give thanks for those who have gone before us in the faith. Share names/photos of loved ones who have passed away over the last year with **admin@herndonumc.org** by 10/30. Bring a picture of any loved one that you would like to remember to place on the altar (at least 10 minutes before) worship.

ANNUAL CHARGE CONFERENCE will be on Sunday, 11/3 after the 10am worship service (at about 11:30 am).

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ELECTION EVE HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE on 11/4 at 7 pm for a special worship service with Holy Communion before the election. All are welcome! Invite friends and neighbors.

HELP WITH TOS/HYPOTHERMIA DINNERS. If you have pre-wrapped plastic wear from restaurants, please bring them to the church office. If you have experience (or interest) in helping create inexpensive, healthy meals (especially main dishes) with about 80 servings, please contact Beth Czerwinski at [neighbors@herndonumc.org](mailto:neighbors@herndonumc.org).

THE WOMEN'S BOOK CLUB. Up next is "Our Missing Hearts," by Celeste Ng. on 11/6 at 7 pm. RSVP [womensbookclub@herndonumc.org](mailto:womensbookclub@herndonumc.org).

TOP OF THE HILL retirees, will gather for lunch on the first Thursday of November 11/7 in Room 115/116. Bring a lunch; dessert and laughter provided. RSVP to [topofthehill@herndonumc.org](mailto:topofthehill@herndonumc.org).

LINK BAGS AVAILABLE. Please return with food for LINK on 11/10.

DISCOVER HERNDON FOR NOVEMBER will meet at Dickey's Barbecue Pit (494 Elden St) at 11:30am on 11/10. RSVP [welcome@herndonumc.org](mailto:welcome@herndonumc.org).

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT THE CLOSET, 11/15. Sign up in the app, at [bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds](https://bit.ly/HerndonUMCNeeds), on the clipboards, or contact Bill & Betty Arey, [thecloset@herndonumc.org](mailto:thecloset@herndonumc.org).

UPWARD REGISTRATION CONTINUES UNTIL 11/16! Upward Basketball is open to boys and girls, age 5 (grade K) through grade 6. Learn more at [herndonumc.org/upward](https://herndonumc.org/upward) or from Rachel King, [upward@herndonumc.org](mailto:upward@herndonumc.org).

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Worship—10 AM

**Gathering Music** | *Prelude from Songs for Worship* | Played by Sarah Solomon

**Welcome & Announcements** | Melissa Chavez

**Call to Worship** | Adapted from Ministry Matters | Olivia Bowers

[One] O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

**[All] God's love and warm embrace last forever.**

[One] When we cry out in distress, the Lord hears our call.

**[All] Praise the Lord who delivers us from sin and death.**

[One] Christ calls us to clothe ourselves in righteousness.

**[All] Worship the One who helps us grow in the image of our Creator.**

[One] Love well, for your heart is where your treasure is.

**[All] May our hearts be filled with God's blessings, divine provisions that meet our true needs.**

**Opening Song** | *Seek Ye First* | UMH 405 | led by Melissa Chavez

[v. 1] **Seek ye first the kingdom of God**

**And His righteousness;**

**And all these things shall be added unto you.**

**Hallelu, Hallelujah!**

[v. 2] **Ask, and it shall be given unto you;**

**Seek, and you shall find.**

**Knock, and it shall be opened unto you.**

**Hallelu, Hallelujah!**

**Opening Prayer** | Written by Melissa Chavez | Olivia Bowers

**Loving God,**

**you are present with us now,**

**as we offer praise and thanksgiving**

**for the abundance we have received  
though your grace.**

**Like a loving parent,  
you have sustained our needs—  
as you watch over the sparrows and all of creation,  
you watch over us.**

**Help us, Lord, to heed your call,  
that we might store up treasures in heaven,  
treasures that will never be lost or destroyed,  
through Christ Jesus, our Lord and Savior.**

**Passing the Peace and Dismissal to Kids Club | Melissa Chavez**

**Scripture | Matthew 6:19-21, 24 NRSVUE | Olivia Bowers**

“Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal, but store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consumes and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

“No one can serve two masters, for a slave will either hate the one and love the other or be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth.

This is the Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God!**

**Message | Rev. SeongJae Jo**

**Hymn | *Be thou my vision* | UMH 451 | led by Melissa Chavez**

**[V.1] Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;**

**Naught be all else to me, save that thou art;  
Thou my best thought, by day or by night,  
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.**

**[V.2] Be thou my Wisdom, and thou my true Word;  
I ever with thee and thou with me, Lord;  
Thou my great Father, and I thy true son,  
Thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.**

**[V.3] Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise;  
Thou mine inheritance, now and always;  
Thou and thou only, first in my heart,  
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.**

**[V.4] High King of heaven, my victory won,  
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's Sun!  
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.**

**Invitation to Giving** | Rev. Pam Bentley

**Offertory** | *His Eye is on the Sparrow* | Mark Hayes | Wesley Choir,  
Sarah Solomon, guest director, Melissa Chavez, pianist

**Doxology** | *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow* | UMH 95 | led by  
Melissa Chavez

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer** | Rev. Pam Bentley

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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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

**Closing Song** | *God, We See What You Have Given* | NETTLETON | led by  
Melissa Chavez

**God, we see what you have given;  
Signs of grace are everywhere!  
All around are gifts from heaven –  
Gifts enough for all to share.  
We are stewards of your bounty,  
Called to give as we've received;  
And your blessings have been plenty  
From the day we first believed.**

**We are stewards of the richness  
That you send from heav'n above.  
For in Christ, you gave up greatness,  
Humbly showing us your love.  
In a manger – gift from heaven!  
On a cross – with love and pain!  
You proclaimed we are forgiven;  
Now you send us in your name.**

**We are stewards of your welcome  
That you showed through Christ the Son.  
In his living and his teaching,  
Jesus welcomed everyone.  
To the outcast and the stranger,  
He showed hospitality!**

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**By your Spirit, may we also  
Give the welcome we've received.**

**We are stewards, sent out sharing,  
Offering you our very best.  
Through our serving and our caring  
May we give as we've been blessed.  
God of love, may faithful living  
Be much more than Sunday talk.  
Send us loving, serving, giving;  
Help us daily walk your walk!**

**Benediction** | Rev. SeongJae Jo

**Leaving Music** | *Toccata* | Anon. Italian | Played by Melissa Chavez