



Evangel

Presbyterian Church PCA

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Welcome
to Worship!

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ORDER FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

The Lord's Day, May 17, 2026

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Meditation

Psalm 19:14

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart
be acceptable in your sight, O LORD, my rock and my redeemer!

APPROACHING GOD IN WORSHIP

Greeting: Grace and peace to you from God our Father
and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship

Psalm 29:1-2

Leader: Ascribe to the Lord glory and strength!

All: **Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; let
us worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.**

Psalm 96

Great is the Lord

Prayer of Adoration

APPROACHING GOD IN CONFESSION AND SERVICE

Call to Confession

Psalm 139:23-24

Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

Prayer of Confession in Unison

Based on Psalm 139

Lord, you have searched our hearts, and you know us completely. You know our thoughts. Even before a word is on our tongues, you know it altogether. Forgive us for our wicked hearts, thoughts, and words.

Where could we go from your Spirit? You are always with us, yet we have neglected your Spirit and fled from you in our sin. And we are slow to marvel at your wonderful works. Have mercy on us. Forgive our grievous ways and lead us in the way everlasting. Through Christ we pray.

Silent Confession of Sin

The Lord's Assurance of Pardon

Romans 8:1, 38-39

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For I am sure that neither death nor life... nor anything else in all creation will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Hymn

Before the Throne of God Above

The Offering

Gloria Patri #735

Glory be to the Father,

And to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,

World without end. Amen, amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn

Speak, O Lord

RECEIVING THE WORD OF GOD

The Scripture Reading and Response

Psalm 12

James 3:1-12

Leader: The grass withers, the flower fades;

People: **But the Word of our God stands forever.**

Children are invited to Children's Church (ages 3-7). Teachers meet them in the foyer. Pick up is after the service at the end of the south hall.

Sermon

The Untamable Tongue

Dave Hardy

Prayer of Application

RESPONDING TO THE WORD OF GOD

Hymn

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Benediction

1 Thessalonians 3:12-13

"May the Lord make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness."

Doxology #731

Praise God from whom all blessings flow

Praise him, all creatures, here below;

Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

Postlude

SERMON NOTES

The Untamable Tongue

James 3:1-12

UPCOMING DATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Join us after worship today for our monthly fellowship lunch.

Next Sunday, May 24th, we will observe the Lord's Supper. We will also be celebrating our graduates – Sydney and Gage (High School), and Jenna (College) – with baskets available in the foyer for cards and gifts.

By May 31, our use of Realm will conclude. Planning Center will now serve as our primary tool for communication, giving, scheduling, and event registration. To stay connected, use the *Church Center* app.

Ladies join us as we celebrate Lane's fiancée, Hannah, with a bridal shower on June 6th at 11:00. RSVP's or questions to Maryanne. The couple is registered at Zola, Walmart, Target, and Amazon.

VBS is July 7th-11th, 9am-12pm. Registration is now live for volunteers and students via the church app and website. Contact Kaili, the director, at 316-303-2309 if you have any questions.

About Today's Preacher

Dave Hardy serves as a Church Planting Resident at Heartland Community Church, where he, his wife Katie, and their four children are members. Dave is also licensed to preach by Heartland Presbytery.

CHURCH PROGRAMS

Kids' Choir.....	Sundays at 9:10 AM
Sunday School.....	Sundays at 9:10 AM
Gather	Sundays at 10:10 AM
Morning Worship	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Evangel Choir	Sundays at 12:10 PM
Caregiver Support Group ^{Third}	Sundays at 2:00 PM
Youth Group	Sundays at 3:30 PM
Kids' Quest Classes.....	Sundays at 4:00 PM
Prayer Time	Sundays at 4:00 PM
Women's Coffee Talks ^{First}	Saturday 10:00 AM
Women's Evening Study Group ^{Second & Fourth}	Tuesday at 7:00 PM
Men's Study Group ^{Second}	Saturday 10:00 AM
F.L.O.C.K.S. Groups	See group leaders for time and location

MISSION

Evangel believes the Bible is the infallible word of God and forgiveness and eternal life are obtained only through God's Son, Jesus Christ, who died as a substitute for His people. Our objective is to exalt the glory of God, to build up and sustain the faith of members, to engage in mutual service, to interpret today's happenings in the light of God's revelation, and to proclaim the Gospel to the world.

GUEST INFORMATION

Welcome to Evangel! Nursery care is provided for infants and toddlers under age three during Sunday school and the worship service.

Children's church is offered for children ages 3 to 7. Children may leave the service after the Scripture reading.

LEADERSHIP

Session

Brad Doeden
Bryan Fiscus
Marlon Johnston, Clerk of Session
Adam McKinney

Diaconate

Kyle Doeden
Zack Flummerfelt
Jeovano Lima