

PreWorship Video *Stand and Welcome One Another*

Welcome

“Rock Of Ages, Cleft for Me” **342**
Verses 1, 2, 3

Missionary Moment

Prayer

Offering/ Announcements

“Rescue the Perishing” 559 Verses 1, 2, & 4

“The Solid Rock” 406

Verses 1,2,3,4 *Dismiss for Children’s Church*

Message **Pastor Jim Norman**
“Is God Fair?” Romans 2: 11-16

“Softly and Tenderly” **312**

Closing Announcements & Prayer **Paco Prince**

Welcome Prayer



Sermon Notes

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January 4, 2025
Matt Koehler, Ryan Robison

January 11, 2026
Coral Leonard, Jonathan Sipe

A Special Welcome to our Guests!

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. We hope you enjoyed the service. If today is your first time visiting, we hope you will fill out a visitor's card and pick up one of our special gift bags.

Missionary Moment



January 4, 2026

Jackie Lewis *

Uganda

*Pray for continued openness
among the Poppas and for
protection and perseverance
for Jackie and her team.*

"Are you going to tell us the story of the Savior next?" an older Muslim man asked IMB missionary Jackie Lewis during a language preservation project in Uganda. Lewis was stunned—the man had previously been hostile to Christians.

Known affectionately as “the Poppas,” this group of Muslim elders comes from war-torn, secluded mountainous regions where folk Islam and forgotten tribal languages dominate. The project preserves their languages while introducing Bible stories, recording them for distribution via SD cards.

Despite bombings, water disruptions, and tragic loss—including one of the Poppas—Lewis and her team remain committed. Some participants now recognize the connections between the Old Testament and the promised Savior.

*Some names changed for security.



Through the Cooperative Program, Southern Baptists help bring God's Word to forgotten peoples in their heart language.

For additional resources, scan the code or visit [sbcm.net/cpstories](https://www.sbc.net/cpstories)

Prayer Requests from our Moldova Missionaries

Please pray for an administrative transition for us. Along with our current work we have been asked to take a leadership role partnerning with five leaders in other Eastern European countries. Please pray for us as we learn this new role and move ahead with caution and Spirit leading in work/home balance making the best use of our time in all areas.



Our Record

Attendance: Sunday School – 70 AM Worship –222

Offerings:	Received	Needed	Received
	Last Week	Yr to Date	Yr to Date
	\$2,455.00	\$400,000.12	\$409,095.44

Designated \$360.00

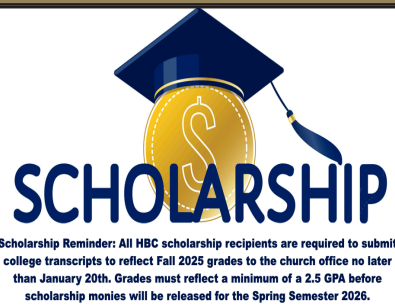
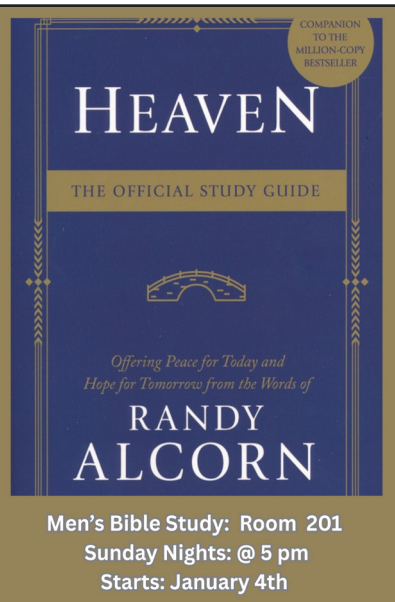
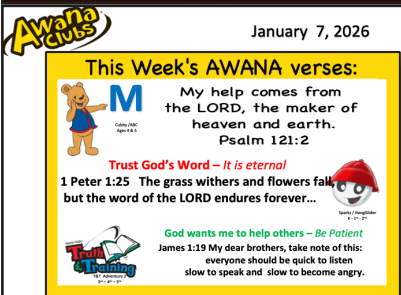
Lottie Moon Offering YTD- \$6,910.00

It's Happening at Highland

January 4 – Men's Bible Study 5:00 PM
Tribute Quartet 6:00 PM

January 7 – AWANA begins for Spring

January 11 – Deacons Meeting 4:00 PM



Ministry Opportunities

Today

9:15 AM	Bible Study
10:30 AM	Morning Worship—On Campus and Online
5:00 PM	Youth Bible Study/Men's Bible Study
6:00 PM	Tribute Quartet LIVE

Wednesday

5:00 PM	Wednesday Night Supper
5:25- 7:15 PM	AWANA – Ages 4-5th Grade
6:00 PM	Wednesday Night Bible Study
7:00 PM	Adult Choir Practice

Deacon of the Week

January 3-9	Paco Prince
January 10-16	Jason Robison
January 17-23	Jonathan Sipe
January 24-30	Mark Smith

Nursery Volunteers

Sunday, January 4:

Bible Study: Kelly Farris

Morning Worship: Kim Dodson, Kelly Farris, Rick Miller

Evening Worship: Samantha Norman, Kathy Hasty

Wednesday January 7: Kim Dodson, Kathy Hasty



HBC Church Nursery

Nursery care is available in Room 101B for newborn babies – 3-year-olds, during Bible Study, Sunday Morning Worship, and Sunday Evening Worship. There will be Wednesday night nursery care during the months of September–April, when AWANA meets.

Welcome to



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“Is God Fair?” Romans 2:11-16

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Pastor Jim Norman, *Senior Pastor*

Matt Koehler, *Minister of Youth and Education*

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Ann Smith, *CDC Director*

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