



# Overwhelming Love!

July 25, 2010  
Shannon Salisbury



**Our Mission: To Love and To Lead**

The Mission of Heritage Church is to **Love** God and people passionately and to **Lead** people into a passionate relationship with Jesus Christ.

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Heritage United Methodist Church

## Order of Worship

9:15 am Worship

### WE GATHER TOGETHER

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| Prelude  | Renee Baldwin |
| Welcome and Announcements  | Bob Freeman   |
| *Call to Worship from Eph 1, 1 John 4  | John Moose    |
| Leader: Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ! |               |
| <b>People: For He chose us in Him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in His sight!</b>  |               |
| Leader: This is how God showed His love among us: He sent His one and only Son into the world that we might live through Him!                        |               |
| <b>People: This is love: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins!</b>                      |               |
| <b>ALL: We thank you, Lord! We love you, Lord! We praise Your Holy name!</b>   |               |

### WE WORSHIP THE LORD IN SONG

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| *Hymn of Praise | Praise to the Lord, the Almighty!<br>vs. 1,2,3,5 | UMH #139 |
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## WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH

\*Apostles' Creed

UMH #881

Leader: At Heritage Church, we believe in the Apostolic Faith! We embrace the very substance of the faith of the apostles and the martyrs as outlined in the Apostles' Creed. Let us unite in this historic confession of the Christian faith.

**People: I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day He rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. (*meaning "universal"*)**

\*Glory Be to the Father

**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!**

## WE PRAY TOGETHER

Pastoral Prayer

Max Goins

The Lord's Prayer

**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. Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

## WE WORSHIP GOD WITH OUR GIVING

Offertory Prayer

Max Goins

Offertory

Arioso  
by J.S. Bach

Sean Bricker

\*Doxology

UMH # 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!  
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of Liberty, to Thee we sing;  
Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light;  
Protect us by Thy might, great God, our King. Amen.**

## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

\*Prayer of Illumination

**Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.**

\*Gospel Reading: Mark 12: 28-34

Pew Bible Page #46 NT

Leader: This is the Word of our Lord!

**People: Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ!**

Hymn of Preparation

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling!  
vs. 1,3,4

UMH #384

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## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\*Closing Hymn

O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go!

UMH #480

## WE GO TO BE THE CHURCH TO THE WORLD

\*Closing Prayer of Blessing

Max Goins

Postlude

Renee Baldwin

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**PRAYER CONCERNS:**

In the Hospital:

**Jean Sabatier** (Chapel Ridge Rehab)  
**Bruce Smith** (Minnesota)  
**Emmett Spencer** (HealthSouth)  
**Jean Peer** (St. Edward)  
**Alexis Boster and Baby** (St. Edward)

At Home:

**Bill Barham** (son-in-law of Ruth Morrison)  
**Amelia Sue Boyd** (granddaughter of Joe and Rocki Hill)  
**Joe Wayne Brooks** (cousin of Smokey McPhail)  
**Margene Bules**  
**Jim and Gerlinda Dibble**  
**Harold Dunnum** (father of Julie Evans)  
**Tom Everitt**  
**Quinda Farine** (mother of Sarah Vinson)  
**Wallace Greenfield** (brother of Ruth Morrison)  
**Melissa Johnson** (daughter of Bruce Johnson)  
**Anna Moon**  
**Helen Musgraves** (Hope's Creek)  
**Carolyn Scott** (daughter of Margene Bules)  
**Dr. Torsten Seubold** (brother of Frank Seubold)  
**Bill Sharum** (brother of Ann Hopkins)  
**Jean Stratton** (Legacy Lodge)  
**Shawn Stumbaugh**  
**Anna Mackey Touchstone** (daughter-in-law of Shirley Touchstone)  
**Connie Warren**  
**Jeannette Wazelle**  
**Hazel Willis** (Methodist Nursing Home)  
**Lequetta Yates** (mother of Kelly Painter)

**All Military Personnel** around the world

In Thanksgiving:

**Michael and Alexis Boster** in the birth of their daughter, *Caleigh Anne*  
Proud grandparents are John and Brenda Boster.

**SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**9:15 AM - TRADITIONAL WORSHIP**  
**10:45 AM - CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP**  
**5:45 PM - PULSE YOUTH WORSHIP**

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**8:30 AM**

**Adult**

Once a Month .....Resource Center  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday each month)

**9:15 AM**

**Children**

Nursery through 6<sup>th</sup> grade

**Jr. and Sr. High AM Vibe**

7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> ..... The Block

**Adult**

Young Adults .....Room 134

**10:45 AM**

**Children**

Nursery through 6<sup>th</sup> grade

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**Adult**

Unity.....Room 121  
Pairs & Spares.....Room 122  
Good Shepherd.....Room 123  
Do Good for Nothing.....Room 124  
Life Change.....Room 130

**Life Groups**

To get involved with a life group, see one of our representatives in our Welcome Center or contact the church office.

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# WELCOME TO HERITAGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## A WORD TO OUR GUESTS - "WELCOME!"

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today! We are honored to have you in our presence! We invite you to come with us with joy and reverence into the holy presence of our awesome God! He alone is worthy of all our honor, praise, and adoration! If you need anything or have any questions, just ask one of our ushers who are eager to help you. Our staff is also eager to help. You will know the staff members by their green name tags.

## UPCOMING MESSAGES:

### AUGUST 1<sup>ST</sup>:

Guest Speaker:  
Erich Bauman

### AUGUST 8<sup>TH</sup>:

How to Fortify Your Life!  
Wes Hilliard

### MEMBERSHIP

For information about joining Heritage Church, please check "wish to join" on the friendship pad or welcome card.

### FAMILIES WITH INFANTS

Our infant nursery is equipped with changing stations, a nursing area, and closed-circuit TV. Our staff is trained and ready to serve you. Not quite ready to leave your child with us? You are always welcome to stay.

### CHILDREN

Children are always welcome in our worship services; however, a nursery is provided for children under 5 years and the Fellowship Hall is equipped with closed-circuit TV for parents with children who become restless. Sunday school is also offered. Check in times are from 9 to 9:30 am for the first service and 10:30 to 11 am for the second service.

### PRAYER LIST

To add a name to our printed prayer list, complete a prayer card and place on the altar or in the offering plate. The name will be printed in next week's bulletin. Please let the office know if a name should be left on longer.

### MESSAGES AVAILABLE

Audio of our Sunday message is available online at the Heritage website. Also on the website is the current Sunday bulletin along with the Message Notes and Overhead Presentation. You can visit our website at [www.heritagevb.org](http://www.heritagevb.org)

### NAMETAGS

Don't forget to wear your nametag! If you do not have a nametag, add your name to the sign-up sheet on the reception desk in the main office. The cost is \$6. You do not have to be a member of the church to have a nametag.

### HEARING DEVICES

We have hearing devices available for those who need them. If you would like one, please ask an usher to get one for you.

**BACKYARD SERVICE PROJECT** For the month of July, we are teaching the children about SERVING! Our mission project is to fill backpacks with school supplies for children in our community! Each week we ask that you bring certain items to the children's ministry office. This week's items are: Crayons, Pencil pouch, Kleenex. Next week's items are: Composition Notebooks, Markers and erasers. Backpacks are needed, as well.

**BOY SCOUTS** Troop 45 is still collecting aluminum cans. You can drop them off in the blue barrel out by the storage building, and they will take them to the recycling center.

**GRIEFSHARE** We have 2 groups that meet on Mondays, one at 9:30 am and one at 6:30pm. We will meet in room 134 here at Heritage. For more information, call Shirley Touchstone at 410-2387 or 629-7901.

**BACK TO SCHOOL EXTRAVANZA** We will serve 75 needy children with a new backpack, school supplies, underwear, socks, and a new pair of tennis shoes (Walmart quality). School supply lists and information sheets on the children are available in the church office. Please return items to the Heritage Office by Thursday, August 12.

**WEDDING BELLS** Mr. and Mrs. David Alexander invite you to share in the joy of the marriage uniting their daughter, Rachel to Brian Carter next Saturday, July 31st at 2 pm here at Heritage.

**HANDBELLS AND CHOIR** will resume on Wednesday, July 28th. Handbells at 5:30 pm and Choir at 6:30 pm.

**THE C.A.L.L.** will be having another information meeting tomorrow Monday, July 26th from 6-8pm at Crossroads Church in Alma.

**FORWARD** If you are age 18-25, join Brian on Tuesday, July 27th at 7pm in the Block for a night of worship, study and fellowship!

**TIMOTHY TEAM/TINY TIM** August 1st registration deadline is fast approaching.

**FOOD PANTRY** Next Sunday, August 1st is Food Pantry Sunday. Please bring your donated food items to fill our wagons. You can also provide groceries a bag at a time for \$5 at the Food Pantry donation table. Next meeting will be on Monday, August 2nd at noon.

**PULSE STUDENT MINISTRIES** If you are a student in grades 7-12, make plans to attend our Square Dance next Sunday, August 1st at 5:00 pm. There will be lots of square dancing, line dancing, food, fun and fellowship! Gear up western style and we'll see y'all there!

## THIS WEEK AT HERITAGE

### SUNDAY, JULY 25

### MONDAY, JULY 26

Women's Bible Study, 9:00 am  
GriefShare, 9:30 am  
Women's Bible Study, 6:30 pm  
GriefShare, 6:30 pm

### TUESDAY, JULY 27

Men's Bible Study, 6:15 am  
Newsletter Deadline, 8:00 am  
Staff Prayer and Fellowship, 11:15 am  
Praise Team Rehearsal, 6:00 pm

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 28

Children's Camp leave at 7:30 am  
Newsletter Crew, 8:00 am  
Handbells, 5:30 pm  
Sanctuary Choir, 6:30 pm

### THURSDAY, JULY 29

Children's Camp  
Seniors Growing With Christ, 9:45 am

### FRIDAY, JULY 30

Children's Camp  
Prayer (open to everyone), 9:00 am  
Alexander/Carter Wedding Rehearsal, 6:00 pm

### SATURDAY, JULY 31

Alexander/Carter Wedding, 2:00 pm

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

See Regular Sunday Schedule on back page or on our website [www.heritagevb.org](http://www.heritagevb.org)!



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Email it to  
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