

# **North Hills Community Baptist Church**



**April 13, 2025**

**11:00 a.m. Worship Service**

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# Welcome Guests!

We are excited to have you worship with us today! If you are a first-time or returning guest, we would like to connect with you. Please take a minute to either scan the QR Code to the right with your phone camera or complete the “We’re Glad You’re Here” card found in the pew racks, and place the card in the offering plate when it comes around.



## Order of Service

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Sarah Hefferin

### SONGS OF PRAISE

*All Glory Laud and Honor (Hymn #173)  
Psalm 24 (The King of Glory)  
Shout to the Lord*

### PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Jeremy Hall

### ANTHEM

*Behold the King*

NHCBC Choir

### OFFERING INVITATION AND PRAYER

Sarah Hefferin

\* Children are dismissed for children's church

### OFFERING MUSIC

*I Surrender All / Joyous Light*

### SCRIPTURE

*Luke 19:28-40 (Page 1040)*

Sarah Hefferin

### INVOCATION PRAYER

Rev. Felicia Zamora and Sarah Hefferin

### MESSAGE

Rev. Felicia Zamora  
“The King is Coming”

### CLOSING SONG

*The Blessing*

### BENEDICTION

Rev. Felicia Zamora

### \* Children's Church

Children ages 4 through 2nd grade are invited to children's church.  
*A snack is provided. Please see an usher with any allergy concerns.*

# Announcements

## Prayer Request Cards

Prayer request cards are available in the pew racks and in the narthex.

## Holy Week Events

April 13—Palm Sunday, Procession of Palms During 11 a.m. Worship

April 14, 15, 16—Devotional Videos From NHCBC Staff

April 17—Maundy Thursday Family-Style Communion\*

April 18—Good Friday Zoom Discussion at 7:00 p.m.

April 20—Easter Sunday, Breakfast at 9:30 a.m., Worship at 11:00 a.m.

*\* To sign up for Maundy Thursday Family Style Communion, please use the sign up sheet located at the back of the sanctuary, or email/call the church office to schedule a time.*

## Easter Breakfast at NHCBC

Join us Sunday, April 20, at 9:30 a.m. for Easter breakfast!

Those with last names A-I are asked to bring a pastry to share;

Those with last names J-Z are asked to bring a fruit dish to share.

Catalyst Youth will be selling **pierogies from the Pittsburgh Pierogi Truck**. See us at the Welcome Desk, order online using our QR code, or with the link in News and Notes to place your order by the end of the day **today, April 13**. Orders will be available for pick up Sunday, May 4.



## Save the Date!

Youth Sunday will be May 4. Join us during the 11:00 a.m. service as the youth lead the service.

## Car Wash to Support Catalyst Youth!

Save the date for the youth's annual car wash! Be sure to stop by the church on Saturday, May 17 between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to get your car cleaned inside and out!

**NHCBC's Rummage Sale** will be back this summer on **Saturday, June 21!** The Mission Board will be collecting gently used items to sell in early June (check your Communicator or News and Notes for details and collection times), and will need lots of help before and during the sale. From 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. that day, we will need volunteers to help with the actual sale. But we will also need volunteers to help set up and price in the days before (Wednesday evening through Friday night). If you are able to help, see any member of the Mission Board to sign up. Thanks in advance for your help!!

## Shaler Area High School Lid Collection has now ended.

Thank you for supporting their efforts to provide a bench for Rainbow Raccoon Park in Shaler Township.

## **Continued Discussion on Membership and Inclusion**

**WHEN:**

Session 2: April 27<sup>th</sup> at 12 p.m., following the church service  
(Lunch provided!)

Session 3: With special guest, Dr. David Gushee, May 18<sup>th</sup> at  
9:45 a.m.

**WHAT:** We invite you to join Pastor Jeremy for a series of three sessions on what it means to be an inclusive church. Our next gathering will be on April 27<sup>th</sup> for a deeper dive into what the Bible says, and on May 18<sup>th</sup> we will have a special session with Dr. David Gushee, leading Baptist scholar in Christian Ethics, Professor of Christian Ethics at Mercer University, Chair of Christian Social Ethics at Vrije Universiteit in Amsterdam, NL, Senior Research Fellow at International Baptist Theological Study Centre. This series is not a political discussion, but a gospel and justice issue that is essential for Christians to address. Together, let's examine why inclusivity matters and how we can live out Christ's love more fully as an affirming community.

We hope you can join us for this vital conversation!

## **RSVP for Pizza Lunch for Inclusion Discussion on Sunday, April 27**

If you plan to join us for the Inclusion Discussion and would like to partake in the pizza lunch, please fill out the following form and put it in the offering plate, or in the Secretary Mailbox.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of People Staying for Lunch: \_\_\_\_\_

# Service Teams

Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup>, 2025

## Worship and Music:

**Song Leaders:** Lynn Berney, Sue Clark  
**Praise Band:** Jonathan Jones (guitar/voice)  
Emmanuel Berrido (keyboard/voice)  
Mark Mendicino (drums)

## Tech:

**Livestream:** Jami Jones  
**Video Tech:** Aurora Clark

## Hospitality:

**Childcare:** Caitlin O'Neil  
**Ushers:** Christine O'Neil  
Ed Schneider

## **Serving next week (April 20<sup>th</sup>):**

Hannah Brooks (childcare), Amy Mendicino (usher)  
**1 more usher is needed; please let us know if you can help!**

# Coming Up This Week

**Today:** 6:00 p.m. Catalyst  
**Tuesday:** 10:00 a.m. Bible Study  
**Wednesday:** 6:00 p.m. Prayer Group (virtual)  
**Thursday:** All Day Maundy Thursday Family Communion  
**Friday:** 7:00 p.m. Good Friday Zoom Discussion  
**Saturday:** 11:00 a.m. THRIVE Cookie Pick Up  
**Next Sunday:** 8:45 a.m. Praise Band Rehearsal  
(April 20<sup>th</sup>) 9:15 a.m. Choir Rehearsal  
9:30 a.m. Easter Breakfast  
11:00 a.m. Worship