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Rick Adams Joe Graves

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Jim Swank

Financial Update as of 6.8.25

June Giving \$10,088

June Est Expenses \$20,000

YTD Budget \$187,341

YTD Giving \$177,176

*(our fiscal year runs Sept-Aug)***Attendance last Sunday**

Worship Service 75

Please pray for these Heritage families this coming week:

Sharon Mundy

Maxine Nichols

Brian & Charlotte O'Shaughnessy

Fred & Dolores Palmer

Virgina Palmer

This morning's Youth Ministry volunteers**Worship nursery:** _____ + _____**Jr Church:** Jim & Crystal Baum**Next Sunday, 6/22****Worship nursery:** _____ + _____**Jr Church:** _____ + _____*A Reformed congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America*

Heritage Presbyterian Church

Sunday Worship**9:30 am****You may contact us at**

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good, for His steadfast love endures
forever!

Psalm 107:1

June 15, 2025

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Stephen Rippon
Pastor Ruben Sernas
Approaching God

Call to Worship: Psalm 107:1-2 (ESV)

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever! Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, whom He has redeemed from trouble...

***Song of Praise:**

Prayer of Adoration

Confessing our Need of God's Sustaining Grace:

Heavenly Father, we have nurtured angry and bitter thoughts against others because they did not treat us with the respect that we thought we deserved or give us the glory that we sought. Some of us have used harsh words to wound people, while others have used passive silence as a weapon of abuse. Lord Jesus, please forgive us of our unrighteous anger and sinful desires. Thank You for enduring God's wrath in our place on the cross. You freely sacrificed Your life for the sake of our forgiveness as well as our reconciliation with God. Holy Spirit, teach us to put off our anger and replace it with sacrificial love. Help us to put the welfare of others ahead of our own desires. In Christ's name, Amen.

Assurance of God's Sustaining Grace: Philippians 2:1-11 (ESV)

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name that is above every name, so that at the

name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

***Song of Thanksgiving:**

Delighting in God

Offering/Offertory: Deuteronomy 12:5-6 (ESV)

And he commanded the people who lived in Jerusalem to give the portion due to the priests and the Levites, that they might give themselves to the Law of the Lord. As soon as the command was spread abroad, the people of Israel gave in abundance the firstfruits of grain, wine, oil, honey, and of all the produce of the field. And they brought in abundantly the tithe of everything.

God's Kingdom Building: Harvest USA

Prayer of Praise & Intercession

*** Songs of Anticipation:**

Hearing God

Reading of God's Word: Ephesians 5:20-21

Sermon "Our Gratitude to the Lord" Pastor Ruben Sernas

*** Closing Song:**

*** Benediction**

*** All who are able, please stand**

After the Worship service, if you have a special prayer request or a question concerning the sermon or a question regarding eternal life with God, please come to one of the front pews, someone will be glad to speak with you.

Taking the Sermon Home With You 6/15/25

Ephesians 5:20-21 “Our Gratitude to the Lord”

Always Give Thanks

Submit to One Another

Questions for personal &/ or group discussion:

1. Why is gratitude such an important motivation in the Christian life?
2. What are some things that we are grateful to God for?
3. What are some biblical examples of grateful people?
4. What does it mean to submit to one another out of reverence for Christ?
5. What are some biblical examples of submission?