Sr Pastor

Pastor Ruben Sernas

**Elders** 

Bob Horton John Hrenko

Joe Mayberry

Deacons

Jim Swank

Rick Adams Joe Gary Morgan Ang

Joe Graves Angelo Sica Financial Update as of 10.5.25

October Giving \$ 6,445 October Est Expenses \$20,000

YTD Budget \$23,166 YTD Giving \$20,311 (our fiscal year runs Sept-Aug)

**Attendance last Sunday** 

Worship Service 81 Sunday School 45

#### Please pray for these Heritage families this coming week:

Joe & Joanne Graves

Deata Hitchcock, Kera, Sebastian & Emily Roubidoux & Greyson Weber
Samuel Holland

Mike, Kristin & Kaleb Honeycutt Bob & Carolyn Horton

## This morning's Youth Ministry volunteers

Worship nursery:	+
Jr Church: John & Kristin Hi	renko
Sunday School nursery: _	++
Nex	ct Sunday, 10/19
Worship nursery:	+
Jr Church: +	
Sunday School nursery:	+

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# Heritage Presbyterian Church

**Sunday Worship Sunday School** 

9:30 am 11:15 am

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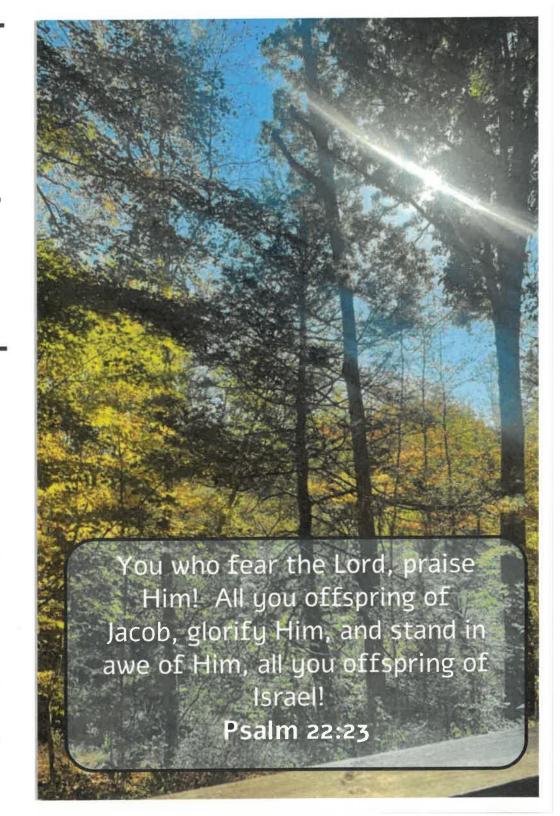
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# October 12, 2025

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Debbie Adams Pastor Ruben Sernas

# **Approaching God**

Call to Worship: Psalm 22:23-24 (ESV)

You who fear the Lord, praise Him! All you offspring of Jacob, glorify Him, and stand in awe of Him, all you offspring of Israel! For He has not despised or abhorred the affliction of the afflicted, and He has not hidden His face from him, but has heard, when he cried to Him.

\*Song of Praise: Lord, With Blazing Heart

**Prayer of Adoration** 

### Confessing our Need of God's Sustaining Grace:

Heavenly Father, our hearts are deceitful, desperately wicked, and relentlessly self-focused. When we do honor, care for, and serve others, we secretly hope that people are watching and noticing, so that our humility will be acknowledged and praised. Lord Jesus, You took on our frail flesh to obey and suffer in our place. Thank You for Your gentle humility, and for Your righteous anger on behalf of those who were oppressed. Thank You for suffering for our prideful, glory-loving hearts, and for giving us Your perfect righteousness. Holy Spirit, help us repent of our self-love; fill us instead with love for Christ; and a desire to serve others. May we decrease and Christ increase in our thoughts and desires. In Christ's name, Amen.

#### Assurance of God's Sustaining Grace: John 3:25-30(ESV)

Now a discussion arose between some of John's disciples and a Jew over purification. And they came to John and said to him, "Rabbi, he who was with you across the Jordan, to whom you bore witness—look, he is baptizing, and all are going to him." John answered, "A person cannot receive even one thing unless it is given him from heaven. You yourselves bear me witness, that I said, 'I am not the Christ, but I have been sent before Him.' The One who has the bride is the Bridegroom. The friend of the Bridegroom, who stands and hears Him, rejoices greatly at the Bridegroom's voice. Therefore this joy of mine is now complete. He must increase, but I must decrease."

\* Song of Thanksgiving: Be Unto Your Name

# **Delighting in God**

Offering/Offertory: 2 Corinthians 9:7 (ESV)

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

God's Kingdom Building: Collin & Zury, serving with RUF in Senegal

**Prayer of Praise & Intercession** 

\* Songs of Anticipation: Lord, I Need You

I Surrender All (All I Am)

**Hearing God** 

Reading of God's Word: Ephesians 6:18-20 (ESV)

**Sermon** "Prayer

"Prayer Warriors"

Pastor Ruben Sernas

\* Closing Song: Sweet Hour of Prayer

\* 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 10/12/25 Ephesians 6:18-20 "Prayer Warriors"

Ephesians 6:18-20 "Prayer Warriors"	<ol> <li>What is the spiritual war that Christians are in:</li> </ol>
I. Praying at All Times	
	2. What are the six pieces in the armor of God?
II. Praying for Others	3. Why should Christians pray?
II. Praying for Ourselves	4. How should we pray for others?
	5. How should we pray for ourselves?

Questions for personal &/ or group discussion: