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Pastor Ruben Sernas

Elders
Joe Mayberry
John Hrenko

Deacons
Rick Adams Joe Graves
Gary Morgan Angelo Sica
Jim Swank

Financial Update as of 2.15.26

February Giving \$15,308
February Est Expenses \$20,000

YTD Budget \$111,198
YTD Giving \$111,964
(our fiscal year runs Sept-Aug)

Attendance last Sunday

Worship Service 62
Sunday School 39

Please pray for these Heritage families this coming week:

Myrtle Thompson
Fern Toner-Horisk
Ralph & Catherine Zinszer
Rick & Debbie Adams
Henry & Sandy Allicock

This morning's Youth Ministry volunteers

Worship nursery: _____ + _____

Jr Church: Crystal & Jim Baum

Sunday School nursery: _____ + _____

Next Sunday, 3/1

Worship nursery: Joanne & Joe Graves

Jr Church: Amy Forrest & Phyllis Loveless

Sunday School nursery: _____ + _____

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Heritage Presbyterian Church

Sunday Worship 9:30 am
Sunday School 11:15 am

You may contact us at

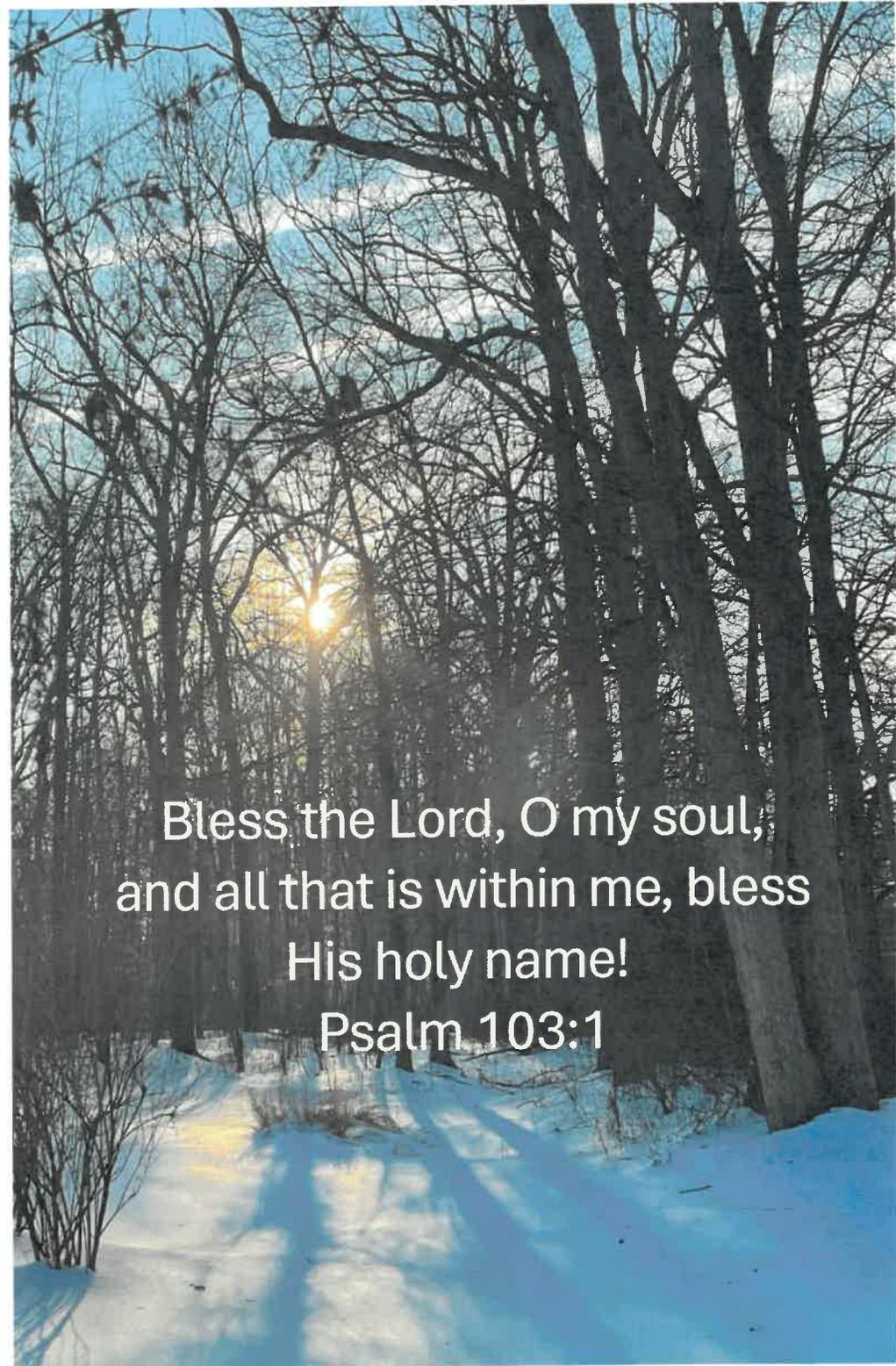
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Bless the Lord, O my soul,
and all that is within me, bless
His holy name!
Psalm 103:1

February 22, 2026

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Debbie Adams
Pastor Ruben Sernas

Approaching God

Call to Worship: Psalm 103:1-4 (ESV)

*Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name!
Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits, who forgives all
your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the
pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy*

* **Song of Praise:** *Your Great Name We Praise*

Prayer of Adoration

Confessing our Need of God's Sustaining Grace:

Heavenly Father, You have given us different gifts, talents, and abilities. However, we take pride in our own gifts and look down on those who lack them. Heavenly Father, forgive us. Lord Jesus, thank You that in You we have a unity that transcends all earthly boundaries: in You, there is neither Jew nor Gentile, male nor female, slave nor free. As the only Mediator between the Father and us, You unite all Your people in Yourself. Holy Spirit, You are the one who gives each of us our various gifts and callings. Help us to see and appreciate Your work in other Christians, honoring them more highly than ourselves. In Jesus' name, Amen.

Assurance of God's Sustaining Grace: Galatians 3:23-29 (ESV)

Now before faith came, we were held captive under the law, imprisoned until the coming faith would be revealed. So then, the law was our guardian until Christ came, in order that we might be justified by faith. But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian, for in Christ Jesus you are all Sons of God, through faith. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

* **Song of Thanksgiving:** *Lead Me to the Cross*

Delighting in God

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

But you shall seek the place that the Lord your God will choose out of all your tribes to put His name and make His habitation there. There you shall go, and there you shall bring your burnt offerings and your sacrifices, your tithes and the contribution that you present, your vow offerings, your freewill offerings, and the firstborn of your herd and of your flock.

**God's Kingdom Building: MNA (Mission to North America)
Disaster Response**

Prayer of Praise & Intercession

* **Songs of Anticipation:** *How Firm a Foundation
The Word is Alive*

Hearing God

Reading of God's Word: Romans 2:17-29 (ESV)

Sermon "Knowing God's Law but Not Obeying It" Pastor Ruben Sernas

* **Closing Song:** *Promises*

* **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. - 2/22/26

Romans 2:17-29 "Knowing God's Law but Not Obeying It"

I. The Ten Commandments

II. Circumcision

Questions for personal &/ or group discussion:

1. When did God reveal His law to Old Testament Israel?
2. Why did Paul call certain Jews hypocrites?
3. What does circumcision mean?
4. What did Paul say to people who are uncircumcised?
5. What did Paul mean when he wrote, "circumcision is a matter of the heart"?