

Sr Pastor

Pastor Ruben Sernas

Elders

Joe Mayberry

John Hrenko

Deacons

Rick Adams

Gary Morgan

Jim Swank

Joe Graves

Angelo Sica

Financial Update as of 4.5.26

April Giving \$ 5,848

April Est Expenses \$20,000

YTD Budget \$143,630

YTD Giving \$147,290

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

Worship Service 79

Please pray for these Heritage families this coming week:

Phyllis Loveless

Dennis & Gwen Lytle

Arlese, Layton & Owen Mast

Greg Mast

Joe & Lawanna Mayberry

This morning's Youth Ministry volunteers**Worship nursery:** _____ + _____**Jr Church:** _____ + _____**Sunday School nursery:** _____ + _____**Next Sunday, 4/19****Worship nursery:** _____ + _____**Jr Church:** Crystal & Jim Baum**Sunday School nursery:** _____ + _____*A Reformed congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America*

Heritage Presbyterian Church

Sunday Worship**9:30 am****Sunday School****11:15 am****You may contact us at**

Heritage Presbyterian Church

140 Airport Road

New Castle, DE 19720

Church office

302-328-3800

Online

office@HeritagePCA.net

www.HeritagePCA.net

Pastor Ruben Sernas

sernasruben@gmail.com

302-476-1844

Praise the name of the Lord,
give praise, O servants of
the Lord, who stand in the
house of the Lord, in the courts
of the house of our God!
Psalm 135:1-2



April 12, 2026

Delighting in God

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements

Debbie Adams
Pastor Ruben Sernas

Approaching God

Call to Worship: Psalm 135:1-2 (ESV)

Praise the Lord! Praise the name of the Lord, give praise, O servants of the Lord, who stand in the house of the Lord, in the courts of the house of our God!

* **Song of Praise:** *Before the Throne of God Above*

Prayer of Adoration

Confessing our Need of God's Sustaining Grace:

Heavenly Father, we come before You as deeply stained sinners who have not kept Your law. We hide our weakness and brokenness so that we might not be recognized as the sinner we actually are. Lord Jesus, we are grateful for the humble, gentle, and patient love that You have shown us. Thank You for every time You responded to others with grace and mercy, with kind words, and with sincerity. Holy Spirit, thank You for the conviction of sin and for granting us saving faith in the grand and beautiful Gospel of Christ. Cause us to be humble and gentle with one another, help us to be patient, and enable us to bear with one another in love. In Christ's name, Amen.

Assurance of God's Sustaining Grace: 1 Corinthians 13:1-7 (ESV)

If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give away all I have, and if I deliver up my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things.

***Song of Thanksgiving:** *Day by Day*

Offering/Offertory: Genesis 28:20-22 (ESV)

Then Jacob made a vow, saying, "If God will be with me and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, so that I come again to my father's house in peace, then the Lord shall be my God, and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God's house. And of all that You give me I will give a full tenth to You."

God's Kingdom Building: Scott & Meghan Dillon,
serving with MTW in Panama City, Panama

Prayer of Praise & Intercession

* **Song of Anticipation:** *Forever Reign
God of Wonders*

Hearing God

Reading of God's Word: Romans 4:13-25 (ESV)

Sermon "The Father of Many Nations" Pastor Ruben Sernas

* **Closing Song:** *All I Have is Christ*

* **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.