



## WELCOME 4-16-2023

Churches are everywhere. So why is it so difficult to find a good one? There are many towns and cities void of even one Bible-teaching, gospel-proclaiming, disciple-making church. There are several reasons good churches are so rare today. Recent years have given rise to an abundance of maverick churches led by entrepreneurial leaders with grandiose visions. They approach the pulpit not as shepherds of God's flock, but as CEOs executing corporate strategies for their personal brands. That model is a stark departure from the New Testament's job description for ministers and church leaders. Coupled with that there the widespread lack of doctrinal conviction and commitment. As that mindset infiltrates the church, many shepherds are exposing their own wavering convictions to the very people they are called to protect and defend. Doctrinal statements are altered or simply ignored, as churches prize pragmatism popularity over faithfully preaching the truth of God's Word. Finally, many believers struggle to find a church because they are confused about what constitutes a *good* church in the first place. The prevalence of unqualified teachers and a weak commitment to the truth have left a generation of Christians spiritually don't know what undernourished. So they simply to look for. The quality of a church is tied to the quality of its leaders. I urge you to get to know our leaders here at Hampton. I urge you to support them and pray for them so when people are looking for a church, they won't have to look very hard. Welcome to H.C.C.

## SERVICE SCHEDULE & WEEKLY HAPPENINGS

### Sunday Mornings

9:45 – Doughnuts

10:00 to 10:30 – Sunday School Class

All ages 0-100

10:45 – Noon - Sunday Morning Worship

In the Sanctuary (In-person & Online)

10:45 – Noon - Children's Church

Age 0 to Preschool in the nursery

Ages Preschool through 5<sup>th</sup> grade in the gym

There are clip boards in the foyer for those who wish to stay in the Sanctuary but would like the children's lesson.

### Sunday Evenings

6:00pm – Sunday Evening Service

In the Sanctuary (In-person & Online)

6:00pm – Youth Slam

In the gym

Games, Food, and Devotions

### Wednesday Evenings

7:00pm – Prayer & Bible Study

In the Sanctuary (In-person & Online)

7:00pm – Youth Midweek Service

Topical Lesson and Prayer followed by Open Gym

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH ROTATION

1st Sunday: Chad and Carla Baxter

2nd Sunday: Charity and Kylie Odom

3rd Sunday: Patsy and Gary Hurley

4th Sunday: Danny, Teresa, and Rylie McClain

5th Sunday: (Kids attend Main Service)

### HCC Office Contact Info

Office hours: Monday - Wednesday 8:30 am – 1 pm  
and Saturday 9 am – 1:30 pm.

Phone: (423)725-2541

Email: [Info@hamptonchristianchurch.org](mailto:Info@hamptonchristianchurch.org)

### What you can do on our website:

\*Tithe/Give \*Submit Prayer Requests \*Access Bulletins  
\*Access Livestream

This and more at [hamptonchristian.org](http://hamptonchristian.org)

**\*\*Offering last Sunday - \$2672.00**

### 7 Top Reasons to be at Hampton Christian Church Every Week!

Acts 2:42-47

\*Study the Bible Together \*Fellowship Together  
\*Break Bread Together \*Pray Together  
\*Be Together \*Give Together  
\*Worship Together

### UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

Apr 26 – Fields of Faith

June 4 – Graduation Sunday

June 24 - JuneBug

July 16-19 – Hershey Park & “Moses”

I WILL  
walk BY  
faith even  
WHEN I CANNOT  
see  
2 CORINTHIANS 5:7

