

Called by Grace,  
Strengthened  
for Love

*1 Corinthians 1:1-9*

**SHEPHERD**  
OF THE HILLS  
Presbyterian Church

**JANUARY 18, 2025**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**\*WORSHIP IN SONG**

*Joyful (The One Who Saves)  
Great Are You Lord*

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

**\*WORSHIP IN SONG**

*His Mercy is More*

**PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY**

*We Shall Overcome*

**SERMON**

Rev. Heather Cameron

**"Called by Grace, Strengthened for Love"**

**1 Corinthians 1:1-9**

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

**\*WORSHIP IN SONG**

*For Everyone Born #769 (Glory to God Hymnal)*

**\*BLESSING**

*\*Please stand in body or spirit*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## TODAY

- ♦ **NURSERY CARE** is provided today.
- ♦ **KIDS CONNECTION** meet downstairs to explore Old Testament Stories.
- ♦ **ADULT STUDY** after worship in the Community Room. Join us in the New Year as we explore our Spiritual Gifts!

## UPCOMING

- ♦ **MLK JR. DAY** Monday January 19. The church offices will be closed in observance.
- ♦ **GRIEF GROUP** Tuesday January 20 at 3:30pm in the Community Room.
- ♦ **CHOIR AND BELL REHEARSAL** Wednesday January 21 at 6:15pm for Bells and 7:15pm for Choir.
- ♦ **CAREGIVERS SUPPORT** Thursday January 22 at either 10:30am or 7:00pm. Both are on Zoom.
- ♦ **CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** Sunday January 25 after worship in the Sanctuary. Review the budget for 2026 and get an update on the state of the church.
- ♦ **SOUPER BOWL OF CARING FOOD DRIVE** January 25—February 8 Donate food and vote for the team you think will win the Super Bowl.

"We Shall Overcome" is a spiritual that became the anthem of the Civil Rights Movement, sung by Black activists who faced violence and injustice in their fight for freedom and dignity. It carries the weight of real suffering, real hope, and real resistance.

Today, as a predominantly white congregation, we sing this song with humility. We do not sing it as those who first needed it for survival, but as those who commit to listening, learning, and standing alongside the ongoing work for justice. May our singing be an act of remembrance, solidarity, and resolve, and may it move us beyond the music and into faithful action.