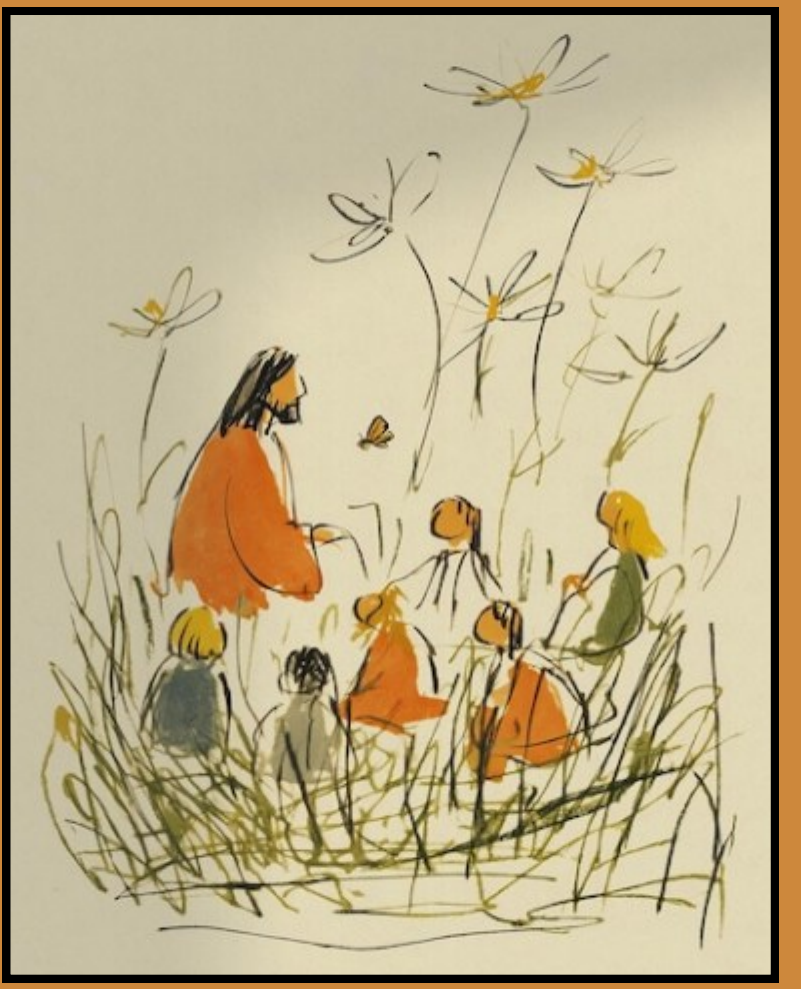
Becoming Children



November 15, 2026

HODGES CHURCH

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Order of Worship

***SONGS OF PRAISE** *Faith + 1*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL PRAISE

***HYMN OF PRAISE** *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* #81

CHILDREN'S TIME Debbie Abbott

CALL TO CONFESSION 1 John 1:8-9 Keaton Griffith

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Forgive, O God, the paucity of our return for the great investment you have made in our lives: for the wasting of time on meaningless pursuits; for the spending of money on things of little value; for the squandering of talents for activities which are unworthy of your glory; for the wasting of minds on materials that are empty; for the misuse of the body with substances that destroy. Forgive us, Lord, and teach us to use with joy all that you have given us . . . (silent prayer)

ASSURANCE Exodus 34:6-7

The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for the thousandth generation, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin.

***RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS** *Doxology*

**All who are able may stand*

***THE PEACE OF CHRIST** *Family of God*

(Please stand and pass the peace of Christ.)

OFFERING & MUSICAL OFFERING

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION 1 Samuel 3:9 Keaton Griffith

Speak, LORD, for your servants are listening. Amen.

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Proverbs 11:2

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 18:1-4

SERMON Becoming Children

RESPONSE *Counting Blue Cars* Faith + 1

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

***CLOSING HYMN** *There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit* #408

***BLESSING** Psalm 67:1

May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us. Amen.

***CHORAL AMEN**

***PARTING MUSIC**

Welcome Guests

We welcome all who are worshiping with us today. If you are our guest, we pray that your experience will nurture your faith and that you feel welcome in this community of faith.

Nursery: Available from 8:45 –11:15 am

Faith Formation for all ages: 9:00-9:45 am

Children's Worship: K-2nd Grades

After the Children's Time during the service, staff and volunteers walk the K-2nd grade children to classroom 4 for special stories and activities geared just for them. Parents please pick them up after worship. We invite older children to worship with us. They may use the Prayground quietly or sit with parents in the pews.

Calendar

Sunday, November 15	8 am-noon 10:00 am 11:00 am 11:15 am	Blood Drive Worship Handbell Rehearsal Tween Outing
Monday, November 16	6:30 pm 7:00 pm	Scouts Children's Ministry (Teams)
Tuesday, November 17	9:45 am 12:00 pm 7:00 pm	Artists' Colony PW Afternoon Circle PW Evening Circle
Wednesday, November 18	7:30 am 10:00 am 4:30 pm 6:30 pm	Bibles & No Bagels Women's Bible Study Generosity & Finance Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, November 19	9:00 am 7:00 pm	Wayfarers Outing Stated Session Meeting

Please complete the welcome card located in your bulletin and place it the offering plate.

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