

GOOD HOPE

Presbyterian Church

*“Put on the whole armor of God
that you may be able to stand . . .”*

Ephesians 6:11

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Good Hope strives to be a Christ-centered community,
loving God and loving people.

Lord's Day Morning

PRELUDE

GREETINGS

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 46:1–3, 11

“God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.
Therefore we will not fear though the earth gives way, though the
mountains be moved into the heart of the sea, though its waters roar
and foam, though the mountains tremble at its swelling.
The Lord of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress.”

HYMN 92 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

PRAYER OF PRAISE

HYMN 122 *God, All Nature Sings Thy Glory*

RESPONSIVE READING Deuteronomy 20:1–4,
Ephesians 6:10–12,
II Corinthians 10:3–5

Leader: “When you go out to war against your enemies, and see
horses and chariots and an army larger than your own, you
shall not be afraid of them, for the Lord your God is with
you, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt. And
when you draw near to the battle, the priest shall come
forward and speak to the people and shall say to them,

People: ‘Hear, O Israel, today you are drawing near for battle against
your enemies: let not your heart faint. Do not fear or panic
or be in dread of them, for the Lord your God is He who
goes with you to fight for you against your enemies, to give
you the victory.’

Leader: Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His
might. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able
to stand against the schemes of the devil.

People: For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the
rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over
this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the
heavenly places.

Leader: For though we walk in the flesh, we are not waging war
according to the flesh. For the weapons of our warfare are
not of the flesh but have divine power to bring down
strongholds.

People: We destroy arguments and every lofty opinion raised against
the knowledge of God, and take every thought captive to
obey Christ.”

HYMN *Before the Throne of God Above*

Before the throne of God above,
I have a strong and perfect plea,
A great High Priest whose name is Love,
Who ever lives and pleads for me.
My name is graven on His hands,
My name is written on His heart.
I know that while in heaven He stands,
No tongue can bid me thence depart,
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair,
And tells me of the guilt within,
Upward I look and see Him there,
Who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died,
My sinful soul is counted free,
For God, the Just, is satisfied,
To look on Him and pardon me,
To look on Him and pardon me.

