

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Why do you think David insisted on sparing Absalom despite his rebellion? What does this reveal about his heart as a father?
 2. What can we learn about Joab's decision to ignore David's command regarding Absalom. Was he right or wrong?
 3. How does 2 Samuel 18 point us toward our need for a righteous and faithful King?
 4. What is one lesson from this chapter that you think Christians most need to hear today?
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PRAYER MEETING

*Join us to pray for our church, community, and the world at **4 PM Wednesday** in the church lounge.*

HBC YOUTH

*HBC Youth is having a break over the next 2 Fridays. Our next Youth Night is **Friday 23rd October**! All high school kids are welcome.*

NEXT SUNDAY

*All are welcome to join us for our weekly church gathering at **10:30 AM next Sunday**. Martin Smith will be preaching from 2 Samuel 19:9-20:26.*



ORDER OF SERVICE

4 October, 2026

WELCOME & NOTICES

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG – Come People Of The Risen King

PRAYER

READING – 2 Samuel 18:1-19:8 (pg 278)

SONGS – There Is A Redeemer | Speak Oh Lord

SERMON – 2 Samuel 18:1-19:8 (pg 278)
Gordon Dickey

SONG – How Deep The Father's Love For Us

COMMUNION

SONG – When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

BENEDICTION

*"The joy of the wicked has been brief
and the happiness of the godless has lasted only a moment."*

Job 20:5

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PRAYER POINTS

- Pray for family members who are not saved by grace.
- Pray that Kyle, Amaka, and the family will settle in Hawick quickly.
- Pray for Martin as he attends the Pillar Conference in the USA.
- Pray for Betty Aitken's family after the passing of their mother.