

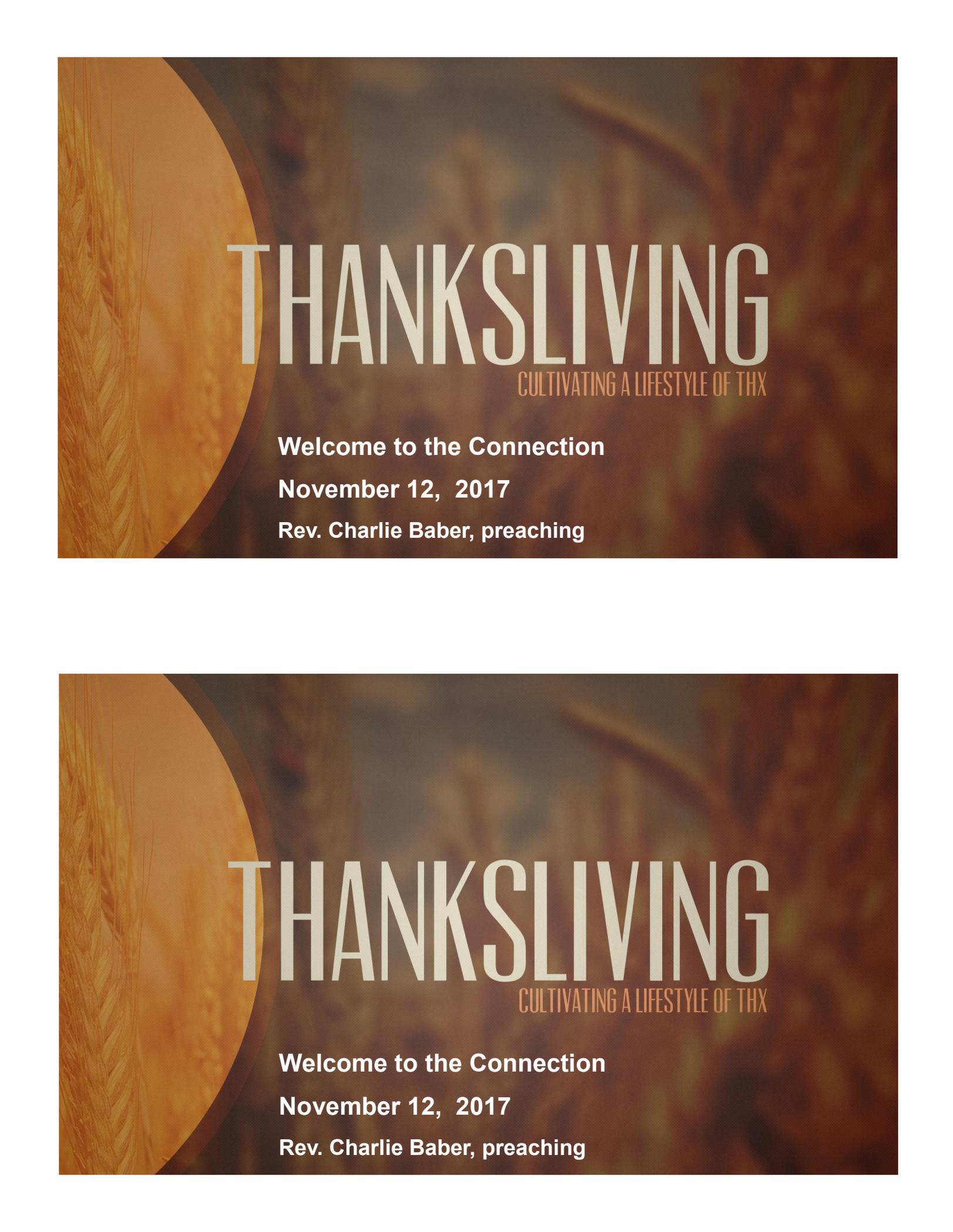
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**Kids at Highland:** Welcome! Keep your little ones with you in worship, or feel free to use our nursery for 0-4 year-olds located in Rooms 107 & 108. Coloring tables for fidgety kids are available throughout the service near the projector.

**No Youth Group tonight following their weekend at Pilgrimage.**

## **Serve Sunday Mornings at the Connection**

Worship is the work of all the people (not just staff and clergy). Consider signing up to serve in all different ways at [highlandumc.org/worship/serve-in-worship](http://highlandumc.org/worship/serve-in-worship).

**Family Promise** returns to Highland the week of Thanksgiving. Sign-up to help welcome our guests after this morning's service or online at [highlandumc.org/serve](http://highlandumc.org/serve).

**Making Space for God: Church-wide Brunch & Celebration:** The entire Highland family is invited to a pancake brunch at noon on Sunday, November 19. We celebrate with thanksgiving that we have received pledges for almost \$2 million for our renovation campaign and look forward to the exciting plans for renovations and new construction that will be presented by the Building Committee. RSVP online at [highlandumc.org/connect](http://highlandumc.org/connect).

**ThanksLiving:** As a family of faith, we commit to support Highland with our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness. We will be making our commitments in worship on November 19 & 26, or you can submit your pledge electronically at [highlandumc.org/stewardship](http://highlandumc.org/stewardship).

**Remembrance Tree** forms can be found in the Narthex.

**Listen, Think, Respond:** *Listen* for the word *child*. On one hand, a child is someone dependent on others. But "child" is also a name of someone in relationship. *Think* about how your relationships with your parents change as you become more independent. *Respond* by placing your full confidence in God's loving actions taken for you.

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