UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 15, 2019

HOMETRUST BANCSHARES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland	001-35593	45-5055422	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)	(Commission File No.)	(IRS Employer Identification Number)	
10 Woodfin Street, Asheville, North Carolina		28801	
(Address of principal executive offices)		(Zip Code)	
Registrant's t	telephone number, including area code: (828) 2	59-3939	
	Not Applicable		
(Former n	name or former address, if changed since last re	eport)	
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Securi	rities Registered Pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act	:	
Title of Each Class Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	Trading Symbol HTBI	Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC	

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 16, 2019, HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. (the "Company") the holding company for HomeTrust Bank, issued a press release attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1 and incorporated herein by reference announcing the completion of its December 2018, 5% stock repurchase program. A total of 931,601 shares were repurchased at an average price of \$25.64 per share. In addition, the Company's Board of Directors has authorized the repurchase of up to 889,123 shares of the Company's common stock, representing 5% of the Company's currently outstanding shares.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated October 16, 2019

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

HOMETRUST BANCSHARES, INC.

Date: October 16, 2019 By: /s/ Tony J. VunCannon

Tony J. VunCannon

 $\label{thm:condition} \textbf{Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Corporate}$

Secretary and Treasurer



HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. Announces the Completion of Previous Stock Repurchase Program and the Authorization of a New Stock Repurchase Program

ASHEVILLE, NC, October 16, 2019 – HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. (the "Company") (NASDAQ: HTBI), the holding company for HomeTrust Bank, announced the completion of its December 2018, 5% stock repurchase program. A total of 931,601 shares were repurchased at an average price of \$25.64 per share. In addition, the Company's Board of Directors has authorized the repurchase of up to 889,123 shares of the Company's common stock, representing 5% of the Company's currently outstanding shares. The shares may be purchased in the open market or in privately negotiated transactions from time to time depending upon market conditions and other factors.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release includes "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements often include words such as "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," and "intend" or future or conditional verbs such as "will," "would," "should," "could," or "may." Forward-looking statements are not historical facts but instead represent management's current expectations and forecasts regarding future events, many of which are inherently uncertain and outside of our control. Actual results may differ, possibly materially, from those currently expected or projected in these forward-looking statements. Factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements, include expected cost savings, synergies and other financial benefits from our acquisitions might not be realized within the expected time frames or at all, and costs or difficulties relating to integration matters might be greater than expected; increased competitive pressures; changes in the interest rate environment; changes in general economic conditions and conditions within the securities markets; legislative and regulatory changes; and other factors described in HomeTrust's latest annual Report on Form 10-K and Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and other documents filed with or furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission - which are available on our website at www.htb.com and on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Any of the forward-looking statements that we make in this press release or the documents we file with or furnish to the SEC are based upon management's beliefs and assumptions at the time they are made and may turn out to be wrong because of inaccurate assumptions we might make, because of the factors described above or because of other factors that we cannot foresee. We do not undertake and specifically disclaim any obligation to revise any forward-looking statements to reflect the occurrence of anticipated or unanticipated events or circumstances after the date of such statements. These risks could cause our actual results for fiscal 2020 and beyond to differ materially from those expressed in any forward-looking statements by, or on behalf of, us and could negatively affect our operating and stock performance.

About HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc.

HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. is the holding company for HomeTrust Bank. As of June 30, 2019, the Company had assets of \$3.5 billion. The Bank, founded in 1926, is a North Carolina state chartered, community-focused financial institution committed to providing value added relationship banking through 42 locations as well as online/mobile channels. Locations include: North Carolina (including the Asheville metropolitan area, the "Piedmont" region, Charlotte, Cary, and Raleigh), Upstate South Carolina (Greenville), East Tennessee (including Kingsport/Johnson City/Bristol, Knoxville, and Morristown) and Southwest Virginia (including the Roanoke Valley). The Bank is the 2nd largest community bank headquartered in North Carolina

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