



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

a liturgy for corporate worship

March 13, 2022

When Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end.

“I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you. Just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.”

- John 13.1, 16 & 34

*No strength of nature can suffice to serve the Lord aright
And what she has, she misapplies, for want of clearer light.*

*How long beneath the law I lay in bondage and distress;
I toiled the precept to obey, but toiled without success.*

*Then to abstain from outward sin was more than I could do;
Now if I feel its power within I feel I hate it too.*

*Then all my servile works were done, a righteousness to raise;
Now, freely chosen in the Son, I freely choose his ways.*

*To see the law by Christ fulfilled, to hear his pardoning voice,
Changes a slave into a child and duty into choice.*

*- William Cowper: “Love Constraining
To Obedience” (d. 1800)*

HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)
worship, nurture & service

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Sunday School	9:30
Fellowship	10:15
Worship	10:45
Family Dinner	5pm (<i>1st Sundays</i>)

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March 13, 2022
a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Invocation

Call to Worship

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.

How precious is your steadfast love, O God! The children of mankind take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.

For with you is the fountain of life; in your light do we see light.

Oh, continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your righteousness to the upright of heart!

Let us worship the LORD together.

from 2 Corinthians 13, Exodus 34 & Psalm 36

Songs of Praise

My Song is Love Unknown, no. 182

O The Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!, no. 535

Confessing Our Sin

adapted from Psalm 51

Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out our transgressions. Wash us thoroughly from our iniquity, and cleanse us from our sin! Let us hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation, and uphold us with a willing spirit.

Psalm 51

God, be merciful to me, on thy grace I rest my plea;
Plenteous in compassion thou, blot out my transgressions now;
Wash me, make me pure within. Cleanse, O cleanse me of my sin.

My transgressions I confess, grief and guilt my soul oppress;
I have sinned against thy grace and provoked thee to thy face;
I confess thy judgment just, speechless I thy mercy trust.

I am evil, born in sin; thou desirest truth within.
Thou alone my Savior art, teach thy wisdom to my heart;
Make me pure thy grace bestow, wash me whiter than the snow.

Broken, humbled to the dust by thy wrath and judgment just,
Let my contrite heart rejoice and in gladness hear thy voice;
From my sins O hide thy face, blot them out in boundless grace.

[private prayer & reflection]

Gracious God, my heart renew, make my spirit right and true;
Cast me not away from thee, let thy Spirit dwell in me;
Thy salvation's joy impart, steadfast make my willing heart.

Sinners then shall learn from me and return, O God, to thee;
Savior, all my guilt remove, and my tongue shall sing thy love;
Touch my silent lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise accord.

Words: The Psalter, 1912

Music: Christopher Miner, 2001

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Covenant Baptism*Shane Thomas Liedstrand*

Vows for the Parents:

1. *Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?*
2. *Do you claim God's covenant promises in his behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?*
3. *Do you now unreservedly dedicate your child to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before him a godly example, that you will pray with and for him, that you will teach him the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God's appointment, to bring him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord?*

Vow for the Congregation:

Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the parents in the Christian nurture of this child?

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,

World without end. Amen. Amen.

Text: 2nd cent.; translated

Tune: Henry Greatorex, 1851

The Pastoral Prayer*Mastin Robeson, elder*

The Offering

The Preaching of God's Word
"love constraining to obedience"

The Gospel of John: BELIEVE & LIVE
Grant Beachy, *pastor*

John 13
(p900 *pew Bible*)



Yet Not I, But Through Christ In Me

What gift of grace is Jesus, our Redeemer.
There is no more for heaven now to give.
He is our joy, our righteousness and freedom,
Our steadfast love, our deep and boundless peace.
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus!
For my life is wholly bound to his.
Oh how strange and divine, I can sing all is mine!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

The night is dark, but we are not forsaken,
For by our side the Saviour, he will stay.
We labour on in weakness and rejoicing,
For in our need, his power is displayed.
To this I hold: my Shepherd will defend me.
Through the deepest valley he will lead.
Oh the night has been won, and I shall overcome!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

No fate we dread, we know we are forgiven,
The future sure, the price, it has been paid.
For Jesus bled and suffered for our pardon,
And he was raised to overthrow the grave.
To this I hold: my sin has been defeated.
Jesus now, and ever, is my plea.
Oh the chains are released, I can sing, I am free!
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

With ev'ry breath we long to follow Jesus,
For he has said that he will bring us home.
And day by day we know he will renew us
Until we stand with joy before the throne.
To this I hold: my hope is only Jesus!
All the glory evermore to him.
When the race is complete, still my lips shall repeat:
Yet not I, but through Christ in me.

Jonny Robinson, Michael Farren & Rich Thompson, 2018

The Lord's Supper

Below are a number of prayers that may help guide your heart's reflection and meditation during our celebration of the Lord's Supper ...

Searching for Truth ...

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might not be discouraged by the cost of following you, but drawn to you by a sight of your loving sacrifice for me. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Help me to be honest in my search, and give me an understanding of you that fits together and leads to life.

Ready to believe Christ ...

Lord Jesus Christ, I confess that I am weaker and more sinful than I dare admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I can hope or imagine. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me your complete righteousness. Knowing that you have been raised as Victor over sin, I turn from my sins and receive your grace in my life. Help me to rest in you.

Struggling with sin ...

Lord Jesus, grant that I may see in you the fulfillment of all my need, and may turn from every false satisfaction to feed on you, the True and Living Bread. Enable me to lay aside the sin that clings so closely, and run with perseverance the race before me, looking only unto you, the Author and Perfector of my faith, one day, one hour, at a time.

Non-communing members *(those not yet prepared to take the Supper)*

Lord Jesus, thank you for placing me inside your family, the church. Help me more and more to know you, to love you, and to follow you as a faithful disciple.

Desiring deeper commitment to the Church ...

Lord Jesus, you have called us to follow you in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in your church. You have called me not to exist alone, but to be a vital member of your Body, the church. Grant that I may take the steps necessary to be one with your people and to live in the fullness of fellowship with your Spirit.

Rejoicing in God's provision ...

Father, Son and Holy Spirit, I am overwhelmed and delighted by your mercies to me: a sure and certain salvation in Jesus, restored relationship with the God of heaven and earth, daily supplies of compassion, kindness, grace and strength – thank you. Further enable me to live in light of your glory and goodness.

Parting In Faith

The Power Of The Cross

Oh to see the dawn of the darkest day, Christ on the road to Calvary.
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten then nailed to a cross of wood.

*This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us,
Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross!*

Oh to see the pain written on your face, bearing the awesome weight of sin
Ev'ry bitter thought, ev'ry evil deed, crowning your bloodstained brow.

*This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us,
Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross!*

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath quakes as its maker bows his head.
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life, "Finished!" the vict'ry cry.

*This the pow'r of the cross: Christ became sin for us,
Took the blame, bore the wrath; we stand forgiven at the cross!*

Oh to see my name written in the wounds, for through your suff'ring I am free.
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live, won through your selfless love.

*This the pow'r of the cross: Son of God slain for us.
What a love; what a cost; we stand forgiven at the cross!*

Keith Getty & Stuart Townend, 2005

The Benediction

Numbers 6.24-26

*The LORD bless you and keep you.
The LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you.
The LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.
Through Jesus, our King and our Savior. Amen.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pure Desire Ministries

Sunday afternoons, from 1:30 to 3:30, we are hosting a Pure Desire Ministries study, entitled Sexual Integrity 101. The first hour is for everybody (family members, betrayed spouses, strugglers). The second hour is for men who want to fight for health in this area. Jeremiah Davis is the point of contact (910.546.8224 | jeremiah.davis@tuntavernfellowship.org).

Small Groups

Please take advantage of the opportunity to gather together with fellow believers in a smaller setting for prayer, fellowship, Bible Study and encouragement. We have a number of groups meeting in peoples' homes throughout the area and at a variety of times. A list of groups is available on the table in the foyer.

Elder Visits

If you'd be interested in having a couple of the elders visit you in your home for conversation and prayer, please sign up on *the green sheet* in the foyer. We look forward to being with you!

Offerings

In addition to passing the plate during the worship service, there is also a box at the back of the sanctuary in which you can place your offering. A third option is giving online through the [Resources tab](#) on our website.

Mission Trips!

Please be aware of two upcoming mission trip opportunities!

- **Nairobi, Kenya** to work with *Heart to Heart Orphans Care*, one of our supported ministries (end of April, beginning of May). Dan Norvell is point of contact for this.
- **Fairmont, West Virginia** to work at a PCA ministry called *Camp Dayspring*, serving in construction, VBS and relationship building. Dates are July 16-24. Ken Counts is your point of contact for this trip.

Staying Connected

- Please feel free to make any need or prayer request known to the church leadership through the email address *elders@harvestpres.com*. That is a confidential email that only the elders see. We would welcome you to make use of it.
- *Email Distro List* – if you're interested in receiving email announcements and reminders, please send Grant an email and ask to be added to the official Harvest distro list (*gmbeachy@gmail.com*).
- *Directory* – In order to foster relationships among us as a church family, we encourage you to make use of the app '*Instant Church Directory*'. Jim Turner is point of contact for the app if you have any questions.

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The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few.
Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest
to send out laborers into his harvest.

(*Luke 10.2*)

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PURPOSE STATEMENT

Harvest Presbyterian Church exists by the providence and grace of God
to develop and equip God's people for their calling
to glorify and enjoy him in all of life through
worship, nurture & service

SUPPORTED MINISTRIES & MISSIONS

Onslow Pregnancy Resource Center – *oprcfriends.com*, 910.938.7000
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Heart To Heart Orphans Care – *hearttoheartusa.org*, 910.265.2697
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RUF – Reformed University Fellowship (our denominational campus ministry)
MTW – Mission To the World (our denominational missions arm)

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