



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

gathered for corporate worship

June 18, 2023

HARVEST
Presbyterian Church
PCA



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.

~ Jesus (Luke 10.2)

June 18, 2023

a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Invocation

Psalm 105:1-3a

“O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is thy name in all the earth!”

Let us pray,

Father, almighty and eternal Lord, King and Sovereign of all ages, God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, you have sent out an invitation.

You have prepared a great feast, that at last we may enter into the palatial courts of your presence, into the royal mansions of ebony and ivory.

Even on this day you have gathered us together in the name of Jesus. You have invited us to the wedding feast. You have brought us to the banqueting house.

Kindle our spirits now, most gracious Lord. Renew us in the beauty of holiness, that we may be radiant in your presence.

All glory be to you, O Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. *Amen*

From “Leading in Prayer”, Hughes Oliphant Old

Call to Worship

Hosea 6:1, 6-7

Come, let us return to the LORD; for he has torn us, that he may heal us;
he has struck us down, and he will bind us up.

**For I desire steadfast love and not sacrifice,
the knowledge of God rather than burnt offerings.**

But like Adam they transgressed the covenant;
there they dealt faithlessly with me.

Songs of Praise

Jesus, I Come

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus I come.

Into Thy freedom, gladness and light, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of my sickness into Thy health,

Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth,

Out of my sin and into Thyself, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.

Into the glorious gain of Thy cross, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm,

Out of life's storms and into Thy calm,

Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.

Into Thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of myself to dwell in Thy love,

Out of despair into raptures above,

Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.

Into the joy and light of Thy home, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Out of the depths of ruin untold,

Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold,

Ever Thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to Thee.

Words: William Sleeper

Music: Greg Thompson

Create in Me a Clean Heart

Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from thy presence, O Lord
And take not thy Holy Spirit from me.
Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation,
And renew a right spirit within me.

Words and Music by: Andy Gilbert

Father, Long Before Creation

Father, long before creation Thou hadst chosen us in love,
And that love so deep, so moving, draws us close to Christ above.
Still it keeps us, still it keeps us firmly fixed in Christ alone.

Though the world may change its fashion, yet our God is e'er the same;
His compassion and His covenant through all ages will remain.
God's own children, God's own children must forever praise His name.

God's compassion is my story, is my boasting all the day;
Mercy free and never failing moves my will, directs my way.
God so loved us, God so loved us that His only Son He gave.

Loving Father now before Thee we will ever praise Thy love,
And our songs will sound unceasing 'til we reach our home above,
Giving glory, giving glory to our God and to the Lamb.

*Words: Chinese Hymn
Trans. by Francis Johnson,
Music: Andrew Osenga, 2005*

Westminster Catechism

Q. 12. What special act of providence did God exercise toward man in the estate wherein he was created?

A. When God had created man, he entered into a covenant of life with him, upon condition of perfect obedience; forbidding him to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, upon the pain of death.

Q. 16. Did all mankind fall in Adam's first transgression?

A. The covenant being made with Adam, not only for himself, but for his posterity; all mankind, descending from him by ordinary generation, sinned in him, and fell with him in his first transgression.

New Testament Reading

1 Corinthians 15:21-22; 45

For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive.

Thus it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit.

Pastoral Prayer

Doug Zimbelman, elder

Offering

(In addition to the plates being passed, you can place your offering in the box at the back of the sanctuary or you can give online through the Resources tab on our website.)

The Preaching of God's Word
"Covenant of Works"

Eric Winship, elder

Genesis 2-3

(p2 pew Bible)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Receiving the Elements

Those receiving communion will please come forward when prepared to do so.

Please note: the common cups and the outer rings of the trays are wine.

Come to Me (Matthew 11.28)

You are weighed down; you are worried.

Child, I see you; child, I know you.

Bring your burdens; bring your labor.

Come to me.

Come to me, come to me,

Come to me if you are weary.

I will give you, I will give you my rest.

I am gentle; I am humble.

Let me teach you; let me show you.

Trade your burden; mine is easy.

Come to me.

Wendell Kimbrough, 2017

Parting Hymn

A Debtor to Mercy Alone

A debtor to mercy alone, of covenant mercy I sing.
Nor fear, with Thy righteousness on, my person and offering I bring.
The terrors of law and of God, with me can have nothing to do.
My Savior's obedience and blood hide all my transgressions from view.

The work which His goodness began the arm of His strength will complete.
His promise is yea and amen, and never was forfeited yet.
Things future, nor things that are now, not all things below nor above,
Can make Him His purpose forego, or sever my soul from His love.

My name from the palms of His hands eternity will not erase;
Impressed on His heart it remains, in marks of indelible grace.
Yes I to the end shall endure, as sure as the Earnest is given.
More happy but not more secure, the glorified spirits in heaven.

Words: Augustus Toplady, Music: Kevin Twit © 1999 Kevin Twit Music.

Benediction

Numbers 6.24-26

*Beloved, the LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace,
now and forevermore, through Jesus, our King and our Savior.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Summer Schedule

During our Summer schedule there will be no Sunday School classes or evening services. Our worship service begins at 10:00am. Please plan to arrive at 9:30am to enjoy coffee and fellowship prior to the worship service! We will resume our regular schedule September 10, 2023.

Pulpit Nominating Committee

As you are now aware, the committee has voted unanimously to invite Rev. Jason Petterson to candidate on June 25, 2023 followed by a congregational meeting on July 9, 2023 to vote to extend a call to him. Details of his visit have been sent via email for those who are on the church's distribution list. There are hard copies on the table near the entrance for those who did not receive electronic copies.

The Committee would like to invite those who can to join us in a classroom at 9:30am each Sunday to pray for a few minutes that God's grace and blessing be upon us as we move forward with this call, and to pray His blessings on each worship service.

Heart to Heart Rummage Sale

On July 15, 2023, beginning at 7:00am on the Harvest Church grounds there will be a rummage sale to raise funds to purchase critically needed items (desks, computers, textbooks, facility repairs etc.) for the Christian school in Kenya. This is a wonderful opportunity for Harvest to further invest in this ministry to support these beautiful orphan children's education, and prayerfully lead to greater God-given opportunities to glorify our Lord (and clean out your attics). Please contact Eric Winship or Jesse Sumner for additional information, and other ways you can help with this effort.

Sunday School Teachers

We are in need of children's Sunday School teachers. Please pray about serving the body, and the children, in this wonderful way. This opportunity to serve will truly have an eternal impact on our children. The age groups are 4-6 and 7-10.

Nursery Workers

We are in need of more workers for the nursery during both Sunday School and morning worship. This is a very important ministry to the whole body and we appreciate your willingness to serve. Please contact Kim Winship, at winship_kim@hotmail.com, speak to one of the elders, or send an email to elders@harvestpres.com.

Pulpit Committee Email

In order to make communication easy, efficient, and effective the Pulpit Committee may be reached at: (pulpit.cmte@harvestpres.com)

Prayer Ministry

We look forward to praying for each other throughout the week. To that end If you have any praises or prayer requests, please email them to prayer@harvestpres.com; your request will be sent to the elders and Amy Cochran, who will add your request to the prayer list. The list will be emailed on Sunday afternoons to the church.

Printed copies will be available on Sunday mornings.

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 the elders an email and ask to be added to the official Harvest distro list (elders@harvestpres.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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worship, nurture & service

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

June – Sept 3rd

Fellowship	9:30
Worship	10:00
Family Dinner	5pm (1 st Sundays)

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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 MISSIONS

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MTW – Mission To the World (our denominational missions arm)

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