



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
gathered for corporate worship
August 7, 2022

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O come to the Father through Jesus the Son,
And give him the glory, great things he has done!*

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To ev'ry believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus forgiveness receives.*

*Words: Fanny J. Crosby, 1875
Music: William H. Doane, 1875*



*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)*

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

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

June – August

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

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August 7, 2022
a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Call to Worship

from Col 1:15-20

He is the image of the Invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.

For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities-all things were created through him and for him.

And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.

And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent.

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of the cross.

Beloved in Christ, let us worship the Lord together.

Songs of Praise

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

no. 53

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him for he is thy health and salvation!
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near,
Join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shelters thee under his wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been
Granted in what he ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee!
Surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee;
Ponder anew what the Almighty will do,
If with his love he befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee,
Decked thee with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed thee.
How oft in grief hath not he brought thee relief,
Spreading his wings to o'ershade thee!

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him!
Let the "Amen!" sound from his people again;
Gladly fore'er we adore him.

Words: Joachim Neander, 1680
Trans. by, Catherine Winkworth, 1863
Music: 17th cent. German Tune

To God Be The Glory

no. 55

To God be the glory, great things he has done!
So loved he the world that he gave us his Son,
Who yielded his life an atonement for sin,
And opened the life-gate that we may go in.

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Great things he has taught us, great things he has done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;
But purer and higher and greater will be
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

*Words: Fanny J. Crosby, 1875
Music: William H. Doane, 1875*

Immortal, Invisible God Only Wise

no . 38

Immortal, invisible, God only wise, in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
Most blessèd, most glorious, the Ancient of Days, almighty, victorious, thy great name we
praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light, nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above thy clouds which are fountains of goodness
and love.

To all, life thou givest, to both great and small; in all life thou livest, the true life of all;
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree, and wither and perish—but naught
changeth thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light, thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
All praise we would render; O help us to see 'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee!

Words: Walter Chalmers Smith, 1867

Music: Welsh Folk Tune

Scripture Reading

Psalms 67

¹May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face to shine upon us.

²That your way may be known on earth, your saving power among all nations.

³Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

⁴Let the nations be glad and sing for joy, for you judge the peoples with equity
and guide the nations upon earth.

⁵Let the peoples praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you!

⁶The earth has yielded its increase; God, our God, shall bless us.

⁷God shall bless us; let all the ends of the earth fear him!

Pastoral Prayer

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.)

Song of Preparation

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*

The Preaching of God's Word

"...a servant of God"

Eric Winship, elder

Titus 1:1-4

(p998 pew Bible)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Confession of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell*. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

** 'hell' here means the realm of death, not 'place of eternal torment'*

*** 'catholic' here means 'universal'*

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.

Parting Hymn

Christ Is Mine Forevermore

Mine are days that God has numbered, I was made to walk with him.
Yet I look for worldly treasure and forsake the King of kings. But mine is hope in my
Redeemer. Though I fall, his love is sure.
For Christ has paid for every failing – I am his forevermore.

Mine are tears in times of sorrow, darkness not yet understood.
Through the valley I must travel where I see no earthly good.
But mine is peace that flows from heaven and the strength in times of need.
I know my pain will not be wasted – Christ completes his work in me.

Mine are days here as a stranger, pilgrim on a narrow way. One with Christ I will
encounter harm and hatred for his name. But mine is armour for this battle strong
enough to last the war. And he has said he will deliver safely to the golden shore.

And mine are keys to Zion city where beside the King I walk. For there my heart has found
its treasure – Christ is mine forevermore!

*Come rejoice now, O my soul – for his love is my reward!
Fear is gone and hope is sure – Christ is mine forevermore!*

And mine are keys to Zion city where beside the King I walk.
For there my heart has found its treasure – Christ is mine forevermore!
City Alight, 2015 (Jonny Robinson and Rich Thompson)

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

First Sunday Family Dinner – TONIGHT Please plan to attend our first Sunday fellowship meal this evening, beginning at 5pm. These potluck family dinners are a great way to get to know new folks and connect with old friends. We look forward to being together.

Ladies/Teen girls Kayak & Stand Up Paddle Board Day @ New River Marina

Saturday, August 13th, 10am-2pm | Rentals available there (\$22 kayak/\$25 SUP board for half day) or bring your own! Pack your lunch and drinks and come hang out. There is plenty of space on the shore to relax even if you don't want to be on the water. Call or text Alina Strain to RSVP (316.461.1479) and be sure to let her know if you need help coordinating base access.

Ministry Leaders Meeting | Monday August 15th, 6:00 pm

Ministry Leaders meeting for planning for the upcoming year. Please come prepared to discuss your plans and needs for the coming year.

Harvest Work Day | Saturday August 20th, 8:00 am -2:00pm

We are having a workday to refresh the exterior of the church and its grounds. All available members of Harvest who are willing to help are welcome. (no particular skills required). There will be something for everyone. This is a opportunity to get involved in the life of Harvest and enjoy fellowship. . *Lunch will be provided contact Andrew Townsend @ 770.372.8614 or any Deacon if interested.*

Congregational Meeting | Sunday August 21st

Immediately following the Sunday service we will have a congregational meeting for the purpose of electing members to the Pastoral Search Committee. All may attend but need to be a member of the church to serve and/or be nominated.

Baby Shower Brunch @ Alina Strain's home | Saturday, August 27th, 10:30am | Ladies & daughters of Harvest are invited to come celebrate with Abi Wright, Aubrey Maldonado, and Jessie Sumner as they prepare to welcome babies in the next few months! Brunch will be provided. There will be group cards/gifts to contribute to, but gifts are not necessary. We just want to celebrate these new lives together! Parking is limited so please consider carpooling. *RSVP to Sarah Taylor: 330.907.8297*

Sunday School Teachers needed!

Sunday school teachers are needed for the Class ages 4-6 that will resume in September.

Please contact an elder or email the elders at (elders@harvestpres.com).

Communion Volunteers Needed

There are many ways to get involved and to serve at Harvest. One way is for you and your family to become a part of our communion setup rotation. We ask that each individual assisting be over the age of 12 and agree to serve for a one month period for Sunday setups. If you are interested please contact Micah Roush @ (mrroush1@live.com).

Pure Desire Ministries

Pure Desire exists to help men and women take back their lives from unwanted sexual behavior and the trauma of betrayal. These studies are an excellent and proven way to both come alongside sexual strugglers as well as combat the struggle yourself. For the current schedule & location, please contact Jeremiah Davis (jeremiah.davis@tuntavernfellowship | 910.546.8224).

Deployed Personnel

John & Sarah Taylor (Vincent, Bennett & Azalea)

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 Micah an email and ask to be added to the official Harvest distro list (mrroush@live.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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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

Jeremiah Davis – Tun Tavern Fellowship (*jeremiah.davis@biola.edu*)

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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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