



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

gathered for corporate worship

August 14, 2022

*Let us now with humble boldness, enter the holiest by the blood of Jesus,
in the new and living way, which he has opened for us through the curtain of his body.*

*Let us now attend unto the Lord without distraction, and let not our hearts be far from
him when we draw near to him with our mouths, and honour him with our lips.*

Let us now worship God, who is Spirit, in spirit and in truth, through Jesus the Savior.

Amen.

~ from Matthew Henry, A Method for Prayer ~



*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 14, 2022
a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Call to Worship

Psalm 27.1-6

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall. Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.

One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after:

That I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple.

For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high upon a rock.

And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody to the LORD.

Songs of Praise

Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder

Let us love and sing and wonder, let us praise the Savior's Name.
He has hushed the law's loud thunder. He has quenched Mt. Sinai's flame.
He has washed us with his blood. He has washed us with his blood.
He has washed us with his blood. He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us love the Lord who bought us, pitied us when enemies,
Called us by his grace and taught us, gave us ears and gave us eyes!
He has washed us with his blood. He has washed us with his blood.
He has washed us with his blood. He presents our souls to God.

Let us sing though fierce temptation threatens hard to bear us down.
For the Lord our strong salvation, holds in view the Conqueror's crown!
He who washed us with his blood, He who washed us with his blood,
He who washed us with his blood soon will bring us home to God!

Let us wonder grace and justice join and point to mercy's store.
When, through grace, our trust in Christ is justice smiles, and asks no more.
He who washed us with his blood, He who washed us with his blood,
He who washed us with his blood has secured our way to God!

Let us praise and join the chorus of the saints enthroned on high.
Here they trusted him before us – now their praises fill the sky!
You have washed us with your blood. You have washed us with your blood.
You have washed us with your blood. You are worthy Lamb of God!

Words: John Newton, 1779

Music: Laura Taylor, 2001

Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Mighty Gates

no. 198

Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates! Behold, the King of glory waits;
The King of kings is drawing near, the Savior of the world is here.

A helper just he comes to thee, his chariot is humility,
His kingly crown is holiness, his scepter, pity in distress.

O blest the land, the city blest, where Christ the Ruler is confessed!
O happy hearts and happy homes to whom this King in triumph comes!

Fling wide the portals of your heart; make it a temple, set apart
From earthly use for heav'n's employ, adorned with prayer and love and joy.

Redeemer, come! I open wide my heart to thee; here, Lord abide!
Let me thy inner presence feel; thy grace and love in me reveal.

So come, my Sovereign, enter in! Let new and nobler life begin!
Thy Holy Spirit guide us on, until our glorious crown be won.

Words: based on Psalm 24; Georg Weissel, 1642

Trans. by Catherine Winkworth, 1855

Music: Psalmodia Evangelica, 1789

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

no.247

O Sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down;
Now scornfully surrounded with thorns, thine only crown;
O sacred Head, what glory, what bliss till now was thine!
Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call Thee mine.

What thou, my Lord, hast suffered was all for sinners' gain:
Mine, mine was the transgression; but thine the deadly pain!
Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve thy place!
Look on me with thy favor, vouchsafe to me thy grace.

What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest Friend?
For this, thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end?
O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be,
Lord, let me never, never outlive my love to thee.

Words: James W Alexander, 1830

Music: Johann S. Bach, 1729

Call to Confession

John 6.27 & Isaiah 55.1-3

Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give to you. Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live.

In silent prayer, let us confess our sins to the Lord...

Assurance of Grace

Jesus in John 6

I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever. And the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh. Truly, truly, I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Whoever feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up on the last day.

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.)

Song of Preparation

Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You ,to receive the food of Your Holy Word.
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us; shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today, in our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us, all Your purposes for Your glory.

Teach us, Lord, full obedience, holy reverence, true humility;
Test our thoughts and our attitudes, in the radiance of Your purity.
Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see, your majestic love and authority.
Words of pow'r that can never fail—let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds; help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us—
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time, that will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises, and by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built, and the earth is filled with Your glory.

Keith Getty and Stuart Townend, 2005

Titus 1:5-9

(p998 pew Bible)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

The elements of bread and wine are simple and yet by God's power are both a sign and seal of God's love. For those who are not believing in Jesus, this meal is a sign of the sacrificial love of Jesus for those who acknowledge their need of him. For those who are believing in Jesus, this is not only a sign of these things, it is also a seal to their hearts, that indeed the Gospel is true and his love is for them.

If you have questions about the Lord's Supper, please feel free to approach one of elders after the service and we would be happy to speak with you. Wherever you are spiritually today, may this celebration bring greater insight into your personal need for Jesus and his abundant supply for you.

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

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

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.

Teen Guys Event | Friday, August 26th at 7:30 pm | Campfire and discipleship group at Townsend's home. Contact Andrew Townsend if interested at 770.372.8614 or townsend829@gmail.com .

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 Classes, ages 4-6 & 7-10 age groups 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)
Mason Sheffield

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

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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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