



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

gathered for corporate worship

October 2, 2022

And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding. So as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; being strengthened with all power. According to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy; giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light.

~ Col 1:9-12.



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

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

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October 2, 2022

a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Call to Worship

Col 1:9-12

In you, Lord my God, I put my trust.

I trust in you; do not let me be put to shame, nor let my enemies triumph over me.

No one who hopes in you will ever be put to shame, but shame will come on those who are treacherous without cause.

Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths.

Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long.

Remember, Lord, your great mercy and love, for they are from of old.

Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways.

According to your love remember me, for you, Lord, are good.

Songs of Praise

Are You Weary, Are You Languid?

no. 477

Are you weary, are you languid, are you sore distress'd? (women)
"Come to me," says one, "and coming, be at rest." (men)

Has he marks to lead me to him, if he be my guide? (women)
"In his feet and hands are wound-prints, and his side." (men)

Is there diadem as monarch, that his brow adorns? (women)
"Yes, a crown, in very surety, but of thorns." (men)

If I find him, if I follow, what his promise here? (women)
"Many a sorrow, many a labor, many a tear." (men)

If I still hold closely to him, what has he at last? (women)
"Sorrow vanquished, labor ended, Jordan passed." (men)

If I ask him to receive me, will he say me nay? (women)
"Not till earth and not till heaven pass away." (men)

Finding, foll'wing, keeping, struggling, is he sure to bless? (women)
"Saints, apostles, prophets, martyrs answer yes." (All Together)

Words: John Mason Neale, 1862

Music: Henry W. Baker, 1868

My Faith Has Found A Resting Place

no. 468

My faith has found a resting place

Not in device or creed

I trust the ever-living One

His wounds for me shall plead

I need no other argument

I need no other plea

It is enough that Jesus died

And that He died for me

Enough for me that Jesus saves

This ends my fear and doubt

A sinful soul I come to Him

He'll never cast me out

My heart is leaning on the Word

The living Word of God

Salvation by my Savior's name

Salvation thru His blood

My great Physician heals the sick

The lost He came to save

For me His precious blood He shed

For me His life He gave.

Words: Andre Ernest Modeste Gretry ,

Music: Lidie Hornsby Edmunds, © Words and Music: Public Domain

Old Testament Reading

1 Samuel 12:19-24

And all the people said to Samuel, “Pray for your servants to the Lord your God, that we may not die, for we have added to all our sins this evil, to ask for ourselves a king.” And Samuel said to the people, “Do not be afraid; you have done all this evil. Yet do not turn aside from following the Lord, but serve the Lord with all your heart. And do not turn aside after empty things that cannot profit or deliver, for they are empty. For the Lord will not forsake his people, for his great name's sake, because it has pleased the Lord to make you a people for himself. Moreover, as for me, far be it from me that I should sin against the Lord by ceasing to pray for you, and I will instruct you in the good and the right way. Only fear the Lord and serve him faithfully with all your heart. For consider what great things he has done for you.

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

Before the Throne of God Above

Before the throne of God above, I have a strong and perfect plea
A great High Priest whose name is Love, who ever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven on his hands, my name is written on his heart.
I know that while in heaven he stands no tongue can bid me thence depart;
No tongue can bid me thence depart.

And when I stumble in the dark, his hand shall lead me to the light.
His death to me his grace imparts. He rose again to give me life.
The law my flesh could never keep, but my Redeemer bore my guilt.
He brought me out of misery, that I in him shall surely live;
That I in him shall surely live.

When Satan tempts me to despair and tells me of the guilt within
Upward I look and see him there who made an end of all my sin.
Because the sinless Savior died my sinful soul is counted free
For God the just is satisfied to look on him and pardon me;
To look on him and pardon me.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Praise the One, risen Son of God!
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Behold him there the risen Lamb, my perfect spotless righteousness,
The great unchangeable I AM, the King of glory and of grace.
One in himself I cannot die my soul is purchased by his blood.
My life is hid with Christ on high; with Christ my Savior and my God!
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*Words: Charitie Lees Bancroft (1863) & Vicki Cook (1997),
Stanza 2, Ryan Stone, 2006; Music: Vikki Cook, 1997*

The Preaching of God's Word

"...servant prayer"

Eric Winship, elder

Philemon 1:1-7

(p1000 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.

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

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

no. 353

I love thy kingdom, Lord, the house of thine abode,
The church our blest Redeemer saved with his own precious blood.

I love thy church, O God: her walls before thee stand,
Dear as the apple of thine eye, and graven on thy hand.

For her my tears shall fall, for her my prayers ascend;
To her my cares and toils be giv'n, till toils and cares shall end.

Beyond my highest joy I prize her heav'nly ways,
Her sweet communion, solemn vows, her hymns of love and praise.

Jesus, thou Friend divine, our Savior and our King,
Thy hand from ev'ry snare and foe shall great deliv'rance bring.

Sure as thy truth shall last, to Zion shall be giv'n
The brightest glories earth can yield, and brighter bliss of heav'n.

Words: Timothy Dwight, 1800

Music: Aaron Williams, 1763

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.

Young Adult Evening| Saturday, October 8th @ 6:30 until. Ray and Mary Respass invite Singles, and couples to their home at 2536 Old Plantation Drive, Kinston. Couples you fit in this category if you have preschool children, no children or just dating. Mark your calendar! Not sure of the menu yet. This is a night without children unless you are nursing. Please let us know by Oct 1 if you will be able to come. You can bring instruments if you would like. Hopefully we will have an awesome sunset that evening. *RSVP to Ray and Mary at 252.521.6225.* This is a great opportunity for our new couples at church to get to know folks.

Adult Sunday School Class

Mike Carter and Brent Cochran will be co-teaching Sunday School using R.C. Sproul's book "Everyone's a Theologian - an Introduction to Systematic Theology". You are encouraged to purchase this book so you can better benefit from this class.

Pulpit Committee

Thoughts from "When the Word Leads Your Pastoral Search". In calling a pastor Harvest has a great opportunity to make a difference. Our work as a committee means more than a search for any corporate CEO. Our search committee meetings weigh heavier on the scales of eternity than those held to discuss global mergers. How many lives will be impacted and for how long? Week in and week out our new pastor will proclaim the truth; the truth needed to sanctify us, our children, and in reality, the generations to come. We daily need your prayers that God would pour His blessings into our work!

Pulpit Committee Email

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

Deployed Personnel

John & Sarah Taylor (Vincent, Bennett & Azalea)

Mason Sheffield

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).

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

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

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