



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*gathered for corporate worship*

February 19, 2023

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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.*

~ Jesus (Luke 10.2)

February 19, 2023

*a day of rest*

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**Welcome & Announcements**

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**Invocation**

*Psalm 105:1-3a*

“O give thanks to the Lord, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples!

Sing to him, sing praises to him, tell of his wonderful works!

Glory in his holy name.”

*Let us pray,*

**Almighty God, O heavenly Father, whose presence is an eternal peace, whose dwelling is an everlasting glory,**

**Lord who rules over earth and heaven, we bow before you in this place, confessing with our hymns and prayers the name of Christ, whom we acknowledge as Lord indeed.**

**Grant to us your blessing and your presence, your word and your peace, that our worship be that worship which is in Spirit and truth.**

**Through Jesus Christ our Savior, whom with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit we always worship and adore.**

**One God forever and ever. *Amen.***

*From “Leading in Prayer”, Hughes Oliphant Old*

## Call to Worship

*Acts 2:2-24 & 36, 1:11*

“Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through him in your midst, as you yourselves know,

**This Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men.**

God raised him up, loosing the pangs of death, because it was not possible for him to be held by it.

**Let all the house of Israel therefore know for certain that God has made him both Lord and Christ, this Jesus whom you crucified.”**

“Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

## Songs of Praise

Come, Thou Almighty King  
Come, thou Almighty King,  
Help us thy name to sing, help us to praise.  
Father all glorious, ov’r all victorious,  
Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days.

Come, thou Incarnate Word,  
Gird on thy mighty sword, our prayer attend.  
Come, and thy people bless, and give thy Word success;  
Spirit of holiness, on us descend.

*(song continues on next page)*

Come, Holy Comforter,  
Thy sacred witness bear in this glad hour.  
Thou who almighty art, now rule in every heart,  
And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power.

To the great One in Three  
Eternal praises be, hence evermore.  
His sovereign majesty may we in glory see,  
And to eternity love and adore!

*Words: Anonymous, ca. 1757  
Music: Felice de Giardini, 1769*

### His Mercy is More

What love could remember no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more!

*Praise the Lord: His mercy is more!  
Stronger than darkness, new every morn'  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more.*

What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What Father so tender is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more!

What riches of kindness he lavished on us  
His blood was the payment his life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more!

*Matt Boswell & Matt Papa, 2016*

Doxology

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow!*

*Praise him, all creatures here below.*

*Praise him above, ye heavenly hosts.*

*Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!*

**Westminster Shorter Catechism**

Q. 11. What are God's works of providence?

**A. God's works of providence are, his most holy, wise, and powerful preserving and governing all his creatures, and all their actions.**

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. 13. Did our first parents continue in the estate wherein they were created?

**A. Our first parents, being left to the freedom of their own will, fell from the estate wherein they were created, by sinning against God.**

## Old Testament Reading

*Numbers 14: 20-24*

Then the LORD said, "I have pardoned, according to your word. But truly, as I live, and as all the earth shall be filled with the glory of the LORD, none of the men who have seen my glory and my signs that I did in Egypt and in the wilderness, and yet have put me to the test these ten times and have not obeyed my voice, shall see the land that I swore to give to their fathers. And none of those who despised me shall see it. But my servant Caleb, because he has a different spirit and has followed me fully, I will bring into the land into which he went, and his descendants shall possess it.

## Pastoral Prayer

Doug Zimbelamn, 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

### In You, Lord, I Refuge Take (Psalm 31)

In you, Lord, I refuge take; let me not be put to shame.  
Turn your ear and quickly make safety for my trembling frame.  
You're a rock and fortress strong; I am lost and cannot see.  
For your name's sake, lead me on; in your hands, my soul redeem.

My eyes weak with sorrow grow, and my body fills with grief.  
All my years pass with a groan; my strength fails, my bones are weak.  
Those who see me turn to flee; my friends' eyes are filled with dread.  
Like a potter's broken dream: in their gaze, a shade of death.

But I trust you are my God; all my days are in your hands.  
Let your face upon me shine; make me in your love to stand.  
Great the steadfast love you've stored for the poor, who refuge seek.  
In your presence, gracious Lord; in your dwelling they find peace.

When I cried in my alarm, "I am cut off from your sight!"  
Praise the Lord, whose saving arm was my rescue and my light.  
Love the Lord, all you his saints! You, who in him refuge take.  
Though in darkness you may wait, all who hope in God are saved!

*Wendell Kimbrough, 2011*

## **The Preaching of God's Word**

*"This Same Jesus "*

Eric Winship, elder

### **Jude 5-16**

*(p1027 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.*



**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

**Sunday Evening Service**

Please join us at 5:00 PM for a video series entitled “Westminster Confession of Faith” by John Gerstner followed by a Q&A, a time of prayer. Enjoy a potluck and fellowship afterwards.

**Adult Sunday School Class**

Do you want to understand theological concepts in uncomplicated terms? Then join Mike Carter and Brent Cochran as they co-teach, “Everyone’s a Theologian – an Introduction to Systematic Theology” by R.C. Sproul.

**Ladies Bible Study**

The evening study is on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., studying Exodus. The morning study is on Wednesday at 9:30 a.m., studying 1-3 John. Childcare will be provided for Wednesday mornings only. Please contact Alina Strain at 316-461-1479 or [alina.strain@gmail.com](mailto:alina.strain@gmail.com) for more info and to sign up. Sign-up sheet also located in the foyer."

**2023 Heart to Heart Ministry Trip to Kenya**

Heart to Heart will be returning to Kenya for a mission’s trip in the New Year. Departure will be on Thursday, April 27 and returning to US on Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup>. If you are interested in joining this Missions trip please contact Dan or Melanie at [dan.norvell@mail.peraton.com](mailto:dan.norvell@mail.peraton.com) or Eric Winship at [eric@isanswers.net](mailto:eric@isanswers.net).

## **Harvest Workday** | Saturday March 25<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 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. *If interested please, contact Andrew Townsend @ 770.372.8614/townsend829@gmail.com or any Deacon if interested.*

## **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 Laura Troxel at [lauraetroxel@gmail.com](mailto:lauraetroxel@gmail.com), speak to one of the elders, or send an email to [elders@harvestpres.com](mailto:elders@harvestpres.com).

## **Pulpit Committee**

Pray for the committee as each member spends time reviewing ministerial data forms, resumes, and listens to sermons of assigned potential candidates through the week. Pray the Lord would lead us to the man he has chosen, and that the Lord is now preparing that man's heart to come.

## **Pulpit Committee Email**

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

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*worship, nurture & service*

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

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

LEADERSHIP TEAM

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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

**Jonathan & Beka Hastings** – MTW Atlanta (*untilallshallhear@swissmail.org*)  
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**Onslow Pregnancy Resource Center** – *oprcfriends.com*, 910.938.7000  
**RUF – Reformed University Fellowship** (our denominational campus ministry)  
**MTW – Mission To the World** (our denominational missions arm)

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