



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

gathered for corporate worship

March 12, 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)

March 12, 2023

a day of rest

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Welcome & Announcements

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Invocation

Psalm 124:8

“Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made heaven and earth.”

Let us pray,

Father, your name is exalted, honored in every land, praised in every tongue.

Your name is praised above the heavens, adored by heavenly hosts.

You are our Lord and God.

Hear our prayer, our Lord and God, for it is you whom we would worship,

In the name of your Son, your only begotten Son, your well-beloved son.

Glory be to you, God most high, Father almighty, Son all-beloved, Spirit all-pervading.

One God, now and forever. *Amen.*

From “Leading in Prayer”, Hughes Oliphant Old

Call to Worship

Colossians 3:1-4

If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.

Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

When Christ who is your life appears, then you also will appear with him in glory.

Songs of Praise

Jesus Strong and Kind

Jesus said that if I thirst, I should come to him.
No one else can satisfy; I should come to him.

Jesus said if I am weak, I should come to him.
No one else can be my strength; I should come to him.

*For the Lord is good and faithful. He will keep us day and night.
We can always run to Jesus; Jesus strong and kind.*

Jesus said that if I fear, I should come to him.
No one else can be my shield; I should come to him.

Jesus said if I am lost, he will come to me.
And he showed me on that cross, he will come to me.

*CityAlight, 2019 (Colin Buchanan, Jonny Robinson,
Michael Farren & Rich Thompson)*

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

All for Jesus!

no. 565

All for Jesus, all for Jesus! All my being's ransomed powers:
All my thoughts and words and doings, all my days and all my hours.

Let my hands perform his bidding; let my feet run in his ways;
Let my eyes see Jesus only; let my lips speak forth his praise.

Worldlings prize their gems of beauty, cling to gilded toys of dust,
Boast of wealth and fame and pleasure; only Jesus will I trust.

Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I've lost sight of all beside;
So enchained my spirit's vision, looking at the Crucified.

O what wonder! how amazing! Jesus, glorious King of kings,
Deigns to call me his beloved, lets me rest beneath his wings.

Words: Mary D. James, 1889

Music: John Stainer, 1887

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 35. What is sanctification?

A. Sanctification is the work of God's free grace, whereby we are renewed in the whole man after the image of God, and are enabled more and more to die unto sin, and live unto righteousness.

Q. 36. What are the benefits which in this life do accompany or flow from justification, adoption, and sanctification?

A. The benefits which in this life do accompany or flow from justification, adoption, and sanctification, are, assurance of God's love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Ghost, increase of grace, and perseverance therein to the end.

Old Testament Reading

Proverbs 4:18-23

But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, which shines brighter and brighter until full day. The way of the wicked is like deep darkness; they do not know over what they stumble. My son, be attentive to my words; incline your ear to my sayings. Let them not escape from your sight; keep them within your heart. For they are life to those who find them, and healing to all their flesh. Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life.

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

Christ the True and Better

Christ the true and better Adam, Son of God and Son of man.
Who when tempted in the garden never yielded, never sinned.
He who makes the many righteous brings us back to life again.
Dying He reversed the curse then rising crushed the serpent's head!

Christ the true and better Isaac, humble son of sacrifice.
Who would climb the fearful mountain, there to offer up his life.
Laid with faith upon the altar, Father's joy and only son.
There salvation was provided, oh what full and boundless love!

Amen, Amen, From beginning to end
Christ the story, His the glory
Alleluia, Amen!

Christ the true and better Moses called to lead a people home.
Standing bold to earthly powers, God's great glory to be known.
With his arms stretched wide to heaven, see the waters part in two.
See the veil is torn forever, cleansed with blood we pass now through.

Christ the true and better David, lowly shepherd, mighty King.
He the champion in the battle, where o death is now thy sting?
In our place He bled and conquered. Crown Him Lord of majesty.
His shall be the throne forever, we shall e'er His people be!

*Keith Getty | Matt Boswell | Matt Papa
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The Preaching of God's Word
"Called and Conformed "

Eric Winship, elder

2 Peter 1:1-4
(p1018 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 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 8th. If you are interested in joining this Missions trip please contact Dan or Melanie at dan.norvell@mail.peraton.com or Eric Winship at eric@isanswers.net.

Harvest Workday | Saturday March 25th, 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, speak to one of the elders, or send an email to 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.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.

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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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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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RUF – Reformed University Fellowship (our denominational campus ministry)
MTW – Mission To the World (our denominational missions arm)

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