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HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH gathered for corporate worship August 20, 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)

August 20, 2023 a day of rest

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Invocation

Exodus 15:1-2

Then Moses and the people of Israel sang this song to the LORD, saying,

"I will sing to the LORD, for he has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider he has thrown into the sea.

The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise him, my father's God, and I will exalt him.

Call to Worship

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.

Songs of Praise

Hallelujah! Praise Jehovah, O My Soul, no. 57

Glorious Things Of These Are Spoken, no. 345

My Song Is Love Unknown, no. 182

Confession of Faith

Westminster Catechism

Q. 86. What is faith in Jesus Christ?

A. Faith in Jesus Christ is a saving grace, whereby we receive and rest upon him alone for salvation, as he is offered to us in the gospel.

Q. 87. What is repentance unto life?

A. Repentance unto life is a saving grace, whereby a sinner, out of a true sense of his sin, and apprehension of the mercy of God in Christ, doth, with grief and hatred of his sin, turn from it unto God, with full purpose of, and endeavor after, new obedience.

(p888 pew Bible)

Pastoral Prayer

Eric Winship, 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

The Goodness of Jesus

Come you weary heart now to Jesus. Come you anxious soul now and see. There is perfect love and comfort in your tears; Rest here in his wondrous peace.

Oh the goodness, the goodness of Jesus. Satisfied, he is all that I need. May it be – come what may – that I rest all my days In the goodness of Jesus.

> Come find what this world cannot offer. Come and find your joy here complete. Taste the living water, never thirst again; Rest here in his wondrous peace.

Come and find your hope now in Jesus. He is all he said he would be. Grace is overflowing from the Saviour's heart; Rest here in his wondrous peace. City Alight, 2018 (Fiona Aghajanian, Harrison Druery, Michael Farren, Jaywan Maxwell, Jonny Robinson & Rich Thompson)

The Preaching of God's Word

Chaplain Steven Szelmeckzki

"Truth and Consequences "

Numbers 20:2-13

(p128 pew Bible)

Preparation for the Lord's Supper

The LORD's My Shepherd

The LORD's my Shepherd, leading me; I will not be in need. He'll make me lie in pastures green; by quiet waters lead.

And he restores my soul again; he guides the steps I take To walk along a righteous path, all for his own name's sake.

Though in a valley dark as death, no evil will I fear; Your rod and staff, they comfort me, for you are always near.

A feast you have prepared for me in sight of all my foes; And you anoint my head with oil, my full cup overflows.

What love and goodness all my life will follow after me; And in the LORD's house evermore my dwelling place will be. from The Book of Psalms for Worship (23A) Traditional Irish Melody (St. Columba)

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

And Can It Be That I Should Gain, no. 455

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

Harvest Baby Shower

There will be a baby shower honoring Alina Strain and Danielle Ross on Saturday August 26th at 10:00 at the home of Sarah Taylor , *120 Jean Circle, Jacksonville* . Please RSVP to Jessie Sumner at *jessie.h.sumner@gmail.com*

Summer Schedule

During our Summer schedule there will be no Sunday School classes or evening services. Our worship service begins at 10:00am. Please plan to arrive at 9:30am to enjoy coffee and fellowship prior to the worship service! We will resume our regular schedule September 10, 2023.

New Small Group

John and Sarah Taylor are hosting a new small group in Jacksonville at 120 Jean circle. Dinner at 5 study starts at 6. All are welcome. For more info contact the Taylor's at 330.907.8207.

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 Kim Winship, at *winship_kim@hotmail.com*, speak to one of the elders, or send an email to *elders@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.

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 the elders an email and ask to be added to the official Harvest distro list (<u>elders@harvestpres.com</u>).
- *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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SUNDAY SCHEDULE June – Sept 3rd

Fellowship Worship Family Dinner

9:30 10:00 5pm (1st Sundays)

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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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