



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*gathered for corporate worship*

November 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)

November 12, 2023  
*a day of worship & rest*

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**Welcome & Announcements**

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**Invocation**

*Psalm 121:1; 124:8*

Doug Zimbelman, elder

I lift my eyes to the hills. From where does my help come?

**Our help is in the name of the LORD, who made heaven and earth.**

**Prayer**

**Our loving and merciful Father, we come before you today to seek your face and to hear your voice. We ask for your protection and power as we gather to glorify you in worship. May you renew our hearts, comfort our souls, and make the words of our mouth and the meditations of our heart acceptable in your sight, through Jesus Christ, our Rock and Redeemer. Amen!**

**Call to Worship**

*Revelation 19:5-7*

Doug Zimbelman, elder

Praise our God,

**All you his servants, you who fear him, small and great.**

Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns.

**Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory!**

**Songs of Praise**

**All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name!, no. 296**

**Sing Choirs Of New Jerusalem, no. 271**

**Call to Confession of Sin**

*Matthew 6:13-14*

Rev. Jason Petterson

## Song of Preparation

### Trisagion



Ho - ly - God. Ho - ly and might - y  
Ho - ly im - mor - tal One, Have mer - cy, have mer - cy, on us.

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## Confession of Sin

*(silent confession of your sin)*

## Declaration of Pardon

*1 Timothy 1:15*

Rev. Jason Petterson

### Jesus Paid it All

*no. 308*

I hear the Savior say, "Your strength indeed is small,  
"Child of weakness watch and pray, find in me your all in all."

*Jesus paid it all, all to him I owe;  
Sin had left a crimson stain, he washed it white as snow.*

Lord, now indeed I find your pow'r and yours alone,  
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone.

For nothing good have I, whereby your grace to claim—  
I'll wash my garments white in the blood of Cal'ry's Lamb.

And when, before the throne, I stand in him complete,  
"Jesus died my soul to save," my lips shall still repeat.

*Words: Elvina Hall, 1865  
Music: John T. Grape, 1868*

**Confession of Faith**

*The Apostles' Creed*

Doug Zimbelman, elder

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

*\* 'catholic' here means universal*

**Gloria Patri**

*no. 735*

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.  
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen. Amen.

**Old Testament Reading**

*Genesis 28:10-22  
(p554 pew Bible)*

Rev. Jason Petterson

## Eternal Weight of Glory

Now the days and hours and moments of our suff'ring seem so long;  
And the toilsome wait and wond'ring threaten silence to our song.  
Now our pain is real and pressing where our faith is thin and weak,  
But our hope is set on Jesus; and we cling to him, our strength.

Oh eternal weight of glory! Oh inheritance divine!  
We will see our Lord redeeming every past and future time.  
All our pains will be transfigured, like the scars of Christ our Lord.  
We will see the weight of glory, and our broken years restored.

*For behold! I tell a myst'ry: at the trumpet sound we'll wake.  
"Death is swallowed up in vict'ry!" when we meet our King of Grace.  
Every year we thought was wasted, every night we cried "How long?"  
All will be a passing moment in our Savior's vict'ry song*

We will see our wounded Savior. We'll behold him face to face;  
And we'll hear our anguished stories sung as vict'ry songs of grace.

*Wendell Kimbrough, 2015*

**Pastoral Prayer**

Doug Zimbelman, elder

## The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen**

## 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.)*

**The Preaching of God's Word**  
*"God Provides "*

Rev. Jason Petterson

**Philippians 2:19-30**  
*(p980 pew Bible)*

**Behold The Lamb ( The Communion Hymn)**

Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away,  
Slain for us - and we remember  
The promise made that all who come in faith  
Find forgiveness at the cross.  
So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of peace  
Around the table of the King.

The body of our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
Torn for you - eat and remember  
The wounds that heal, the death that brings us life  
Paid the price to make us one.  
So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of love  
Around the table of the King.

The blood that cleanses every stain of sin,  
Shed for you - drink and remember  
He drained death's cup that all may enter in  
To receive the life of God.  
So we share in this bread of life,  
And we drink of His sacrifice  
As a sign of our bonds of grace  
Around the table of the King.

And so with thankfulness and faith we rise  
To respond, - and to remember  
Our call to follow in the steps of Christ  
As His body here on earth.  
As we share in His suffering  
We proclaim Christ will come again!  
And we'll join in the feast of heaven  
Around the table of the King.

Words and Music; Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty

and Stuart Townend, 2007.

## Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Rev. Jason Petterson

*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 Song

**Though Troubles Assail Us, no. 95**

### 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! Amen

## Benediction

*Numbers 6.24-26*

Rev. Jason Petterson

*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,  
in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.*



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Harvest Women's Ministry**

- Please fill out a Pink Sheet (on the bulletin table) and give it to Denny Phillips in order to receive email communications regarding Women's Ministry events and opportunities.
- The Ladies' Bible Study meets on Thursday morning from 9:30-11:30. We are studying, *The Promised One*, by Nancy Guthrie.
- Join the private Facebook group, "Harvest PCA Women's Group (Jacksonville, NC)" for informal communication among members in the group (e.g. if you need a babysitter, have something to sell/buy/give away, or need someone to switch nursery duty with you).

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

### **Staying Connected**

- Please feel free to make any need or prayer request known to the church leadership through the email address [elders@harvestpres.com](mailto: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 ([elders@harvestpres.com](mailto:elders@harvestpres.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.'

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*worship, nurture & service*

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

**Sept. 10 – May 19**

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

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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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