



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
gathered for corporate worship
September 1, 2024

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)



September 1, 2024
a day of worship & rest

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**Welcome & Announcements**

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## **OUR HOLY GOD CALLS US**

**Call to Worship**

*Psalm 111*

Tom Phillips, elder

*Responsive reading on p.826 in the Trinity Hymnal*

**Song of Praise**

**Come, Thou Almighty King**, no. 101

**Praise My Soul The King Of Heaven**, no. 76

**Invocation**

*Psalm 121:1; 124:8*

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 of Adoration**

**God's Greeting**

*Revelation 1:4-5 [adapted]*

## **OUR MERCIFUL GOD CLEANSSES US**

**Call to Confession of Sin**

**God's Holy Law**

Rev. Jason Petterson

I am the LORD, your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt out of the house of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me.

**You shall not make for yourself a carved image.**

**You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.**

Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.

**Honor your father and your mother.**

You shall not murder. You shall not commit adultery. You shall not steal.

**You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. You shall not covet.**

## 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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## Corporate Confession of Sin

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us so that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen!**

*silently, in prayer, before the Lord*

## Declaration of Pardon

*Ephesians 1:7*

## Song of Response

Man of Sorrows! What A Name

no.246

Man of Sorrows! what a name for the Son of God who came  
Ruined sinners to reclaim. Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude, in my place condemned He stood;  
Sealed my pardon with His blood. Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Guilty, vile, and helpless we; Spotless Lamb of God was He;  
"Full atonement!" can it be? Hallelujah! What a Savior!

Lifted up was He to die; "It is finished!" was His cry;  
Now in heav'n exalted high. Hallelujah! What a Savior!

When He comes, our glorious King, all His ransomed home to bring,  
Then anew His song we'll sing: Hallelujah! What a Savior!

*Words and Music: Phillip P. Bliss, 1875*

## OUR GRACIOUS GOD CONSECRATES US

**Old Testament Reading**

*Isaiah 62:1-5*

Tom Phillips, elder

**Song Of Response**

The Church's One Foundation

no. 347( vv.1,4,6)

The church's one foundation, is Jesus Christ her Lord;  
She is his new creation, by water and the Word:  
From heav'n he came and sought her, to be his holy bride;  
With his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.

The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord to defend,  
To guide, sustain, and cherish, is with her to the end;  
Though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,  
Against or foe or traitor, she ever shall prevail.

Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One,  
And mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won:  
O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we,  
Like them the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.

*Words: Samuel Stone, 1866*

*Music: Samuel Wesley, 1864*

**Pastoral Prayer**

Tom Phillips,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**

Rev. Jason Petterson

*"Parables of the King & His Kingdom"*

**Mark 4:21-33**

## Song Of Response

### 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.

# OUR LOVING GOD COMMUNES WITH US

**Confession of Faith**

*The Apostles' Creed*

Tom Phillips, 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.

## The Mystery Of The Faith

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift our hearts up to the Lord!**

Great is the mystery of the faith.

**Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again!**

### Sanctus



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might  
heav'n and earth are filled with your glo - ry Ho san  
na ho san - na in the high - est  
ho san - na ho san - na in the  
high - est ho - ly, ho - ly ho - ly Lord God of pow'r and  
might heav'n and earth are filled with your glo - ry.

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## **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 Song**

### **Doxology**

no. 731

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

## **OUR FAITHFUL GOD COMMISSIONS US**

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

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **HPC Fall Schedule Resumes -Next Sunday , September 8th**

Our fall schedule resumes next week . Sunday school at 9:30, Fellowship 10:15 and Corporate worship begins at 10:45 AM.

### **Harvest Annual Ministry Kickoff & Potluck - September 8th After Church**

Make plans to join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall and to hear about how you can participate in the ministry plans for HPC over the next year. We will enjoy a fellowship meal together and then transition to a time of sharing and hearing about God's good work at HPC. Please plan on bringing a dish to share.

### **Volunteers Needed**

We are looking for volunteers to serve as greeters to welcome people and hand out the liturgy prior to Sunday morning service. If this is an area you are willing to serve, please reach out to Jonathan Strain at 316.516.4232

### **Expectant HPC Families**

**Praise God for these new children that God has given! Please keep these families & little ones in your prayers for safe pregnancies and deliveries.**

Josh & Michelle Bailey due 9/10- Chris & Katie Kim due 11/1

### **Harvest Women's Ministries Updates**

#### **Ladies' and Teen Girls' Fall Bible Studies**

The Ladies' Fall Bible Study will kick off on Thursday, Sept. 12, at the church from 9:30 - 11:30am. The Teen Girls' Study will begin on Tuesday, Sept 10, from 7:30 - 9:00pm at the church. Both groups will study Habbakuk. For more information pick up a flyer in the foyer or contact Alina Strain or Michelle Bailey.

#### **Ladies' Bible Study Childcare Needed**

We are in need of 2 adults (\$15/hr), or 1 adult and 1 teen (\$10/hr) on Thursday mornings from 0915-1145 beginning September 12, for 11 weeks. If interested, please contact Alina Strain (316) 461-1479.

#### **Saturday Morning Men's Discipleship Groups**

On September 7, we will resume our weekly D-Groups, in the fellowship hall at 0630. September 7 will be a demonstration session to show you how we operate. If you have never attended these, you can come to this first session and give us a test drive.

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a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)

*worship, nurture & service*

## SUNDAY SCHEDULE

**June – Sept 3rd**

|              |                                                     |
|--------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Fellowship   | 9:30                                                |
| Worship      | 10:00                                               |
| Family Lunch | Following worship ( <i>1<sup>st</sup> Sundays</i> ) |

## 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

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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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