



HARVEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
gathered for corporate worship
November 24, 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)



November 24, 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 47

Rev. Jason Petterson

responsive reading on p.803 in the Trinity Hymnal

Song of Praise

All Praise To God, Who Reigns Above, no. 4

Invocation

Psalm 121:1; 124:8

Rev. Jason Petterson

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

1 Corinthians 1:2-3 [adapted]

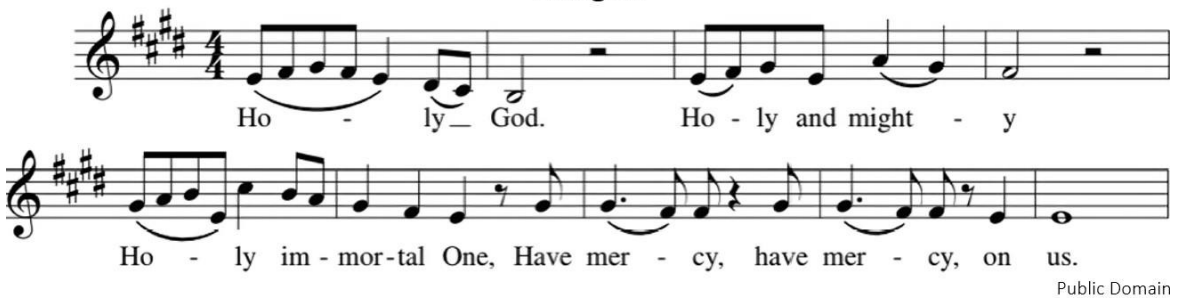
OUR MERCIFUL GOD CLEANSSES US

Call to Confession of Sin

Jeremiah 2:13

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

I confess to almighty God, and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned through my own fault. In my thoughts, and in my words, in what I have done, and in what I have failed to do. Lord Jesus Christ, Son of God, have mercy upon me, a sinner!

silently, in prayer, before the Lord

Declaration of Pardon

1 John 4:9-10

Song of Response

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 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

OUR GRACIOUS GOD CONSECRATES US

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 61

Song Of Praise

God Moves in a Mysterious Way

God moves in a mysterious way, His wonders to perform;
He plants his footsteps in the sea, and rides upon the storm.
Yes, He rides upon the storm.

Deep in unfathomable mines, of never failing skill
He treasures up His bright designs, and works His sovereign will.
Yes, He works His sovereign will.

***Ye fearful saints, fresh courage take, the clouds ye so much dread
Are big with mercy and shall break, in blessings on your head.***

Judge not the Lord by feeble sense, but trust Him for His grace;
Behind a frowning providence, He hides a smiling face.
Yes, He hides a smiling face.

His purposes will ripen fast, unfolding every hour,
The bud may have a bitter taste, but sweet will be the flow'r.
O, yes, sweet will be the flow'r.

Blind unbelief is sure to err, and scan His work in vain;
God is His own interpreter, and He will make it plain.
O, yes, He will make it plain.

Words: William Cowper, 1774

Music: Scottish Psalter, 1615; Arr. by Brian Liedstrand, 2006

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

"Take Courage"

Rev. Jason Petterson

Mark 6:45-56

Song Of Response

Psalm 29

You sons of the gods, give the Lord as His right.
Ascribe to the Lord both great glory and might.
And unto the Lord's name its glory accord;
In splendor of holiness worship the Lord.

The Lord's voice is over the waters abroad.
And thunder proceeds from the glorious God.
Above the great waters the Lord from His height!
The Lord's voice of splendor! The Lord's voice of might!

The voice of the Lord splits the cedars in two,
The Lord shatters trees that in Lebanon grew.
Then Lebanon's hills and Mount Sirion reeled.
When He made them skip like young calves in the field.

The Lord's voice in flashes of lightning exclaims;
The places it strikes all burst out into flames;
The voice of the Lord makes the wilderness quake;
The Lord makes the desert of Kadesh shake.

The Lord's voice induces the deer to give birth,
And strips bare the forests that cover the earth.
But inside His temple all things will exclaim;
And everything found there will "Glory!" proclaim.

The Lord ruled as King as the floodwaters raged.
And still shall the Lord rule throughout every age.
The Lord will the strength of His people increase;
The Lord gives His people the blessings of peace.

Words: JOANNA (St. Denis) II.

Music: Traditional Welsh Melody Arr. by John Roberts 1839

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

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

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

Connecting at HPC

If you are a new or recent visitor to Harvest Presbyterian Church, please email Elder Tom at *tsphillips1977@gmail.com* so that we may add you to the HPC email list to keep you in the loop with the latest church news.

This Week at HPC

Tues. 7:30pm - Teen Girls Bible Study - Habbakuk Lesson 11

Thurs. 9:30am - Ladies Bible Study - Habbakuk Lesson 11

Sat. 6:30am - Men's Bible Study

Next Sun. - Teen/Adult Sunday School

Ladies' Christmas Party and Gift Exchange

Ladies, on Friday, December 6, at 6pm you are invited to join us for a catered dinner, a coffee & hot chocolate bar, fellowship, and hearing from a few ladies on how they've made the Lord a priority through their Christmas traditions. If you would like to participate in the optional gift exchange, please bring a gift that's under \$20. The younger girls (10 and under) will have their own gift exchange so they will have a gift that is age-appropriate. There is no childcare provided, but infants-in-arms are welcome. **Please RSVP by replying to this email or texting/calling Denny Phillips at 910-340-9155.**

Harvest Women's Ministry Communications

Ladies, 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.

Harvest Ladies' Facebook Group

Join our 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)

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worship, nurture & service

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Sept. 8 – May 18

Sunday School	9:30
Fellowship	10:15
Worship	10:45
Church Potluck	After worship (<i>1st 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

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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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