

# Harvest

FELLOWSHIP

Loving God, Loving People, Making Disciples

The Harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few.  
Therefore pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out  
laborers into His harvest" Luke 10:2

Sunday, August 6, 2017

# Welcome!

For God's glory and by His grace, Harvest Fellowship exists to make disciples of Jesus Christ who are progressively growing in their love of God, their love of people, and their commitment to help others grow as disciples.

If you are visiting with us today, we would love to have a record of your attendance. Please fill in the 'Welcome' card and place it *in the offering plate.*"

*"And Jesus cried out and said, "Whoever believes in me, believes not in me but in him who sent me. And whoever sees me sees him who sent me. I have come into the world as light, so that whoever believes in me may not remain in darkness"*

*John 12:44-46*

## Call to Worship

*Colossians 1:15-20*

- Leader: Jesus Christ is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.
- People: For by him all things were created, in heaven and earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominion or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.
- Leader: And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together.
- Men: And he is the head of the body, the church.
- Women: For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell,
- Leader: and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.
- All: Come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture.

## ***How Great Is Our God***

Words and music by Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves, and Ed Cash

The splendor of the King, clothed in majesty;  
Let all the earth rejoice, all the earth rejoice.  
He wraps Himself in light, and darkness tries to hide,  
And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice.

**How great is our God!**

**Sing with me: How great is our God!**

**And all will see how great, how great is our God!**

And age to age He stands, and time is in His hands;  
Beginning and the End, Beginning and the End.  
The Godhead, Three in One, Father, Spirit, Son,  
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb.

***Name above all names,  
Worthy of all praise.  
My heart will sing: How great is our God!***

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### ***Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)***

Words by L Wilbur Chapman, music by Michael Bleeker & John Mark Hall

One day when Heaven was filled with His praises  
One day when sin was as dark as could be  
Jesus came forth to be born of a virgin  
Dwelt among men, my example is He  
Word became flesh and the light shined among us  
His glory revealed

One day they led Him up Calvary's mountain  
One day they nailed Him to die on a tree  
Suffering anguish, despised and rejected  
Bearing our sins, my Redeemer is He  
Hands that healed nations, stretched out on a tree  
And took the nails for me

***Living, He loved me  
Dying, He saved me  
Buried, He carried my sins far away  
Rising, He justified freely forever  
One day He's coming  
Oh glorious day, oh glorious day***

One day the grave could conceal Him no longer  
One day the stone rolled away from the door  
Then He arose, over death He had conquered  
Now He's ascended, my Lord evermore  
Death could not hold Him, the grave could not keep Him  
From rising again

*One day the trumpet will sound for His coming  
One day the skies with His glories will shine  
Wonderful day, my Beloved One, bringing  
My Savior, Jesus, is mine*

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Prayer of Adoration

## **Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)**

Words by John Newton (1790); arr. Edwin Excell (1900); Chris Tomlin; Louie Giglio

Amazing grace  
How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me  
I once was lost, but now I'm found  
Was blind, but now I see  
  
'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear  
And grace my fears relieved  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed

**My chains are gone  
I've been set free  
My God, my Savior has ransomed me  
And like a flood His mercy rains  
Unending love, Amazing grace**

The Lord has promised good to me  
His word my hope secures  
He will my shield and portion be  
As long as life endures

The earth shall soon dissolve like snow  
The sun forbear to shine  
But God, Who called me here below  
Will be forever mine  
Will be forever mine  
You are forever mine

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## Collection of Tithes & Offerings

*"On the first day of every week, each of you is to put something aside, as he may prosper." 1Corinthians 16:2*

## Reading of God's Word

**John 1:14-18**

## Preaching of the Word

*Children aged 4 yrs – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade may now be dismissed for 'My Father's House'*

**"The Word Became Flesh"  
Pastor Rich Good**

## Affirmation of Faith

**Who is the Mediator of the covenant of grace?**

**The only Mediator of the covenant of grace is the Lord Jesus Christ, who, being the eternal Son of God, of one substance and equal with the Father, in the fullness of time became man, and so was and continues to be God and man, in two entire distinct natures, and one person, forever.**

**How did Christ, being the Son of God, become man?**

**Christ the Son of God became man, by taking himself a true body, and a reasonable soul, being conceived by the power of the Holy Ghost in the womb of the Virgin Mary, of her substance, and born of her, without sin.**

**Why was it requisite that the Mediator should be God and man in one person?**

**It was requisite that the Mediator, who was to reconcile God and man, should himself be both God and man, and this one person, that the proper works of each nature might be accepted of God for us, and relied on by us as the works of the whole person.**

## The Lord's Supper

*Harvest Fellowship welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to forsake their sin and trust in Jesus Christ for salvation to partake in the Lord's Supper with us. Please note that we serve both wine and grape juice during Communion—the cups in the outer ring of the trays contain grape juice.*

### **God With Us**

Words & music by Mercy Me

Who are we that You would be mindful of us  
What do You see that's worth looking our way  
We are free in ways that we never should be  
Sweet release from the grip of these chains

*Like hinges straining from the weight  
My heart no longer can keep from singing*

**All that is within me cries  
For You alone be glorified  
Emmanuel God with us  
My heart sings a brand new song  
The debt is paid these chains are gone  
Emmanuel God with us**

Lord You know our hearts don't deserve Your glory  
Still You show a love we cannot afford

Such a tiny offering compared to Calvary  
Nevertheless we lay it at Your feet

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## Benediction

### **SERMON TEXT** **John 1:14-18**

<sup>14</sup> And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth. <sup>15</sup> John bore witness about him, and cried out, “This was he of whom I said, ‘He who comes after me ranks before me, because he was before me. <sup>16</sup> For from his fullness we have all received, grace upon grace. <sup>17</sup> For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ. <sup>18</sup> No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side, he has made him known.

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