



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 January 7, 2018

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."

"Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children. And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God." Ephesians 5:1-2

Prayer of Invocation

Call to Worship

Arise King of Kings

Words and music by Eoghan Heaslip

We call upon Your name O Lord
The name that is holy
We call upon Your name O Lord
The name that is holy
We call upon Your name O Lord
We come to bring our praise to the One
Who was, Who is and is to come.

Arise King of Kings

God of all creation

O Lord we cry, we cry

Arise King of Kings

The Father to the nations

The rock of our salvation

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Welcome To The Place Of Level Ground

Words and music by Brian Doerksen & Paul Baloche

Welcome to the place of level ground
Welcome to the place where grace abounds
We all need mercy, we all need mercy
Welcome to the place where none can boast
Welcome to the place compassion flows
We all need mercy, we all need mercy

None of us are worthy on our own
None of us could keep the perfect law
None of us have lived a sinless life
But thanks be to God, He sent us all a Savior

*Jesus Christ The only God of grace
Favor and forgiveness flowing down
Jesus Christ Once for all you gave
Saving us forever through your blood
You are the only God of grace*

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I Heard The Voice Of Jesus Say

Words & music by Horatio Bonar and Kevin Twit

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"Come unto me and rest.
Lay down, O weary one, lay down,
your head upon my breast."
I came to Jesus as I was,
so weary, worn, and sad;
I found in Him my resting place,
and He has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"behold, I freely give
The living water, thirsty one,
stoop down and drink and live!"
I came to Jesus and I drank
from that life-giving stream;
My thirst was quenched, my soul revived,
and now I live in Him.

I heard the voice of Jesus say,
"I am this dark world's light.
Look unto me thy morn' shall rise,
and all thy days be bright."
I looked to Jesus, and I found,
in Him my star, my sun,
And in that light of life I'll walk
'til pilgrim days are done.

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Prayer

Reading of God's Word

John 4:1-42

Preaching of the Word

Children aged 4 yrs – 3rd grade may now be dismissed for 'My Father's House'

"A Gospel-shaped Heart"

Pastor Rich Good

Confession of Sin

O Father,

We acknowledge that we often do what is right in our own eyes without regard to Your will, yet we treat our sin too lightly and thus repent poorly.

We confess that when we are aware of our guilt, shame, and unworthiness, we struggle to come to You with these things for we doubt your love and goodness. Instead of running to You for mercy and grace, we seek to cover our sin by justifying our actions and shifting blame.

Rather than turn and cling to You, we seek to escape our brokenness and doubt through entertainment, possessions, relationships, food, alcohol, or lust.

As we confess our sins, open our eyes to the power of your mercy and grace that we would find in You the satisfaction of our deepest longings.

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.

Collection of Tithes & Offerings

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

"I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me." Mathew 25:40

Mighty to Save

Words and Music by Reuben Morgan and Ben Fielding

Everyone needs compassion,
Love that's never failing;
Let mercy fall on me.
Everyone needs forgiveness,
The kindness of a Savior;
The Hope of nations.

**Savior, He can move the mountains,
My God is Mighty to save, He is Mighty to save.
Forever, Author of salvation,
He rose and conquered the grave,
Jesus conquered the grave.**

So take me as You find me,
All my fears and failures,
Fill my life again.
I give my life to follow
Everything I believe in,
Now I surrender.

*Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing for the glory of the risen King...Jesus*

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Benediction

Sermon Texts

John 4:1-30 (ESV)

4 Now when Jesus learned that the Pharisees had heard that Jesus was making and baptizing more disciples than John ² (although Jesus himself did not baptize, but only his disciples), ³ he left Judea and departed again for Galilee. ⁴ And he had to pass through Samaria. ⁵ So he came to a town of Samaria called Sychar, near the field that Jacob had given to his son Joseph. ⁶ Jacob's well was there; so Jesus, wearied as he was from his journey, was sitting beside the well. It was about the sixth hour.

⁷ A woman from Samaria came to draw water. Jesus said to her, "Give me a drink." ⁸ (For his disciples had gone away into the city to buy food.) ⁹ The Samaritan woman said to him, "How is it that you, a Jew, ask for a drink from me, a woman of Samaria?" (For Jews have no dealings with Samaritans.) ¹⁰ Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God, and who it is that is saying to you, 'Give me a drink,' you would have asked him, and he would have given you living water." ¹¹ The woman said to him, "Sir, you have nothing to draw water with, and the well is deep. Where do you get that living water?" ¹² Are you greater than our father Jacob? He gave us the well and drank from it himself, as did his sons and his livestock." ¹³ Jesus said to her, "Everyone who drinks of this water will be thirsty again, ¹⁴ but whoever drinks of the water that I will give him will never be thirsty again. The water that I will give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." ¹⁵ The woman said to him, "Sir, give me this water, so that I will not be thirsty or have to come here to draw water."

¹⁶ Jesus said to her, "Go, call your husband, and come here." ¹⁷ The woman answered him, "I have no husband." Jesus said to her, "You are right in saying, 'I have no husband'; ¹⁸ for you have had five husbands, and the one you now have is not your husband. What you have said is true." ¹⁹ The woman said to him, "Sir, I perceive that you are a prophet." ²⁰ Our fathers worshiped on this mountain, but you say that in Jerusalem is the place where people ought to worship." ²¹ Jesus said to her, "Woman, believe me, the hour is coming when neither on this mountain nor in Jerusalem will you worship the Father. ²² You worship what you do not know; we worship what we know, for salvation is from the Jews." ²³ But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him. ²⁴ God is spirit, and those who worship him must worship in spirit and truth." ²⁵ The woman said to him, "I know that Messiah is coming (he who is called Christ). When he comes, he will tell us all things." ²⁶ Jesus said to her, "I who speak to you am he."

²⁷ Just then his disciples came back. They marveled that he was talking with a woman, but no one said, "What do you seek?" or, "Why are you talking with her?" ²⁸ So the woman left her water jar and went away into town and said to the people, ²⁹ "Come, see a man who told me all that I ever did. Can this be the Christ?" ³⁰ They went out of the town and were coming to him.

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