



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, March 19, 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.

"... but set the believers an example in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith, in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12b

Call to Worship

Taken from Lamentations 3:21-25; Isaiah 12:4-6

Leader: This I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

People: *"The LORD is my portion," says my soul, "therefore I will hope in him."*

Leader: The LORD is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him.

People: *Give thanks to the LORD, call upon his name, make known his deeds among the peoples, proclaim that his name is exalted.*

Leader: Sing praises to the LORD, for he has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth.

People: *Shout, and sing for joy, for great in our midst is the Holy One of Israel.*

Come Thou Fount Of Every Blessing

Words by Robert Robinson, 1758; Music by Asahel Nettleton, 1825

Come, Thou fount of ev'ry blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise.

Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come;

And I hope, by thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger, wand'ring from the fold of God;

He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be;
Let that grace now, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to Thee.

Prone to wander—Lord, I feel it—prone to leave the God I love:
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

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Prayer of Adoration

Good Good Father

Words & Music: Anthony Brown / Joseph Patrick Martin Barrett

I've heard a thousand stories of what they think you're like
But I've heard the tender whispers of love in the dead of night
And you tell me that you're pleased
And that I'm never alone

You're a good good father

It's who you are, it's who you are, it's who you are

And I'm loved by you

It's who I am, it's who I am, it's who I am

I've seen many searching for answers far and wide
But I know we're all searching for answers only you provide
'Cause you know just what we need
Before we say a word

Because you are perfect in all of your ways

You are perfect in all of your ways

You are perfect in all of your ways to us

Oh, it's love so undeniable, I, I can hardly speak
Peace so unexplainable, I, I can hardly think
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
As you call me deeper still
Into love, love, love

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You Alone Can Rescue

Words and music by Matt Redman and Jonas Myrin

Who, oh Lord, could save themselves,
Their own soul could heal?
Our shame was deeper than the sea
Your grace is deeper still

You alone can rescue, You alone can save

You alone can lift us from the grave

You came down to find us, led us out of death

To You alone belongs the highest praise

**To You alone belongs the highest praise
To You alone belongs the highest praise, You alone**

You, oh Lord, have made a way
The great divide You heal
For when our hearts were far away
Your love went further still
Yes, your love goes further still

We lift up our eyes, lift up our eyes. You're the Giver of Life

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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

Titus 1:5-9

Preaching of the Word

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

**"Leading By Example"
Pastor Rich Good**

Confession of Sin

Our God and Father,

We praise and thank you for the goodness, grace and love you pour upon our lives, for they bring healing, hope and strength.

Yet we confess that rarely does it move us beyond ourselves.

We confess that we have failed to love you with our whole heart, mind, soul, and strength:

We live as if life is more about us and our comfort than it is about you and your glory.

We often obey our impulses, desires, fears, and anxieties more consistently than we obey you and your commands.

We confess that we have failed to love others as ourselves:

We hoard your blessings as if they are simply to make our lives more comfortable and therefore fail to use them to be a blessing to others.

We insulate our lives from others instead of seeking ways to build bridges for the gospel.

We look upon the weak and helpless with impatience and disdain
instead of with compassion and concern.

Forgive us, we pray. May our lives core consistently reflect the truth and
reality of the gospel that we profess. Move us beyond ourselves for our
good, your glory and the sake of your kingdom.

In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

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.*

All to Us

Words and Music by Matt Redman, Matt Maher, Jesse Reeves, Chris Tomlin

Precious cornerstone, sure foundation

You are faithful to the end

We are waiting, on You, Jesus

We believe You're all to us

**Let the glory of Your name
be the passion of the Church
Let the righteousness of God
be a holy flame that burns
Let the saving love of Christ
be the measure of our lives
We believe You're all to us**

Only Son of God sent from Heaven

Hope and mercy at the cross

You are everything, You're the Promise

Jesus, You are all to us

You're all to us, You're all to us, You're all to us

When this passing world is over

We will see You face to face

And forever we will worship

Jesus, You are all to us

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Benediction

SERMON TEXT

Titus 1:5-9(ESV)

⁵ This is why I left you in Crete, so that you might put what remained into order, and appoint elders in every town as I directed you— ⁶ if anyone is above reproach, the husband of one wife, and his children are believers and not open to the charge of debauchery or insubordination.⁷ For an overseer, as God's steward, must be above reproach. He must not be arrogant or quick-tempered or a drunkard or violent or greedy for gain, ⁸ but hospitable, a lover of good, self-controlled, upright, holy, and disciplined. ⁹ He must hold firm to the trustworthy word as taught, so that he may be able to give instruction in sound doctrine and also to rebuke those who contradict it.