



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, September 2, 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."

"He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins." Colossians 1:13-14

Prayer of Invocation

Call to Worship

Glory Be To God The Father

Words by Horatius Bonar, Music by Blake Mundell

Glory be to God the Father,
Glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit,
Great Jehovah three in One.
Singing glory, glory.
Glory while eternal ages run.

Glory be to Him who loved us,
Washed us from each spot and stain.
Glory be to Him who bought us,
Made us kings with Him to reign.
Singing glory, glory.
Glory to the Lamb who once was slain.

Glory to the King of Angels,
Glory to the Church's King.
Glory to the King of nations,
Heaven and earth your praises bring.
Singing glory, glory.
Glory to the King of Nations bring.

Glory blessing praise eternal,
Thus the choir of angels sings.
Honor riches power dominion,
Thus its praise creation brings.
Singing glory, glory.
Glory, glory to the King of Kings

Uncreated One

Words and music by Chris Tomlin

Holy Uncreated One

Your beauty fills the skies
But the glory of Your majesty
Is the mercy in Your eyes.

And worthy Uncreated One
From heaven to earth come down
You laid aside Your royalty
To wear the sinner's crown.

**O Great God, be glorified
Our lives laid down, Yours magnified
O Great God, be lifted high
There is none like You**

Jesus, Savior, God's own son,
Risen, reigning Lord
Sustainer of the Universe
By the power of Your word.

And when we see Your matchless face
In speechless awe we'll stand
And there we'll bow with grateful hearts
Unto the Great I Am

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One Pure And Holy Passion

Words and music by Mark Altrogge

Give me one pure and holy passion,
Give me one magnificent obsession.
Jesus, give me one glorious ambition for my life:
To know and follow hard after You.

To know and follow hard after You,
To grow as Your disciple in the truth.
This world is empty, pale and poor
Compared to knowing You, my Lord;
Lead me on and I will run after You.

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Pastoral Prayer

Reading of God's Word

John 12:34-50

Preaching of the Word

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

“The Sent One”

Pastor Rich Good

Confession of Sin

Our Gracious and Loving Father, forgive us, we pray, for how we so often construct our own kingdoms and pursue our own agendas instead of Yours.

We confess that we see the world through self-centered, short-sighted eyes and therefore:

We fail to reflect you and your Word as we respond to the circumstances of our lives.

We give in to vanity, ambition, and jealousy as we pursue pleasure, status, power, and respect.

We criticize and gossip about others to feel better about ourselves.

We respond with anger and faithlessness when You don't give us what we think we deserve.

Move us to turn from our self-reliance, stubbornness, and pride and turn to Your Fatherly love, Jesus' all-sufficient righteousness, and the Spirit's power and comfort that your Truth might shine through our words and actions.

For the sake of your name and glory we ask. Amen.

The Lord's Supper

Harvest Fellowship welcomes all baptized Christians who are willing to for-sake 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

Carry Your Love

Words and music by Aaron Senseman

We are called out; we are ransomed;
We are not of the world we're in
We are chosen; we are blessed,
To bring light to the lives of men
So Father sow your seed,
Give us life in community
Wake us from our sleep,
This is Your time; this is Your place
And we are vessels for breaking

**Under Your grace,
We are led by Your Spirit
You have redeemed us
By the blood of Your Son
Send down Your Word;
We are eager to hear it
Ready our hearts
To carry Your love**

You are sunlight; You are morning,
You're the hope of a brand new day
You are comfort; You are blessing,
And You wipe all our tears away
So change us from within,
Render miracles from our sin
Remind us once again,
This is Your time; this is Your place
We are vessels for breaking

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Benediction

Sermon Texts

John 12: 34-50 (ESV)

³⁴ So the crowd answered him, “We have heard from the Law that the Christ remains forever. How can you say that the Son of Man must be lifted up? Who is this Son of Man?” ³⁵ So Jesus said to them, “The light is among you for a little while longer. Walk while you have the light, lest darkness overtake you. The one who walks in the darkness does not know where he is going. ³⁶ While you have the light, believe in the light, that you may become sons of light.” When Jesus had said these things, he departed and hid himself from them. ³⁷ Though he had done so many signs before them, they still did not believe in him, ³⁸ so that the word spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

“Lord, who has believed what he heard from us,
and to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?”

³⁹ Therefore they could not believe. For again Isaiah said,

⁴⁰ “He has blinded their eyes
and hardened their heart,
lest they see with their eyes,
and understand with their heart, and turn,
and I would heal them.”

⁴¹ Isaiah said these things because he saw his glory and spoke of him. ⁴² Nevertheless, many even of the authorities believed in him, but for fear of the Pharisees they did not confess it, so that they would not be put out of the synagogue; ⁴³ for they loved the glory that comes from man more than the glory that comes from God.

⁴⁴ And Jesus cried out and said, “Whoever believes in me, believes not in me but in him who sent me. ⁴⁵ And whoever sees me sees him who sent me. ⁴⁶ I have come into the world as light, so that whoever believes in me may not remain in darkness. ⁴⁷ If anyone hears my words and does not keep them, I do not judge him; for I did not come to judge the world but to save the world. ⁴⁸ The one who rejects me and does not receive my words has a judge; the word that I have spoken will judge him on the last day. ⁴⁹ For I have not spoken on my own authority, but the Father who sent me has himself given me a commandment—what to say and what to speak. ⁵⁰ And I know that his commandment is eternal life. What I say, therefore, I say as the Father has told me.”