



HARVEST CHURCH

ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN

“Take my yoke upon you, and
learn from me, for I am gentle
and lowly in heart, and you
will find rest for your souls.”

Matthew 11:29

MORNINGWORSHIP

Psalm 43

“In Pursuit of Hope”

Intern Nick Thompson

EVENINGWORSHIP

Various texts

“Saving Faith”

Pastor Dale Van Dyke

April 29 | 2018



WELCOME! We are delighted to have you with us today!

THINGS TO KNOW

- NURSERY** A nursery is available for children until age 3.
- HEARING** Hearing assist units are available at the sound station located at the back of the auditorium. Please ask for one. We also have a hearing loop installed. Switch your hearing aid to the 'T' position.
- WIFI** WIFI is available. Choose Harvest guest and enter harvest123.
- SINGING TIME** All children age 2 through grade 6 are invited to join us for Singing Time in the auditorium immediately following the morning service. From there, they will be dismissed to their Sunday School classes.
- SUNDAY SCHOOL** Sunday School classes for children (ages 2 thru high school) and for adults will be held today from 11:15am to Noon.
- COFFEE & SNACKS** Please join us for fellowship following our morning service and enjoy a warm beverage and treat. Beverage stations are in the foyer near the kitchen and the nursery. Regular treats are located in the foyer near the kitchen beverage station; gluten free treats can be found on the round table in the middle of the foyer.
- VISITOR'S LUNCH** We would like to get to know you more! Please stay and join us for lunch, ordinarily the 1st Sunday of each month, following the Sunday School hour. Our next visitor lunch will be May 6 at 12:15pm.

NEXT STEPS

STOP BY OUR VISITOR CENTER IN THE FOYER

Get more information and ask any questions you may have.

VISIT US ON THE WEB AT HARVESTOPC.ORG

Learn more about us, find staff & contact info, & listen to past sermons.

TALK WITH ONE OF OUR PASTORS or

join our New Members/Inquirers Class. We would love to talk with you!

WORSHIP ^{THE} LORD

APRIL 29 | 2018 WITH GLADNESS

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship

Music for Meditation | Sarah Apol, pianist

The Lord Calls Us to Worship

The Lord's Greeting | 2 Peter 1:1-2

To those who have obtained a faith of equal standing with ours by the righteousness of our God and Savior Jesus Christ: May grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord.

Call to Worship | Psalm 147:1-5

Praise the Lord! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting. The Lord builds up Jerusalem; he gathers the outcasts of Israel. He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds. He determines the number of the stars; he gives to all of them their names. Great is our Lord, and abundant in power; his understanding is beyond measure.

Response of Praise and Prayer

Song | Praise Ye the Lord, for It Is Good | Psalm 147

Opening Prayer of Adoration

Responsive Scripture Reading | Lamentations 3:22-25

Pastor: 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.”**

Pastor: The Lord is good to those who wait for him, to the soul who seeks him.

Trinity Hymnal 32 | Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Service of Covenant Renewal

Scripture Reading | Psalm 42

As a deer pants for flowing streams, so pants my soul for you, O God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and appear before God? My tears have been my food day and night, while they say to me all the day long, “Where is your God?” These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I would go with the

throng and lead them in procession to the house of God with glad shouts and songs of praise, a multitude keeping festival. Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God. My soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar. Deep calls to deep at the roar of your waterfalls; all your breakers and your waves have gone over me. By day the LORD commands his steadfast love, and at night his song is with me, a prayer to the God of my life. I say to God, my rock: “Why have you forgotten me? Why do I go mourning because of the oppression of the enemy?” As with a deadly wound in my bones, my adversaries taunt me, while they say to me all the day long, “Where is your God?” Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation and my God.

Trinity Hymnal 662 | As the Hart Longs for Flowing Streams

Congregational Prayer

Tithes and Offerings followed by Prayer of Dedication | General Fund; Building Fund

Ministry of the Word

Scripture | Psalm 43

Sermon | “In Pursuit of Hope” | Intern Nick Thompson

Prayer of Application

We Respond in Faith

Trinity Hymnal 609 | Why Should Cross and Trial Grieve Me? (verses 1, 2, 4, 5)

The Lord’s Blessing

Benediction

Silent Prayer | **Postlude**

SERMONNOTES

Psalm 43 | “In Pursuit of Hope”

1. Agony Expressed [vs. 1-2]
2. Presence Sought [vs. 3-4]
3. Hope Obtained [vs. 5]

WORSHIP

God with joy

We are always looking for musically talented individuals to participate in our worship services. If you have a gift/training in singing or playing any instrument, and would like to use your gifts here at Harvest, please contact our Worship Coordinator:

Sandra TerHaar | sandra.terhaar@harvestopc.org

WALK

with one another in love

Are you looking to get involved as a volunteer in the ministry at Harvest? Are you looking to join a Walk Group or Bible Study? We would love to find a place for you and look forward to walking alongside you. Please contact our Communications Coordinator:

Nikki Veurink | nikki.veurink@harvestopc.org

WITNESS

to our neighbors here and around the world

We are called to make disciples of all nations. The Witness Ministry Team oversees the outreach ministries of Harvest Church. If you would like to be involved in reaching out to the community, please contact our Associate Pastor:

Wayne Veenstra | wayne.veenstra@harvestopc.org

JOIN THE MISSION

THANK YOU FOR VISITING!

Welcome to Harvest!

We're so glad you joined us for worship today. We would like to get to know you better. Please fill out this form and place it in the offering. Let us know how we can best minister to you!

Name(s)

Address

City | State | Zip

Phone | Email

I am interested in:

Learning more about Harvest

Joining a Small Group

Becoming a Christian

A Pastoral Visit

Prayer Request(s): _____

SERVE@HARVEST

TODDLER&INFANTNURSERY

THIS WEEK

AM Infant Jane Post
Barb Potter
Ava Vanderwey

AM Toddler Kim Roberts
Katie Roodvoets
Shea Vanderwey
Alayna Vanderstel

PM Infant Katherine Post
Susan Sayegh

PM Toddler Katie Sandbulte
Jennie Scaturro
Claire Vanderwey

NEXT WEEK

AM Infant Nancy Scholten
Kayla Schumaker
Alyson Widner

AM Toddler Ruth Scaturro
Barb Smith
Campbell Wiersma
Katherine Wolfe

PM Infant Jenene Schumaker
Becky Stark

PM Toddler Marlene Sneller
Gwenda Teunis
Grace Wiersma

SERVICEUSHERS

This Week

Lynne Hunter | Scott Post | Bob Potter |
Jacob Verduin

Next Week

Lantson Gordon | Scott Post | Adam Post |
David Van Dyke

FELLOWSHIPSNACKS

This Week

Danielle Escamilla | Jenn Farrell | Heidi Friend |
Henrietta Glashouwer | Teri Meekhof (gf)

Next Week

Doreen Davies | Heather DeBoer |
Betty Ann DeVries | Bonnie Dykstra |
Susan Vanderwey (gf)

VISITORLUNCH

May 6

Ter Haar Shepherding Group (Dec-Fr)

June 3

Pearce Shepherding Group (Fu-He)

HARVESTTODAY

Sunday School for All Ages | 11:15am

Sunday School classes for two-year-olds through adults will be held today following coffee and Singing Time.

Guatemala Mission Trip Presentation | 11:15am

Dave & Angie Kloosterman and their boys, Mark & Kim Pyper and their boys, and Janet & Raquel Hendriksen, will present a report of their recent mission trip to Guatemala during the SS hour in the auditorium.

UPCOMINGEVENTS

“Middle Group” Game Night | May 5

“Protect Young Eyes” Presentation | May 7

Gospel Coalition Women’s Conference | June 14-16

Anchored Group Mission Trip | June 23-30

2018 Presbytery Family Camp | July 2-6



MONTHLYNEWSLETTER

Check out our monthly newsletter for additional information about what’s happening at Harvest. Available in your mailboxes or contact the office!

AT A GLANCE

See a complete calendar of upcoming events at www.harvestopc.org

TODAY@HARVEST

- 9:30AM Morning Worship Service | Intern Nick Thompson
10:55AM Children's Singing Time | Auditorium
Adult Coffee Fellowship | Foyer
11:15AM Sunday School for all Ages
Guatemala Mission Team Presentation | Auditorium
5:30PM Evening Worship Service | Pastor Dale Van Dyke

THISWEEK

- MONDAY Men's Bible Study | 8:15pm
- TUESDAY Session Meeting | 6pm
Men's Tuesday Book Study | 7pm
Side-by-Side Support Group | 7:30pm
Samson Society | 8pm
- WEDNESDAY Women's & Children's Bible Study | 9:30am
Cadets (4th thru 8th grade boys) | 6pm | Davies' house
Girls of Grace (3rd thru 8th grade girls) | 7pm
High School Theology Class | 7pm
Men's & Women's Bible Studies | 7pm
Wednesday James Fellowship | 7pm
Women's Bible Study 101 | 7pm
- THURSDAY Women's Prayer Group | 9am
Wonderfully Made Coffee Fellowship | 10am
Thursday James Fellowship | 7pm
Walk Ministry Team Meeting | 7pm
Men's Book Study | 8pm
- FRIDAY Singing at Brookcrest Nursing Home | 10:30am
- SATURDAY Middle Group Game Night | 6pm

NEXTSUNDAY

- AM Morning Worship | 9:30am | Pastor Dale Van Dyke
Visitor & Ter Haar Shepherding Group Lunch | 12:15pm
- PM Evening Worship | 5:30pm | Dr. Michael Reeves
Anchored Youth Group (Final) | 7:15-9:30pm
College & Career Group | 7:30pm

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PASTORS

Dale Van Dyke | *Senior Pastor*
Jeff Shames | *Congr. Life Pastor*
Wayne Veenstra | *Associate Pastor*

MINISTRY STAFF

Nikki Veurink | *Congr. Life Coordinator*
Melinda LaCount | *Church Secretary*
Michele Haan | *Design & Publications*
Sandra TerHaar | *Worship Coordinator*
Bryan Tucker | *Building Coordinator*
Betty Ann DeVries | *Treasurer*

ELDERS

Dale Bekkering (Bom-Deb)
John Davies (Hi-K)
Jamie Iedema (Mi-Pa)
Don McCrory (S)
Drew McGinnis (T-Vande)
Ed Pearce (Fu-He)
Stephen Post (L-Me)
Fouad Sayegh (Veur, J-Z)
Mark Scholten (S)
Mike Schumaker (Vandi-Veur, D)
Dean TerHaar (Dec-Fr)
Ken Vander Molen (Pe-R)
Steve Vanderwey (A-Bol)

DEACONS

Dan DeBoer (L-Me)
Chet Glass (Pe-R)
Beau Gotch (Mi-Pa)
AJ Klynstra (S)
Justin Lubbers (Vandi-Veur, D)
James Meekhof (T-Vande)
Ken Novak (A-Bol)
Dean Pasma (Dec-Fr)
Adam Post (Bom-Deb)
Randy VanderStel (Fu-He)
Joel VanOyen (Veur, J-Z)
Jacob Verduin (Hi-K)

WHO WE ARE

We are so glad that you joined us for worship today. We hope that you will join us again!

Harvest Church exists to...

MAKE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

who **WORSHIP** God with joy,
WALK with one another in love,
and **WITNESS** to our neighbors
here and around the world.

Harvest Church belongs to the Orthodox Presbyterian Church (OPC). The denomination's name captures two elements that are important to our church. First, 'orthodox,' a word that means straight/true thinking or teaching, emphasizes our denomination's desire to be true to what the Bible, as God's inspired, inerrant, and authoritative word, teaches and commands. Second, the term 'presbyterian' indicates our belief that Christ governs his church through elders, as well as our conviction that the Westminster Confession of Faith and Catechisms are an accurate summary of Biblical teaching (you can read these at www.opc.org).

RESOURCES AVAILABLE

Harvest Library | Located on side of foyer

The library is open every Sunday between the morning service and Sunday School and in the evening for 30 minutes following the service.

CDs & DVDs | Available by the library

Sermons can also be downloaded from our website at www.harvestopc.org

Resource Shelves | Located in the church office

Did you know we have many great books and resources available for purchase in our church office? Stop in!