

Welcome

IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME at Harvest, we are glad to have you as our guest. We hope this information helps you get to know a little about who we are. Of course, the best way to find out is from the people. You are also invited to stop by our Hospitality Hubs in the Gathering Area.

Worship at Harvest

Harvest has three weekly worship services - one on Thursday evening and two on Sunday morning. The basic pattern for Sunday worship is typically the same at all services. The 9 AM service includes more of the historic liturgy of the church and music from the United Methodist Hymnal. The 10:30 AM service includes a time especially for children and a variety of music led by our worship band. Thursday's sixfortyeight service begins at 6:48 PM and typically includes acoustic music, time for reflection, and unique participatory elements. We celebrate communion weekly at all services and gluten free bread is available.

SEED Groups at Harvest

SEED stands for Supporting Each other Every Day. A SEED group is a small group of people who gather to build friendships and grow in faith. One of our newest offerings are LIFE groups, made up of 8-12 people who meet weekly throughout the year in someone's home or here onsite. Harvest also offers a number of courses onsite throughout the year that meet anywhere from 6 to 32 weeks, depending on the curriculum. To find out more, you can check the "small groups" box on the Connect Pad in the attendance folders.

Children & Youth at Harvest

Harvest wants to help your children grow their faith, too. We offer Sunday school weekly for all ages at 9 AM and 10:30 AM. At 9 AM, children go directly to their Sunday school classes. At 10:30 AM, children are checked in at Hospitality Hub 2 in the West Wing Gathering Area. After the Time Especially for Children in worship, children are escorted to their classes by their teachers via the side door. Also, excellent child care is provided for infants and toddlers during all worship services.

For youth, from grades 6 - 12, there is Sunday school weekly at 9 AM as well as HY5, a program especially for students every Sunday evening beginning at 5 PM. The evening includes games, dinner, music, small group learning, and worship time that speaks to the hearts of pre-teens and teenagers.

Giving at Harvest

An offering is an expression of thanks for God's many good gifts to us. Our gifts support the mission and ministry of the church. We encourage persons who make Harvest their church home to give faithfully. Gifts can be placed in the offering boxes located on stands in the Harvest Centre.



Sunday, July 26, 2015

Unbroken Promises: God Remains

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Harvest is a diverse community of faith, called by Christ to offer hope by graciously welcoming people, intentionally growing disciples, and generously serving others around the globe.

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Announcements

Summer Message Series: Unbroken Promises

This morning in worship, we will continue our current message series, Unbroken Promises, exploring passages from the Old Testament books of First and Second Samuel. Here we get to know David, the brave boy who becomes king. Woven through the story of David are reminders that God loves us unconditionally. And God's ability to use us is not based on human perfection, but divine faithfulness.

Upcoming Girlfriends Gathering Events

Girlfriends Gathering are intentional fellowship events designed to help women connect and make new friendships. Events are open to all women, so invite your girlfriends and join in the fun!

To view all of the various opportunities visit:
welcometoharvest.org/girlfriends

Family Mission Trip to Miami February, 2016

Mark your calendars now for the weekend of February 12-14, 2016. Your family is invited to serve together with other Harvest families to share God's love in Miami, FL. We will work with local missions and ministry agencies to serve the homeless and others in the Miami area. Families with children in Kindergarten and up are invited to participate.

Join us for hotdogs and lots of family fun at the fundraiser for the family mission trip Sunday, August 16 from 3-5 PM.

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Sprouts Child Development Center is Hiring

We are looking for a part-time, qualified, nurturing, lead teacher to join our teaching team. Applicants must have a minimum of a CDA or FCCPC. We offer competitive salaries, a supportive environment, and opportunity for continuing education. Interested applicants should contact Callie MacLeod at 941.907.7333 or send your resume to cmacleod@welcometoharvest.org. License # C23MA0136.

Harvest Youth Sizzlin' Summer

Friday Frenzy Summer Events

July 24: Pool Party location TBA
July 31: Photo Scavenger Hunt & YMCA Climbing Tower (\$10)
August 7: Jumpin' Fun 6:30 PM

Youth Week Sunday, August 2 - Thursday, August 6

This year's theme is FLIP! We will discover that Jesus teaches us to live in a way that is completely opposite of the world and figure ways to live that out in our everyday lives. We will gather for dinner, worship, and activity each night this week. The cost for Youth Week is \$40 per youth or \$100 per family.

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Please take a moment to silence your cell phones.

Harvest Worship at 9:00

Prelude | *Prelude on St. Denio* by Charles Callahan

Call to Worship

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Song | *Now Thank We All Our God*
United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) #102 vv. 1, 3

Stewardship Moment | Wish List Giving Invitation

Prayers of the People

Special Music | *Healer* by Heather Sorenson

Scripture Reading | 2 Samuel 11:1-15

Message | *God Remains*
Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

Song of Response | *Just as I Am, Without One Plea*
UMH #357 vv. 1, 2, 5

Prayer of Confession

Holy Communion*

Song | *I Stand Amazed in the Presence*
UMH #371 vv. 1, 4

Blessing

Postlude | *Cebell* by Henry Purcell

Harvest Worship at 10:30

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Songs | *Beautiful One* by By The Tree
Forever Reign by Hillsong

A Time Especially for Children | Connie Campbell

Stewardship Moment | Wish List Giving Invitation

Prayers of the People

Scripture Reading | 2 Samuel 11:1-15

Message | *God Remains*
Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

Response Song | *Love Lifted Me* by Katelyn Clampett

Prayer of Confession

Holy Communion*

Song | *I Stand Amazed* by Matt Boswell

Blessing

*Gluten free bread and juice are available at the far left serving station.

This Morning's Scripture Reading

2 Samuel 11:1-15

In the spring, when kings go off to war, David sent Joab, along with his servants and all the Israelites, and they destroyed the Ammonites, attacking the city of Rabbah. But David remained in Jerusalem.

One evening, David got up from his couch and was pacing back and forth on the roof of the palace. From the roof he saw a woman bathing; the woman was very beautiful. David sent someone and inquired about the woman. The report came back: "Isn't this Eliam's daughter Bathsheba, the wife of Uriah the Hittite?" So David sent messengers to get her. When she came to him, he had sex with her. (Now she had been purifying herself after her monthly period.) Then she returned home. The woman conceived and sent word to David.

"I'm pregnant," she said.

Then David sent a message to Joab: "Send me Uriah the Hittite." So Joab sent Uriah to David. When Uriah came to him, David asked about the welfare of Joab and the army and how the battle was going. Then David told Uriah, "Go down to your house and wash your feet."

Uriah left the palace, and a gift from the king was sent after him. However, Uriah slept at the palace entrance with all his master's servants. He didn't go down to his own house. David was told, "Uriah didn't go down to his own house," so David asked Uriah,

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Harvest Bayshore Worship Begins!

We are thrilled to announce the first public worship service of Harvest Bayshore will occur on 10.11.15 at Lee Middle School! We anticipate worshipping together at Lee Middle School for at least nine months as renovations are made on the Harvest Bayshore property.

Many of those who have committed to making Harvest Bayshore their worshipping community will also gather for worship at Lee for several weeks prior to the "public launch."

As we make our final preparations for launching worship, you are invited to participate in any way you feel called. In the weeks to come you'll see opportunities to serve at the 26th Street property clearing out items in preparation for renovations as well as opportunities to help serve the larger community of Bayshore. We will hand out donuts and coffee during the first week back to school in August and host another ice cream party in September. The weekend before we launch worship, we will hold a free community picnic on the front lawn. We are really excited about all that God has in store for us as we make final preparations. All of Harvest is encouraged to be in prayer – for both campuses! – as we anticipate new beginnings.

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10.11.15

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Scripture Reading - continued

"Haven't you just returned from a journey? Why didn't you go home?"

"The chest and Israel and Judah are all living in tents," Uriah told David. "And my master Joab and my master's troops are camping in the open field. How could I go home and eat, drink, and have sex with my wife? I swear on your very life, I will not do that!"

Then David told Uriah, "Stay here one more day. Tomorrow I'll send you back." So Uriah stayed in Jerusalem that day.

The next day David called for him, and he ate and drank, and David got him drunk. In the evening Uriah went out to sleep in the same place, alongside his master's servants, but he did not go down to his own home.

The next morning David wrote a letter to Joab and sent it with Uriah. He wrote in the letter, "Place Uriah at the front of the fiercest battle, and then pull back from him so that he will be struck down and die."

-- Common English Bible

Getting Ready for Company

Every August, the beginning of a new school year brings new people to our community and to Harvest. And so, every summer serves as a time to get ready for first-time guests to our church by focusing some special attention on our facilities and grounds. This often includes stripping and waxing of floors, deep cleaning of carpets, repainting of rooms, fresh mulching of plant beds, and more. The attention given to these tasks is one way we show hospitality and says to people who come through our doors, "We've been expecting you and we're so glad you're here!"

This year, we have also developed a wish list of items that need to be replaced around our facilities in order to make them more welcoming. To view the wish list, you're invited to visit the link below. To help fulfill the wish list you can give online or make a one-time gift this month by designating an offering in worship to "Wish List."

Thanks for your support.

More Info:
welcometoharvest.org/wishlist

