

**Quarterly Congregational Potluck Luncheon** TODAY, July 31st, immediately following the worship hour. Please bring a main dish to share. Drinks will be provided!

**Upcoming Women's Conference** - We are excited to announce that the PCA has organized regional women's conferences this year for the first time ever, one of which will be held in Charlotte on October 28-29. Please mark your calendars to attend the 2016 Transformed Conference at Christ Covenant Church in Matthews with your sisters from Harbor Church. Conference information can be obtained by going to: [www.pcacdm.org/transformed2016/transformed-charlotte/](http://www.pcacdm.org/transformed2016/transformed-charlotte/)

**Sunday Summer Activities** – In lieu of our regular Sunday School program we have planned different activities for the 11:15-12:00 time slot. We have also left some intentional 'OPEN' Sundays to encourage you, after morning worship and fellowship time, to spend time with your family, other church members and/or friends and neighbors.

- \* **Aug 7** – OPEN
- \* **Aug 14** – Sunday School Teacher Training (open to everyone)
- \* **Aug 21** – Yellow Card Round-Table Discussion #2

**Yellow Card Round-Table Discussion Series** – yellow cards are located in the lobby & sanctuary. Please pick up one & write down one question or topic you would like to discuss on August 21st. Return the yellow card any Sunday and place it in the brown box on the table at the back of the sanctuary.

**VISITORS!!** We are glad you are here! Let us know how we can assist you. Complete a **blue Welcome Card** & place it in the offering plate. Refreshments are served after the worship service, next door, in the Fellowship Building. A private space for mothers who need to nurse or otherwise care for their babies is available on the 2nd floor in room 203.

**Keep informed during the week with Harbor's email newsletter** - If you are NOT receiving the weekly email newsletter and would like to be added to the distribution list, please email Susie at [office@harborchurch.org](mailto:office@harborchurch.org). This is a great way to stay updated on Harbor events, news, activities, devotions & messages from Pastor Michael.

**Women's Ministry** - Thank you for participating in our survey; a summary of the results will be available soon. Information also to come about our Fall Bible Study and other women's events. Please be on the lookout for an email with a short survey to help us determine which morning of the week will best serve as many women in the congregation as possible. To contact the women's ministry team with questions or feedback, email [WomensCareTeam@harborchurch.org](mailto:WomensCareTeam@harborchurch.org).

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**Ken Cross**  
Sports Chaplains Network

**Sid & Tere Druen**  
Reformed University Fellowship, Davidson College

**Jarett & Mary Carole Hall**  
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High Point University

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**Michael & Lindie Wadhams**  
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**Prayer Support**

**Michael & Amy Parks**  
Mission to the World, Tanzania, Tanzania

**David & Stephanie Reeves**  
Campus Crusade for Christ  
The Jesus Film Project

**Pat & Jen Patrick**

**SUNDAY SERVANTS**

**Officer of the Day**  
Today, 7/31: Adam Alexander Don Deal  
Next Sunday, 8/7: Don Deal Carl Larson

**Welcoming Team**  
Today, 7/31: The McMillan's The Aldridge's  
Next Sunday, 8/7: Chris Christenbury The Hawkes'  
Don Deal

**Refreshment Set-up**  
Today, 7/31: **Quarterly Potluck Luncheon**  
Next Sunday, 8/7: The Dehn's

**Nursery**  
Today, 7/31: **Worship Service:** Krista & Kelly McMillan  
**Quarterly Potluck Luncheon**  
  
Next Sunday, 8/7: **Worship Service:** The Deal's  
**OPEN! Enjoy fellowship time with each other!!**



Congregational Tithes	Actual	Budget	Difference
Last Week 7/24/2016	2,378.22	3,500.00	(1,121.28)
Month to Date 7/24/2016	13,792.51	14,000.00	(207.49)
Prior Month June 2016	11,001.96	14,000.00	(2,998.04)
Year to Date 7/24/2016	106,977.78	105,000.00	1,977.78
Mortgage Relief Fund	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Year to Date 7/24/2016	8,085.00	19,295.21	8,110.16
Faith Promise	Actual	Pledge	Difference
Year to Date 7/24/2016	4,945.00	12,170.00	(7,225.00)

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The Worship of God



*July 31, 2016*

*Harbor's mission is to exist as a family of God's people to glorify God in all things, by preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ crucified, equipping His saints, and engaging our community and the world with the love of Christ.*

**PRELUDE**

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP:** Deuteronomy 6:4-13 (selections) (Read Responsively)  
Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one.

*You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.*

And these words that I command you today shall be on your heart.

*You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, and when you walk by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise.*

You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes.

*You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.*

It is the LORD your God you shall fear. Him you shall serve and by his name you shall swear.

**WE ASK GOD TO BE WITH US (PRAYER OF INVOCATION)**

*(at the close of the prayer, please join us in reciting "The Lord's Prayer" below)*

*Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.*

**"MAY THE MIND OF CHRIST MY SAVIOR"**

*Trinity Hymnal #644*

May the mind of Christ, my Savior, Live in me from day to day,  
By His love and power controlling, All I do and say.

May the Word of God dwell richly, In my heart from hour to hour,  
So that all may see I triumph, Only through His power.

May the peace of God, my Father, Rule my life in everything.  
That I may be calm to comfort, Sick and sorrowing.

May the love of Jesus fill me, As the waters fill the sea;  
Him exalting, self abasing, This is victory.

May His beauty rest upon me, As I seek the lost to win,  
And may they forget the channel, Seeing only Him.

## WE CONFESS OUR SINS TOGETHER

*Most holy and merciful Father, we confess to you and to one another that we have sinned against you by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart and mind and strength. We have not fully loved our neighbors as ourselves. We have not always had in us the mind of Christ. You alone know how often we have grieved you by wasting your gifts, by wandering from your ways. Forgive us, we pray you, most merciful Father; and free us from our sin. Renew in us the grace and strength of your Holy Spirit, for the sake of Jesus Christ your Son our Savior. Amen.*

## WE CONFESS OUR SINS IN OUR HEARTS (Silently)

### GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: Colossians 1:13-14

<sup>13</sup>He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, <sup>14</sup>in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

## “GOD OVER ALL”

God over all,  
Giver of life and health and breath.  
I want to sing of Your love.  
Came as a man,  
Humble, You died the sinner’s death.  
I want to sing of Your love.

### Chorus

Your love has saved me.  
By Your grace I now draw near and,  
Your love has set me,  
Free to glorify Your name.  
And I, I want to sing of Your love.

I’ll never forget,  
That You have bought me with Your blood.  
I want to sing of Your love,  
In all I do,  
May Your great love be shining through,  
I want to sing of Your love. (Chorus)

And on that day,  
When You come back to claim Your own.  
Yes, we will sing of Your love,  
Then we’ll bow down.  
Praise You forever at Your throne!  
Yes, we will sing of Your love.

Your love has saved me.  
By Your grace I now draw near and,  
Your love has set me,  
Free to glorify Your name. (Chorus)

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## WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Heidelberg Catechism #86

Since we have been delivered from our misery by grace alone through Christ, without any merit of our own, why must we yet do good works?

*Because Christ, having redeemed us by his blood, also renews us by his Holy Spirit to be his image, so that with our whole life we may show ourselves thankful to God for his benefits, and he may be praised by us. Further, that we ourselves may be assured of our faith by its fruits, and that by our godly walk of life we may win our neighbors for Christ.*

## “HIS FOREVER”

Jesus, Friend of sinners, Loved me ere I knew Him.  
Drew me with His cords of love, Tightly bound me to Him.  
'Round my heart still closely twined, The ties that none can sever.  
For I am His and He is mine, Forever and forever.

Jesus, Friend of sinners, A crown of thorns You wore for me.  
Bruised for my transgressions, Pierced for my iniquities.  
The wrath of God that I deserved, Was poured out on the Innocent.  
He took my place my soul to save, Now I am His forever.

Jesus, Friend of sinners, I love to tell the story.  
Redeeming love has been my theme, And will be when in glory.  
Not death nor life nor anything, Can ever separate me.  
O love that will not let me go, Yes I am His forever.

Not death nor life nor anything, Can ever separate me.  
O love that will not let me go, Yes I am His forever.  
Yes I am His forever. Yes I am His forever.

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## WE READ FROM GOD’S WORD: 1 John 4:7-19

<sup>7</sup>Beloved, let us love one another, for love is from God, and whoever loves has been born of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup>Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love. <sup>9</sup>In this the love of God was made manifest among us, that God sent his only Son into the world, so that we might live through him. <sup>10</sup>In this is love, not that we have loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. <sup>11</sup>Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. <sup>12</sup>No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and his love is perfected in us. <sup>13</sup>By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. <sup>14</sup>And we have seen and testify that the Father has sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. <sup>15</sup>Whoever confesses that Jesus is the Son of God, God abides in him, and he in God. <sup>16</sup>So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him. <sup>17</sup>By this is love perfected with us, so that we may have confidence for the day of judgment, because as he is so also are we in this world. <sup>18</sup>There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love. <sup>19</sup>We love because he first loved us.

## WE PRAY TO GOD FOR THE CONGREGATION

*Mr. Don Deal*

## WE WORSHIP GOD BY GIVING TITHES AND OFFERINGS

## “JESUS, THOU JOY OF LOVING HEARTS”

Jesus, Thou joy of loving hearts,  
Thou fount of life, Thou Light of men,  
From the best bliss that earth imparts,  
We turn unfilled to Thee again.

Thy truth unchanged hath ever stood,  
Thou savest those that on Thee call,  
To them that seek Thee, Thou art good,  
To them that find, Thee all in all.

We taste of Thee, O living Bread,  
And long to feast upon Thee still,  
We drink of Thee the fountainhead,  
And thirst our souls from Thee to fill.

Our restless spirits yearn for Thee,  
Wherever our changeful lot is cast,  
Glad when Thy gracious smile we see,  
Blessed when our faith can hold Thee fast.

O Jesus, ever with us stay,  
Make all our moments calm and bright,  
Chase the dark night of sin away,  
Shed o'er the world Thy holy light.

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## WE PRAISE GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS (“DOXOLOGY”) *Trinity Hymnal #731*

### SERMON TEXT: Galatians 5:13-15

<sup>13</sup>For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. <sup>14</sup>For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” <sup>15</sup>But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another.

## WE HEAR FROM GOD’S WORD: “Liberty, License and Love” *Pastor Michael Colvard*

## WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER TOGETHER

(wine is in the outer most ring, grape juice is in the inner rings)

## “MY JESUS, I LOVE THEE”

*Trinity Hymnal #648*

My Jesus, I love Thee, I know Thou art mine;  
For Thee all the follies of sin I resign;  
My gracious Redeemer, my Savior art Thou:  
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I love Thee because Thou hast first loved me,  
And purchased my pardon on Calvary's tree.  
I love Thee for wearing the thorns on Thy brow:  
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

I'll love Thee in life, and I'll love Thee in death;  
And praise Thee as long as Thou lendest me breath;  
And say, when the death-dew lies cold on my brow:  
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now."

In mansions of glory and endless delight,  
I'll ever adore thee in heaven so bright;  
I'll sing with the glittering crown on my brow:  
If ever I loved Thee, my Jesus, 'tis now."

## WE RECEIVE GOD'S BLESSING OVER US (BENEDICTION)

## POSTLUDE