

Small Group signup sheets are still in the lobby! First meeting is tonight!

Women's Prayer Triad Fellowship Gathering will take place at Harbor on Saturday, Oct 1st at 9:30am. Sign-up sheets are located in the lobby for anyone interested in attending and for those who wish to bring needed items or to help with set-up. Questions? Contact Jennifer Amarnath (347) 420-3740 jennifer.amarnath@gmail.com; Bethany Larson (704) 663-3965 bethanynlarson@gmail.com; Kelly McMillan (704) 682-2878 kellymack144@gmail.com.

Save the Date! for Harbor's 5th Annual Missions Conference Nov 4th-6th!

Wednesday Night Youth & Family meetings have resumed! Please join us from 7:00-8:00pm and bring a friend along for singing, fun activities and a new study, "Mark: King Christ Comes To Us".

Fall Women's Bible Study meets weekly on Tuesday mornings from 9:30-11:00am. Nursery care provided! We are studying Ephesians using the book, "Grace: A Bible Study on Ephesians for Women", by Keri Folmar.

Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman is hosting their 25th Annual Life-Walk on Sat, Sept 24th—see table in lobby for sponsorship & walker registration forms. Walkers must pre-register via online or return a completed form to Jinny Hawkes by TODAY, or to CPC by tomorrow, Sept 19th.

Upcoming Women's Conference - Please mark your calendars to attend the 2016 Transformed Conference at Christ Covenant Church in Matthews, NC, to be held the weekend of Oct 28th-29th, with your sisters from Harbor Church.

Nursing Mothers—A private space for mothers who need to nurse or otherwise care for their babies is available on the 2nd floor in classroom 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.

Sunday School Classes have begun!

WC = Worship Center FB = Fellowship Building

Pre-K: Shane & P Lundy; Todd & Pam Ware (WC 103)

K—2nd: Jim & Tracie Aldridge; Michelle Atchison (WC 102)

3rd—5th: Carl & Cassandra Larson; Alf & Sandy Mahan (FB 104)

6th—12th: Pastor Michael Colvard (FB 101)

Adult Sunday School Evangelism Study - The adult class continues to study the topic of biblical evangelism based on John Leonard's book, "Get Real: Sharing Your Everyday Faith Every Day". Please join us, following refreshments, as we learn from Jesus how to live and share our faith naturally. This class is open to all adults! We meet on the 2nd floor, Room 201.

Did You Know? You can download the weekly sermon message using the Podcast software of your choice (such as iTunes) by following the instructions on our website under the Podcast link. Scripture readings are from the English Standard Version (ESV) Bible.

David & Estelle Abernathy

Wycliffe Bible Translators

Marshall & Amy Childers

Greater Europe Mission, London, England

Tennant & Candi Brastow,

Drew Gustavson

Campus Outreach Charlotte, Davidson College

Ken Cross

Sports Chaplains Network

Sid & Tere Druen

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Jarett & Mary Carole Hall

Mission to the World, Monterrey, Mexico

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Cynthia Ruble

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Life Hope Network Crisis Pregnancy Center*

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*Mission to the World, Medical Missions,
West Africa, South America, Canada*

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Mission to the World, Lummi Nation, Washington

Prayer Support

Michael & Amy Parks

Mission to the World, Tanzania, Tazmania

David & Stephanie Reeves

Campus Crusade for Christ, The Jesus Film Project

Pat & Jen Patrick

SUNDAY SERVANTS

Officer of the Day

Today, 9/18: Carl Larson
Next Sunday, 9/25: Adam Alexander

Congregational Prayers

Alf Mahan
Jim Aldridge

Welcoming Team

Today, 9/18: The Atchison's
Next Sunday, 9/25: The Mahan's

Communion Preparation

The Moore's
The Aldridge's

Refreshment Set-up

Today, 9/18: TBD
Next Sunday, 9/25: The Ware's

Nursery

Today, 9/18: **Worship Service:** Beth Bouts/Addie Aldridge
Sunday School: Linda Moore

Next Sunday, 9/25: **Worship Service:** Makenna/Bethany Larson
Sunday School: Krista/Kelly McMillan



Congregational Tithes	Actual	Budget	Difference
Last Week 9/11/2016	4,036.00	3,500.00	536.00
Month to Date 9/11/2016	6,229.50	7,000.00	(770.50)
Prior Month August 2016	11,889.58	14,000.00	(2,110.42)
Year to Date 9/11/2016	127,757.17	129,500.00	(1,742.83)
Mortgage Relief Fund	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance
Year to Date 9/11/2016	8,095.00	19,295.21	8,120.16
Faith Promise	Actual	Pledge	Difference
Year to Date 9/11/2016	6,800.00	12,170.00	(5,370.00)

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The Worship of God



September 18, 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: Psalm 31:1-5 (selections) (Read Responsively)

In you, O LORD, do I take refuge;

Let me never be put to shame; in your righteousness deliver me!

Incline your ear to me; rescue me speedily!

Be a rock of refuge for me, a strong fortress to save me!

For you are my rock and my fortress; and for your name's sake you lead me and guide me;

Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O LORD, faithful God.

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.

"MY HOPE IS BUILT ON NOTHING LESS"

Trinity Hymnal #521

My hope is built on nothing less, than Jesus' blood and righteousness;
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly lean on Jesus' name.
On Christ the solid rock I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

When darkness veils His lovely face, I rest on His unchanging grace;
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil.
On Christ the solid rock I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

His oath, His covenant, His blood, support me in the whelming flood;
When all around my soul gives way, He then is all my hope and stay.
On Christ the solid rock I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

When He shall come with trumpet sound, O may I then in Him be found;
Dressed in His righteousness alone, faultless to stand before the throne.
On Christ the solid rock I stand; all other ground is sinking sand,
All other ground is sinking sand.

WE CONFESS OUR SINS TOGETHER

Father in heaven, we thank you for the freedom you have given us through the life, death and resurrection of your Son. But we confess today that we often live like slaves. Instead of living like you delight in us, we avoid you in shame and guilt. Instead of receiving your favor as a gift, we try to earn it with our efforts. Instead of accepting your freedom, we prefer our chains. Instead of pursuing your purposes, we cling to our agendas. Forgive us. Embrace us. Cleanse us. Heal us. We ask this in Jesus' name. Amen.

WE CONFESS OUR SINS IN OUR HEARTS (Silently)

GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: Psalm 31:22-24

²²I had said in my alarm,

“I am cut off from your sight.”

But you heard the voice of my pleas for mercy
when I cried to you for help.

²³ Love the LORD, all you his saints!

The LORD preserves the faithful
but abundantly repays the one who acts in pride.

²⁴ Be strong, and let your heart take courage,
all you who wait for the LORD!

“BY FAITH”

By faith we see the hand of God,
In the light of creation’s grand design,
In the lives of those who prove His faithfulness,
Who walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith our fathers roamed the earth,
With the power of His promise in their hearts,
Of a holy city built by God’s own hand,
A place where peace and justice reign.

Chorus

We will stand as children of the promise;
We will fix our eyes on Him, our soul’s reward.
Till the race is finished and the work is done,
We’ll walk by faith and not by sight.

By faith the prophets saw a day,
When the longed-for Messiah would appear,
With the power to break the chains of sin and death,
And rise triumphant from the grave.

By faith the church was called to go,
In the power of the Spirit to the lost.
To deliver captives and to preach good news,
In every corner of the earth. *(Chorus)*

By faith this mountain shall be moved,
And the power of the gospel shall prevail,
For we know in Christ all things are possible,
For all who call upon His name. *(Chorus)*

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WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Heidelberg Catechism #1

(Read Responsively)

What is your only comfort in life and death?

That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from all the power of the devil. He also preserves me in such a way that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by his Holy Spirit he also assures me of eternal life and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for him.

“JESUS, CAST A LOOK ON ME”

Jesus cast a look on me, Give me sweet simplicity.
Make me poor and keep me low, Seeking only thee to know.

All that feeds my busy pride, Cast it evermore aside.
Bid my will to Thine submit, Lay me humbly at Thy feet.

Make me like a little child, Of my strength and wisdom spoiled.
Seeing only in Thy light, Walking only in Thy might.

Leaning on Thy loving breast, Where a weary soul can rest.
Feeling well the peace of God, Flowing from His precious blood.

In this posture let me live, And hosannas daily give.

In this temper let me die, And hosannas ever cry!

In this temper let me die, And hosannas ever cry!

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WE READ FROM GOD’S WORD: Matthew 24:42-47

⁴² Therefore, stay awake, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming.
⁴³ But know this, that if the master of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁴ Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect. ⁴⁵ “Who then is the faithful and wise servant, whom his master has set over his household, to give them their food at the proper time? ⁴⁶ Blessed is that servant whom his master will find so doing when he comes. ⁴⁷ Truly, I say to you, he will set him over all his possessions.

WE PRAY TO GOD FOR THE CONGREGATION

Mr. Alf Mahan

WE WORSHIP GOD BY GIVING TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(Welcome visitors! Please fill out a blue information card, located in a chair pocket, and place in offering plate)

“MY FAITH HAS FOUND A RESTING PLACE” *Trinity Hymnal #468 (vs 1,3,4)*

My faith has found a resting place, from guilt my soul is freed;
I trust the ever-living One, His wounds for me shall plead.

Chorus

I need no other argument, I need no other plea,
It is enough that Jesus died, and that He died for me.

My heart is leaning on the Word, the written Word of God.
Salvation by my Savior’s name, salvation thro’ His blood. *(Chorus)*

My great Physician heals the sick, the lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed, for me His life He gave. *(Chorus)*

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

(after Doxology children may be dismissed to attend optional Children’s Church)

SERMON TEXT: Galatians 5:22-23

²² But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³ gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

WE HEAR FROM GOD’S WORD: *“Fruit of the Spirit: Faithfulness”* *Pastor Michael Colvard*

WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER TOGETHER

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

“GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS”

Trinity Hymnal #32

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father;
There is no shadow of turning with thee;
Thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;
As thou hast been thou forever wilt be.

Chorus

Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see:
All I have needed thy hand hath provided.
Great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter, springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above,
Join with all nature in manifold witness,
To thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love. *(Chorus)*

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! *(Chorus)*

WE RECEIVE GOD’S BLESSING OVER US (BENEDICTION)

POSTLUDE

