

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Women of Harbor!** on February 26th, there will be a special women's Sunday School class on "Prayer Triads: Praying Together in Community". Please make plans to join us! We will be making arrangements for the men to cover children's Sunday School classes and nursery so that all women can attend.

**Quarterly Potluck Luncheon** following Sunday School on February 26th. We ask that each family bring a main dish, side dish, and/or dessert to share.

**Mid Week @Harbor Church** meets weekly on Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm. Everyone is encouraged to come for time together as we participate in fun activities, sing hymns and continue our study, "Mark, Christ the King". Invite a friend or neighbor to come too!

**Baby Bottle Boomerang 2017** - Please return your bottles today!

**Men's Group** will gather together, Saturday, **Feb 18th**, from 8am-9am, for study, sharing, & prayer. Come early at 7:30am for a quick breakfast!

**Women's Bible Study** meets every Tuesday morning beginning at 9:30am! We are doing an inductive study using "Judges & Ruth: There is a Redeemer", by Sarah Ivill. Nursery care is provided! Please join us!

**Nursing Mothers** – A 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 & would like to be added to the distribution list, please email Susie at office@harborchurch.org.

## SUNDAY SERVANTS

**Officer of the Day**  
Today, 2/12: Gabe Atchison  
Next Sunday, 2/19: Carl Larson

**Congregational Prayers**  
Alf Mahan  
Clark Moore

**Welcoming Team**  
Today, 2/12: The Atchison's  
Next Sunday, 2/19: The Ware's

**Communion Preparation**  
The Larson's  
The Aldridge's

**Refreshment Set-up**  
Today, 2/12: The Dixon's  
Next Sunday, 2/19: The Alexander's

### **Nursery**

Today, 2/12: **Worship Service:** The Moore's  
**Sunday School:** Michelle Atchison

Next Sunday, 2/19: **Worship Service:** Becky Wildeman & Kara Piland  
**Sunday School:** Lindsay Colvard



## The Worship of God

February 12, 2017

*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.*

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 90:14-17 (selections) (Read Responsively)

Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love,

*That we may rejoice and be glad all our days.*

Let your work be shown to your servants,

*And your glorious power to their children.*

Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us,

*And establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!*

### 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.*

### "PRAISE TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY"

*Trinity Hymnal #53*

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!  
O, my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near;  
Join me in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee under His wings, yea, so gently sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how thy desires e'er have been,  
Granted in what He ordaineth?

<u>Operating Fund</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Variance to Budget</u>	<u>Income less Expenses*</u>
January Month to Date	11,852.50	(6,772.50)	(2,443.51)
January Year to Date	11,852.50	(6,772.50)	(2,443.51)

(\* - expenses will vary from month to month)

We have received \$530.00 of our 2017 Faith Promise pledge of \$11,555.00 for the missionaries we currently support.

**Our Mortgage Relief Fund balance is \$8,410.16**

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Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee!  
Surely His goodness and mercy here daily attend thee;  
Ponder anew what the Almighty will do,  
If with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord, who with marvelous wisdom hath made thee,  
Decked thee with health, and with loving hand guided and stayed thee,  
How oft in grief hath not He brought thee relief,  
Spreading His wings to o'er-shade thee!

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him!  
Let the amen sound from His people again;  
Gladly for-e'er we adore Him.

## WE CONFESS OUR SINS TOGETHER

*There are many times we think we love you well, O God. But upon hearing your call to love you with all our heart, and all our mind, and all our strength, we confess that our love for you is a diluted love, made insipid and flat by lesser loyalties and a divided heart. Our love seems pure only for brief moments; soon our affections are drawn away. How easily our devotion dies. Forgive us; in deep mercy spare us, despite our lost first love for you; in grace rekindle our love for you in seeing anew Jesus' love for us. Amen.*

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

### GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: Ephesians 1:7-8

<sup>7</sup> In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, <sup>8</sup> which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight.

## “O LOVE THAT WILL NOT LET ME GO”

O Love that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in Thee;  
I give Thee back the life I owe, That in Thine ocean depths its flow,  
May richer, fuller be.

O Light that follow'st all my way, I yield my flick'ring torch to Thee;  
My heart restores its borrowed ray, That in Thy sunshine's blaze its day,  
May brighter, fairer be.

O Joy that seekest me thru pain, I cannot close my heart to Thee;  
I trace the rainbow thru the rain, And feel the promise is not vain,  
That morn shall tearless be.

O Cross that liftest up my head, I dare not ask to fly from Thee;  
I lay in dust life's glory dead, and from the ground there blossoms red,  
Life that shall endless be.

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## WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Heidelberg Catechism #26

What do you believe when you say: I believe in God the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth?

*That the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who out of nothing created heaven and earth and all that is in them, and who still upholds and governs them by his eternal counsel and providence, is, for the sake of Christ his Son, my God and my Father. In him I trust so completely as to have no doubt that he will provide me with all things necessary for body and soul, and will also turn to my good whatever adversity he sends me in this life of sorrow. He is able to do so as almighty God, and willing also as a faithful Father.*

## “GRACE UNMEASURED”

Grace unmeasured vast and free, That knew me from eternity,  
That called me out before my birth, To bring You glory on this earth.

Grace amazing pure and deep, That saw me in my misery,  
That took my curse and owned my blame, So I could bear Your righteous name.

Grace paid for my sins, And brought me to life,  
Grace clothes me with power, To do what is right.  
Grace will lead me to heaven, Where I'll see Your face,  
And never cease, To thank You for Your grace.

Grace abounding strong and true, That makes me long to be like You,  
That turns me from my selfish pride, To love the cross on which You died.

Grace unending all my days, You'll give me strength to run this race,  
And when my years on earth are through, The praise will all belong to You.

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Grace clothes me with power, To do what is right.  
Grace will lead me to heaven, Where I'll see Your face,  
And never cease, To thank You for Your grace.

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## WE READ FROM GOD'S WORD: Hebrews 11:23-27

<sup>23</sup> By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents, because they saw that the child was beautiful, and they were not afraid of the king's edict. <sup>24</sup> By faith Moses, when he was grown up, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter, <sup>25</sup> choosing rather to be mistreated with the people of God than to enjoy the fleeting pleasures of sin. <sup>26</sup> He considered the reproach of Christ greater wealth than the treasures of Egypt, for he was looking to the reward. <sup>27</sup> By faith he left Egypt, not being afraid of the anger of the king, for he endured as seeing him who is invisible.

## 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)*

## “HOW SWEET AND AWFUL IS THE PLACE”

*Trinity Hymnal #469*

How sweet and awful is the place, With Christ within the doors,  
While everlasting love displays, The choicest of her stores.

While all our hearts and all our songs, Join to admire the feast,  
Each of us cries, with thankful tongue, “Lord, why was I a guest?

“Why was I made to hear your voice, And enter while there's room,  
When thousands make a wretched choice, And rather starve than come?”

’Twas the same love that spread the feast, That sweetly drew us in;  
Else we had still refused to taste, And perished in our sin.

Pity the nations, O our God, Constrain the earth to come;  
Send your victorious Word abroad, And bring the strangers home.

We long to see your churches full, That all the chosen race,  
May with one voice, and heart and soul, Sing Thy redeeming grace.

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

### SERMON TEXT: Exodus 1:22-3:10

## WE HEAR FROM GOD'S WORD: *“God's Battle for the Heart: We Need A Hero” Pastor Michael Colvard*

## WE CELEBRATE THE LORD'S SUPPER TOGETHER

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

## “GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH”

*Trinity Hymnal #598*

Guide me, O Thou great Jehovah, pilgrim thru this barren land;  
I am weak, but Thou art Mighty; hold me with Thy Pow'rful hand;  
Bread of heaven, Bread of heaven,  
Feed me till I want no more,  
Feed me till I want no more.

Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;  
Let the fire and cloudy pillar, lead me all my journey through;  
Strong Deliv'rer, Strong Deliv'rer,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield,  
Be Thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;  
Death of death, and hell's Destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side;  
Songs of praises, Songs of praises,  
I will ever give to Thee,  
I will ever give to Thee.

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

## POSTLUDE

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### THIS WEEK WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

**Missionary:** Marshall & Amy Childers  
Greater Europe Mission, London, England

**Community Program or Need:** The Christian Mission, Mooresville

**Church in our Presbytery:** Christ Church at River's Edge, Belmont

**Harbor Church:** Our teenagers

**Our Congregation:** Rick Dixon (employment)

**Friends and Family:** Extended family of the Gutmann's (for salvation and an opportunity to share the Gospel with them); Maria Cina (hospice, mother of Diane Hunter-Eldridge)