

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Church Keys! If you have a church key and/or a fellowship building key, please let Clark Moore know via email at clark.moore@outlook.com or via phone call or text at (704) 634-0375. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter as we work together to insure the security of our building!!

Welcome Dinner for Penny Hofstetter - Penny married Howard Hofstetter, a long time Harbor member, on May 12th. The ladies of Harbor are invited to come enjoy a meal and fellowship to welcome Penny to our church family on Wed, **July 26th**, at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Michelle Atchison (175 Lockhard Circle, Troutman). Please RSVP by Sunday, July 23rd to michelleatch@gmail.com or call/text (704) 737-1847.

It's Time for an Updated Directory with Pictures of all members, regular attenders & their families! So after worship, each Sunday throughout the month of July, we will meet outside on the walkway between the church & fellowship building. Bethany Larson has agreed to take the pictures & create the new directory! Contact her if you have any questions at bethanylarson@gmail.com.

Harbor Summer Tuesdays - Parents/Grandparents, bring your children & grandchildren to enjoy weekly kid-friendly outings on Tuesday mornings beginning June 20th! We will meet at 9:30am at each location (unless otherwise noted on the schedule). If you are interested in joining us for one or all the activities, send an email to Lindsay at lindsaycolvard@gmail.com or write your name and email address on the sign up sheet in the lobby. That way if we need to make last minute changes based on weather we have a way to contact you!

July 25.....Gem Theatre

Aug 1 & 8.....Dan Nicholas Park and Fairview UMC Playground

Sunday Summer Activities – In lieu of our regular Sunday School program we will host various churchwide activities & events during the normal Sunday School hour throughout the summer months.

* **July 23** – Congregational Cookout & Fellowship

* **July 30** – Green Card Round-Table Discussion Series #3

* **Aug 6** – Prayer and Hymn Sing

* **Aug 13** – Green Card Round-Table Discussion Series #4

Green Card Round-Table Discussion Series – Two Sunday's left to submit any question or topic you would like to talk about. There are no questions off limits! Return your green topic/question card any Sunday and place it in the box on the table where our "Announcements" board is located.

Round-Table Sundays: July 30 & August 13

SUNDAY SERVANTS

Officer of the Day

Today, 7/23: *Gabe Atchison*

Next Sunday, 7/30: *Todd Ware*

Congregational Prayers

Jim Aldridge

Carl Larson

Welcoming Team

Today, 7/23: *The Mahan's*

Next Sunday, 7/30: *Don Deal & The Moore's*

Communion Preparation

The Ware's

The Moore's

Refreshment Set-up

Today, 7/23: **Hotdog Cookout & Fellowship!**

Next Sunday, 7/30: *The Moore's*

Nursery

Today, 7/23: **Worship Service: *The Alexander's***

Hotdog Cookout & Fellowship!

Next Sunday, 7/30: **Worship Service: *The Deal's***

Green Card Round Table Series #3: *Lindsay Colvard*



The Worship of God

July 23, 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 68:3-5 (*selections*) (*Read Responsively*)

The righteous shall be glad; they shall exult before God

They shall be jubilant with joy! Sing to God, sing praises to his name

Lift up a song to him who rides through the deserts; his name is the LORD; exult before him!

Father of the fatherless and protector of widows is God in his holy habitation.

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.

"TO GOD BE THE GLORY"

Trinity Hymnal #55

To God be the glory – great things He has done!
So loved He the world that He gave us His son,
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,
And opened the Life-gate that we may go in.

Chorus

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the Earth hear His voice!
Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord, let the people rejoice!
O come to the Father thro' Jesus the son,
And give Him the glory – great things He has done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!
To ev'ry believer the promise of God;
The vilest offender who truly believes,
That moment from Jesus forgiveness receives. (*Chorus*)

Great things He has taught us, great things He has done,
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the son;
But purer and higher and greater will be,
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. (*Chorus*)

<u>Operating Fund</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Variance to Budget</u>	<u>Income less Expenses*</u>
June Month to Date	17,810.23	4,910.23	1,521.82
June Year to Date	88,022.85	(3,827.15)	(4,978.50)

(* - expenses will vary from month to month)

As of June 30th we have received \$4,215.00 of our 2017 Faith Promise pledge of \$11,555.00

As of June 30th our Mortgage Relief Fund balance is \$8,990.16

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WE CONFESS OUR SINS TOGETHER

Lord, you have called us to worship you. We gladly gather! As we praise you, though, our own inadequacy reminds us of how we have broken our relationship with you. Because we have sinned against you, even our worship fails to be what it could. We often treat it as a show. We simply go through motions, failing to recognize that you want to engage us deeply. Renew us, we pray, according to your steadfast love. Remind us of your covenant faithfulness and have mercy on us in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

WE CONFESS OUR SINS IN OUR HEARTS (Silently)

GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: Galatians 4:4-7

⁴ But when the fullness of time had come, God sent forth his Son, born of woman, born under the law, ⁵ to redeem those who were under the law, so that we might receive adoption as sons. ⁶ And because you are sons, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, crying, “Abba! Father!” ⁷ So you are no longer a slave, but a son, and if a son, then an heir through God.

“FATHER, LONG BEFORE CREATION”

Father, long before creation, Thou hadst chosen us in love,
And that love so deep, so moving, Draws us close to Christ above.
Still it keeps us, still it keeps us, Firmly fixed in Christ alone.

Though the world may change its fashion, Yet our God is e’er the same;
His compassion and His covenant, Through all ages will remain.
God’s own children, God’s own children, Must forever praise His name.

God’s compassion is my story, Is my boasting all the day;
Mercy free and never failing, Moves my will, directs my way.
God so loved us, God so loved us, That His only Son He gave.

Loving Father now before Thee, We will ever praise Thy love,
And our songs will sound unceasing, ’Til we reach our home above,
Giving glory, giving glory, To our God and to the Lamb.

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WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Heidelberg Catechism #104

(Read Responsively)

What does God require in the fifth commandment?

That I show all honor, love, and faithfulness to my father and mother and to all those in authority over me, submit myself with due obedience to their good instruction and discipline, and also have patience with their weaknesses and shortcomings, since it is God’s will to govern us by their hand.

“ALL I HAVE IS CHRIST”

I once was lost in darkest night, Yet thought I knew the way.
The sin that promised joy and life, Had led me to the grave.
I had no hope that You would own, A rebel to Your will.
And if You had not loved me first, I would refuse You still.

But as I ran my hell-bound race, Indifferent to the cost.
You looked upon my helpless state, And led me to the cross.
And I beheld God’s love displayed, You suffered in my place.
You bore the wrath reserved for me, Now all I know is grace.

Hallelujah! All I have is Christ.

Hallelujah! Jesus is my life.

Now, Lord, I would be Yours alone, And live so all might see.
The strength to follow Your commands, Could never come from me.
Oh Father, use my ransomed life, In any way You choose.
And let my song forever be, My only boast is You.

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WE READ FROM GOD’S WORD: Mark 3:20-21, 31-35

²⁰ Then he went home, and the crowd gathered again, so that they could not even eat. ²¹ And when his family heard it, they went out to seize him, for they were saying, “He is out of his mind.” ...

... ³¹ And his mother and his brothers came, and standing outside they sent to him and called him. ³² And a crowd was sitting around him, and they said to him, “Your mother and your brothers are outside, seeking you.” ³³ And he answered them, “Who are my mother and my brothers?” ³⁴ And looking about at those who sat around him, he said, “Here are my mother and my brothers! ³⁵ For whoever does the will of God, he is my brother and sister and mother.”

WE PRAY TO GOD FOR THE CONGREGATION

Mr. Jim Aldridge

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)

“THIS IS MY FATHER’S WORLD”

Trinity Hymnal #111 (vs 1 & 3)

This is my Father’s world, and to my list’ning ears,
All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father’s world: I rest me in the thought,
Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father’s world, O let me ne’er forget,
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the Ruler yet.
This is my Father’s world: the battle is not done;
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heav’n be one.

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

SERMON TEXT: Exodus 20:12 (Pew Bible pg 61)

1-No other gods	6-Do not murder
2-Do not make idols	7-Do not commit adultery
3-Do not take God’s name in vain	8-Do not steal
4-Honor the Sabbath	9-Do not lie
5-Honor your parents	10-Do not covet

WE HEAR FROM GOD’S WORD: “Dear Mom and Dad: Honoring Your Parents”

WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER TOGETHER

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

“JESUS, I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN”

Jesus, I my cross have taken, All to leave and follow Thee.
Destitute, despised, forsaken, Thou from hence my all shall be.
Perish every fond ambition, All I’ve sought or hoped or known.
Yet how rich is my condition! God and heaven are still my own.

Let the world despise and leave me, They have left my Savior, too.
Human hearts and looks deceive me; Thou art not, like them, untrue.
O while Thou dost smile upon me, God of wisdom, love, and might,
Foes may hate and friends disown me, Show Thy face and all is bright.

Man may trouble and distress me, ’Twill but drive me to Thy breast.
Life with trials hard may press me; Heaven will bring me sweeter rest.
Oh, ’tis not in grief to harm me, While Thy love is left to me;
Oh, ’twere not in joy to charm me, Were that joy unmixed with Thee.

Go, then, earthly fame and treasure, Come disaster, scorn and pain.
In Thy service, pain is pleasure, With Thy favor, loss is gain.
I have called Thee Abba Father, I have stayed my heart on Thee.
Storms may howl, and clouds may gather; All must work for good to me.

Soul, then know thy full salvation, Rise o’er sin and fear and care.
Joy to find in every station, Something still to do or bear.
Think what Spirit dwells within thee, Think what Fathers smiles are thine,
Think that Jesus died to win thee, Child of heaven, canst thou repine.

Haste thee on from grace to glory, Armed by faith, and winged by prayer.
Heavens eternal days before thee, Gods own hand shall guide us there.
Soon shall close thy earthly mission, Soon shall pass thy pilgrim days,
Hope shall change to glad fruition, Faith to sight, and prayer to praise.

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WE RECEIVE GOD’S BLESSING OVER US (BENEDICTION)

POSTLUDE

THIS WEEK WE ARE PRAYING FOR:	
Missionary:	Michael & Amy Parks, Mission To The World, Tanzania, Tazmania
Community Program or Need:	Local Government
Church in our Presbytery:	Grace Church, Harrisburg
Harbor Church:	Our Study of God’s Word
Our Congregation:	Erin Dehn (kidney function/upcoming medical decisions) Sarah Arensman (recovery from vertigo, pain management & medical testing) Julius Haller (for strength to tolerate chemo & radiation treatments for lung cancer) Lurene Boston (rehab) Rick Dixon (employment)

Friends and Family: Kara Piland’s father (recovery from back surgery); Justin Charles (friend of Marisha Hunter-Eldridge, treatment for bone cancer & ability to walk); Valerie (friend of Marisha Hunter-Eldridge, for peace & comfort since her father’s passing); Jerry Nall (previous member, bone cancer); Ethen (cancer treatment of infant son of Brian and Christie Baucom) friends of the Gallahan’s; Extended family of the Gutmann’s (opportunity to share the Gospel with them)