

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**IMPORTANT CONGREGATIONAL MEETING this morning**, following the worship service. Nursery care provided. We will also have a **brief Congregational Meeting** immediately following worship service on **Sept 24th** to elect new officers. Sunday School classes will still be held at regular time.

**Reformed University Fellowship (RUF)** at Davidson College will be hosting there large group meeting on Tuesday, **Sept 5th**. We are providing refreshments for this event and need volunteers to make or purchase snacks and drinks. A sign-up sheet is located in the lobby where our “Announcements” board is located. Donations need to be at the church by 10:00am on Sept 5th. Contact Don Deal at (704) 664-2344 with any questions. Thank you for your support!

**Tuesday Morning Women’s Bible Study (9:30-11:15am) begins soon! (start date TBD)**  
We need to place an order for our books by the end of August! Women interested in participating in our study, "*From Garden to Glory: A Bible Study on the Bible's Story*", should email [womenscareteam@harborchurch.org](mailto:womenscareteam@harborchurch.org) or sign up at the Women’s Care Team bulletin board in the lobby (*between the nursery and restroom*). Please indicate whether you will need childcare. Also check out Women’s Care Team News at the Harbor Church web site for additional information!

**Community Pregnancy Center of Lake Norman** will be holding their 26th Annual LifeWalk on Saturday, Sept 23rd – refer to the “Announcements” board & table for sponsorship & walker registration forms. Walkers must pre-register via online or return a completed form to Jinny Hawkes by Sunday, Sept 17th or to CPC office by Monday, Sept 18th. Questions? Please contact Jinny Hawkes at [jinny.hawkes@gmail.com](mailto:jinny.hawkes@gmail.com).

### **Upcoming Sunday School Hour Activities/Meetings:**

**TODAY**/Congregational Meeting **AUG 27**/Hour of Prayer and Reflection  
**SEPT 3**/no activity planned, Labor Day **SEPT 10**/Quarterly Potluck Luncheon

**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](mailto: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!

**2017-2018 LPCA School Year!!** Harbor Church welcomes the staff, students & parents back for the new school year! Classes began this past week School hours are Mon, Tue, and Thur from 8:00am-4:00pm. Both buildings will house classrooms for this school year.

## SUNDAY SERVANTS

### *Officer of the Day*

Today, 8/20: *Ron McMillan*  
Sunday, 8/27: *Clark Moore*  
Sunday, 9/3: *Gabe Atchison*

### *Congregational Prayers*

Today, 8/20: *Jim Aldridge*  
Sunday, 8/27: *Michael Colvard*  
Sunday, 9/3: *Carl Larson*

### *Welcoming Team*

Today, 8/20: *The Ware’s*  
Sunday, 8/27: *The Mahan’s*  
Sunday, 9/3: *The Edwards’*

### *Communion Preparation*

Today, 8/20: *The Haller’s*  
Sunday, 8/27: *The Larson’s*  
Sunday, 9/3: *TBD*

### *Refreshment Set-up*

Today, 8/20: *The Hawkes’*  
Sunday, 8/27: *The Moore’s*  
Sunday, 9/3: Labor Day Weekend, no planned activity after worship

### *Nursery*

Today, 8/20: **Worship Service:** *Krista & Kelly McMillan*  
**Congregational Meeting:** *Toni Alexander*  
Sunday, 8/27: **Worship Service:** *Makenna & Bethany Larson*  
**Hour of Prayer & Reflection:** *Linda Moore*  
Sunday, 9/3: **Worship Service:** *Michelle Atchison & Addie Aldridge*  
**Labor Day Weekend**-no planned activity after worship



## The Worship of God

August 20, 2017

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*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.*

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### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 5:9-13 (*selections*) (*Read Responsively*)

And they sang a new song, saying,

*"Worthy are you to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation, and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God, and they shall reign on the earth."*

Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and the living creatures and the elders the voice of many angels, numbering myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, saying with a loud voice,

*"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!"*

And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying,

*"To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"*

### 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.*

### “WORSHIP CHRIST THE RISEN KING” *Trinity Hymnal #286 (vs 1,3,5)*

Rise, O, Church, and lift your voices, Christ has conquered death and hell.  
Sing as all the earth rejoices; resurrection anthems swell.

Come and worship, come and worship, worship Christ, the Risen King!

Hear the earth protest and tremble, see the stone removed with pow’r;  
All hell’s minions may assemble, but cannot withstand His hour.  
He has conquered, He has conquered, Christ the lord, the Risen King!

We acclaim Your life, O Jesus, now we sing Your victory;

Sin or hell may seek to seize us, but your conquest keeps us free.

Stand in triumph, stand in triumph, worship Christ, the Risen King!

<u>Operating Fund</u>	<u>Income</u>	<u>Variance to Budget</u>	<u>Income less Expenses*</u>
July Month to Date	14,364.03	(3,760.97)	10.32
July Year to Date	102,386.88	(7,588.12)	(4,968.18)

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

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**As of July 31st we have received \$5,420.00 of our 2017 Faith Promise pledge of \$11,555.00**

**As of July 31st our Mortgage Relief Fund balance is \$9,230.16**

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## WE CONFESS OUR SINS TOGETHER

*Lord Jesus, I have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, and of neglect to seek you in my daily life. My sins and shortcomings present me with a list of accusations, but I thank you that they will not stand against me, for all has been laid on Christ. Deliver me from every evil habit, every interest of former sins, everything that dims the brightness of your grace in me, everything that prevents me taking delight in you. Amen.*

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

### GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN: 1 Corinthians 15:55-57

<sup>55</sup>“O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?” <sup>56</sup>The sting of death is sin, and the power of sin is the law. <sup>57</sup>But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

## “COME BEHOLD THE WONDROUS MYSTERY”

Come behold the wondrous mystery in the dawning of the King.  
He the theme of heaven’s praises robed in frail humanity.  
In our longing, in our darkness now the light of life has come.  
Look to Christ, who condescended took on flesh to ransom us.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, He the perfect Son of Man.  
In His living, in His suffering never trace nor stain of sin.  
See the true and better Adam come to save the hell-bound man.  
Christ the great and sure fulfillment of the law; in Him we stand.

Come behold the wondrous mystery, Christ the Lord upon the tree.  
In the stead of ruined sinners hangs the Lamb in victory.  
See the price of our redemption; see the Father’s plan unfold.  
Bringing many sons to glory grace unmeasured, love untold.

Come behold the wondrous mystery; slain by death the God of life.  
But no grave could e’er restrain Him; praise the Lord; He is alive!  
What a foretaste of deliverance; how unwavering our hope.  
Christ in power resurrected as we will be when He comes.

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## WE CONFESS OUR FAITH TOGETHER: Westminster Shorter Catechism #28

*(Read Responsively)*

Wherein consists Christ’s exaltation?

*Christ’s exaltation consists in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, in sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the Last Day.*

## “WHAT A SAVIOR”

Man of Sorrows what a name, For the Son of God who came,  
Ruined sinners to reclaim hallelujah, Bearing shame and scoffing rude,  
In my place condemned He stood, Sealed my pardon with His blood,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

### Chorus

Savior You showed Your love, Defeated our sin poured out Your blood,  
So we praise You Lamb that was slain, We offer our lives to proclaim,  
What a Savior!

Guilty vile and helpless we, Spotless Lamb of God was He,  
Full atonement can it be hallelujah, Lifted up was He to die,  
It is finished was His cry, Now in heav’n exalted high,  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah! *(Chorus)*

When He comes our glorious King, All His ransomed home to bring,  
Then anew this song we'll sing, Hallelujah! Hallelujah! *(Chorus 2x)*

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## WE READ FROM GOD’S WORD: 1 Corinthians 15:13-20

<sup>13</sup>But if there is no resurrection of the dead, then not even Christ has been raised.  
<sup>14</sup>And if Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in vain and your faith is in vain. <sup>15</sup>We are even found to be misrepresenting God, because we testified about God that he raised Christ, whom he did not raise if it is true that the dead are not raised. <sup>16</sup>For if the dead are not raised, not even Christ has been raised.  
<sup>17</sup>And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile and you are still in your sins. <sup>18</sup>Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ have perished. <sup>19</sup>If in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied.  
<sup>20</sup>But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep.

## 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)*

## “O FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES”

*Trinity Hymnal #164*

O, for a thousand tongues to sing, my great Redeemer's praise,  
The glories of my God and King, the triumphs of His grace.

My gracious Master and my God, assist me to proclaim,  
To spread thru all the earth abroad the honors of Thy name.

Jesus! The name that charms our fears, that bids our sorrows cease,  
’Tis music in the sinner’s ears, ’tis life and health and peace.

He breaks the power of reigning sin, He sets the pris’ner free;  
His blood can make the foulest clean, His blood availed for me.

He speaks and list’ning to His voice, new life the dead receive;  
The mournful, broken hearts rejoice; the humble poor believe.

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb, your loosened tongues employ;  
Ye blind, behold your Savior come; and leap, ye lame, for joy.

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

SERMON TEXT: John 20:1-18 *(Pew Bible pg 906)*

## WE HEAR FROM GOD’S WORD: “The Unique Offer of the Resurrection”

*Mr. Tennant Brastow*

*Campus Outreach*

## WE CELEBRATE THE LORD’S SUPPER TOGETHER

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

## “IN CHRIST ALONE”

In Christ alone my hope is found. He is my light, my strength, my song.  
This cornerstone, this solid ground; firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace; when fears are stilled, when strivings cease,  
My comforter, my all in all; Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh; fullness of God in helpless Babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones He came to save.  
'Til on that cross as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied.  
For ev’ry sin on Him was laid. Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay, light of the world by darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory, sin’s curse has lost its grip on me;  
For I am His and He is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me;  
From life’s first cry to final breath. Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from His hand;  
’Til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I’ll stand.

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’Til He returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I’ll stand.

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

## POSTLUDE

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### THIS WEEK WE ARE PRAYING FOR:

<b>Missionary:</b>	Tennant and Candi Brastow, Campus Outreach Charlotte
<b>Community Program or Need:</b>	Mooresville Christian Mission
<b>Church in our Presbytery:</b>	McBrayer Springs Presbyterian, Shelby
<b>Harbor Church:</b>	Our Ministries: Hospitality, Stewardship, Women’s, Men’s, Youth & Family, Small Groups
<b>Our Congregation:</b>	<b>Erin Dehn</b> (kidney function/upcoming medical decisions) <b>Sarah Arensman</b> (recovery from vertigo, pain management & medical testing) <b>Julius Haller</b> (for strength to tolerate chemo & radiation treatments for lung cancer) <b>Lurene Boston</b> (knee replacement rehabilitation) <b>Rick Dixon</b> (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