

# Welcome

**IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME** at Harvest, we are glad to have you as our guest. We hope this information helps you get to know a little about who we are. Of course, the best way to find out is from the people. You are also invited to stop by our Hospitality Hubs in the Gathering Area.

## Worship at Harvest

Harvest has three weekly worship services - one on Thursday evening and two on Sunday morning. The basic pattern for Sunday worship is typically the same at all services. The 9 AM service includes more of the historic liturgy of the church and music from the United Methodist Hymnal. The 10:30 AM service includes a time especially for children and a variety of music led by our worship band. Thursday's sixfortyeight service begins at 6:48 PM and typically includes acoustic music, time for reflection, and unique participatory elements. We celebrate communion weekly at all services and gluten free bread is available.

## SEED Groups at Harvest

SEED stands for Supporting Each other Every Day. A SEED group is a small group of people who gather to build friendships and grow in faith. One of our newest offerings are LIFE groups, made up of 8-12 people who meet weekly throughout the year in someone's home or here onsite. Harvest also offers a number of courses onsite throughout the year that meet anywhere from 6 to 32 weeks, depending on the curriculum. To find out more, you can check the "small groups" box on the Connect Pad in the attendance folders.



## Children & Youth at Harvest

Harvest wants to help your children grow their faith, too. We offer Sunday school weekly for all ages at 9 AM and 10:30 AM. At 9 AM, children go directly to their Sunday school classes. At 10:30 AM, children are checked in at Hospitality Hub 2 in the West Wing Gathering Area. After the Time Especially for Children in worship, children are escorted to their classes by their teachers via the side door. Also, excellent child care is provided for infants and toddlers during all worship services.

For youth, from grades 6 - 12, there is Sunday school weekly at 9 AM as well as HY5, a program especially for students every Sunday evening beginning at 5 PM. The evening includes games, dinner, music, small group learning, and worship time that speaks to the hearts of pre-teens and teenagers.

## Giving at Harvest

An offering is an expression of thanks for God's many good gifts to us. Our gifts support the mission and ministry of the church. We encourage persons who make Harvest their church home to give faithfully. Gifts can be placed in the offering boxes located on stands in the Harvest Centre.

## HARVEST

Team

Catherine Fluck Price  
Steven M. Price  
Co-Pastors

Jennifer Potter  
Associate Pastor

Connie Campbell  
Children's Minister

Terry Cox  
Executive Assistant to the Pastors

Janet Davis and Teresa O'Connell  
Accompanists 9 AM

Carin Doddroe  
Operations Administrative Assistant

Zach Drummond  
Youth Ministry Intern

Dan Funk  
Comptroller

Stacey Gadeken  
Discipleship Assistant

Scott Hendren  
Temporary Facilities Manager

Mike Kennedy  
Director of Discipleship  
Interim Director of Operations

Dave Lewis  
Choral Music Director

Callie MacLeod  
Sprouts CDC Director

Allison Merriott  
Director of Worship Arts

Robert Migliore  
Custodian

Krista Mulhollen  
Youth Minister

Kayla Palma  
Children's Ministry Intern

M.E. Reich  
Accompanist 10:30 AM

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Administrative Assistant

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## HARVEST

Announcements

### College Scholarships for Samoset Students

A college scholarship for a deserving low-income student offers hope for a better life and a pathway out of generational poverty. For the second straight year, Harvest designated half of its Christmas Eve offering to Take Stock in Children of Manatee County, a non-profit organization that provides college scholarships and volunteer mentors through middle and high school. Harvest's \$18,991 gift to Take Stock was matched in full, providing two scholarships! A team of Harvest and Samoset representatives evaluated applications in May, and students Carla Gutierrez and Erick Mendoza Secundino were named as the scholarship winners during their 5th-grade graduation ceremony on May 28. Two Harvest members will serve as their Take Stock mentors starting in September. Click here for more information about Take Stock of Manatee. Let us know if you would like to serve at Samoset or as a Take Stock mentor.

#### Contact:

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### Summer Tuesdays: Friends and Fellowship

Please join Harvest women and friends for fellowship at Bob Evans Restaurant at 7393 53rd Avenue East (SR70), on Tuesday mornings now through August 25.

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debbie@stonelewisfamily.com

### Harvest Women's Book Club

The book selection for July is *A Walk In The Woods* by Bill Bryson. The discussion for this book will be Monday, July 20, 2015, 7 PM, at the home of Nancy Reed, 11210 River's Bluff Circle, Lakewood Ranch.

#### Contact:

Nancy Reed | 941.752.7434  
nar11210@aol.com

### Harvest Youth Friday Frenzy Summer Events

All Access Summer Pass - \$35 (\$80 per family)

July 3: Beach Picnic @ Lido Beach 3-9 PM

July 10: Bowling & Beach Sunset 5:30p - 9:30 PM (\$11)

July 17: Mission Day: One Stop & Dinner 1:30-7 PM  
Bring dinner money

July 24: Pool Party location TBA

July 31: Photo Scavenger Hunt & YMCA Climbing Tower (\$10)

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hyfive.org/friday-frenzy

Sunday, June 28, 2015

*Unbroken Promises: God Chooses You*

welcome.grow.serve.

Harvest is a diverse community of faith, called by Christ to offer hope by graciously welcoming people, intentionally growing disciples, and generously serving others around the globe.

## Harvest United Methodist Church

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Please take a moment to silence your cell phones.

## Harvest Worship at 9:00

**Prelude** | *Let Everything That Has Breath* arr. by Hayes

**Choral Call to Worship**

**Welcome** | Rev. Steve Price

**Song** | *God of Grace and God of Glory*  
United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) #577 vv. 1, 3-4

**Affirmation of Faith** | The Apostles' Creed  
UMH #882

**Special Music** | *A Place for Healing Grace* by Heather Sorenson

**Holy Baptism** | Avery Anne Kilbane

**Recognition of Charlotte Wright**

**Prayers of the People**

**Scripture Reading** | 1 Samuel 15:34 - 16:13

**Message** | *God Chooses You*  
Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

**Song of Response** | *Here I Am, Lord*  
UMH #593 vv. 1, 3

**Holy Communion\***

**Song of Sending Forth** | *Take My Life, and Let It Be*  
UMH #399 vv. 1, 3

**Blessing**

**Postlude** | *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* by Runyan

## Harvest Worship at 10:30

**Welcome** | Rev. Steve Price

**Songs** | *Multiplied* by Needtobreathe  
*Jesus Paid It All* by Kristian Stanfill

**A Time Especially for Children** | Connie Campbell

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**Song of Response** | *Take My Life and Let It Be*  
by Chris Tomlin

**Holy Communion\***

**Song** | *Your Grace Is Enough* by Chris Tomlin

**Blessing**

\*Gluten free bread and juice are available at the far left serving station.

## This Morning's Scripture Reading

### 1 Samuel 15:34-16:13

Then Samuel went to Ramah, but Saul went up to his home in Gibeah. Samuel never saw Saul again before he died, but he grieved over Saul. However, the Lord regretted making Saul king over Israel.

The Lord said to Samuel, "How long are you going to grieve over Saul? I have rejected him as king over Israel. Fill your horn with oil and get going. I'm sending you to Jesse of Bethlehem because I have found my next king among his sons."

"How can I do that?" Samuel asked. "When Saul hears of it he'll kill me!"

"Take a heifer with you," the Lord replied, "and say, 'I have come to make a sacrifice to the Lord.' Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will make clear to you what you should do. You will anoint for me the person I point out to you."

Samuel did what the Lord instructed. When he came to Bethlehem, the city elders came to meet him. They were shaking with fear. "Do you come in peace?" they asked.

"Yes," Samuel answered. "I've come to make a sacrifice to the Lord. Now make yourselves holy, then come with me to the sacrifice." Samuel made Jesse and his sons holy and invited them to the sacrifice as well.

When they arrived, Samuel looked at Eliab and thought, "That must be the Lord's anointed right in front."

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*Announcements*

### New Message Series Starts Today: Unbroken Promises

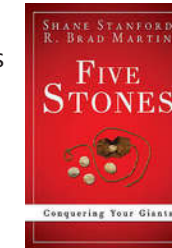
This summer, an epic story unfolds in worship as we explore passages from the Old Testament books of 1 & 2 Samuel. Here we get to know David, the brave boy who becomes king. His looks and deeds have been memorialized on film and canvas, in poetry and music, and, of course, as the subject of Michelangelo's most famous sculpture. Naturally, then, it is David who is most often identified as the central character in these stories. Look more closely, though, and we discover that apart from the unbroken promises of a good and gracious God, David's life becomes a train wreck. Woven through the story of David are reminders that God loves us unconditionally. And God's ability to use us is not based on human perfection, but divine faithfulness.

### Summer SEED Group: Five Stones - Conquering Your Giants

Our most important battles are not always with the 'giants out there'—those external challenges which we all face. The greatest battles are often within ourselves. This SEED Group, led by Mark Burling, begins July 8 and meets on Wednesday evenings. Sign up now at Hospitality Hub 1.

#### More Info:

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### Scripture Reading - continued

But the Lord said to Samuel, "Have no regard for his appearance or stature, because I haven't selected him. God doesn't look at things like humans do. Humans see only what is visible to the eyes, but the Lord sees into the heart."

Next Jesse called for Abinadab, who presented himself to Samuel, but he said, "The Lord hasn't chosen this one either." So Jesse presented Shammah, but Samuel said, "No, the Lord hasn't chosen this one." Jesse presented seven of his sons to Samuel, but Samuel said to Jesse, "The Lord hasn't picked any of these." Then Samuel asked Jesse, "Is that all of your boys?"

"There is still the youngest one," Jesse answered, "but he's out keeping the sheep." "Send for him," Samuel told Jesse, "because we can't proceed until he gets here."

So Jesse sent and brought him in. He was reddish brown, had beautiful eyes, and was good-looking. The Lord said, "That's the one. Go anoint him." So Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him right there in front of his brothers.

The Lord's spirit came over David from that point forward.

Then Samuel left and went to Ramah.

-- Common English Bible

### Harvesters to Explore Their Inner Artist

On Monday, July 20, you are invited to join the Harvesters (50+) and explore your inner artist as they visit the Painting with a Twist studio in Bradenton. At Painting with a Twist, (PWAT) the Harvesters will come together to experience a unique "getaway" that includes friends, paint, and the option to bring your own food and drink.

#### More Info:

harvesters@welcometoharvest.org  
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### College Age? Looking for Community?

Join us for dinner at 6:30 PM on June 30 at the Tijuana Flats on Cortez! We'll get to know one another a little better, enjoy Taco Tuesday, and talk about forming a small group. Interested in coming? Questions?

#### Contact:

Rev. Jennifer Potter  
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### Youth Week 2015: FLIP

This is the best week of the summer and the theme for this year is FLIP! We will discover that Jesus teaches us to live in a way opposite of the world and discuss ways to live that out in our everyday lives.

#### More Info:

hyfive.org/youth-week



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