

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.



Sunday, August 23, 2015

One: Body

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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.

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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

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Bayshore Campus Pastor

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Harvest Youth Parent Meeting Toninght

There is a parent meeting today at 5 PM in room W203. Come hear about the future of Harvest Youth Ministry with Co-Pastors Steve and Catherine Price and SPR Chair, Alison den Boggende.

Music on Main: Friday, September 4

Join others from Harvest on Friday, September 4 from 6 - 9 PM at the Harvest booth on Main Street in Lakewood Ranch. With great DJ music as a backdrop, we always have something for everyone - GaGa ball, jump rope, craft project, our prayer tree, and treats too! There is always an opportunity for volunteer servants who can assist in a number of ways. You do not need to be there all evening and no previous experience is necessary - just a desire to meet your neighbors and have fun!

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TuesdayLIVE! Fall Semester Begins Soon!

Women of all ages and backgrounds gather weekly to nurture their faith and each other through fellowship and small group study. TuesdayLIVE! meets each Tuesday morning in the Harvest Centre from 9 to 11:45 AM during the school year. TuesdayLIVE! offers a study in September and another in January. All women are encouraged and welcomed to join.

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Office Partner Openings

Office Partners are located at Hospitality Hub 1 throughout the week to help answer phones, greet guests, and perform various other tasks depending on the persons individual skill set. We have an opening every other Wednesday morning from 8:30 - 11 AM. We also have a long term sub opening (about 6 weeks) every other Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 - 4 PM.

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Follow: 9th Grade Fall Retreat

"Follow" is a 9th grade only retreat at Dayspring in Ellenton, September 11-12. Spend some time preparing for the challenges high schoolers face, praying with others who are going through this transition as well as hearing from Harvest Youth small group leaders. The cost is \$90 and registration is available online at hyfive.org.

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Please take a moment to silence your cell phones.

Harvest Worship at 9:00

Call to Worship

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Opening Prayer

Song | *God of Harvest, We Are Your People*
United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) #577 vv. 1 & 2

Time Especially for Children | Connie Campbell

Milestone Celebration | *Blessing of the Backpacks*

Mission Moment | *Samoset Elementary School*

Special Music | *Surrender All* arr. Mark Hayes

Prayers of the People | Catherine Fluck Price

Scripture Reading | *Ephesians 4:1-16*

Message | *One Body*
Rev. Jennifer Potter

Song of Response | *Christ from Whom All Blessings Flow*
UMH #550 1, 3, 5

Holy Communion*

Song of Sending Forth | *Forth in Thy Name*
UMH #438 vv. 1 & 3

Blessing

Harvest Worship at 10:30

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Songs | *Here is Our King* by Dave Crowder
Christ Be All Around Me by All Sons and Daughters

A Time Especially for Children | Connie Campbell

Milestone Celebration | *Blessing of the Backpacks*

Mission Moment | *Samoset Elementary School*

Prayers of the People | Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

Scripture Reading | *Ephesians 4:1-16*

Message | *One Body*
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Response Song | *By Our Love* by Christy Nockels

Holy Communion*

Sending Song | *Search My Heart* by Hillsong

Blessing

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

This Morning's Scripture Reading

Ephesians 4:1-16

Therefore, as a prisoner for the Lord, I encourage you to live as people worthy of the call you received from God. Conduct yourselves with all humility, gentleness, and patience. Accept each other with love, and make an effort to preserve the unity of the Spirit with the peace that ties you together. You are one body and one spirit, just as God also called you in one hope. There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, and one God and Father of all, who is over all, through all, and in all.

God has given his grace to each one of us measured out by the gift that is given by Christ. That's why scripture says, When he climbed up to the heights, he captured prisoners, and he gave gifts to people.

What does the phrase "he climbed up" mean if it doesn't mean that he had first gone down into the lower regions, the earth? The one who went down is the same one who climbed up above all the heavens so that he might fill everything.

He gave some apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers. His purpose was to equip God's people for the work of serving and building up the body of Christ until we all reach the unity of faith and knowledge of God's Son. God's goal is for us to become mature adults—to be fully grown, measured by the standard of the fullness of Christ. As a result, we aren't supposed to be infants any longer who can be tossed and blown around by every wind that comes from teaching with deceitful scheming and the tricks people play to deliberately mislead others. Instead, by speaking the truth with love, let's grow in every way into Christ, who is the head. The whole body grows from him, as it is joined and held together by all the supporting ligaments. The body makes itself grow in that it builds itself up with love as each one does its part.

-- Common English Bible

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August Message Series Continues

What does it mean to be the church? During August, we are explore together God's invitation to transform us into One: one people, becoming one body, living one way. Whether you're just beginning the adventure of following Jesus, or have been around the church for a long time, this series is for you. God meets us where we are, offering grace, and grows us into God's people. That people is called the Church, and it's in the Church that we learn to become one people, one body with many gifts to serve one another and God's world. As we are continually being led by God, we grow together in our lives of faith, slowly learning the ways of peace and justice that are life with God. The church exists for the sake of the world – so let's allow God to be at work transforming us, that we might transform God's world!

August 27/30: One Way
Scripture: Ephesians 4:17-24
Rev. Steve Price



There is Still Time to Sign Up for a SEED Group

What is a SEED group? SEED groups are small groups that meet regularly and Support Each other Every Day, with a strong emphasis on spiritual formation. No matter where you are in your faith journey - from exploring questions about your faith to wanting to deepen your relationship with Christ - Harvest has a group for you. You are invited to join us for an opportunity to grow real family, real friendships and real faith. Grow closer to God, deepen your faith, make new friends, reconnect with old friends, and build a community of support!

Visit Hospitality Hub 1 to explore the Fall SEED Group offerings and sign up for the SEED group that is right for you.

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Samoset Elementary School Partnership

Harvest is pitching into the regional effort of Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading by providing Samoset with ReadingPals. Students who fail to reach proficient reading level by 3rd grade often falter in the later grades and drop out before earning a high school diploma, which makes life difficult for them and impacts our community. ReadingPals and students work together on vocabulary, comprehension, and building a love of reading that fosters academic success. There are other ways to serve at Samoset, including helping teachers in their classrooms and serving in Pack-A-Sack, a ministry to feed chronically-hungry Samoset students. We invite you to learn more about our ministry at Samoset and how you can serve there on September 1 from 7 - 8 PM in room W204 at Harvest. Please RSVP to Karen Arnold. If you can't make the meeting but want to serve or have questions, please ask Karen.

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Bayshore Update

We're so excited to be so very close to the beginning of worship as Harvest Bayshore! A number of events are planned over the next five weeks as we approach 10.11.15 - our first public worship service at Lee Middle School. All of Harvest is encouraged to participate as we let the Bayshore community know that Harvest is coming! See the bulletin insert to learn more.

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