

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.



Sunday, September 6, 2015
*The Harvest Is Plentiful,
but the Laborers Are Few*

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.

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Become a Harvest Lifesaver: Sign Up for CPR/AED Classes

Harvest will be holding classes to teach CPR, the use of an AED, and how to respond to choking in adults, children and infants. Classes will be held Sunday, October 4 from 12:30 - 4:30 PM and Saturday, October 10 from 9 AM - 1 PM. The American Heart Association instructor will be Harvest member Judy Boehm, RN. Classes are limited to 8 persons each and will be held in W201. The cost of the course is \$30 per person, or \$45 for a couple who share the reading materials. Each person will have his/her own manikins on which to practice in order to control infection transmission. Sign up at Hospitality Hub 1. After signing up, you will be contacted to pick up a packet of reading materials. Training is open anyone 12 years of age and older. Be prepared to resuscitate a loved one and save a life.

Contact:

Judy Boehm | 941.870.2259

HY5 Harvest Youth Fall Retreat October 16-18

Imprint is a Fall Retreat for all 6 - 12 grade youth at the Warren W. Willis United Methodist Camp. It has a mission to empower, to encourage, to give hope, and to educate youth to make a difference with their lives. IMPRINT Ubuntu is the fifth retreat in a series of five retreats that will bring to life the issue of living outside our own desires and seeking the desires of Christ. This year's Imprint theme will challenge us to engage in community. We will dive into concepts of responsibility, stewardship, and intention. How are we called to share our/God's resources? How are we called to care for our world? How are we called to participate in, establish, and engage in community?

Register:

hyfive.org/imprint-fall-retreat

Girlfriends Gathering: Gathering for Yoga

- First and third Wednesday each month
- September 16 – December 16 @ 11 AM
- Meet in Room W201 at Harvest | Bring your yoga mat!

More Info:

welcometoharvest.org/girlfriends

Harvesters Head to Dali Museum

On Friday, September 25, the Harvesters will have the opportunity to become acquainted with Salvador Dali, the world's master of surrealism, as they visit the Dali Museum in St. Petersburg. Located on the waterfront, the museum houses a permanent and unparalleled collection of Dali's finest works including iconic melting clocks, visual illusions and avant-garde symbols. The museum contains key works from across the span of his career done in every medium of his creative activity

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Please take a moment to silence your cell phones.

Harvest Worship at 9:00

Prelude | *Old Time Religion with Swing Low, Sweet Chariot*

Call to Worship | Harvest Choir

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Song | *Immortal Invisible*
United Methodist Hymnal (UMH) #103 vv. 1 - 4

Opening Prayer | Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

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

Special Music | *Day by Day (with Peace Like a River)*
by Ruth Elaine Schram

Prayers of the People

Scripture Reading | *Matthew 9:35 - 10:8*

Message | *The Harvest Is Plentiful, but the Laborers Are Few*
Rev. Catherine Fluck Price

Song of Response | *Christ for the World We Sing*
UMH #568 vv. 1, 3, 4

Holy Communion*

Song of Sending Forth | *Go Make of All Disciples*
UMH #571 vv. 1, 2, 4

Blessing

Postlude | *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

Harvest Worship at 10:30

Song | *Love Goes On* by Hillsong Young and Free

Welcome | Rev. Steve Price

Songs | *Open Up the Heavens* by Meredith Andrews
Awakening by Hillsong United

Time Especially for Children | Connie Campbell

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Sending Song | *Shine in Me* by Caleb Clements

Blessing

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

This Morning's Scripture Reading

Matthew 9:35-10:8

Jesus traveled among all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, announcing the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and every sickness. Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion for them because they were troubled and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The size of the harvest is bigger than you can imagine, but there are few workers. Therefore, plead with the Lord of the harvest to send out workers for his harvest."

He called his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to throw them out and to heal every disease and every sickness. Here are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, who is called Peter; and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee; and John his brother; Philip; and Bartholomew; Thomas; and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus; and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean; and Judas, who betrayed Jesus.

Jesus sent these twelve out and commanded them, "Don't go among the Gentiles or into a Samaritan city. Go instead to the lost sheep, the people of Israel. As you go, make this announcement: 'The kingdom of heaven has come near.' Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse those with skin diseases, and throw out demons. You received without having to pay. Therefore, give without demanding payment.

-- Common English Bible

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Live Well: New Worship Series Begins Next Week!

What does it look like to "Live Well?" Depending on whom you ask, you're likely to get a variety of responses to that question. For the next several weeks, we'll turn to the pages of Scripture for an answer. Specifically, we'll be looking at passages from the Letter of James, a small book in the New Testament that has much to say about how we value others, speak to others, honor others, and care for others. Join us each week at either one of our campuses for this series that will have you thinking about where to place your priorities when it comes to crafting the well-lived life.

Harvest Welcomes New Staff

The Staff-Parish Relations Team is thrilled to welcome three new members of the Harvest staff team.

Alan Hensley joined us August 31 as our part-time Facilities Manager. The position opened this summer when Scott Hendren resigned due to health reasons. Alan also currently works in property management for Schroeder-Manatee Ranch at its Lake Club and Country Club East properties. Natives of Ohio who have lived in Florida since 2003, Alan and his wife Kim have been members of Harvest for the past 10 years.

Harvest is pleased to announce that **Brad Baten** is joining the staff team as part-time Interim Youth Ministry Associate. Brad grew up as a member of Harvest and returned to the area following his graduation from the University of Florida three years ago. Brad will be working alongside co-pastor Steve Price in leading the Harvest Youth during the time of transition between full-time Youth Ministers.

Harvest also welcomes **Sarah Mitchell** as Communications Associate. With Michelle Weger now serving as our Director of Communications for 25 hours per week and as Bayshore Worship Leader for 15 hours, the full-time Communications Associate position was created to continue our pursuit of excellence in this area. For the past three years, Sarah served as the Director of Communications at the FSU Wesley Foundation, a vibrant United Methodist college ministry at Florida State University. She graduated from Florida Southern College with a degree in Graphic Design. Sarah will join the staff on September 10.

Please join us in welcoming Alan, Brad, and Sarah to Harvest!

Harvest Bayshore Prepares for Launch

We invite you to be in prayer for the Bayshore campus of Harvest as we prepare for launch! Excitement levels are high as over a year's worth of prayer, conversations, and preparations come together as we get to offer the hope of Christ through this new worship community. In the coming weeks there are multiple opportunities to be a part of serving the Bayshore community as one church, in two locations.

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Giving Thanks for Sue Wainio-Oato

Since 2008, Sue Wainio-Oato has offered her gifts in design and communications as part-time Communications Coordinator. Throughout this time, Sue has sharpened her design skills at State College of Florida, earning her AS degree in Graphic Design Technology. She has also maintained a busy collegiate volleyball officiating schedule, and led her own small business. Sue's business has grown to the point where she now needs to dedicate more time to shepherd its continued growth. Therefore, Sue's last day on staff will be September 15.

Sue and her husband Guy have been members of Harvest since 2004, and will continue to be part of the Harvest family. Their daughter Emily is now a freshman at Florida Southern College. We give thanks to God for Sue and the talents she has offered here, and we encourage you to thank her as well when you see her!