

Mission Statement

To the glory of God, the Harvest Community Church is to gather and nurture God's growing family.

Purpose

To **Glorify** God through worship in spirit and in truth
To **Gather** God's family through outreach
To **Grow** in grace and knowledge of Jesus through discipleship
To **Give** back of ourselves what God has given through service
To be **Grafted** to one another through Holy Spirit fellowship

Core Value

If anything good is going to happen, God has to do it.

Therefore, it is important for us to always look to discern what God is doing and join Him in His work.

Such discovery will be

- **Led by scripture**
- **Based on spiritual giftedness**
- **Bathed in prayer**
- **An outgrowth of small group intimacy**

ELDER/DEACON DISTRICTS:

J. Pepper/T. Zook—Baum thru Griffin

K. Oosterhouse/R. Duits—Hilley thru Pepper

D. Beach/S. Oosterhouse—Redder thru T. Zook

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Pastor's email—ben@harvestcrc.com
Church website: www.harvestcrc.com

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday Services

Worship Service—9:30 a.m. (Children's Worship during service)

Sunday School—11:00 a.m. Sept-May

Small Group Ministry—Sunday evenings
(CHEERS in the home 1st and 3rd Sundays,
Bible Study at church 2nd and 4th Sundays.)

Weekday Ministries

Coffee Break/Story Hour/Little Lambs

Wednesdays 9:00—10:45 a.m. Sept.—May

Moms in Touch Prayer

Wednesdays—11:30 a.m. Sept-May

*CHEERS (Caring, Hope, Encouragement, Enlightenment, Respect, Support)

Consistory-

Pastor Ben Ridder

Elders Joel Pepper—2019

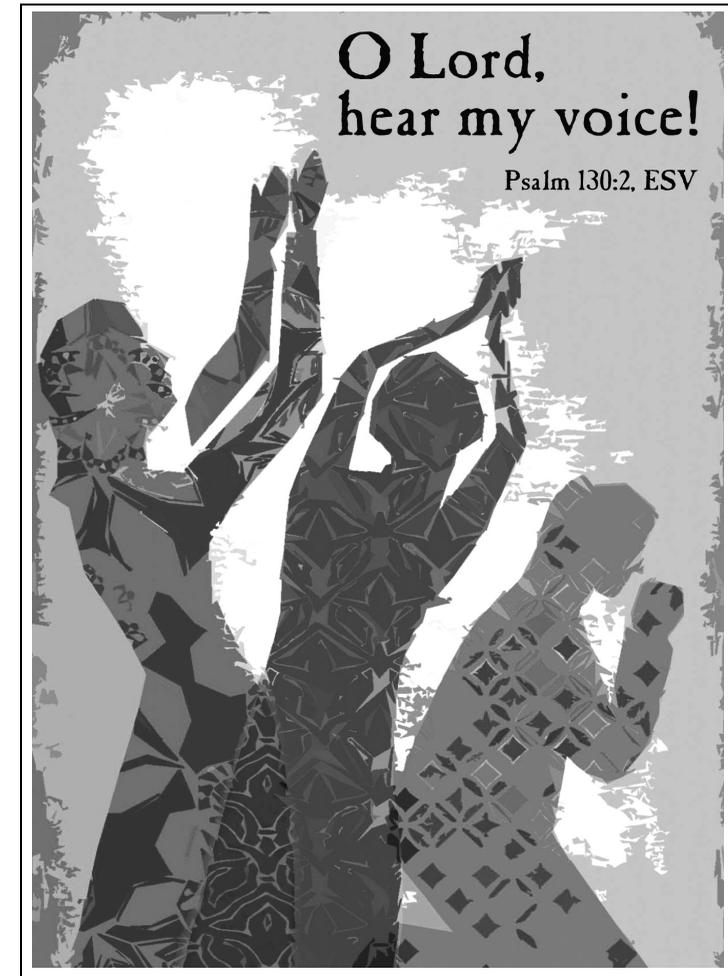
David Beach—2020

Ken Oosterhouse—2021

Deacons Tyler Zook—2019

Seth Oosterhouse—2020

Richard Duits—2021



Harvest Community Church

A Christian Reformed Ministry

620 Sixth Avenue

Lake Odessa, Michigan 48849

Welcome to Harvest Church

March 24, 2019

We are happy you are here!

“Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.”
Mark 11:24

Morning Worship

Message: A Confidant Submission

Scripture: Mark 11:12-14; 20-24

Tonight: 5:00 pm Hebrews Study

Children are dismissed to go downstairs (accompanied) for Children's Worship during the offering.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship time following the service this morning

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This morning we continue our look at the final week of Jesus life leading to His death and resurrection, according to the gospel of Mark. Following Peter's noting of the cursed fig tree having withered from the roots, Jesus launches into a teaching on prayer, and receiving anything you ask for in faith. What's the connection between a withered fig tree and believing prayer? That's what we'll look to discover together this morning.

Hebrew's Study meets tonight at 5:00. Please read Hebrews 9:15-28 in preparation.

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is before us this morning. All are invited to participate who:

- Humble themselves in repentance before God, considering their own sin.
- Trust in Jesus Christ alone for salvation, believing their sins are forgiven wholly by grace for the sake of our Lord's sacrifice on the cross.
- Resolve to live in faith and obedience with his neighbor.

Children who profess a faith in Jesus as Savior are also welcomed.

Children's Worship meets today for ages 3-6. The children should be accompanied downstairs during the offering.

Prayer Parents Ministry: We would like to update this ministry. There is a sign up sheet on the back table for both adults that are willing to serve as prayer parents, and children (18 years and below) who as parents, you would like to have them being prayed for.

Coffee Break/Little Lambs will meet this Wednesday at 9:00 am. This week we will look at what Jesus says about our relationships with others; Matthew 7: 1-12. All women are invited to come and join the discussion. Little Lambs is provided for children.

Easter Choir—sign up today if you would like to be a part of an Easter choir. First practice is next Sunday, March 31 at 4:00.

The Outreach Team is planning a *Walk with Jesus* Easter Experience for the entire family on Saturday, April 13, 2-4 pm. This is an opportunity to invite your friends and neighbors where they will get the Good News message in a live presentation. Postcards are available on the back table to take and use as an invitation to those you know.

Easter Flowers. As in the past, if you would like to order flowers for our service on Easter Sunday, please sign the poster on the back wall by the kitchen. You can take the flowers home after the service that day. All orders and money need to be in by April 8.

Lenten Schedule and Information

1. Community Good Friday Service will be at Central United Methodist, 1:00. Pastor Ridder will be giving the message this year.
2. Harvest Church Good Friday Service will be at 7:00 pm.
3. Easter Sunrise Service at DeJong's residence, 6:30 (bring your own chairs).
4. Easter Service at Harvest, 9:30
5. No Sunday School

Church Family—There is a baby basket below the church mailboxes for any gifts you would like to give to baby Charlotte Addelynn Duits, new daughter of Isaac and Kelly Duits.

Pray for Inspire 2019 - Inspire 2019 is a conference to connect people from across the 1000+ churches in the Christian Reformed Church for three days of worship, workshops, speakers, and conversation. As we plan and prepare for this event, happening August 1-3 in Windsor, Ont., please join us in praying for the event and all who will attend. This week, please pray for safety at Inspire 2019, and for the health of all involved, freeing people to focus on God's leading at the event, rather than on pain or fear

“Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him for he cares for you.” 1 Peter 5:6,7

Please pray for _____

Date _____ (tear off and place in offering or prayer room bowl.)

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Today	9:30 am—Communion Worship Service
	11:00 am—Sunday School
Monday	7:00 pm—Worship Team
Wednesday	9:00 am—Coffee Break/Little Lambs
	7:00 pm—Prayer Meeting

From the Deacons: Offerings Received

March 17: General Fund \$ 2284.50

Celebration (Prison) Fellowship Ionia \$176.00

ASSIGNMENTS

Nursery

Today: Sherri Van't Land, Jenny Reynolds, Jon Kastanek
March 31: Julie Kastanek, Kelly Duits, Peighton Reser

Greeters

Today and March 31: Dave and Kay Beach

Prayer Family this week

Keep in your prayers this week: John Endres family

Prayer Ministry

Today: Karilynn Ridder March 31: Sandy Stool

Coffee Host/Hostess:

Today: Joyce Tuitman

March 31: Fritz and Bonnie Frost Snacks—Open

*Sign up sheet to provide snacks is on the back table