

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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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

SHOUT
for **JOY** to **GOD**,
all the earth!

SING
the **GLORY**
of **HIS NAME**.

Psalm 66:1-2, NIV

*Harvest Community
Church*

A Christian Reformed Ministry

620 Sixth Avenue

Lake Odessa, Michigan 48849

Welcome to Harvest Church

May 19, 2019

We are happy you are here!

“Therefore, say to the house of Israel, ‘This is what the Sovereign LORD says: it is not for your sake that I’m going to do these things, but for the sake of my holy name, which you have profaned among the nations where you have gone. I will show the holiness of my great name, which has been profaned among the nations, the name you have profaned among them.’” Ezekiel 36:22-23

Morning Worship

Message: The Name of God

Scripture: Exodus 20:7

*Page 54 in the blue Bibles

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

Today we continue with our series on the Ten Commandments, focusing today on the third one: “You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God;” or as some of us were brought up with: “You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.” What’s in a name? Well, when it comes to the LORD God, more than we can know or imagine. Over the next couple of weeks, we are going to look at some possible ways we have been playing loose with God’s name and grow in both our understanding and adoration.

Second Offering this morning is for **WAR International** (Women at Risk), a ministry involved in bringing freedom to women caught in human trafficking as well as a sense of dignity.

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper will be celebrated this morning as part of the worship service. 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 their Savior are also welcomed.

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

Sunday School meets for the final time for the season this morning. Classes will resume in the fall.

Church History Study meets tonight at 6:00.

High School Graduating Senior Dawson White-Thompson will be recognized for his achievement this year and prayed for as he begins the next chapter of his life.

You are encouraged to attend the Baccalaureate Service to honor Lakewood High School graduating seniors tonight at 6:00 pm in the auditorium. The service is designed to show the students support and blessings from the area churches. We are fortunate to live in a community that is supportive of the Baccalaureate Service.

Church Coed Softball—Harvest supplies umpires this week, no game.

Classis Thornapple Valley will be in session here on Tuesday evening, 6:00. Your delegates are Elder Pepper, Deacon Duits, and Pastor Ridder.

The Wednesday Coffee Break group has completed their season until the fall. A HUGE thank you to those of you who helped with childcare and treats throughout the year. You are a blessing!

Guys and Boys, this is for you. Fishing & Fishers of Men—On Saturday, June 8 from 7 am to noonish, come to Bob DeJong’s lake. Bring your own pole, fish from the shore or bring your boat. We will have a speaker sharing from the island the how to and the importance of fishing for men. Lunch will be provided so we would like your RSVP by May 26. Sign up sheet is on the wall by the kitchen or let Bob DeJong know.

“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

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| Today | 9:30 am—Communion Worship Service 11:00 am—Sunday School 6:00 pm—Church History Study |
| Monday | 7:00 pm—Worship Team |
| Tuesday | 6:00 pm—Classis Thornapple Valley 6:00 pm—Sewing/Quilting |
| Wednesday | 7:00 pm—Prayer Meeting |

From the Deacons: Offerings Received

May 12: General Fund \$2,888.50

ASSIGNMENTS

Nursery

Today: Mary Flohr, Marshann Ludema, Jeremiah Flohr
May 26: Harlene Westendorp, Lisa Nurenberg, Brennan Reser

Greeters

Today and May 26: Joyce Tuitman

Prayer Family this week

Keep in your prayers this week: Mike Hilley family

Prayer Ministry

Today: Gail Pepper May 26: Joel Pepper

Coffee Host/Hostess:

Today: Noah Garn May 26: Lee & Carole Jackson

*Snacks—Open

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