



# CORNERSTONE Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Cornerstone!

April 24, 2021 at 5 PM &

April 25, 2021 at 10 AM



Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ

[www.cornerstonechurchofjackson.org](http://www.cornerstonechurchofjackson.org)

## Gathering Music "Say I Won't"

### Call to Prayer

**David LaCross**

Hear these words from Isaiah as we prepare to worship. Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all faces, and the disgrace of his people he will take away from all the earth, for the LORD has spoken. It will be said on that day, Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so that he might save us. This is the LORD for whom we have waited; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

### Ringing of the Harmony Bell

### Word of Welcome! "God is Good! All the Time!"

**Reverend Pruner**

### Call to Worship

**Fred VanLooy**

L: How awesome to gather before God! We are here to celebrate with wide-eyed wonder.

**P: The God of all the worlds is with us. Praise God for this season of Easter.**

L: Praise God for all the signs of new life. Praise God for all we can do together.

**P: Praise God for the life and ministry of Jesus. Praise God for all who share that ministry today**

L: Christ came to offer us abundant life. We are here today to reclaim that gift.

**P: We gather in the name of Jesus Christ. We want to follow in the steps of Jesus.**

### Hymn 476 "O Worship the King," vs 1 & 2 Praise Song "Almighty"

**Doreen Laskiewicz  
Will Vanderburg**

### Call to Confession

**Reverend Pruner**

### Unison Prayer of Confession

Lord, we admit that we don't recognize you. We have become so concerned with our own problems and entrenched in our own routines that we can't see you even though you have sought us out. When you do come to us, we see you merely as a stranger or intruder. Thinking you are unaware of our greatest needs. We acknowledge our foolishness. Forgive our slowness of heart. Open our eyes so that we might accept and understand your teaching. Make our hearts burn within us as you show us the way. In your glorious name we pray. Amen

## Worship Schedule:

**Saturdays 5 PM &  
Sundays 10 AM**

**Watch our Worship  
service on Facebook on  
Sundays at 10 AM:**

[https://  
www.facebook.com/  
cpcjacksonnj](https://www.facebook.com/cpcjacksonnj)

### STAFF:

#### Pastor:

Tory Pruner  
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#### Director of Music:

Doreen Laskiewicz  
732-740-9086

#### Assistant Director of Music:

Will Vanderburg

#### Administrative Assistant:

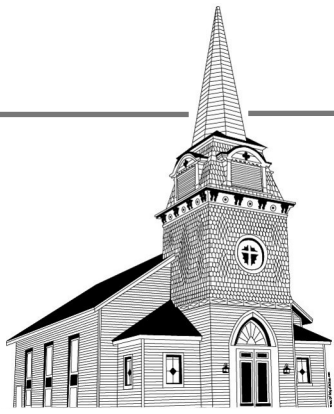
Elizabeth Hughes  
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#### Treasurer:

Tina Kas  
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The flowers on the  
communion table are  
dedicated  
in memory  
of Ken  
Stewart's  
wife Carol  
on her  
birthday.





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Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness

**Announcements**

Praise Song "Come Now is the Time to Worship"

**Time for Children (Sunday)**

Joys & Concerns

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

*Please email [pastor@cornerstonechurchofjackson.org](mailto:pastor@cornerstonechurchofjackson.org) with prayer requests.*

Praise Song "Change My Heart, Oh God"

First New Testament Scripture: 1 Peter 1:17-23 **Fred VanLooy**

Offering and Prayer of Dedication **David LaCross**

*Visit our [website](#) to learn more about how you can give.*

Second New Testament Scripture: Luke 24:13-35 **David LaCross**

Sermon "When Life Gets Tough, Hit the Road?" **Reverend Pruner**

Sacrament of Communion

Hymn 525 "Here I Am, Lord," verses 1 & 2

Benediction

**Announcements**

*(click to open)*

*After worship, we invite you to join us outdoors for a time of greeting.*

**Saturday Worship Leader(s):**

Laura Stone

**Sunday Worship Leader(s):**

David LaCross

Fred VanLooy

**Our Thanks to our Elders as Members of our Session**

2021: Megan LaFontaine, Mike Pushko, Laura Stone, Kathe Morrison

2022: Jim Foster, Deborah LaCross, Fred VanLooy, Linda Van Melis

2023: Gail Carlson, Elizabeth Hughes, Tina Kas, Allyson Moyer

**Our Board of Deacons – thank you for your service!**

2021: Diane DeLuca

2022: MaryAnn White, Kellie Pushko

2023: Barbara Dougherty, Nancy Foster

**MISSION STATEMENT**

We the people of Cornerstone are a part of God's Grand Adventure to: ground our lives on the solid rock of Jesus Christ, build up each other in love through prayer, words and deeds, and to create God's community in Jackson and beyond.