



Welcome to Cornerstone!

October 16, 2021 at 5 PM &
October 17, 2021 at 10 AM



Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ

www.cornerstonechurchofjackson.org

Gathering Music "Way Maker"

Call to Prayer

David LaCross

Let us reflect on Psalm 1: Our world offers many wide avenues to and beautiful boulevards to walk; Our God invites us to walk the road of service and sacrifice. Our society suggests we put down our roots in the shallow soil of pleasure and greed. Our God seeks to plant us on the banks of hope, watered by the rivers of joy and grace. Our culture promotes achievement, success, climbing to the top, ringing the bell. Our God tells us if we want to be first we need to go to the end of the line.

Ringing of the Harmony Bell

Word of Welcome! "God is Good! All the Time!" Reverend Pruner

Call to Worship

Fred VanLooy

L: No matter how far we wander from you, O God, your steadfast love finds us.

P: No matter how unjust the world seems to us, O God, your steadfast righteousness sustains us.

L: No matter how vulnerable our lives seem to us, O God, your steadfast presence gives us hope.

P: No matter how unloved and uncared for we feel, O God, you hear our cries and answer our prayers.

All: Thanks be to God!

Praise Song "Ten Thousand Reasons"
Hymn 420 "God of Grace and God of Glory"

Will Vanderburg
Doreen Laskiewicz

Call to Confession

Reverend Pruner

Unison Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name and what our hearts can no longer bear. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness

Announcements

Worship Schedule:

Saturdays 5 PM &
Sundays 10 AM

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

[https://
www.facebook.com/
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Praise Song "Mighty is Our God"

Time for Children (Sunday)

Joys & Concerns

Reverend Pruner

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Please email pastor@cornerstonechurchofjackson.org with prayer requests.

Praise Song "Shout to the North"

Old Testament Scripture: Exodus 16: 1-4,16-21

Fred VanLooy

Offering and Prayer of Dedication

David LaCross

Visit our [website](http://www.cornerstonechurchofjackson.org) to learn more about how you can give.

New Testament Scripture: Matthew 13:54-58

David LaCross

Sermon Series "Transforming Love of God"
Week 6: "Are We There Yet?"

Reverend Pruner

Hymn 261 "God of Compassion, in Mercy Befriend Us"

Benediction

Announcements

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After worship, we invite you to join us outdoors for a time of coffee, snacks, fellowship and 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.