



CORNERSTONE Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Cornerstone!

October 8, 2022 at 5 PM &
October 9, 2022 at 10 AM



Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ

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Gathering Music "How Great is Our God"

Call to Prayer

David LaCross

Hear these words from Psalm 111: Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them. Full of honor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever. He has gained renown by his wonderful deeds; the LORD is gracious and merciful.

Ringling of the Harmony Bell

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

David LaCross

Call to Worship

Fred Van Looy

L: Whether we live in an apartment or a house; if we reside in the suburbs or the city:

P: God tells us to pray for the places where we live.

L: Whether we are exiles or prisoners for the gospel; if we are young, old, insider, outcast:

P: God says, 'when you search for me, you will find me.'

L: Whether we have been wandering and lost; or if we have lived in the same place all our lives:

P: God says, 'I will gather you from all your places and bring you home.'

Praise Song "Great is the Lord"

Will Vanderburg

Hymn #302 "I Danced in the Morning"

Doreen Laskiewicz

Call to Confession

Reverend Batcher

Unison Prayer of Confession

God beyond borders, we know that on our way to worship, we may not have noticed the exiles in our neighborhoods. We admit how easy it is for us to wander down the streets of temptation, pausing at the corner of easy choices. We fall silent in the presence of those who speak words of anger and hate. We tolerate a culture that suspects all who are different from us. Have mercy on us, O God, for surely you take the side of justice. Open our hearts to all the wonders you are performing in our lives. You gift us with those of other cultures, that our lives might be blessed. You send us friends out of places we least expect, that our community might be enriched. You

Worship Schedule:

**Saturdays 5 PM &
Sundays 10 AM**

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

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

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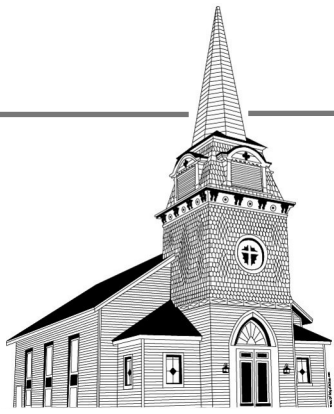
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call us to be generous with our blessings, so others might be graces with the gift of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness Reverend Batcher

Announcements

Praise Song "Cry of My Heart"

Children's Message (Sunday) Reverend Batcher

Joys & Concerns **David LaCross**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer Reverend Batcher

Praise Song "Open the Eyes of My Heart"

Offering **David LaCross**

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

Response "Give Thanks"

Prayer of Dedication

New Testament Reading: Luke 17:11-19 **Fred Van Looy**

Sermon "Giving Thanks" Reverend Batcher

Praise Song "Almighty" (Saturday)

Hymn #555 "Now Thank We All Our God" (Sunday)

Benediction

Announcements

(click to open)

Saturday Worship Leader(s):

Laura Stone

Sunday Worship Leader(s):

David LaCross

Fred VanLooy

Our Thanks to our Elders as Members of our Session

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

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

2024: Steven DeLuca, Megan LaFontaine, Kathe Morrison, Lisa Palmeri

Our Board of Deacons – thank you for your service!

2022: MaryAnn White, Kellie Pushko, Sean Kas (youth)

2023: Barbara Dougherty, Nancy Foster

2024: Diane DeLuca, Sueli Paes de Barros

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.