



# CORNERSTONE Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Cornerstone!

**Resurrection Sunday**

**April 9, 2023 10 AM**

*Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ*



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**Gathering Music "I Will Rise," "Because He Lives," "Lift High the Cross," "Agnus Dei"**

**Call to Prayer**

**Dave LaCross**

As we prepare to worship, listen to I Peter: Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you.

**Ringling of the Harmony Bell**

**Anthem "Alleluia, Praise the Risen King!"**

**Cornerstone Choir**

**Word of Welcome! "Christ Is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!"**

**Rev. Tory Pruner**

**Call to Worship**

**Fred VanLooy**

L: The tomb is empty & darkness has lost!

**P: We dance in the light of His resurrection!**

L: No more do we have to fear!

**P: No more does worry reign!**

L: He is victorious & so are we!

**P: Because of His victory, we are free!**

L: Praise the Lord! Hallelujah!

**P: Praise the Risen Lord! Hallelujah!**

**Hymn 123 "Jesus Christ is Risen Today"**

**Will Vanderburg**

**Call to Confession**

**Rev. Jim Pruner**

**Prayer of Confession**

Dazzling God, we are blinded to your majesty. We have taken for granted the amazing wonder of life, without seeing you as the source of all things. We shrink from the judgement we deserve. We resist the changes we know we must make to receive new life. Save us from the calamity of our selfish ways. Rescue us from all hurtful and destructive habits. Forgive our broken promises, heal our broken relationships, lift our broken spirits, so we may share in the resurrection of Christ. 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/  
cpcjacksonnj](https://www.facebook.com/cpcjacksonnj)

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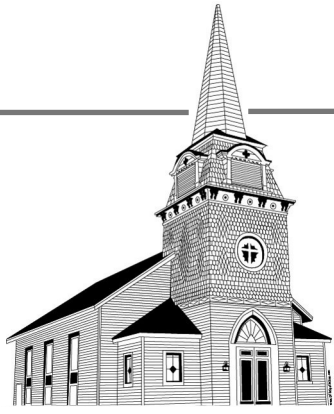
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**Praise Song "Firm Foundation"**

**Children's Message**

**Rev. Tory Pruner**

**Joys & Concerns**

**Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

**Rev. Tory Pruner**

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

**Hymn 106 "Alleluia, Alleluia"**

**1st New Testament Scripture: 1 Cor 15:50-56**

**Fred VanLooy**

**Offering**

**Dave LaCross**

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

**Response "Give Thanks"**

**Prayer of Dedication**

**2nd New Testament Scripture: John 20:1-18**

**Rev. Jim Pruner**

**Sermon "Life at the Tomb!"**

**Rev. Tory Pruner**

**Hymn 122 "Thine is the Glory!"**

**Benediction**

**Rev. Tory Pruner**

### **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**

2023: Gail Carlson, Elizabeth Hughes, Tina Kas, Deborah LaCross

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

2025: Denise Mudalel, Laura Stone, Fred VanLooy, Linda Van Melis

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

2023: Barbara Dougherty, Nancy Foster, Sean Kas (youth)

2024: Diane DeLuca, Sueli Paes de Barros

2025: Kellie Pushko

### **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.