

# CORNERSTONE Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Cornerstone!

July 1, 2023 5 PM &  
July 2, 2023 10 AM



*Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ*

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## Gathering Music "Your Love Awakens Me"

### Call to Prayer

**Dave LaCross**

As we join to worship, hear these words from John 13: Jesus said, "I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

### Ringing of the Harmony Bell

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

### Call to Worship

Hymn 561 "My Country Tis of Thee," vs 1,2 Will Vanderburg

Call to Confession Reverend Pruner

### Unison Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, You have gone to great lengths to redeem us by your son Jesus Christ. You invite us into a life of hope, joy, and freedom. And yet, we forget, Lord, that you have sanctified us for greater things. We confess that we too often abandon you when our comfort is threatened. We admit that we get consumed with serving ourselves instead of the needs of our neighbors. Have mercy on us. Lord, cause us to turn our gaze squarely back on you. Forgive us, create in us a greater awareness of you, and your call to serve you by extending ourselves to others. May we experience anew the adventure of living for your glory each and every day. We pray this humbly in Christ's name. Amen.

Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness Reverend Pruner

### Announcements

Praise Song "You Are My All in All"

**Children's Message** Reverend Pruner

Joys & Concerns

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

Praise Song "Mighty to Save"

1st New Testament Reading: Matthew 25:34-40

## 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:

Will Vanderburg  
908-770-0362

#### Administrative Assistant:

Elizabeth Hughes  
732-580-3137

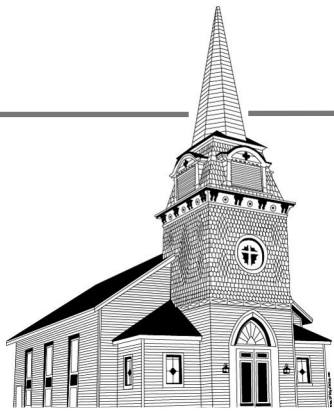
#### Treasurer:

Tina Kas  
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Go and Do Likewise  
Luke 10:25-37



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## Offering

**Dave LaCross**

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

Offertory "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

**Will Vanderburg**

Response "Give Thanks"

Prayer of Dedication

2nd New Testament Reading: Luke 10:25-37

**Dave LaCross**

Summer Sermon Series "Beware: Construction Ahead"

Week 4: "'Shoulders, perfect for carrying Another'"

**Reverend Pruner**

Praise Song "Ten Thousand Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

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

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.

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