

CORNERSTONE Presbyterian Church

Welcome to Cornerstone!

August 26, 2023 5 PM &

August 27, 2023 10 AM



Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ

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Gathering Music "See a Victory"

Call to Prayer

David LaCross

Listen now to this portion of Matthew chapter 14: "Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came toward Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, "Lord, save me!" Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?" When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshiped him, saying, "Truly you are the Son of God."

Ringing of the Harmony Bell

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

Call to Worship

Fred VanLooy

L: Come into the presence of God to be fed.

P: Come to call on God, who is eager to answer.

L: We gather to seek God's face.

P: We incline our ears to all that the Lord may teach us in this time of worship.

L: Seek to experience God's steadfast love. For God is our refuge in a frightening world.

P: Come and let us receive the blessings our Lord is ready to provide. May we together give praise to our Lord who is ever present and faithful to us!

Praise Song "Lord I Lift Your Name on High"
Hymn 356 "Come Thou Fount," vs 1,2,3

Will Vanderburg

Call to Confession

Reverend Pruner

Unison Prayer of Confession

Eternal and loving God, We gather today and recognize our need for you. We admit that it is easy to lose sight of your goodness and purpose, when faced with the storms of life. These storms come upon us like a tornado, tearing apart our emotional, physical, and spiritual selves. Forgive us for the times we lack trust in your

Worship Schedule:

**Saturdays 5 PM &
Sundays 10 AM**

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

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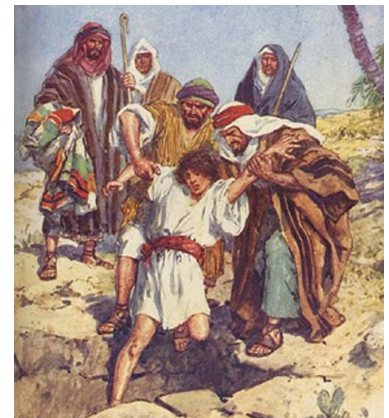
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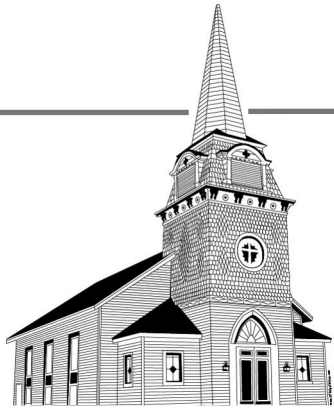
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promises. Help us hear your voice and to recognize the ways you are moving in our lives. Especially when we feel ourselves being shaken and afraid. May we trust in you, for you never abandon us and your love for us is never shaken. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness Reverend Pruner

Announcements

Praise Song "Come Now is the Time to Worship"

Children's Message Reverend Pruner

Joys & Concerns

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

Praise Song "As the Deer"

1st Old Testament Reading: Genesis 37:12-17 Fred VanLooy

Offering David LaCross

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

Response "Doxology"

Prayer of Dedication

2nd Old Testament Reading: Genesis 37:18-28 David LaCross

Sermon "Joesph & You: Family Secrets" Reverend Pruner

Sacrament of Communion

Praise Song "Cornerstone"

Benediction

Announcements

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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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