



Welcome to Cornerstone!

September 2, 2023 5 PM &
September 3, 2023 10 AM



Building Community on the Solid Rock of Jesus Christ

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Gathering Music "Cornerstone"

Call to Prayer

David LaCross

Listen to these words from Psalm 19 as we prepare for worship:
Teach me, O LORD, the way of your statutes, and I will observe it to the end. Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart. Lead me in the path of your commandments, for I delight in it.

Ringing of the Harmony Bell

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

Call to Worship

L: The earth shakes, the mountains quake -- tempting our hearts to fear.

P: Rivers overflow their banks – too far away to quench the wildfires.

L: Yet we remember, God is our refuge and strength.

P: When our children are away from home and we cannot help them.

L: When those we love are out of our sight, we take comfort in knowing,

P: God is a very present help in times of trouble.

L: We look to you, O God, in both the joy filled and troubling times of our lives.

P: Today we raise our voices in praise and worship to you, our great God!

Praise Song "Ancient of Days"

Will Vanderburg

Hymn 138 "Holy, Holy, Holy," vs 1 & 3

Call to Confession

Reverend Pruner

Unison Prayer of Confession

Gracious and forgiving God, You always love us, yet we do not always act like we love you. Our self-delusions and self-justifications run deep. Too many times we trust in our own ability and decision-making. Too many times we fail to live as grateful disciples of Jesus Christ. Forgive us for our blindness, willfulness, and pride. Set us back on your path of grace, witness, and service. We pray this humbly in the name of Jesus. Amen.

Worship Schedule:

Saturdays 5 PM &
Sundays 10 AM

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

[https://
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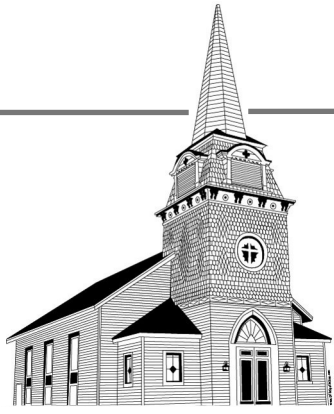
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Declaration of God's Love and Forgiveness Reverend Pruner

Announcements

Praise Song "There is None Like You"

Children's Message Reverend Pruner

Joys & Concerns

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

Praise Song "My Life is in You"

1st Old Testament Reading: Genesis 39: 1- 10 David LaCross

Offering David LaCross

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

Response "Give Thanks"

Prayer of Dedication

2nd Old Testament Reading: Genesis 39: 11-23 David LaCross

Sermon Series "Joesph & You" Reverend Pruner

Week 3: "The Tremendous Trap Named Temptation!"

Praise Song "We Bow Down"

Hymn 361 "How Firm a Foundation," vs 1 & 5

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.