Harbor View Presbyterian Church Weekly Newsletter



Thanks to Pastor Rusty & Pastor Scott for joining some of the kids outside for Chapel!



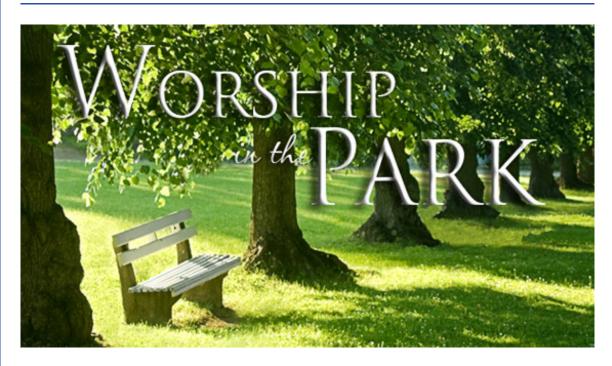
If you have been visiting HVPC and would like to find out more of what life is about in this faith community, then the Journey may be just for you!

The Journey is a 45-minute gathering for anyone who has questions about what we believe, and we are called to live into those beliefs as Christians, Presbyterians and as folks who share in the life at Harbor View Presbyterian Church.

Our very first Journey group will meet on August 27th at 11:15 am in the new HVPC activity room. Pastor Rusty and Pastor Scott will lead the presentation. Lunch is provided! To be sure that we accommodate everyone, please sign up for The Journey by calling 843-795-4072 or emailing the church office at office@harborviewpc.org, or by filling out a "Thank you for joining us" card during worship and dropping it into the receptacle before or

after worship. Reservations can also be made by listing the names of anyone who plans to attend on the blank side of the card.

We look forward to seeing you on the 27th as we join in the Journey that God calls us to take *together*!



Sunday, September 10 is our special HVPC "Worship in the Park" service to be held at James Island County Park - Stono Shelter. The shelter is handicap accessible and restrooms are nearby. It is \$2 per person at the gate or free with your gold pass to get into the park. Worship will begin at 10:30 a.m.

A few reminders...

- Bring a picnic lunch and drinks for your family.
- Bring a dessert to share with everyone.
- Bring chairs, blankets, bug spray, sunscreen.
- Bring volleyballs, soccer balls, footballs, corn hole toss game, and any other fun games!

It is going to be a great day of worship, food, fun and fellowship! Click here to see a map of the park.



Church on Wednesday, Fellowship Dinner, & Games!

Going forward, COW will be every third Wednesday of each month.

The next one will be September 20 at 6 p.m. We will be gathering for our fellowship dinner and game/trivia night in the fellowship hall. Come enjoy time together eating and having fun!

Please let us know if you plan to join us so we will know how much food we need. Sign up <u>here</u>.

If there are any dietary restrictions, add a comment. Excited to see you there!





Creation Kids Club will resume, immediately following church services this Sunday, August 27th. Church this Sunday starts at 10 a.m., is generally an hour and our class runs for 45 minutes. If you do not attend church, you may want to arrive a little early since church sometimes finishes early.

We will begin by learning about The Fruits of the Spirit. Each week we will concentrate on one "fruit." As always, we will be using the arts to learn. We stock the Blessing Box at the end of each class, so please remember to send items in for this purpose.

When preparing the lesson each week, it is helpful to know how many children will be there. I try to send an email each week with information about the lesson. If you know that your child will not be in attendance, please respond to the email to let me know.

If you plan to attend classes this year, please fill out this form for each child.

Please save containers for Laughing Cow Cheese and drop them off at the church.



We will be resuming Faith Matters Sunday School Class this Sunday, August 27th in the beach room. We will be studying the beatitudes on RightNow media by Matt Chandler. In this 8 week study, we will be diving into the beatitudes and what it means to live in the kingdom of God.





Flowers for the Sanctuary

We encourage everyone to bring your own fresh flowers or silk arrangement. Sign up here!



Jules Kucklick 8/27 Roy Owens 8/28



Coffee Fellowship Helpers in August:

August 27 - Wilma Deddish



The Greeters this Sunday are:

Charles Truluck, Becky Linnville, Anna Linnville

Please be in prayer for:

Juliana Hudnall & family (Margie Wilkerson), John & Betty DeVane, David Warren (Susan Brown), Jerome Sloane (Rieko Sloane), Kathy Chessman, Elsie Clees, Mike & Wilma Deddish, John & Beverly O'Brien, Nelson Springer, Charles Truluck, Lois Amos, Marg

Mills, Tommy & Sue Mathews, Rosemarie DeGroot, Virginia Thomas, The Woods Family.

Special Events:

August 26th - S.T.E.P.S. at Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church

August 27th - The Journey

August 27th - Creation Kids Club

September 10th - Worship in the Park

September 20th - Church on Wednesday

September 21st & 22nd - Backpack Buddies

October 18th - Church on Wednesday

October 19th & 20th - Backpack Buddies

October 28th - Fall Festival and Family Retreat

November 5th - Consecration Sunday and Thanks-a-Brunch!

November 15th - Church on Wednesday

November 16th & 17th - Backpack Buddies

November 25th - Greening of the Sanctuary

December 9th - Decorating the Chrismon Tree

December 10th - Outdoor Tree Lighting & Concert

December 20th - Church on Wednesday

December 24th - Christmas Eve evening worship service

Weekly:

Coffee Fellowship

Flowers for the Sanctuary

James Island Outreach food delivery

Monthly:

Lunch Bunch (first Tuesday)

Presbyterian Women Morning Circle (third Tuesday) starting again in September

Church on Wednesday (third Wednesday)

Men's Breakfast (first & third Thursday)

Book Club (third Sunday)

James Island Outreach Food Pantry Volunteer Team



You may give online **here**.

Sign in to Church Life and access the Church Directory <u>here</u>. See a list of the HVPC Session members and email addresses <u>here</u>.



"Sharing God's Love with All"
- Mark 12:31

<u>Mission Statement</u>: Harbor View Presbyterian is a neighborhood church that fosters relationships through worship and fellowship, spreads love through outreach, and seeks to create a spiritual environment for lifelong learning.

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