

SERMON NOTES

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HARBOR CHURCH

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA (PCA)



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2026

We are a family of God, bound together to glorify and enjoy Him forever. We do this by sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ, strengthening each other in Him, and showing Him to our community and the world.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Psalm 119:89-94

Forever, O LORD, your word is firmly fixed in the heavens.

Your faithfulness endures to all generations; You have established the earth, and it stands fast.

By your appointment they stand this day, for all things are your servants. If your law had not been my delight, I would have perished in my affliction. I will never forget your precepts, for by them you have given me life.

I am yours; save me, for I have sought your precepts.

WE ASK GOD TO BE WITH US

The Lord's Prayer

...Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen."

Worship Christ The Risen King

WE CONFESS OUR SINS PUBLICLY AND SILENTLY

Loving heavenly Father, forgive us for our selfish desire to have others serve us, and for our love of power and influence. You call us to be servants who lovingly pour out our lives for those around us. Lord, our hearts are deceitful, desperately wicked, and relentlessly self-focused. When we do honor, care for, and serve others, we secretly hope that people are watching and noticing so that our humility will be applauded and praised. As a result, our best acts of love toward others are often actually directed toward ourselves, as we use them to impress you and build our résumés before a watching world. Forgive us for our very deep sinfulness.

Barbara R. Duguid and Wayne Duguid Houk, *Prone to Wander: Prayers of Confession and Celebration*, ed. Iain M. Duguid (Phillipsburg, NJ: P&R Publishing, 2014), 130.

GOD ASSURES US WE ARE FORGIVEN

Philippians 2:12-13

Blessed Be The Tie That Binds

WE CONFESS OUR FAITH *Westminster Larger Catechism #48*

Q. 48. How did Christ humble himself in his life?

A. Christ humbled himself in his life, by subjecting himself to the law, which he perfectly fulfilled, and by conflicting with the indignities of the world, temptations of Satan, and infirmities in his flesh, whether common to the nature of man or particularly accompanying that his low condition.

Psalm 126

WE READ FROM GOD'S WORD

1 Corinthians 4:10-17

WE PRAY FOR OUR CONGREGATION

Tyler Spry

WE WORSHIP GOD BY GIVING OFFERINGS

Ephesians 2:8-10 Memory Verse Song

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

WE THANK GOD FOR HIS BLESSINGS (DOXOLOGY #731)

WE HEAR FROM GOD'S WORD

Michael Colvard

"Ephesus: When a Leader Leaves"

Acts 20:16-38

GOD FEEDS US IN THE LORD'S SUPPER*

His Glory And My Good

WE RECEIVE GOD'S BLESSING OVER US

After the service, an elder and a women's care team representative are available in the front of the sanctuary for prayer.

**Bread is gluten/dairy free*

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