

Welcome to
Harper Christian Church
October 4th 2020

9:00—OPEN PRAYER MEETING West overflow room

9:30—ADULT BIBLE STUDY Ed Hughlett, Sr.
"Rebuilding The Gates"

10:30—PRAISE & WORSHIP

- #82—Victory in Jesus
- #667—Jesus Saves
- We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise
- Above All Else
- Open Our Eyes

ANNOUNCEMENTS & PRAYER

DAILEY & VINCENT "When I Reach That Home Up There"

THE MESSAGE Pastor Ed Hughlett
"Faith Over Fear!" 1 Peter 3:14-15

COMMUNION IS AVAILABLE ANYTIME BEFORE OR AFTER THE SERVICE IN THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE AUDITORIUM. PLEASE HONOR SOCIAL DISTANCING GUIDELINES FOR OTHERS WHO MAY HAVE CONCERNS.

AN OFFERING PLATE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE BY ONE OF OUR ELDERS/DEACONS IN THE CHURCH FOYER AFTER THE SERVICE.

If you are a guest, we welcome you to our service and ask that you fill out the perforated portion of this bulletin and place it in the offering plate when it is passed. Our greatest desire is for you to have a personal, spiritual relationship with Jesus Christ. He is our only hope for experiencing God's forgiveness for sin (John 3:16) and the joy that can be ours in this life (Romans 14:17).

If we can help you with any physical or spiritual need, feel free to contact us at 620-896-2461.

OCTOBER

TODAY*If there is one emotion that any normal human is struggling with in America about now, it is the emotion of **FEAR**. It can creep up on you when turning on the TV, the car radio, the internet, walking in a convenience store of large city, . . . or it can happen just thinking about the future of our country whether or not Joe Biden gets elected or the president retains his office. It would be fair to say there is a climate of fear in our nation (even among Christians) and for our future as has never been before.

It is in a very similar climate that the apostle Peter is writing the text I've chosen for today. When Peter says: "Have no fear of them, nor be troubled" He is writing to believers who are in the shadow of Nero's horrible persecution of first-century Christians.

Thankfully, we have a promise from the very lips of our Savior which says, "I have told you these things, so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world."

Wed **Youth Group** in the Fellowship Hall, 6:30—8 pm.

Sat **FGBR Open House & Dedication**. See details in the Flyer on the church foyer bulletin board.

Next Sun **Elders/Deacon's Mtg., 6 pm**

Oct 12 Columbus Day

Oct 15 **Ladies Fall Gathering**, 6:30—8:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Please invite your friends. Stay tuned for more information.

Oct 25 **Fall Sunday Sing** during the morning service.

NOVEMBER

Nov 1 Daylight Saving Time ends

Thanksgiving Fellowship Dinner immediately following the service. Everyone welcome to attend. There will be more than enough food.

Nov 3 ELECTION DAY. DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!!

Nov 8 **Elders/Deacon's Mtg., 6 pm**

Nov 11 Veteran's Day

Nov 22 **Annual Hanging of the Greens** immediately following the service

Nov 26 **Thanksgiving Day**

*We are in day 11 of a **40-day church prayer journey** for our leaders, our presidential election and the future of our country. The promise of God's blessing and guidance is given to each of us when we humble ourselves and come to Him in prayer. Let us claim this promise together in His Name! The "**If My People**" daily prayer guide is available for free at the back of the auditorium.

Soul-Care

If you have questions about God, need spiritual guidance or would just like to pray with someone, please contact one of our prayer partners after the service. They will be located in the back of the auditorium (Northwest corner room). They have been praying for you to contact them even before today's service.

Prayer partners are especially for those who have questions about Salvation (becoming a Christ-follower), Baptism, or becoming a part of our church family.

For a digital PDF or hard copy of today's message send an email request to harpercc@hotmail.com or call and leave a request at (620) 896-2461.

Restrooms, Nursery (for pre-school and under) and **Cry Room** (for mothers with active children) are located downstairs. This area provides closed circuit video broadcast of the service.

Please silence your **cell phone**.



For **hearing assistance** contact the control booth in the back of the auditorium for a personal receiver. The system is ADA compatible for hearing aids with a telephone coil (T-Switch).