

Welcome to
Harper Christian Church

August 8th, 2021

9:00—OPEN PRAYER MEETING..... West overflow room

9:30—AUDITORIUM BIBLE CLASS.....Ed Hughlett, Sr.

10:30—PRAISE & WORSHIP

- Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee
- My Wonderful Lord
- How Great is Our God
- Lord You Are So Precious To Me
- Your Grace Still Amazes Me

COMMUNION..... Ed Hughlett, Sr.

- His Name is Wonderful

We believe that Communion should be open to any Christian, guest or church member, who shows proper appreciation for the significance of the body and blood of Christ and who is not living in willful disobedience to God (1 Corinthians 11:27-30). As the communion trays are passed, we invite you to partake of the bread before passing the tray on. Then when receiving the cup, partake of its contents and place the empty cup back in the tray.

THE MESSAGE Pastor Ed Hughlett
“Being Self-Controlled in a Self-Indulgent World”

IF YOU PREFER, COMMUNION IS ALSO AVAILABLE ANYTIME BEFORE OR AFTER THE SERVICE IN THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE AUDITORIUM. PLEASE HONOR SOCIAL DISTANCING GUIDELINES FOR OTHERS WHO MAY HAVE CONCERN.

AN OFFERING PLATE IS AVAILABLE FOR YOUR TITHES & OFFERINGS AT THE BACK OF THE AUDITORIUM.

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. 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, emotional or spiritual need, feel free to contact us at 620-896-2461.

AUGUST

{communion preparation: Laura Longbine-Ray}

TODAY.... In this study on “**The Fruit of the Spirit**,” we learned that **Love** is acting in the interest of others, no matter who they are, how we feel, or what it costs. **Joy** is taking delight in each other as we become the people God created us to be. **Peace** is enjoying harmony and unity, in spite of our differences. **Patience** is offering each other time and space for God to do a fresh work in our lives. **Kindness** and **Goodness** involve softening the world’s harshness in simple and practical ways. **Faithfulness** is keeping our word to one another, even when it’s difficult. **Gentleness** is giving up the need to control people and instead trusting them to God. Let’s turn our attention to the last one in the list: **self-control**. *What is it? Why is it so important? And how do we get it?*

Tue..... **Senior Fellowship Mtg.**, 10 am in the Fellowship Hall

Wed-Sat .. **Harper County Fair**

Wed..... **No Youth Group** this week in lieu of our County Fair.

Thu..... **Ed & Wanda Hughlett’s 60th wedding anniversary.** If you would like to participate in their **CARD SHOWER**, cards may be sent to: 406 N. Jefferson Ave., Anthony, KS 67003.

Next Sun.. **Dr. Mike Sullivan** and his wife Nina will be in our services. You won’t want to miss this important message from 1 Corinthians on how Christians can be encouraged even in these troubling times. The title of his message, **“WHAT IN THE WORLD IS GOING ON HERE?”**

Aug 22..... **Elders/Deacons Meeting**, 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Aug 24..... **Senior Fellowship Mtg.**, 10 am in the Fellowship Hall



Notes

More space available on the back of the Prayer List Insert

A **Keurig** is available downstairs for hot coffee or tea. It is located just outside the kitchen. We ask that only adults bring beverages in to the auditorium and only then with lids. **NO FOOD** should be in the auditorium at anytime. Thank you.

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).