



ORDER OF DIVINE WORSHIP

July 24, 2016

Enter to Worship-Depart to Serve



**Welcome to Harkers Island UMC
This Sunday Morning as we
Celebrate Our LORD JESUS CHRIST!**

We are very happy YOU are here!

**Today First Friday Fellowship,
Pastor Brad and others will lead us in
worship.
The order of service and worship music
lyrics will be shared on the screen.**

Call to Worship: *“Mighty to Save”* FFF

Opening Hymn: *“Victory in JESUS”*

Anthem: *“Bless the LORD O My Soul”* FFF

Closing Hymn: *“Turn Your Eyes Upon JESUS”*

Go in Peace.

*“May the sun shine all day long,
Everything go right and nothing wrong.
May those you love, bring love back to you.
May all the wishes you wish come true,
And I pray, **GOD BLESS YOU!**”*

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**Prayer Concerns**  
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Our Country & Military
UMC Church Leaders
David Jones & Family
James Hamilton
Trudie Willis Ashley
Ed & Donna Paylor
Wanda Willis
Joe Morris
Kim Naples
Mary Elza Gillikin
Edna Davis
Elva Mae Johnson
Mary Williams
Barbara Ammons
Janice Conway
Edna Chappell
Jan Gillikin
Meg & London Tudor
Randolph Grady
Billy & Patsy Taylor
Jimmy Gillikin
Saundra Gillikin
Martha Salter
Lisa Register
Ray & Gigi Scharf
Rosa Stryon
Charlene Eaton
Matt Koegler
Debbie Grady
Sheri Lowe

The Family Of:
Faye Hamilton
Sue Tyner

Granddaughter of
Mrs Edna Chappell
Jamison the
Granddaughter of
Mrs. Donna Paylor

**MYF Meetings each
Wednesday Night at 5:30-
7:00 PM**

**(see Cindy Baum or Pastor Brad
for more information)**

Upcoming Events July 2016		
Tues 26th	Food Pantry at Harkers Island Fire Station	12:00 Noon
Wed 27th	MYF Meeting	5:30 PM
	Wednesday Night Church Service	6:30 PM
Upcoming Events in August 2016		
Tues 2nd	Finance Committee Meeting at HIUMC	7:00 PM
Wed 3rd	Wednesday Night Inspiring Christian Movie that will bless You. Popcorn, snacks, and soft drinks too! The entire movie will be shown starting at 5:30PM in Church Fellowship Hall	5:30 PM
Thur 4th	Charge Conference at HIUMC	6:30PM

**Backpack
Blessings Returns!**
Date and Location to
be Announced

VISITOR RESPONSE

*We are glad you are
here today!*

Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

Zip Code _____

Phone () _____

Email _____

Age Group:

___ 0-6 years ___ 7-12 years
___ 13-18 years ___ 19-25 years
___ 26-35 years ___ 36-50 years
___ 51-64 years ___ 65+ years

Please check one:

___ First time guest
___ Returning guest
___ Active in other church

I am:

___ Looking for a church
family to be with regular.
___ Just visiting

___ I would invite the pastor
to call me when convenient.
(Can be about anything, does not
have to be about church member-
ship etc. We are happy to be a lov-
ing family and helpful if we can .

Please place in offering plate.

PRAYER REQUEST

We will be glad to join with you
in prayer...

Please write your request and
place it in the offering plate.

Requested

by: _____

Date: _____

____ I would like someone to
contact me to pray over
more confidential matters.

Phone:



All praise to GOD, the FATHER of our LORD JESUS CHRIST. GOD is our merciful FATHER and the source of all comfort. HE comforts us in all our troubles so that we can comfort others. When they are troubled, we will be able to give them the same comfort GOD has given us.

2 Corinthians 1:3-4

We as a church family recently watched the movie "Risen". There is a very powerful scene near the end of this movie where a non-believer, a Roman Tribune named Clavius, had an opportunity to talk face to face with JESUS, after CHRIST had risen from the dead. We can only imagine what that day will be like when each of us have that opportunity to talk face to face with JESUS - but what a day that will be!

I have heard many people say they have thought about what that conversation will be like and what they will say to and ask JESUS. I admit I too have thought about meeting JESUS and what I will say and do.

The question I have heard repeated most often, that people want to ask JESUS is - "why do bad things happen to good people?"

We may never know the ultimate reason why GOD allows "bad things" such as disappointment, frustration and suffering to occur to "good people" on this side of heaven, but one thing is certain, when we go through such difficulties, there is a definite purpose awaiting us down the road. From this Bible verse above, we know that when we have terrible, horrible, no good, very bad days, it equips us to help someone down the road who is going through the same stuff!

Think about it...when you have been down about life, how amazing is it to meet and connect with someone who cannot only sympathize, but empathize as well. No two trials are exactly the same, but what a blessing it has been to me to hear from someone who has walked the same road of trial, and come through it. And when they share their story with me, it helps heal the painful memories in their lives, as well.

My prayer is that when you experience "bad things in life" that you turn and talk with JESUS and that rather than question why did HE allow these things to happen, you draw closer to HIM and you pray that HE reveals to you how you can take these experiences to help, to comfort—to LOVE others, who may experience the same or worse. GOD Bless!

Giving for July 2016 (Thank You for your prayers, gifts & service)

Wk 1	Wk 2	Wk 3	Wk 4	(Wk 5)	Total
5,574.00	2,605.00	2,603.56			

Please visit our website www.harkersislandumc.com

Weekly Services

~Sunday~

Pre-SS Fellowship 9:30

Sunday School 9:45

Worship Service 11:00

~Wednesday~

Prayer/Bible Study 6:30

Children's Ministry 5:30

Choir Practice 7:30

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