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“The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.”
Matthew 9:36-38



FROM PASTOR RALPH...



We have two awesome opportunities coming up! On Sunday night, July 15, *Harvest Youth Conference* begins and goes through Wednesday night. This is our biggest youth event of the year — the one time when we stop all other groups and events and put the entire focus of our church on our students. We expect several hundred students each night and are expecting great things.

Pray for our students and for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Pray for them to give everything to God and to choose to follow Him. Pray for the speaker to clearly communicate the truth. Invite students 7th-12th grade to come! Try to attend some of the services (at 6pm each evening) and help out if you can. It takes a lot of people to pull off this event, so sign up at www.HarvestDothan.com/HYC or call the church office to volunteer.

It's a tremendously fun week, so ask any middle school and high school students you know to join in! Pray for great things.

The other great opportunity for outreach and for reaching the community is our *testimony project* starting this week. We're creating a website (trulylife.org) that will feature a new testimony each month, and we'll be promoting them through social media and TV commercials. Be sure to share the 60 second video (Facebook: Harvest Church-Dothan | Instagram: @harvestchurch_dothan). In addition to watching the testimony videos, people will also be given the opportunity to give their lives to Christ right there on the website. Check out trulylife.org!

There are people who are out there and open right now to hearing about the hope we have in Jesus, who are hungry for love, and who are desperate for answers and for purpose. Pray for God to speak through these video stories to people who are open. Pray for the Lord to prepare them to listen and that He will draw them to find out more.

You can play an important role in all this. You can pray, share, and invite people to church. *This is a great month to see people come to life in Christ!*

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

DAVID BEATY
Congregational Care
Associate Pastor

KEITH FRITH
Small Groups Pastor

RUSTY FRITH
Director of Worship &
Performing Arts Academy

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Assistant Pastor

ANDREW KENNEY
Associate Student Pastor

ROY ROGERS
Congregational Care
Pastor

**MICHAEL "SCHMITTY"
SCHMITZ**
Assistant Pastor

CHARLENE SCRIBNER
Children's Director

JOEL SIGLER
Youth Pastor

RALPH SIGLER
Founding & Lead Pastor

SANDY UHLER
Ministry Teams Director



HARVEST CHURCH YOUTH CONFERENCE 2018

JULY 15:16:17:18

SUN-WED | 6-10PM MATT ANZIVINO BROTHERSxSISTERS
WWW.HARVESTDOTHAN.COM/HYC

All students 7th-12th grade are invited!
Evening sessions are Sunday-Wednesday from 6-10pm
with worship, teaching, snacks, and big group games.
Invite your friends! **All students must register for the
conference and fill out a game release form online at
WWW.HARVESTDOTHAN.COM/HYC.**

ADULT VOLUNTEERS: It takes an army of volunteers
each year to make our Harvest Youth Conference
successful. We would love for you to be a part of what
God is doing in our youth this summer. Sign up online!
*Visit our website for speaker bios, a full conference
schedule, game locations, and more.*

ATTENDANCE

JUNE 17	1,520
8:45	770
10:45	750
<i>LiveStream</i>	128
JUNE 24	1,500
8:45	697
10:45	803
<i>LiveStream</i>	169
JULY 1	1,552
8:45	686
10:45	866
<i>LiveStream</i>	142

SERVE DAY: AUGUST 4

In March, over 200 joined us to bless our community with the love of Jesus on our first Serve Day! Our next Serve Day will be Saturday, August 4, from 8am-noon. **Join the August Serve Day event by visiting our NEW Serve Day website at www.HarvestDothan.com/SERVE.** You can preview Serve Day projects, download the app, join a project team, or submit/create a project. We're excited about this new platform that will engage more Serve Team members and bless even more people in our community. For more information or support, send an email to serve@harvestdothan.com.

FALL RENEWAL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 7-9

Save the date! Guest speaker: Bill Kierce.

GROUP LIFE

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OPEN SMALL GROUP

Open Small Group starts back on **Wednesday, July 11, at 6:45pm in the Worship Center**. We would love to have you join us! This is a great opportunity to learn, encourage, and grow with others! We have childcare available and activities for children of all ages on Wednesday nights.

DISCERNING THE VOICE OF GOD

Women's Group

Ladies, do you find yourself loving God and longing to hear His voice? We invite you to join us on **Wednesdays at 6:30pm in Fellowship Hall A** for *Discerning the Voice of God*. During this time we will discover the root to clear and daily communication with God. Learn how surrender unlocks His many blessings intended for us and how it centers us in His will and helps us to discern His voice in everyday life. Childcare will be available.

YOUTH CONFERENCE

Please note: Small groups will not meet during the Harvest Youth Conference (**July 15-18**). We encourage groups to attend the conference together. To sign up to volunteer or for more info, visit www.HarvestDothan.com/HYC.

NEW MEN'S GROUPS

We are in the process of forming some new men's accountability groups in the coming weeks. If you are interested in joining, please email grouplife@harvestdothan.com.

SINGLE MOMS OF HARVEST

Whether new to single-parenting or seasoned, let us help you take the next step in building a stronger foundation with lasting memories as you parent your children. Single Moms of Harvest offers support for you as you walk through all seasons of life. Join us on **Wednesdays at 6:45pm in Room 208**.

HARVEST WORSHIP & PERFORMING ARTS

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ACOUSTIC GUITAR CLASS

Starting **Sunday, July 29, at 5pm in Meeting Room 3** of the new building (2nd floor), we will be offering a weekly acoustic guitar class called "Fast Track Series: Acoustic Guitar for Modern Worship." You don't have to have any previous knowledge of the guitar to take this class. If you're new to guitar or wanting to learn how to play, we invite you to join us! You will learn about music notation, tablature, chords, riffs, and much more. For more information or to sign up, please email grouplife@harvestdothan.com. Childcare will be available.

CHOIR SUMMER BREAK

The adult choir will not meet during the month of July. They will start back on **August 5 at 5:15pm in Room 205**.

MINISTRY TEAMS

Sandy Uhler | Director of Ministry Teams
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CHILL & GRILL

The Men of Harvest will be having a cookout on **Friday, July 27, at 6pm**. This is a great opportunity for men to connect, build community, and have fun! We invite all guys ages 14 and up to join us for dinner and fellowship. Guest Speaker: Pastor Ralph. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall (first floor of the new building). Suggested donation: \$10.

NEXT STEPS

Sunday, July 22, during both services. We invite you to take your *Next Step* in learning more about the unique gifts and talents the Lord has given you to serve in ministry. Ministry team leaders will be available in the main lobby, Education Building, and Worship Center balcony to help you connect to ministry here at Harvest. Come experience the joy of serving!

5TH SUNDAY TEAMS

Our Sunday morning teams are based on a 4-week rotation, but this month we have a 5th Sunday. There are several open serving opportunities. If you're available, email ministryteams@harvestdothan.com or write "5th Sunday Team" on the back of your communication card on Sunday morning.

SERVE DAY

Saturday, August 4, 8am-noon. Meet in the Worship Center. Join us as we gather teams together to go out into our community and show the love of Christ in real and tangible ways. Sign up today and get the app! Visit www.HarvestDothan.com/Serve for more info.



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JOIN US ON FACEBOOK
Harvest Church Ministry Teams (email us with a request to be added)

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

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CHILDREN'S BAPTISMS

The following children were baptized on Sunday, July 8:

- Shyla & Tarver Brown (parent: Delila Gualdarama)
- Ezekiel Cordero (parent: Wendy Cordero)
- Gavin & Westin Grubbs (parents: Wesley & Shealee Grubbs)
- Samuel Johnson (parents: Justin and Katherine Johnson)
- Micah Meuli (parents: Adam & Sarah Meuli)

- Jevier Mullins (parents: Harvey and Soungia Mullins)
- Marilyn Newman (parent: La'Shanda Newman)
- Jazzlyn White (parent: La'Shanda Newman)
- Solomon Williams (parent: Wendy Cordero)

BIRTHS

- Denver Gooden (daughter of Shereka Gilmore and Dominick Gooden) was born on June 23.
- Evelyn Kate Tindell (daughter

of Adam and Elizabeth Tindell) was born on June 28.

BEREAVEMENTS

Please be in prayer for the following people:

- Barbara Erwin and family during the loss of her father, Richard Travallee.
- Brandon Livingston, Haydyn Watson, and family during the loss of their infant daughter, Lynleigh Anne Livingston

HARVEST KIDS

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BISCUITS BASEBALL GAME

The 5th and 6th graders are taking a trip to see the Montgomery Biscuits baseball game on **Sunday, July 22**. Cost: \$25. We will leave from Harvest at 2pm and return at about 9:30pm. Dinner provided at the game. Don't forget to wear sunscreen! Sign up online at www.HarvestDothan.com/BiscuitsGame by July 18.

Chick Chat

All preteen (4th-6th grade) girls and their moms are invited to join us for our annual Chick Chat Conference on **Friday, August 31, from 6-9pm in the Worship Center**. There will be a guest speaker, a time of worship led by an "all chick" band, styling tips, a fashion show, gift bags, and more! Register online at www.HarvestDothan.com/ChickChat (\$20 registration fee).

DREAM TEAM MEMBERS NEEDED

"If the church is going to win the hearts of the

next generation, it must fight to connect every child with an adult who is eager to care, love, and share." Is this you? Contact us at kids@harvestdothan.com to join our team!

WELCOME SCHMITTY

We would like to welcome Michael "Schmittty" Schmitz to our Harvest Kids team! He will be over the preteen ministry (EPIC - 5th and 6th graders - formerly called H56). We are excited about everything God is doing and will continue to do in HK!

KZ (K-4th grade)

Sundays at 8:45 & 10:45am in room B-210

XK (K-4th grade)

Wednesdays at 6:30pm in room B-210

EPIC (5th-6th grade)

Wednesdays at 6:30pm in room B-108



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text "@harvkids" to 81010 for k-4th grade info
text "@site56" to 81010 for 5th/6th grade info



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NOAH'S PARK

Bonnie West | Nursery & Preschool Coordinator
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Dear Noah's Park Team Member,

In case you've ever wondered about the significance of your investment in our precious little ones, consider the words of our Lord Jesus Christ. In Mark 9:37, He said, "Anyone who welcomes a little child like this on my behalf welcomes me, and anyone who welcomes me welcomes not only me but also my Father who sent me."

Week after week, this is what YOU do. Thank you for your heart to serve and everything you do to bless so many!



WEDNESDAY NIGHT HY SERVICES

6:45-8:15PM IN THE YOUTH ROOM | WORSHIP & TEACHING

SPORTS & SWIM

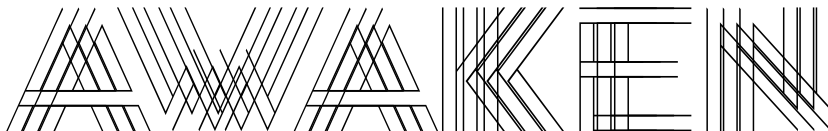
Join us on July 13 and 27 from 10am-2pm as we play sports and go swimming! Bring \$3 for pizza, and please wear shorts and a shirt over your swimsuit. Drop off and pick up locations: July 13 - Harvest. July 27 - the Davis's house.

AFTERGLOW

Stick around after our youth service on July 11 and 25 for Afterglow (games and hanging out) from 8-9:30pm. See your Summer calendar for details.

MOTION X

July 26- 28 in Birmingham, AL. Cost: \$175. This is a *high school only* conference at Church of the Highlands. \$75 deposit due ASAP (deadline was July 1); remaining balance due by July 19.



HARVEST YOUTH CONFERENCE 2018

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Our biggest youth event of the year starts this Sunday!

Guest Speaker: Matt Anzivino. Worship led by: Brothers x Sisters.

All students 7th-12th grade are invited! Evening sessions are Sunday-Wednesday from 6-10pm with worship, teaching, snacks, and big group games. Invite your friends! Lunch sessions are Monday-Wednesday from 11:30am-1pm in the Youth Room.

All students must register for the conference and fill out a game release form. Visit www.HarvestDothan.com/HYC for registration, speaker bios, conference schedule, game locations, and more!



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SPOTLIGHT ON MISSIONS

HOW YOUR GIVING IS CHANGING THE WORLD

Your contributions to Harvest Church go to support missions organizations like **Ethnos360**. The following is from Marc and Alison Keeton's newsletter. The Keeton family is working with Ethnos360 to plant a church in New Guinea.

We are so excited to announce that we got our Green Light Letter from Ethnos360, meaning that we are approved to travel to Papua New Guinea and begin our ministry there! Thank you so much to all of our prayer warriors and financial supporters!

We are now in the process of preparing to leave for the field. Our departure date is July 24, just a few short weeks away! We appreciate your prayers as there are lots of details to work through, like purchasing our plane tickets, getting some needed immunizations, and packing all of our belongings — packing our suitcases, packing a shipment of some things to send over, and packing what will go into storage while we are gone. We also have church visits almost every weekend between now and our departure, some to new churches to share our ministry and others to those that already support us that asked us to come again before we leave for the field. Life will be busy, but we are so excited to be at this point and to see what God will do as we prepare to leave.

Thank you, again, to all who have prayed and given to see this happen! We could not even imagine doing this job without you, and we feel so blessed to have a great team and a great God with us every step of the way! Our God is so good, so gracious to provide what we need in His timing! So many times in life we expect God to work in OUR timing and in OUR way, but over and over again He shows us that is not His way, as He reveals His good and perfect plan for our lives.

*Serving together,
Marc and Alison Keeton*

ONLINE GIVING

If you prefer to give your tithes and offerings online, we have several options available. 1) Go to our website (harvestdothan.com) and click on "Online Giving." 2) Download our church app on your mobile device and follow the directions for giving. 3) Scan the QR code on the back of the announcement sheet on Sunday mornings. 4) Send your contribution through your online banking. *Please note: With a church our size, there are often duplicate names in our data base. So if you are giving a CASH contribution and using an offering envelope, please write your name and address on the envelope so we can make sure all contributions are posted to the correct individual/family. Thank you for your heart of obedience to give.*



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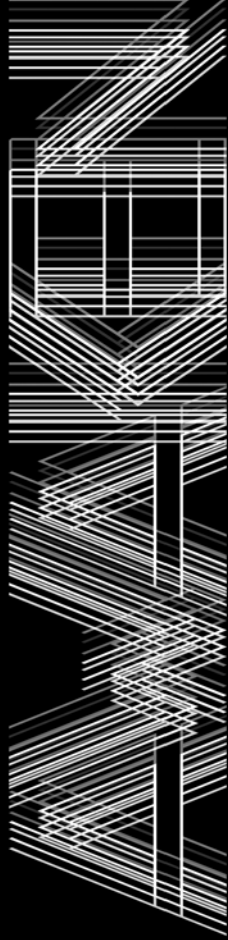
Guest Wi-Fi at Harvest

Network name: Harvest Public Password: praisehim!



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FOR CONFERENCE DETAILS
AND REGISTRATION

[See Pages 2 & 6]

WORSHIPING ON SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 8:45 & 10:45AM