



## HARVEST HAPPENINGS

APRIL 12, 2026

### 2026 Ministry Theme: In His Presence

Let the godly rejoice. Let them be glad in God's presence. Let them be filled with joy. Sing praises to God...Sing loud praises... His name is the Lord—rejoice *in his presence!* (Psalm 68:3-4, NLT)

**Women's Ministry Trip:** Let's Go Shopping! On Saturday, April 18th, the ladies will be going to Hamrick's for a shopping spree. From there, we will stop for lunch and then head home. The bus will be leaving the church at 9:30 a.m. and returning around 2:00 p.m. Come join us for a day of bargains, food, and fellowship. Sign up sheet is on the information wall. Questions? See Linda Jordan.

**Alamance District Revival:** April 20th-22nd, 7:00 p.m. nightly @ West Burlington Church of God, Guest speaker - Rev Matt Gunter.

**Frontline Outreach Event:** Saturday, April 25th, 12:00 p.m., Mebane Dogwood Festival, on the Main Stage located at 4th St Downtown Mebane. Parking anywhere you can find a space. Come early and be prepared to walk!

**Pastor Appreciation Sunday: SAVE THE DATE!** Sunday, May 3rd. Lunch will be served following AM service. We invite everyone to stay and enjoy a meal as we celebrate.

**Church Library: Did you know?** We have a church library here at HHC filled with books to help you with your Bible study. There are reference books, commentaries, and many translations of the Bible. Also there are books by such authors as Max Lucado, Chuck Swindoll, Charles Stanley, and many others. The library is located to the right as you come into the sanctuary. If you are interested in checking out books or have any questions, see Dale Lowe.

### **PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES**

**Pre-Service Prayer**  
Each Sunday, 10:00 AM, Church Library

**War Room Prayer Service**  
Each Sunday, 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

## **Psalm 97** The Message

God rules: there's something to shout over!  
On the double, mainlands and islands—celebrate!

<sup>2</sup> Bright clouds and storm clouds circle 'round him;  
Right and justice anchor his rule.

<sup>3</sup> Fire blazes out before him,  
Flaming high up the craggy mountains.

<sup>4</sup> His lightnings light up the world;  
Earth, wide-eyed, trembles in fear.

<sup>5</sup> The mountains take one look at God  
And melt, melt like wax before earth's Lord.

<sup>6</sup> The heavens announce that he'll set everything right,  
And everyone will see it happen—glorious!

<sup>7-8</sup> All who serve handcrafted gods will be sorry—  
And they were so proud of their ragamuffin gods!  
On your knees, all you gods—worship him!

And Zion, you listen and take heart!  
Daughters of Zion, sing your hearts out:  
God has done it all, has set everything right.

<sup>9</sup> You, God, are High God of the cosmos,  
Far, far higher than any of the gods.

<sup>10</sup> God loves all who hate evil,  
And those who love him he keeps safe,  
Snatches them from the grip of the wicked.

<sup>11</sup> Light-seeds are planted in the souls of God's people,  
Joy-seeds are planted in good heart-soil.

<sup>12</sup> So, God's people, shout praise to God,  
Give thanks to our Holy God!

## Mission Statement

Harvest Hills Church of God is a life situation, worship centered, Spirit-filled congregation committed to Exalting Christ, Equipping believers and Expanding the kingdom.

## Today's Sermon

Title:

Scripture:

Main Ideas:

I.

II.

III.

IV.

How can I apply today's sermon in my daily life?



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**Food Pantry Ministry:** Inflation, government shutdown, family crisis; no matter what situation comes our way, God is with us through it all. Thank you for your faithfulness and for remembering the food pantry ministry with your prayers and donations. If you know someone who is in need of food, please call Bill or Pat Brown at 336-222-9034

**Allied Churches:** Please continue to bring supplies to donate to Allied Churches. Currently they are in need of paper products( paper towels, toilet tissue, Kleenex, napkins, etc.) and cleaning products (pine sol, spray cleaners, etc.). Place your donations next to the table in the foyer.

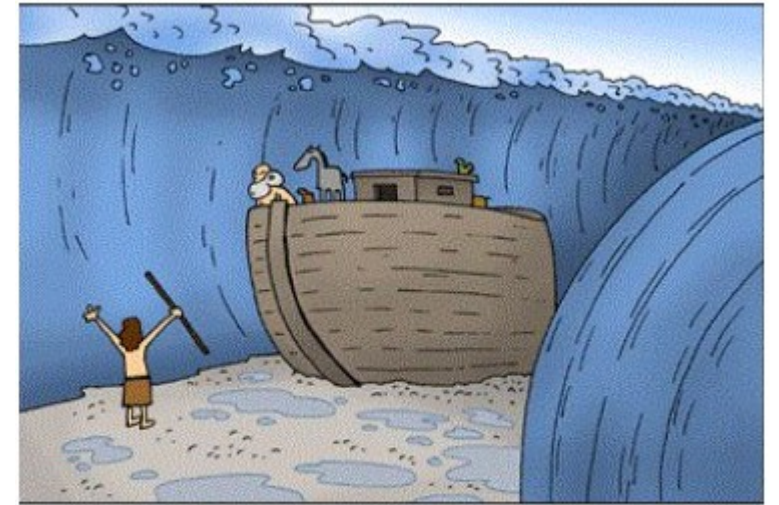
**LIFE Sessions:** Join us each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. for an in-depth study of the Bible. Handouts available each session. Kids/Teens classes also available.

**Rooted Young Adults Bible Study:** Join us for a small group Bible study for high school grads - 30s. First & Third Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. See Angela Williamson or Matt Auton for more information.

**e-Prayer:** If you would like to be a part of the e-Prayer team and receive prayer request and praise report notifications, please contact Dale Lowe. She will add your name to the list. Send all prayer concerns to Dale Lowe, e-Prayer coordinator at [hhcogepayer@gmail.com](mailto:hhcogepayer@gmail.com). The prayer concerns will then be forwarded to the e-Prayer team. When prayer concerns are received, please read and pray over each one.

**Read Through the New Testament in 2026:** One chapter each week day, New Living Translation. Reading Plans are on the information wall in the foyer.

**Offering \* Tithes \* Donations:** Give online at [www.harvesthills.com](http://www.harvesthills.com). Click ONLINE GIVING, top right corner.



**Moses and Noah having an argument**



**"I don't care if it IS the latest translation, if it starts with 'Once upon a time' I'm not using it!"**