## SIGN UP IN THE LOBBY TODAY FOR:

### NORTHGATE PARK PROGRAM

During the summer, we provide activities and lunch for children and their families Wednesdays (10am–Noon) at Northgate Park. We still have some volunteer needs this summer. Sign-up for a Wednesday at the counter in the Lobby.

### **BLOOD DRIVE**

This Wednesday, July 14, 1:00–6:00pm

As an outreach to our community, we are hosting a blood drive in partnership with the Red Cross. We are hoping to fill the schedule donations from our church congregation. If you would like to donate blood, sign up in the Lobby or go to RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code: NewHarvest.

### SCIENCE CAMP

Elementary-aged kids are invited to explore the science of color July 19th-21st from 9am-1pm. See the poster in the lobby for more information. Preregistration is required!

#### FOOD BANK

This Saturday, July 17, 9-llam

We recognize the hard work of our team of Food Bank leaders: Steve Entz, Sue Armintrout, Carol Jurgensmeier, Margaret Baily, Becky Wilson, Dave Parsons, Larry Perin, & Jim Martichuski; as well as the volunteers that make this ministry happen two Saturdays a month. Thank you for your service to the Lord.

# CHILD DEDICATION

Sunday, August 8

If you would like to dedicate your child to the Lord on August 8, please let Barry know, or fill out the Child Dedication card found in the Lobby.



## GUESTS & VISITORS

We are delighted you chose to attend our gathering today. Use the Connection Card in the back of the chairs or our online Connection Card (<u>newharvestch.org/connect</u>) to share your prayer requests and to let us know that you joined us today.

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# SUNDAY GATHERING: 10:00 AM

## We were created for connection

# The Problem of Sin

After three Sundays on the inspiring truth about God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, we step down for a look at mankind. The life of mankind is continually affected by sin.

### Genesis 3:1-19

### The Nature of Sin

• Source, • Susceptible, • Self

"There is a way that seems right to a person, but its end is the way of <u>death</u>." Proverbs 14:12

### The Consequence of Sin

- \* "Fig leaves/hid" Fear/Shame
  From Genesis 2:25 to 3:7 . . . cover up
- \* "The woman you put here . . ." <u>Self-Preservation/Blame</u> From Genesis 2:23 to 3:12 . . . everyone for themselves
- \* "The man is united with his wife . . ." <u>Relational Tension/Game</u> From Genesis 2:24 to 3:16 . . . competition
- "Painful birth/painful toil" <u>Pain/Same</u>
   From Genesis 1:30 to 3:17... life is difficult
- \* "To dust you will return" Mortality/Flame From Genesis 2:9 to 3:19 . . . become fertilizer
- \* "The Lord God banished . . ." <u>Separation/Lame</u> From Genesis 2:7 to 3:23 . . . brokenness & frustration
- \* "He will crush your head" Redemption/Name
  The promise of Genesis 3:15

## I John 1:8-2:2

We can respond — confession, honesty and much grace . . .

### Reflective Questions

- I) What food do you find especially tempting?
- 2) What stands out to you from this heavy chapter that still affects us all? How has sin hurt you or others you know?
- 3) The personal application is highlighted in 1 John 1:8—2:2. How are these words challenging? In what ways are they hopeful?