

SUNDAY GATHERING: 10:00 AM WE WERE CREATED FOR CONNECTION

Perpetual Novelty

"Today's man, cut off from the past and from the future, lives through a sequence of discontinuous instants ... Perfect novelty is his oxygen." – Augusto Del Noce

Colossians 3:12-17

P<u>osition</u>

"Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved..." - Colossians 3:12a

P<u>ractice</u>

"Clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience." - Colossians 3:12b

P<u>eople</u>

"Bear with each other and forgive one another..." - Colossians 3:13

P<u>riority</u>

"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus..." - Colossians 3:17

"Discipleship is a <u>long obedience</u> in the <u>same</u> <u>direction</u>." -Eugene Peterson

Discussion Questions

- In your long obedience of following Jesus, what shifts from earthly nature to Christ-like nature have you seen in your life?
- How has "putting on love" helped you bring unity to the body of Christ?
- Has a "quick-fix" mentality hurt your ability to hold fast to Christ over years and decades? How so?

PRAISE & POTLUCK THIS SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 10:00-11:30AM Women are invited to a time of encouragement and connection in the gym. Sign up in the Lobby for Egg dish – Fruit – Pastries.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 13 With cell phones this is not as big of a deal but something to remember. Something else to note, the mask mandate is due to be dropped for indoor church services on March 12th which means masks will be optional at New Harvest.

ZOOM PRAYER

WEDNESDAYS @ 7:00PM

We have been praying for Ukraine and the world crisis. This next Wednesday, you are invited to join the one hour prayer focus, asking God to bring peace to our world. Please let Barry know if you want to join the group for this special prayer time by email (<u>barry@newharvestch.org</u>).

ADOPT-A-STREET SATURDAY,

Saturday, March 26 @ 9:15am

Please mark your calendars for this opportunity to serve our neighborhood by picking up trash on Hawthorne. Sign-ups begin next Saturday.

WAYS TO HELP OUT AT CHURCH ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH

- a. Mowing in the cemetery
- b. Cleaning an area of the building

Write mowing or cleaning on your Connection Card. Or go to <u>http://newharvestch.org/connect</u> and let us know you are interested in one of these ministries.

ONLINE BULLETIN

Next week we will launch our bulletin online. You can preview it this week at <u>newharvestch.org/bulletin</u>.

Welcome

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.