

# Welcome!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we hope you will worship with us again! Please help us get to know you by filling out the pew pad during the welcome.

**Welcome cards** may be used to share requests for prayer, or other information, with the pastor and/or the church.

**The nursery**, for those in kindergarten or younger, is located on the first floor of the sanctuary wing. You may bring your young ones there before or during the service.

**Sunday Experience** is our Sunday morning program for potty-trained preschoolers and K-2nd graders who we walk downstairs to their rooms following the Moment with the Children each Sunday during worship. Parents pick up their children immediately after worship. Children third grade and older stay in worship with a parent. Worship bags are available in the hallway outside the sanctuary.

## CMPC Mission Statement

Grateful to God for his constant loving presence and guided by his Word, we are called to be a people who praise God in worship and in our daily lives, grow Biblically and spiritually in our life together, reach out as witnesses of Jesus Christ, serving those in need, and share Christ's love with one another and everyone we meet.

## Prayer Concerns

**Illness:** Nancy Burroughs, Chuck Ridgeway

**Serving in the Military:** Col. Bryan J. Laske, U.S. Army; Matt Scherr, National Guard; Lt. Michael Thomas, Navy; Ryan Thomas; Sgt. Zachary Thomas; Lt. Jim Six, USAF; Todd Stubbs.

## Staff & Leadership

**Ministers:** Every member of the congregation!

**Pastor:** The Rev. Scott W. Hoffman

**Music Director:** Joy Exner

**Accompanist:** Lorri Yawney

**Communications Coordinator:** Katie Foster

**Preschool Director:** Missy Sullivan

**Facilities and Property Manager:** Tito Baca

**Nursery Attendants:** Laura Holderman, Allison Miller

**Bell Choir Director:** Sally Berlowitz

**Sunday Experience Director:** Jane Preston

**LOGOS Director:** Carrie Jenkins

**Clerk of Session:** Janene Holzberg

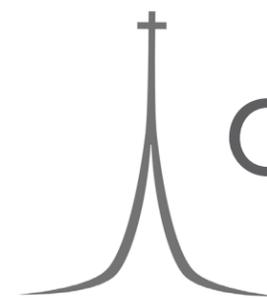
**Moderator of Deacons:** Andrew Exner

**Treasurer:** Tom Mawhinney

**Asst. Treasurer:** Bill Anderson

## Calendar:

<b>Sun 10</b>	10:30	Worship
	12:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21, 22
	1:30	Margaret Smith Memorial Service, Sanctuary
	2:00	Pakistani Worship, FH
	5:00	Second Sunday, Tiffany Carmean's home
<b>Mon 11</b>	9:30	Women's Bible, Committee Rm.
	6:15	Kickboxing, Rm. 18, 21
	7:00	Deacons, FH
<b>Tues 12</b>	9:00	Staff Meeting, Committee Rm.
	11:00	Bible Basics, Committee Rm.
	7:00	Boy Scouts, FH and Lower Level
<b>Wed 13</b>	5:00	LOGOS
	7:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21
	8:00	Bell Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary
<b>Thurs 14</b>	10:00	Shawl Ministry, Committee Rm.
	6:00	CSP371, FH, Lower
	7:30	Choir, Sanctuary
<b>Fri 15</b>	5:00	BSA Camp, FH and downstairs classrooms
<b>Sat 16</b>	<b>BSA Camp, FH and downstairs classrooms</b>	
	12:00	Music Director, Sanctuary
<b>Sun 17</b>	10:30	Worship
	12:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21, 22
	2:00	Pakistani Worship, FH



# Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

**January 10, 2016, 10:30 a.m.**

## Welcome!

(Please turn off cell phones and other electronic devices. Assistive hearing devices are available from the ushers.)

This morning elder Steven Kappes will be at the front of the sanctuary after worship to welcome you and answer questions about our congregation.

\*\*indicates to stand as you are able.

## Order of Worship

**Prelude** *Jesus, Dwell Thou With Us* arr. R. Wilson

### Welcome and Announcements

### Passing of the Peace (L: Leader; P: People)

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

**P: And also with you.**

### \*\*Call to Worship

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L: Arise, shine; for your light has come.

**P: The glory of the Lord has risen upon us.**

L: Come, worship the Lord of glory.

**P: Proclaim God's praise among the nations.**

L: Let us worship God!

### \*\*Hymn – 619

*Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven*

### \*\*Silent Prayer of Confession

### \*\*Common Prayer of Confession

**Merciful God, you have given light to the world in Jesus Christ, but we have preferred to live in darkness. Your justice protects the weak and the distressed, yet we seek the shelter of privilege and power. Your righteousness redeems the poor and the needy, yet we seek the status of wealth and possessions. Your peace upholds the oppressed and the defenseless, yet we seek the security of weapons and retribution. Forgive us our sins, and lead us to true repentance, that we may trust you in all things; through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.**

### \*\*Assurance of Pardon

L: Friends, this is the Good News of the Gospel...

**P: ...in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!**



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Response –150

*As with Gladness Men of Old (verse 4)  
Holy Jesus, every day  
keep us in the narrow way;  
and when earthly things are past,  
bring our ransomed souls at last  
where they need no star to guide,  
where no clouds thy glory hide.*

**Moment with Children**

Children ages preschool—second grade dismissed to Sunday Experience

**Ordination & Installation of Officers**

**Word in Music**

*Home By Another Way*  
Scott Hoffman, solo  
Allen Exner, guitar  
Lorri Yawney, piano

Marilyn Mills

by J. Taylor

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scriptures**

Psalm 72:1-7, 10-14  
Matthew 2: 1-12

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L: The Word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

*Home By Another Way*

Rev. Scott Hoffman

**\*\*Hymn – 152**

*What Star Is This, with Beams So Bright*

**Offertory**

*All Is Well*

arr. L. Larson

**\*\*Doxology –**

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow, praise  
him all crea - tures here be - low; praise  
him a - bove, you heav - en - ly host, praise  
Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost.

**\*\*Hymn – 10**

*Sing Glory to the Name of God*

**\*\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*Raise Now Your Song on High*

arr. C. Saint-Saëns

# Announcements

## Thank You to Our Cold Weather Shelter Volunteers!

On January 4th our guests packed up and moved on to the next church. Thank you to all of our volunteers! The shelter could not happen without the large number of people who worked shifts, provided meals, transportation, and support in so many ways. Each year there are new stories and experiences. Each year we find time to show what it means to be a Christian, to get out of the pew, and to show God's love. A special word of thanks goes to Jane Wall for organizing the shelter!

## Second Sunday for Senior High Girls

**Tonight, January 10th from 5-7:30 p.m. at Tiffany Carmean's home**

All senior high girls are welcome to join us tonight for January's Second Sunday gathering! This month we are having a movie night! Be sure to wear your comfy clothes...or even pajamas! Bring \$5 for pizza and a fun movie snack to share! Please contact Ashlee Hoffman with any questions 412-736-3076 or ashlee\_hoffman@hcpss.org



## 2015 Annual Report Deadline

All submissions for the 2015 Annual Report are due by Friday, January 15th. All questions and submissions can be directed to Katie in the church office.

## Worship with Trinity Presbyterian Church

Trinity Presbyterian church is an historically African-American congregation located in West Baltimore. We are sister churches in the Presbytery of Baltimore. For the last few months members of CMPC have been meeting with members of Trinity to explore the possibilities of a partnership. These have been exciting meetings as we have discussed how the Holy Spirit may be leading our two congregations to partner together in many ministries. The first event we are planning together is a special worship service focused on unity and racial reconciliation. The service has been scheduled for Sunday, January 24th at Trinity Presbyterian (3200 Walbrook Ave, 21216) and everyone is invited. We plan to carpool with anyone from CMPC interested in attending immediately following worship on the 24th. Our brothers and sisters at Trinity are looking forward to greeting us with a delicious lunch and after lunch we will worship.

Please make your plans now to join us for this exciting step forward for both congregations.

If you plan to attend please RSVP to the church office (office@cmpcusa.org) so we can let Trinity know how many folks to expect for lunch.

## January Women for Women: Simplicity in the New Year

**Friday, January 29th at 7:00 p.m. at Maha Davies' home**

Join us for an evening of food, fellowship, as well as discussion on prioritizing and streamlining our lives. Bring your wisdom and leave with ideas from others on ways to make our lives easier- a great topic for a new year! As always, all women of CMPC are welcome. Please RSVP via the January event on Facebook, or by emailing womenforwomen@cmpcusa.org.



## Congregational Birthday Bash

**Sunday, January 31st at 11:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall**

Save the date for CMPC's first Congregational Birthday Bash to be hosted by the Fellowship Committee on Sunday, January 31st! Join us following worship as we celebrate the birthdays of everyone in our church with a pizza and cake party. **We are looking for 12 people to provide a decorated cake, one for each month of the year.** Please contact Cindy Pettit at 410-707-2706 or cindycpettit@gmail.com if you can help.

**Thank you to Neil Danzig for operating the sound board this week!**