

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 friendship pad (located in the pew) during the welcome. Be sure to check out the "New to Us?" card in the pew rack for information about our worship service, children in worship, who we are, and more! Prayer request cards can be found in the pew and are used to share concerns with the prayer chain and/or the pastor.

Prayer Concerns

Illness: Nancy Burroughs, Chuck Ridgeway, Waldo Renich

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: Heather Gallagher

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: Marilyn Mills

Treasurer: Tom Mawhinney

Asst. Treasurer: Bill Anderson

Calendar:

Sun 2	10:30	Worship
	12:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21, 22
	2:00	Pakistani Worship, FH
Mon 3	6:15	Kickboxing Class, Rm. 18 and 21
	6:30	Committee Night, Entire Building
Tue 4	9:00	Staff Meeting, Committee Room
	11:00	Bible Basics, Committee Room
	7:00	Boy Scouts, FH and Downstairs Classrooms
Wed 5	5:00	LOGOS, Entire Building
	7:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21
Thurs 6	10:00	Shawl Ministry, Committee Room
	7:00	Cub Scouts, Downstairs Classrooms
	7:30	Trinity Choir, Sanctuary
Fri 7	6:00	First Fridays, FH and Downstairs Classrooms
Sat 8	12:00	Music Director, Sanctuary
	5:00	Private Event, FH and Kitchen



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Worship Music this Week

The tune for the prelude, *Come, All Christians, Be Committed*, was composed in 1844 by Benjamin White. There are several hymn texts that use his tune, *Beach Spring*, including *God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending*, and *Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken*. The words for this version call for us to be committed to the service of the Lord and to tune our hearts to Him to be transformed "with life anew."

The Word in Music for World Communion Sunday, *Come to the Table, Come to the Lord*, encourages us to come and be blessed, to bring Him our worship and praise, and for all who are weary to find rest and be restored. The table is "God's gift of grace."

The offertory piece, *Seek Ye First*, was written by Karen Lafferty in 1971 after she attended a Bible study that focused on the book of Matthew. She based the first verse on Matthew 6:33: But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you. The words to the first verse (#175 in our hymnal) are: "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and its righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto. Allelu, alleluia!"

The music during communion is a piano arrangement by composer Lloyd Larson that combines three separate pieces: two Chris Tomlin songs - *Holy Is the Lord*, which continues, . . . "The earth is filled with His glory" and *We Fall Down* . . . "We lay our crowns at the feet of Jesus. The greatness of his mercy and love at the feet of Jesus. We cry holy, holy, holy. We cry holy, holy, holy. We cry holy, holy, holy, is the lamb." The third addition to the arrangement is *Be Still and Know*, taken from Psalm 46:10: Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth.

The postlude, *Happy is He Whose Transgressions are Forgiven*, is an original composition by Jon Spong based on Psalm 32:1: Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, Whose sin is covered.



Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

October 2, 2016, 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

**indicates to stand as you are able.

Prelude *Come, All Christians, Be Committed* arr. C. Curry

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

L: Let us worship God, our light and our salvation.

P: The Lord is the stronghold of our lives.

L: We desire to live in God's house and to seek God in his holy temple.

P: We have come with shouts of joy, to sing and to make music to the Lord.

L: Let us worship God

Don Mitchell

**Hymn – 409

God Is Here

**Silent Prayer of Confession

**Common Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, we confess that the world suffers because of our sin. We use power against others for our own benefit. We misuse the natural resources of the earth in carelessness and greed. By our habits and apathies, others are subjected to desolation, even despair. Forgive us for making enemies and exiles of those you call us to love and serve. Forgive us for laying waste to the landscape of creation. Forgive us for being complicit in causing others to grieve and to wander without rest. We wait on you, O God. We hope in you. You alone can restore all things, even us. We pray in Christ's name. 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!

Response – 15

All Creatures of Our God and King

All who for love of God forgive,

all who in pain or sorrow grieve,

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Christ bears your burdens and your fears;

so, even in the midst of tears,

sing praises! Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Moment with Children

Children ages preschool—second grade dismissed to Sunday Experience

Liz Perraud

Word in Music

Come to the Table, Come to the Lord
Lindsey Kim, flute

by J. Martin

Prayer for Illumination

Scriptures

Psalm 37:1-9
Matthew 26: 26-30

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L: The Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

At the Table

Rev. Scott Hoffman

****Hymn – 509**

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly

Offertory

Seek Ye First (incorporating *To a Wild Rose*, by E. MacDowell)
Lindsey Kim, flute

arr. J. Raney

****Doxology – 711**

Lord of All Good
Lord of all good, our gifts we bring to you;
use them your holy purpose to fulfill,
tokens of love and pledges brought anew,
that our whole life is offered to your will.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Table

Prayers of Thanksgiving with The Lord's Prayer (using "debts")

Sharing of Bread and Cup

Music during Communion: *Holy Is the Lord/We Fall Down/ Be Still and Know*

arr. L Larson

Prayer

****Hymn – 720**

Jesus Calls Us

****Benediction**

****Postlude**

Happy Is He Whose Transgressions are Forgiven

arr. J. Sponge

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

Thank you to Joe Marinelli for operating the sound board today!

Announcements and Upcoming Events

For a full list of upcoming events, visit www.cmpcusa.org/events

Committee Night

Monday, October 3rd at 6:30 p.m.

The next Committee Night will be tomorrow, October 3rd. Dinner will be at 6:30 and meetings begin at 7:00. Childcare will be provided.



Bible Basics

Tuesday, October 4th at 11 a.m. in the Committee Room

Bible Basics is a bible study designed for everyone from biblical scholars to first-time readers and led by Pastor Scott. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend. Come every week or drop in when your schedule allows. Please contact Pastor Scott at pastor.hoffman@cmpcusa.org for more details

First Fridays

Friday, October 7th from 6-9 p.m.

Attention all parents of young children! Enjoy a night out while the High Schoolers watch your kids! Use this time for a date night, shopping, dinner with friends, or just a relaxing night alone! \$15.00 for the first child, \$8 for each additional child. Call Heather Barham at 443-878-0213 with questions.

New Member Class

Sunday, October 9th at 11:30 a.m.

If you feel that CMPC is a place where you would like to put down roots and become more fully involved in the life of the church, you are welcome to attend our New Members Class. Those who attend the class and choose to join will be received into the membership of the church during worship the following Sunday, October 16th. During the class you will have the opportunity to learn about our church and our tradition, get to know some of the leadership of the church, and form bonds with others who have decided to move into membership as well. If you would like to join us for the class, please RSVP by Monday, October 3rd by calling the church office at 410-997-8011. A light lunch will be provided and childcare will be available upon request. When calling to RSVP for the class, please indicate if you will need childcare.



Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Wednesday, October 12th at 7:00 p.m.

The Wednesday evening bible study group will be studying the book of Romans this year. Meetings are at the home of Maha Davies the on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month, October through May. For more information contact Annette Hinkle at amhinkle@comcast.net



Fall Clean Up

Saturday, October 22nd from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Join us as we clean up around the church building and grounds! Breakfast and lunch will be provided. All are welcome to come volunteer and stay as long as their schedule permits.