

# Welcome!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we hope you will worship with us again! For the next few months we will be worshipping here in Fellowship Hall while our sanctuary is under renovation. Thank you for bearing with us during this time of transition.

## Prayer Concerns

**Illness:** 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; Sarah Theeke, USAF. Jesse Hill, U.S. Army

## Staff & Leadership

**Ministers:** Every member of the congregation!  
**Pastor:** The Rev. Scott W. Hoffman  
**Music Director:** Joy Exner  
**Accompanist:** Lorri Yawney  
**Communications Coordinator:** Kathleen Smith  
**Preschool Director:** Heather Gallagher  
**Facilities and Property Manager:** Tito Baca  
**Nursery Attendants:** Laura Holderman, Allison Miller and Danielle Wilder  
**Bell Choir Director:** Sally Berlowitz  
**Sunday Experience Director:** Donna Ueckermann  
**LOGOS Co-Directors:** Carrie Jenkins, Lindsey Kim  
**Clerk of Session:** Janene Holzberg  
**Moderator of Deacons:** Cindy Pettit  
**Treasurer:** Tom Mawhinney

## Calendar:

Sun 25	10:30	Worship, FH
	2:00	Urdu Worship, FH
Mon 26	7:00	Session and Deacons
Tues 27	10:30	ME OAC, Church Office
Wed 28	11:00	Bible Basics, CR
	5:30	LOGOS
Thur 29	6:30	Ministry Expansion Team, Temp Office
	7:30	Choir Rehearsal
Sat 1	8:30	Men's Breakfast, Bob Evans
	11:00	Music Director, FH
Sun 2	10:30	Worship, FH
		Announcement Sunday, LOGOS Sunday
	2:00	Urdu Worship, FH



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# Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

**November 25, 2018, 10:30 a.m.**  
**Christ the King Sunday**

## Order of Worship

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

**Prelude** *Thankfulness* arr. C. Tornquist  
Psalm 107:1: Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.

### 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** Allen Exner  
L: The Lord is God; we are God's people.  
**P: We are the sheep of God's pasture.**  
L: Jesus Christ is coming to reign.  
**P: To God be glory forever and ever!**  
L: In Christ all things hold together;  
**P: he is head of the church and Lord of all.**  
L: Let us worship God!

**\*\*Hymn – Insert** *Lift Up the Gates Eternal*

### \*\*Silent Prayer of Confession

**\*\*Common Prayer of Confession**  
**Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, and fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. 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 – 581** *Glory Be to the Father*  
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.  
Amen, amen.

**Moment with Children** Liz Perraud  
*Children ages preschool—second grade dismissed to Sunday Experience*

**Word in Music**

*For the Glory of the Lord*  
with Chris Roscoe, trumpet  
(congregation may sing when invited, see insert)

by T. Paris/T. Fettke

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scriptures**

Psalm 93  
John 18: 33-37

L: The Word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon**

What Kind of King? What Kind of Kingdom?

Rev. Scott Hoffman

**\*\*Hymn – insert**

*O Worship the King, All Glorious Above*

**Offertory**

*He Is Exalted*

arr. L. Larson

Psalm 113: 4: *The LORD is exalted over all the nations, his glory above the heavens.*

*“He is exalted, the King is exalted and I will praise Him;  
He is exalted, the King is exalted and I will praise His name.  
He is Lord, forever his truth shall reign; heaven and earth exalt his holy name.  
He is exalted, the King is exalted on high!”  
(by Twila Paris, 1985; publishers: StraightWay Music and Mountain Spring Music)*

**\*\*Doxology – insert**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**Prayers of Thanksgiving with The Lord’s Prayer (using “debts”)**

**\*\*Hymn – Insert**

*God of Grace and God of Glory*

**\*\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name*  
Philippians 2:9-11: *God exalted Him to the highest place and gave Him the Name that is above every name, that at the Name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.*

arr. O. Holden

Thank you to Jeff Bruce for operating the sound board this week!

## Announcements and Upcoming Events



**Mission Trip**

The Mission and Local Outreach Committee is organizing a mission trip over the long MLK Day weekend to repair flood-damaged homes in New Bern, NC. The volunteers will drive to New Bern on Friday January 18 and return Monday January 21. No construction skills are required just a heart to help families recover from the emergency. Accommodations and board will be provided on-site. If you are interested in joining or would like additional information, please contact Philip Davies at philip.davies7233@gmail.com; cell 410-707-4564.

**Women for Women**

The December Women for Women gathering will be a holiday social at Ashlyn Sowell’s house on Sunday, December 16th from 2-4 p.m. Please save the date and details will follow.



**IRA Donations to the Church**

Did you know that if a donation is made through an IRA account, the fund does NOT provide any identifying information about who made the donation AND if contacted will not provide the church with any identifying information? Therefore, if you have in the recent past donated to CMPC thru your IRA or plan to make such a donation in the future please let us know. You can contact the assistant treasurer with this information at missy.sullivan@cmpcusa.org

**Want more CMPC news and events? Subscribe to our weekly Friday E-News at:  
[www.cmpcusa.org/events/newsletters](http://www.cmpcusa.org/events/newsletters)**

### **What's a Prayer Shawl?**

A knit or crocheted wrap for a recipient who could use prayers of comfort, peace, strength, encouragement, or blessings. Usually stitched in a Trinity stitch (combination of 3), the shawl maker begins by choosing a beautiful selection of donated yarn. Occasionally, the maker may know who the shawl is for as they are making it. Other times shawls are made, a need arises, and then a choice is made from the available completed shawls. Each shawl when completed is prayed over before it is lovingly packaged and sent to its recipient with blessings.

Can you knit or crochet? Would you like to learn or possibly you remember some stitches but could use some coaching? The Prayer Shawl Ministry at CMPC could use your help. This ministry is currently meeting on Thursday mornings at Barb Schmehl's (6713 Seneca Drive, Columbia) from 10:00-11:30 am while CMPC is being renovated. It is not mandatory to attend these meetings. Donations of knit or crocheted prayer shawls graciously accepted at any time.

Do you know of someone you'd like to give a shawl to?

Please contact Barb Schmehl at 410-995-1572 for more information about participating or to request a shawl.



### **Sign Up for Text Alerts from CMPC**

Remind is a free, safe, and simple messaging tool that helps CMPC staff share important updates and reminders like weather related cancellations with members and friends. Subscribe by text, email or using the Remind app. All personal information is kept private, including your phone number. Visit [remind.com](http://remind.com) to learn more.

To receive messages from CMPC via text, text @cmpcnews to 81010. You can opt-out of messages at anytime by replying 'unsubscribe @cmpcnews'. Or to receive messages via email, send an email to [cmpcnews@mail.remind.com](mailto:cmpcnews@mail.remind.com) (you can leave the subject and body blank.) To unsubscribe, reply with 'unsubscribe' in the subject line.

If you have questions or concerns about how CMPC will use Remind, please reach out to Kathleen at [office@cmpcusa.org](mailto:office@cmpcusa.org)

### **Volunteering Support for the Cold Weather Shelter - Save the dates!**

The Cold Weather Shelter (CWS) is a partnership with the Grassroots Crisis Intervention Center, the faith community, and the Howard County government to provide shelter to those families and individuals who are in need of a warm place to stay during the colder months of the year. Please mark your calendars now for volunteering with the CWS for CMPC. CMPC will be the primary host congregation from the evening of **Monday, December 17th through the morning of Monday, December 24th**. Since our facility is not available to host any guests this season, Grassroots has arranged for the Merriweather Post Pavilion facility to be available that week to provide the shelter for those enrolled in the CWS. CMPC volunteers will have the first opportunity to sign up to support the CWS for the week of December 17th through December 24th. Various duties will be needed to be performed during the week. About a week after the announcement is published, volunteers from all congregations participating in the CWS will also have the opportunity to sign up for that week.

Watch for the announcement to sign up, expected sometime around Thanksgiving. If you have any questions, please contact the CMPC CWS Coordinator, Jeff Seymour, at [jjseymour2@address4email.net](mailto:jjseymour2@address4email.net) or on 443-562-4744.