

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

Prayer concerns are shared with our prayer chain and prayed for throughout the week. To submit a prayer concern, please e-mail prayerchain@cmpecusa.org or the office at office@cmpecusa.org. To be added to the prayer chain distribution, please contact the office at office@cmpecusa.org

Serving in our 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: Bob Ashman

Calendar:

Sun 5	9:30 Small Group Breakfast, Open Area 10:30 Worship, FH 2:00 Urdu Worship, FH
Mon 6	6:30 Kickboxing, Open Area 7:00 Committee Night, various locations
Tues 7	10:30 ME OAC, Church Office 11:45 BBC Lunch, Wegman's
Wed 8	11:00 Bible Basics, Temp office 1:00 Staff Meeting, Temp office
Thurs 9	Presbytery Meeting 6:30 Ministry Expansion Team, Temp office 7:30 Choir Rehearsal, FH
Sat 11	8:30 Men's Breakfast, Bob Evans 11:00 Music Director, FH
Sun 12	10:30 Worship, FH 2:00 Urdu Worship, FH



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Worship Music this Week:

The opening hymn this morning, *When Morning Gilds the Skies*, is of German origin, composed by an unknown author in 1828. The composition had 14 verses. When Edward Caswall translated it into English in 1853, he shortened it considerably. The tune, *Laudes Domini* was written by Joseph Barnby specifically for this text. The hymn calls on us to praise God at all times, day or night . . . "through all the ages long. May Jesus Christ be praised!"

The Word in Music, *Joy Down in My Heart*, is an upbeat gospel medley that combines Charles Gabriel's *Since Jesus Came into My Heart* with the beloved Sunday school song *I've Got the Joy* (joy, joy, joy down in my heart – down in my heart to stay).

The composer of the offertory piece, *Change My Heart, Oh God*, said in an interview in 2016 that when he wrote it, he was feeling busy and overwhelmed. He realized as he prayed that his heart needed to be changed so that God would be first in his life again. Eddie said, "Shortly thereafter I was in my car on the way to my work, feeling a desire to draw near to God. Suddenly, a melody and some words began to flood through my mind. As I stopped at a stop sign I reached for something to write on. The first thing I found was a small piece of yellow paper, which, by the way, I still have, and began to write as rapidly as I could. It was like taking dictation. I wrote the words on the paper, and kept the melody in my mind." The words: "Change my heart oh God, make it ever true. Change my heart oh God, may I be like You. You are the potter, I am the clay; mold me and make me, this is what I pray. Change my heart oh God, make it ever true. Change my heart oh God, may I be like You." (Eddie Espinosa; Mercy/Vineyard Publishing, 1982)



Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

May 5, 2019, 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

**indicates to stand as you are able.

Prelude

The Heart of Worship

arr. L. Larson

Psalm 86:9-10: *All the nations you have made will come and worship before you, Lord; they will bring glory to your name. For you are great and do marvelous deeds; you alone are God.*

"I'm coming back to the heart of worship, and it's all about You, it's all about You, Jesus. I'm sorry, Lord, for the thing I've made it. When it's all about You, it's all about You, Jesus"
(by Matt Redman, ThankYou Music, 1999)

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: O Lord our God, we praise you.

P: We cried to you for help and you answered us.

L: You have restored our lives;

P: you have rescued us from the grave.

L: Let us worship God!

Bob Clemens

**Hymn – Insert

When Morning Gilds the Skies

**Silent Prayer of Confession

**Common Prayer of Confession

Lord God, in the light of your glory we see the evil we have done, the suffering we have caused, the good we have refused, and the truth we have denied. Heal us of our sin, wash us in your mercy, and feed us with your grace, so that we may follow your way and tell the good news of the gospel. 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 –

Jesus Christ Is Risen Today

Sing we to our God above, Alleluia
praise eternal as God's love, Alleluia
Praise our God, ye heavenly host, Alleluia
Father, Son and Holy Ghost, Alleluia

Moment with Children

Children ages preschool—second grade dismissed to Sunday Experience

Word in Music

Joy Down in My Heart

Romans 15: 13: *May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.*

by M. McDonald

Prayer for Illumination

Scriptures

Acts 9:1-20
John 21:1-19

L: The Word of the Lord.
P: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Seeing Jesus

Rev. Scott Hoffman

**Hymn – insert

Open My Eyes, That I May See

Offertory

Change My Heart, Oh God
Psalm 51:10: *Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.*

arr. M. Hayes

**Doxology – Insert

We Lift Our Voices

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 (by intinction)

Music during Communion

Meditation on All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Philippians 2:9-11: Therefore 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 acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

arr. O. Holden

I Am the Bread of Life

arr. J. Carter

Prayer

**Hymn – Insert

Lift High the Cross

**Benediction

Postlude

Glorious Day (Living He Loved Me)

Titus 2:13: *... waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ...*

arr. M. Bober

This morning elder Leta Loring will be at the front of Fellowship Hall after worship to welcome you and answer questions about our congregation.

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

Announcements and Upcoming Events

Break Bread & Connect Lunches

May 7th, 11:45 a.m.

Our next monthly lunch gathering will be on Tuesday, May 7th at Wegmans (8855 McGaw Rd., Columbia) at 11:45-12:45. Grab your food from the serving area and join the group in the seating area on the upper level. No reservations are needed; just come! Feel free to bring a friend or coworker. On June 6th, we are trying something a little different--let's have a picnic! Pack a lunch or pick up something on your way and we'll eat outside under the big shade tree at the Columbia Lakefront (between Clydes and Whole Foods). Bring a folding chair or blanket to sit on. If weather is disagreeable, we'll move indoors to Whole Foods. Future BBC Lunch dates will be on 7/14 and 8/7. Check our BBC Lunches Facebook group for details, or contact Laura Frantz with any questions.

Musical Treats & Sweets

Join us for CMPC's annual Musical Treats & Sweets on Sunday, June 9 from 6-8pm! The event is held to raise funds for our high school and college students and adult leaders as well as to assist Concordia Lutheran Church in Worcester, MA to attend the GenOn Youth Summit in July. There will be musical performances, a silent auction, raffles, special snacks and other fun surprises! This year's theme is "Hopes & Dreams." Suggested donation is \$5 at the door. Fun for all ages. Nursery available.

If you are interested in performing contact Jennifer Seinfeld (jenniferseinfeld@gmail.com) or Lorri Yawney (lwyawney@gmail.com). Jennifer and Lorri are also available for piano accompaniment.

To contribute an item for the auction, contact Joyce Danzig (joyce.danzig@gmail.com).



All-Church Mission Trip

Once again this summer a group of folks from CMPC (and other churches) will descend upon Mars Hill, NC from July 7-13 for a week of hands-on mission work with our brothers and sisters in need. All ages are encouraged to join the group for this fun-filled and meaningful week of mission work. Children age birth to 11 years enjoy a day of VBS on a beautiful college campus while anyone over the age of 11 heads off to participate in home repair and refurbishment projects throughout the area. No specific skills are needed and a wide range of projects will be available. If working on homes is not your thing, perhaps you would like to volunteer with the children's ministry for the week. If you are interested in joining the CMPC delegation be sure to contact Pastor Scott at pastor.hoffman@cmpcusa.org or 410-997-8011.

CARE Group Program

The Board of Deacons are excited to announce the start-up of a new CARE Group ministry at CMPC, which will connect members of the church with a caring church officer or lay person. Each household will be contacted by a CARE Group Leader a few times a year, to see if there are any special needs, requests or concerns. The program will be phased in over the next several months. We look forward to talking to some of you soon!

If you missed the opportunity to participate in the **Realizing the Vision Campaign** and would like more information feel free to pick up a campaign packet on the table outside of Fellowship Hall. Please direct any questions to Bob Clemens at 240-381-7083 or bobclemens3@yahoo.com.

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