

Welcome!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we hope you will worship with us again! Please introduce yourself as you feel comfortable.

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 19	10:30	Worship, sanctuary
	2:00	Urdu Worship, sanctuary
Mon 20	6:30	Kickboxing, Open Area
	7:00	Deacons, Temp office
Tues 21	10:30	ME OAC, Church Office
	7:30	Friendship Circle, Temp office
Thurs 23	6:30	Ministry Expansion Team, Temp office
	7:30	Choir Rehearsal, sanctuary
Sat 25	11:00	Music Director, sanctuary
Sun 26	10:30	Worship, sanctuary
	2:00	Urdu Worship, sanctuary

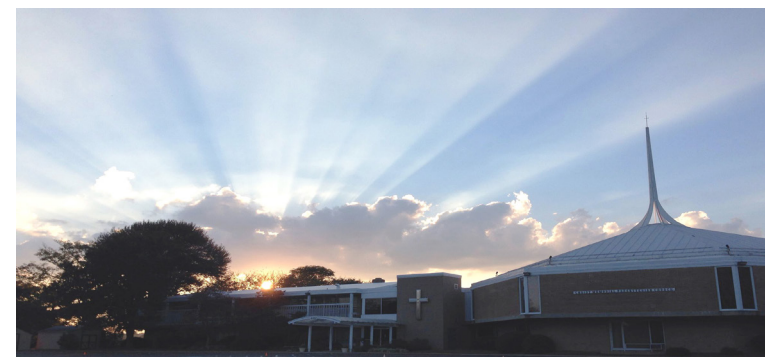


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Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

May 19, 2019, 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

**indicates to stand as you are able.

Welcome

Call to Worship

L: How lovely is your dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts! My soul longs, indeed it faints for the courts of the Lord

P: My heart and my flesh sing for joy to the living God.

L: Happy are those who live in your house ever singing your praise.

P: Happy are those whose strength is in you, in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

L: They go from strength to strength;

P: The God of gods will be seen in Zion

L: For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere

P: I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than live in the tents of wickedness

All: O Lord of hosts, happy is everyone who trusts in you!

Processional

Praise, Praise, Praise the Lord

Litany - Insert

Prayer

**Hymn – 402

How Lovely, Lord

**Silent Prayer of Confession

**Common Prayer of Confession

God of mercy, your command to love one another across all differences opens us to new horizons, yet we often respond with fear and judgment that hinders your goal for humanity. Forgive our sins, we pray, and give us a true repentance that leads to life for all creation. We pray in Jesus' 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 –

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

Marilyn Mills

Word in Music	<i>These Walls</i> see insert for lyrics	by H. Sorenson
Prayer for Illumination		Don Mitchell
Scriptures	Acts 11:1-18 John 13:31-35	NT page 130 NT page 108
	L: The Word of the Lord. P: Thanks be to God.	
Sermon	By Our Love	Rev. Scott Hoffman
**Hymn – 300	<i>We Are One in the Spirit</i>	
Offertory	<i>More Than Bricks</i>	by J. Seinfeld
	She's more than bricks, more than stone. More than a building that we've outgrown More than walls and paint, and chairs and rooms... She's more than a kitchen, more than a hall She's doors wide open, welcoming all! A special place where God's kingdom blooms.	
**Doxology - 710	<i>We Lift Our Voices</i>	
	Prayers of Thanksgiving with The Lord's Prayer (using "debts")	
**Hymn – 542	<i>God Be with You Till We Meet Again</i>	
**Benediction		
Postlude	<i>God of Grace and God of Glory</i>	arr. P. Robertson

This morning elder Rashid Gill will be at the front of the sanctuary 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

Attention all graduates!

CMPC would like to recognize all of our graduates on Graduation Sunday, June 2nd! If you or someone you know from the CMPC family is graduating from high school, trade school, college, or graduate school, please send us a brief paragraph featuring the graduate's name, the institution they are graduating from, and future plans. Please send write-ups to Kathleen at office@cmpcusa.org by Tuesday, May 21st.

Break Bread & Connect Lunches

June 6th, 11:45 a.m.

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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