

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. 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

Prayer concerns are shared with our prayer chain and prayed for throughout the week. To submit a prayer concern, please fill out a card in the pew or 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 7	10:30	Worship, sanctuary
	2:00	Urdu Worship, sanctuary
Mon 8	6:30	Kickboxing, Open Area
Tues 9	10:30	ME OAC, Church Office
Fri 12	6:00	Urdu Worship, sanctuary
Sat 13	11:00	Music Director, sanctuary
Sun 14	10:30	Worship, sanctuary
	2:00	Urdu Worship, sanctuary



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Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

July 7, 2019, 10:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

**indicates to stand as you are able.

Prelude

I Will Follow

arr. J. Koerts

John 8:12: *Again Jesus spoke to them, saying, "I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."*

"Where You go, I'll go; where You stay, I'll stay; when You move, I'll move, I will follow You. Who You love, I'll love; How You serve I'll serve; If this life I lose, I will follow You; I will follow You."
(by Jason Ingram/Reuben Morgan/Chris Tomlin; Capitol Christian Music Group, 2010)

Welcome and Announcements

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

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

P: **And also with you.**

**Call to Worship

Leader: Today is the Lord's Day, a time of renewal and service.

People: Let us gather in His name and draw near in His love.

Leader: And let us dare to listen to His challenging words of grace.

People: For in them is life and peace, community and love.

Unison: In the name of Jesus Christ, let us worship God!

**Hymn – 645

Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above

**Silent Prayer of Confession

**Common Prayer of Confession

O Lord our God, we confess with contrite hearts that again and again we have succeeded in following our way rather than yours. We have been afraid to say 'no' to your beckoning call to discipleship, but equally unwilling to respond in trusting faith with an unqualified 'yes.' We are better at words than deeds; and better at proposing than disposing, complaining than accepting, debating than following Jesus as Lord. Have mercy upon us, dear God. Do not abandon us in our own weaknesses and fears. Give us the Spirit that sets us free, in Christ Jesus. 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

Moment with Children

Allen Exner

Word in Music

He's Always Been Faithful to Me
Tom Engle, solo

by Chisolm/Bunyan/Graves; arr. T. Fettke

Psalm 36:5-7: *Your love, Lord, reaches to the heavens, Your faithfulness to the skies.
Your righteousness is like the highest mountains, Your justice like the great deep.
You, Lord, preserve both people and animals. How priceless is your unfailing love, O God!
People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.*

Prayer for Illumination

Scriptures

Genesis 4:3-9
1 Corinthians 12:4-7, 12-13

OT page 3
NT page 174

L: The Word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Widening Our Circle of Compassion

Rev. Bob Culp

**Hymn - 754

Help Us Accept Each Other

Offertory

Great Is the Lord with Great Is Thy Faithfulness

arr. J. Wilson

Psalm 145: 3: *Great is the Lord! He is most worthy of praise! No one can measure his greatness.*

Lamentations 3:22-23: *Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions
never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.*

**Doxology - 710

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

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessings
Ephesians 1:3: *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has
blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places.*

arr. C. Rice

Prayer

**Hymn – 643

Now Thank We All Our God

**Benediction

Postlude

Recessional and Trumpet Tune

by E. Wetherill

This morning elder Phil Henderson 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



Welcome back Rev. Culp!

Stepping into the pulpit in Reverend Hoffman's absence today is Reverend Bob Culp. Rev. Culp is a graduate of Westminster College (PA) and Princeton Theological Seminary, where he received his Master of Divinity Degree in 1975 (in Biblical Studies) and his Master of Theology Degree in 1992 (in Homiletics). He served 5 different parishes in the eastern U.S. before his retirement in October, 2013. He and his wife Kathy now reside in Woodstock, MD. Rev. Culp and Kathy are parents to 3 grown daughters and grandparents to 3 grandchildren.

Mars Hill

Please keep our volunteers in your prayers as they travel to North Carolina for a week of service.

July BBC Lunch Canceled

Due to the number of participants who will be participating in the GenOn Youth Summit or traveling for vacations, the July Break Bread & Connect Lunch (previously scheduled for 7/14) has been canceled.

July Women for Women

Hello ladies! We are headed to Lake Kittamaqundi for a walk at 6 p.m. and dinner at Whole Foods at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, July 24 for our next Women for Women event.

The address is 10275 Little Patuxent Parkway in Columbia, MD 21045. Put on your walking shoes and meet in front of Whole Foods if you want to walk at 6 p.m. Or, just meet us for dinner there at 7 p.m. We will each pay individually and sit together to visit. If it rains, we will just do dinner at 7 p.m.

All women of the church are invited and feel free to bring along a friend. Please rsvp to ashlynsowell@yahoo.com so we have a head count. Also, let Ashlyn know if you need a ride or want to carpool. Happy summer!



August BBC Lunch

The next Break Bread & Connect Lunch will be on August 7th at 11:45 at Cravin', located at the corner of Snowden River Pkwy. and Carved Stone Rd. in Columbia. No reservations are needed. Come enjoy fellowship with CMPC friends on your lunch break!

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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