



CAMP HILL  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH



*The*  
**Baptism**  
*of our*  
**Lord**

January 11, 2026

# Welcome!

- ◆ Greeting you today are Sandy McBride, Rick Woodard, Ann and Roger Hummel.
- ◆ Restless little ones can take a break in the Little Kirk room downstairs in Fellowship Hall.
  - ◆ Assistive listening devices are available at the sound booth, rear of Sanctuary.
- ◆ Worship begins with the first note of the prelude — may we silence our voices and open our hearts, allowing the music to draw us together into the presence of God.

Prelude: Glorify Thy Name - Donna Adkins, Arr. Mark Hayes

Welcome

Minute for Mission: Capital Campaign

Bill Stout

\*Call to Worship (Psalm 29:2,4, 10)

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due God's name;  
**worship the LORD in the beauty of holiness.**

The voice of the LORD is a powerful voice;  
**the voice of the LORD is a voice of splendor.**

The LORD sits enthroned above the flood;  
**the LORD sits enthroned as sovereign for- | evermore.**

\*Hymn 610 "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

\*Litany for the Baptism of our Lord

In the beginning, darkness covered the deep,  
and God said: Let there be light.

**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

Through the words of the prophet, the Lord said:  
When you pass through the waters, I will be with you.  
**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

Do not fear, says the Lord; I am with you.  
I have called you by name; you are mine.  
**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

When Jesus was baptized by John,  
suddenly the heavens were opened.  
**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

And as Jesus was coming out of the water,  
the Spirit of God rested on him like a dove.  
**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

And a voice said: You are my beloved Son;  
with you I am well pleased.

**The voice of the Lord is over the waters!**

Almighty God,  
you anointed Jesus at his baptism with the Holy Spirit,  
and revealed him as your beloved Son.

Keep us, your children born of water and the Spirit,  
faithful in your service,  
that we may rejoice to be called children of God;  
through the same Jesus Christ our Lord,  
who lives and reigns with you  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and forever. **Amen**

#### \*Confession and Pardon

The voice of one crying out in the wilderness:  
Prepare the way of the Lord!  
Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.  
Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin.

Merciful God,  
in baptism you promise forgiveness and new life,  
making us part of the body of Christ.  
We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves,  
separated from one another.  
We cling to destructive habits, hold grudges,  
and show reluctance to welcome one another.  
We allow the past to hold us captive.

In your loving-kindness, have mercy on us,  
and free us from sin.

Fulfill the promises of our baptism  
so that we may rise to new life,  
and live together in grace.

As a voice from heaven said to Jesus,

so, in Christ, God speaks to us:  
You are my child, my beloved;  
with you I am well pleased.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!  
**Amen.**

\*Glory to God

Glory to God, glory to God,  
Glory in the highest!  
Glory to God, glory to God,  
Glory in the highest!

## Prayer of Illumination

Saving God, source of our calling,  
your Word is full of power and glory.  
Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us so  
that we may receive your grace  
and live as your beloved children;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

First Reading Isaiah 42:1-9 OT Pg. 670

Special music: Laney Dixon, Soprano

Second Reading Matthew 3:13-17 NT Pg. 3

## Sermon “*Named, Claimed, Gathered and Sent*”

Pastor Richard Jorgensen

\*Hymn 286 “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

#### \*Affirmation of Faith (Adapted from Romans 8)

We believe there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus; for we know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to God's purpose. We are convinced that neither death, nor life,

nor angels, nor rulers,  
nor things present, nor things to come,  
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,  
nor anything else in all creation,  
will be able to separate us from the love of God  
in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

## Offering

In response to God's love, let us offer our lives to the Lord.

Offertory: Laney Dixon, Soprano

## \*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise God all creatures here below  
Praise God above ye heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## \*Prayer of Dedication

Merciful Father, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – our selves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

## Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

## \*Hymn 265 “Jesus Shall Reign”

## \*Benediction and Sending

The peace of God,  
which passes all understanding,  
keep your hearts and minds  
in the knowledge and love of God,  
and of God's Son, Jesus Christ our Lord;

and the blessing of God almighty,  
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,  
remain with you always.

**Amen.**

Go out into the world in peace.  
Love the Lord your God  
*with all your heart,*  
*with all your soul,*  
with all your mind;  
and love your neighbor as yourself.  
**Thanks be to God.**

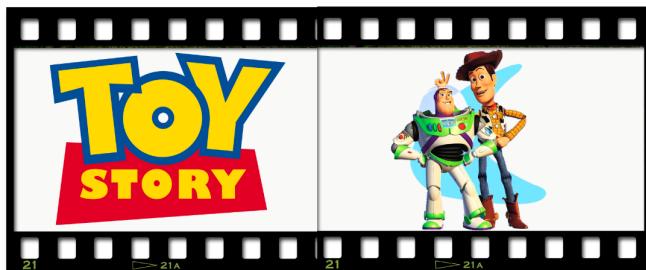
Postlude: O God, Our Help in Ages Past - William Croft, Arr. Marilynn Ham

Laney Dixon, soprano and former member of our CHPC Chancel Choir, is in college at the Hartt School of Music, West Hartford, CT. Laney's concentration is Musical Theater. It is a JOY to have her back to share special music with us today!

# Movie Night

February 27

GRAB A BLANKET, PACK A PICNIC, AND  
JOIN US FOR MOVIE NIGHT  
POPCORN IS ON US!



register here:



Arise



## PRAYER LIST

**Prayers for healing:** Pam Thompson, Brad, Suzanne, Shannon, Rick Swartz, Liberty "Libby" Porch, Steve Crouse, Susan Gaffney, Dan, Eric Metzler and family.

## CHPC WEEKLY CALENDAR

### **Sunday, January 11**

8:30am ARISE

9am-Exegesis Bible Study; Blue Room & 9am-Men's Bible Study; Green Room

9:15am-Brass Choir rehearsal

10:30am-Worship

### **Monday, January 12**

1pm-Quilters & Crafters; Q&C Room

5:30pm-Staff Commission Meeting; Pastor's Office

7pm-Mission Team Meeting; Fellowship Hall

### **Tuesday, January 13**

5:30pm Christian Doctrine Book Study; Blue Room

6:30pm-Worship & Fine Arts; Pastor's Office

### **Wednesday, January 14**

10am-Prayer Fellowship; Fellowship Hall

6pm-Bell Choir Rehearsal

7pm-Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### **Friday, January 16**

6pm-CHPC Supper Club; Snappers Bar & Grill

### **Sunday, January 18**

8:30am ARISE

9am-Exegesis Bible Study; Blue Room & 9am-Men's Bible Study; Green Room

9:15am-Brass Choir rehearsal

10:30am-Worship

3pm-Pax Christi Meeting; Fellowship Hall

## IT'S HAPPENING AT CHPC

- ◆ **A BIRTHDAY CARD SHOWER:** Members and Friends of CHPC are invited to send birthday cards and greetings to Nancy Preis who will mark her 102nd birthday on Wednesday, January 24. She is a resident at Messiah Village, and her address is: 222 Messiah Circle, Apartment 19, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055. God bless you, Nancy, on this wonderful milestone!! **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!**
- ◆ On Jan. 19, **registration opens for the 26-27 school year** for our CHPC families. We'll have several classes for ages 21 months — 5 yrs. Registration forms are located at the "info station" outside of the preschool office or [chpcpreschool.org](http://chpcpreschool.org). Questions? Contact me, [dtarnoci@thechpc.com](mailto:dtarnoci@thechpc.com). Thank you! - Dana
- ◆ Please join us at Snapper's in Mechanicsburg on Friday, January 16 at 6:15 for **January Supper Club**. RSVP text or call Vonny Getz at 717-576-7589 by Sunday January 11. All are welcome!
- ◆ **Thank you** to everyone who spent time after the worship service last Sunday to help take down the Advent/ Christmas decorations, and to Beth and Kenny Fine and Dolores Peffley who also helped get the job done. Your assistance is appreciated very much. We are thankful for members of our church family who respond to requests for help so enthusiastically!
- ◆ Every year **CHPC pays the Carlisle Presbytery** approximately \$10,000 which is divided among the Presbytery, Synod and PCUSA to pay their operating costs. Our cost is the number of CHPC members (approx. 283) times \$34.66. Contributing \$35 times the number in your family who are CHPC members in the offering plate, mailing to the office or making an online donation would greatly help offset this cost. Thank you!
- ◆ Great news! So far, we've received **\$1428 for the Christmas Joy Offering!** All funds received by the national church are divided equally between financial support of black students at our Presbyterian Institutions of higher education and supplemental income for retired and currently serving pastors, Christian Educators and mission workers. Thank you for your generous spirit of giving!
- ◆ **Handymen WANTED.** As many churches have, we're looking for members who can help with small tasks and repairs around our facilities. If you know of someone or a vendor you've used that did great work, please let Mike in the office know. Thank you!
- ◆ We are looking for **volunteers to help with VBS on February 13 and 14**. If you're interested, please email [dce@thechpc.com](mailto:dce@thechpc.com) or sign up on the bulletin board outside the office. Thank you for supporting our children's ministry! - Hannah

# CHPC Over-the-Counter Medicine Drive for Christ Lutheran Church's Free Medical Clinic

Christ Lutheran Church's Medical Outreach Clinic, located in Harrisburg's Allison Hill neighborhood, provides free medical services and items for any person who needs it.

CHPC is collecting OTC medicine and basic hygiene items for the clinic.

***Donations will be collected through Feb. 12th***

The clinic is asking this year for the following items  
(either name brand or generic equivalent):

- First aid items
- Hygiene items for men and women
  - Bar soap
  - Deodorant
  - Shampoo and conditioner
  - Razors
- Aleve, Tylenol, Motrin, and Mucinex tablets (no liquid cold or pain medications will be accepted; tablets only, please)
- Allergy, pink eye, and other eye drops
  - Antifungal cream
  - Saline nasal drops or spray
- Honey (used for coughs, cuts and scrapes, and sore throats)
  - T-shirts, socks, gloves, and hats (all sizes)
  - Washcloths
  - Honey

A collection box is available in the Gathering Place. If you are interested in making a monetary donation, contact Deacon Sandy Bogden.

**Thank you for your generous support!**

# WHAT A MESS VBS



## VBS



**February 13 & 14  
9 am - 12 pm**

**Ages 3-12**

**\*must be potty trained**

**Questions?**

**dce@thechpc.com**

**What a Mess! VBS is all about how Jesus  
meets us in our messes—our mistakes &  
weaknesses—and loves us anyway.**

**Register  
here**



**Arise** The Arise logo, which is a stylized circular icon with a cross-like pattern inside.

## CHPC LEADERSHIP

*Our leadership structure exists to create ministry opportunities for congregants to share the gifts endowed upon them by the Holy Spirit.*

### CHURCH ADMINISTRATION MINISTRY

Elder Dave Getz, Chair; Elder David Watts, Treasurer;

Elder Joe Harner, Clerk of Session;

Jeffrey Heiss, Communications Commission

#### Staff Commission

Elder John Zazworsky, Chair

#### Property & Maintenance Commission

Elder Carol Helsel, Chair; Elder Bryan Kostukovich

#### Nominating Committee

Elder John Groff, Chair

### WORSHIP & FINE ARTS MINISTRY

Elder Abby Tierney, Chair

### INTERGENERATIONAL MINISTRY

#### Kirk Families Team

Elder Nancy Nilson, Chair

#### Mission Outreach Team

Elder E.J. Barben, Chair; Deacons: Susan Ault, Sandy Bogden, Molly McBride, Moderator Cathy Snavely, Carol Staz, Linda Zimmerman

#### Adult Discipleship Team

Elder Jeff Thompson, Chair

#### Membership Team

Elders, Sue Rothman, Lisa Love; Deacons: Susan Ault, Roberta Brown, Chris Forbrich, Peggy Heiss, CeCe Rothman, Carol Staz, Susan Steele, Cindy Thompson, Linda Zimmerman

## STATEMENT OF WELCOME & INCLUSION

As followers of Jesus, we affirm the dignity and worth of every person as created in the image of God. We are committed to creating an inclusive space of belonging and safety. Therefore, this community of faith welcomes into full participation, membership, and leadership persons of diverse age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, physical and mental ability, level of education, class, and income.

Rooted in the Reformed tradition, we affirm that “God alone is Lord of the conscience,” allowing for a breadth of diverse theological and biblical interpretations. We covenant to accept, respect, and love one another as we apply our faith in the circumstances of our lives and in the matters of our world.

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