



# CAMP HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Sixth Sunday After Epiphany

February 16, 2025 10:30 a.m.

# Welcome!

- *We invite children to use our activity area in the sanctuary. If your child needs a break away from the Sanctuary, feel free to use Room 3 of the Education Wing.*
- *Assistive listening devices are available at the sound booth (rear of sanctuary).*
- *Greeting you today are Alice & Dean Crossland, Lisa Love, and Rick Woodard.*

*The flowers are given to the glory of God by Jeff & Cindy Thompson with gratitude for all the staff and in honor of the anniversary of Nancy's ordination.*

*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

*Canon*  
The Brass Choir

Thomas Tallis  
arr. Charles Sayre

Welcome

\*Call to Worship

Deacon Vonny Getz

L: Jesus called together the disciples and a great multitude to a level place. There, he touched, healed, and taught. There, he spoke, "Blessed are...." There, he named them blessed saints of the faith.

P: **Today in this place, Christ, gather us together as you did those so long ago, to discover anew how we are your blessed people.**

L: Let us worship God.

\*Hymn 450

*Be Thou My Vision*

\*Call to Confession

We come before God not as despised sinners, but as beloved children who acknowledge our tendency to wander into the darkness. In all humility and faith, let us confess our sin before God, first in silence and then with one voice using our common prayer of confession. Let us pray.

\*Prayer of Confession

**God of glory, you sent Jesus among us as the light of the world to reveal your love for all people. We confess that our sin and pride hide the brightness of your light. We turn away from the poor; we ignore cries for justice; we do not strive for peace. Forgive us,**

*\*Those who are able are asked to please stand.*

O God. In your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, and baptize us once again with your Spirit, so that, as forgiven and renewed people, we may reflect the love and life of Jesus Christ into our world. Amen.

\*Assurance of Forgiveness (inspired by Psalm 138)

Our God is a God of grace and mercy and love; know that our sins have been forgiven. May we be strengthened in all goodness. Since we have been raised with Christ, let us seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Thanks be to God. Amen.

\*Gloria (Hymn 583)

*Glo-ri-a, glo-ri-a, in ex-cel-sis De-o! Glo-ri-a, glo-ri-a, al-le-lu-ia, a-le-lu-ia!*

First Scripture Reading (OT, p.489)

Psalm 1

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem

*In The Name of The Lord*  
The Chancel Choir

Sandi Patty  
arr. Mary McDonald

Second Scripture Reading (NT, p.64)

Luke 6:17-26

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

“Blessings and Woes”

The Rev. Nancy Conklin

\*Hymn 821

*My Life Flows On*

Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*Come Thou Almighty King*  
The Brass Choir

arr. Jim Lucas

\*Epiphany Doxology (Tune: “Old Hundredth”)

*O God, may we who bear your name,  
By gentle love your grace proclaim.  
Christ’s gift of peace on earth declare,  
And your anointing Spirit share. A-men.*

\*Prayer of Dedication

From out of the bounty of your blessings, O God, we return a portion to you as a sign of our witness to your Light, at work within and through us. May these gifts become agents of your healing love in the life of others and in the life of our world; through Jesus Christ we pray. 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 727

*Will You Let Me Be Your Servant*

\*Benediction

Postlude

*The Lord Will Hear (Psalm 19)*  
The Brass Choir

Benedetto Marcello  
arr. Robert King

## CHPC WEEKLY CALENDAR

### **Monday, February 17**

Office and Preschool Closed for Presidents' Day

7 p.m. — Board of Deacons Meeting; Blue Room

7 p.m. — Pax Christi Meeting; Reception Room

### **Tuesday, February 18**

6 p.m. — A.A. Big Book Study; Fellowship Hall

6:30 p.m. — “Christian Doctrine” Winter Book Study; Blue Room

### **Wednesday, February 19**

10 a.m. — Prayer Fellowship; Fellowship Hall

6 p.m. — Handbell Choir Rehearsal; Music Room

6:30 p.m. — Communications Commission Meeting; Blue Room

7 p.m. — Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room

### **Sunday, February 23**

8:30 a.m. — ARISE Family Service; Sanctuary

9 a.m. — Exegesis Adult Sunday School Class; Blue Room

9 a.m. — Men's Bible Study; Green Room

9:45 a.m. — Choir Practice; Music Room

10:30 a.m. — Worship Service; Sanctuary

11:45 a.m. — Brass Choir Rehearsal; Sanctuary

# 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

### Staff Commission

Elder John Robinson, Chair

### Property & Maintenance Commission

Elder Carol Helsel, Chair; Elder Bryan Kostukovich

### Communications Commission

Elder Jeff Heiss, Chair

### Nominating Committee

Elder John Groff, Chair

## WORSHIP & FINE ARTS MINISTRY

Elder Abby Tierney, Chair

## INTERGENERATIONAL MINISTRY

### Kirk Families Team

Elder Nancy Nilson, Chair

### Congregational Care Team

The Rev. Nancy Conklin, Chair; Deacon Moderator Chris Forbrich;  
Deacon Susan Ault; Deacon Rob Brown; Deacon Vonny Getz; Deacon Peggy Heiss;  
Deacon Lisa Love; Deacon Anne Gray Sarvis; Deacon Carol Staz;  
Deacon Cindy Thompson

### Mission Outreach Team

Elder E.J. Barben, Chair; Deacon Susan Ault; Deacon Sandy Bogden;  
Deacon Molly McBride; Deacon Cathy Snavely; Deacon Carol Staz

### Adult Discipleship Team

Elder Jeff Thompson, Chair

### Membership Team

Elder Monica Zazworsky, Chair; Elder Sue Rothman; Deacon Vonny Getz;  
Deacon Ann Kalata; Deacon Susan Steele; Deacon Josh Wiedt



## IT'S HAPPENING AT CHPC

- **Next week is CHPC Preschool Kindness Week!** Add some joy to your life this week by joining our students and teachers as they celebrate gratitude, positivity, love, encouragement, and helpfulness. See the enclosed insert for simple things you can do to join in the fun. A little kindness goes a long way!
- **Pastor Don Potter will be away from Friday, Feb. 21, through Friday, March 14.** During this time, if you require visitation or pastoral care, please call the office.
- There are **openings in the chancel flower schedule on March 9, 23, and 30.** If you would like to give flowers to help enhance the beauty of our sanctuary on one of those dates, contact Dolores Peffley at [dwpeffley@gmail.com](mailto:dwpeffley@gmail.com) or (717) 766-7554.
- It has long been a tradition in our church to beautify the sanctuary with flowers remembering or honoring loved ones and recognizing evidence of God's ongoing presence in our world. In order to continue, **volunteers are needed to remove the arrangements and package them for delivery and/or transport them to various recipients.** Anyone willing to help in this ministry should contact the church office or speak to any deacon on the Congregational Care Team as identified in the bulletin.
- The **2025 per capita, payable to the Presbytery, is \$34 per member.** Per capita supports the governance of the church, including the General Assembly, synods, and presbyteries; funds the work of the Presbyterian Mission Agency; supports the work of pastors and elders; helps churches call pastors; and more. **Please help CHPC pay this annual expense of approximately \$10,000 by contributing the appropriate per capita amount for your family size.**
- **CHPC Children's Church**, in conjunction with the Preschool, is being held **every Monday at 12:05 p.m. in the Sanctuary.** All are invited to join us for a kid-friendly participatory service. This informal setting will feature Bible stories, crafts, and songs lead by Pastor Nancy. This is not a drop-off event, but one that we hope adults will enjoy with their children. Parents, grandparents, and caregivers are all welcome!
- **The Harrisburg Food Pantry is in need of personal care items, including toilet paper, bar soap, shampoo, toothpaste, and deodorant.** HFP is able to obtain food for the pantry with funding, but can't use those dollars for toiletries. Please leave these items in the Donation Station area of the Gathering Place.

## 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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**Pastor/Head of Staff — The Rev. Nancy Conklin**

**Visitation Pastor — The Rev. Donald E. Potter**

**Organist/Choir Director — Byron Mikesell**

**Office Manager — Andrea Ebeling**

**Preschool Director — Dana Tarnoci**

**Custodian — Netia Vaughan**

**Organist/Choirmaster Emeritus — David H. Binkley II**

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