



CAMP HILL  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH



Third Sunday of Eastertide

April 14, 2024 10:30 a.m.

# Welcome!

*Childcare is available from 10 a.m. to noon in Room 3 of the Kuhn Education Wing.  
We also invite children to use our activity area in the sanctuary.*

*Assistive listening devices are available at the sound booth (rear of sanctuary).*

*This morning's flowers are presented by Dean and Alice Crossland in celebration of the life of  
Geraldyn Robare (Alice's sister) and all loved ones lost this year.*

*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

*Come, Come, Ye Saints*

American Folk Hymn  
arr. Mark Kellner

Welcome

\*Call to Worship

L: O come let us worship and bow down,

P: **Let us kneel before the Lord our Creator.**

L: For God it is who made us,

P: **Not we ourselves.**

L: Womb, dark and lifeless,

P: **You knitted us with love.**

L: Growing and grappling,

P: **You grasped us with love.**

L: Wandering and doubtful,

P: **You held us in love.**

L: Suffering and sickened,

P: **You healed us with love.**

L: Searching and uncertainly,

P: **You found us with love.**

L: And in the following,

P: **You lead us with love: Today, tomorrow, and always.**

\*Hymn 240

*Alleluia, Alleluia! Give Thanks*

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

**\*Call to Confession**

Christ himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sin, we might live for righteousness. In all humility and faith, let us confess our sin and the sin of our world before God and one another, first in silence and then with one voice using our common prayer of confession. Let us pray.

(Silent personal confession.)

**\*Prayer of Confession**

**Almighty God in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. Amen.**

**\*Assurance of Forgiveness**

Hear these words from scripture: "All of us, like sheep, have gone astray, but now we have returned to the shepherd and guardian of our souls." Friends, believe the good news of our salvation — in Jesus we are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

**\*Gloria Patri**

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost:  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be; world without end.  
Amen, Amen.***

First Scripture Reading (NT, p.240)

1 John 3:1-7

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Anthem

*I Want Jesus to Walk With Me*  
The Chancel Choir

African-American  
Spiritual

Second Scripture Reading (NT, p.91)

Luke 24:36b-48

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

The Rev. Nancy Conklin

**\*Hymn 263**

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!*

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

*How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place*  
The Chancel Choir

Robert J. Powell

\*Doxology (Tune: "Old Hundredth")

*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

God of great gifts: This morning we give you praise, we give you glory, we give you thanks! With resurrection humming in our hearts, our minds are tuned to your song of peace! We joyfully present these gifts to you, a tangible chorus of thanksgiving, a harmony of hope for your kingdom come! 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 260

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

\*Benediction

Postlude

*Hallelujah, What a Savior*

Philip P. Bliss  
arr. Norman Johnson

## **CAMP HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OFFICERS THE SESSION**

**Moderator:** The Rev. Nancy Conklin

**Clerk of Session:** Beth Fine

**Treasurer:** David Watts

**Class of 2024:** Beth Fine, Dick Michaelian, Dolores Peffley, Robert Shaw, Bruce Williamson

**Class of 2025:** Jeff Heiss, Bryan Kostukovich, John Robinson, David Watts, Monica Zazworsky

**Class of 2026:** David Getz, John Groff, Joe Harner, Carol Helsel, Jeff Thompson

## **BOARD OF DEACONS**

**Moderator:** John Zazworsky

**Class of 2024:** Roberta Brown, Alice Crossland, Christina Forbrich, Lydia Keller, Carol Staz,  
Cindy Thompson, John Zazworsky

**Class of 2025:** Susan Ault, Dean Crossland, Peggy Heiss, Lisa Love

**Class of 2026:** Sandy Bogden, Ann Kalata, Molly McBride, Anne Gray Sarvis

## **ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE**

**Chair:** Rob Coffman

**Class of 2024:** John Alford, Monica Zazworsky

**Class of 2025:** Rob Shaw

**Class of 2026:** Rob Coffman, Kacey Wiedt

## CHPC WEEKLY CALENDAR

### **Monday, April 15**

- 10 a.m. — Staff Meeting; Pastor's Study
- 1 p.m. — Quilters & Crafters for Mission; Q&C Room
- 1:30 p.m. — Peace Advocates Meeting; Blue Room
- 7 p.m. — Board of Deacons Meeting; Blue Room
- 7 p.m. — Pax Christi Meeting; Reception Room

### **Tuesday, April 16**

- 6 p.m. — West Shore A.A. Big Book Study; Fellowship Hall
- 7 p.m. — Church Administration Ministry Meeting; Pastor's Study

### **Wednesday, April 17**

- 10 a.m. — Prayer Fellowship; Blue Room
- 6 p.m. — Handbell Choir Rehearsal; Music Room
- 7 p.m. — Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room
- 7 p.m. — AED/CPR Training; Fellowship Hall

### **Sunday, April 21**

- 8:30 a.m. — ARISE Worship Service; Sanctuary
- 9 a.m. — Exegesis Adult Sunday School Class; Blue Room and via Zoom
- 9 a.m. — Men's Bible Study; Green Room
- 9:45 a.m. — Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room
- 10:30 a.m. — Worship Service; Sanctuary

## IT'S HAPPENING AT CHPC

- Local award-winning Celtic nu-folk band **Seasons** performs at CHPC **today at 3 p.m. in the Sanctuary**. This free 80-minute concert will be followed by a light reception in Fellowship Hall. You don't want to miss this popular sibling group in what is sure to be a lively and packed event!
- This month's **AED/CPR training is being rescheduled for the fall**. Look for more information in August.
- **Wanted for CHPC: durable, quality patio furniture**. To help us continue to use our beautiful front porch for summer worship, pop-up musical offerings, and other community events, we are looking for a couple of sets of outdoor tables and chairs. If you or someone you know is downsizing, moving, or otherwise ridding themselves of such items, please let the staff know. (Hopefully, you've seen how nice and welcoming our new bench looks in the front yard!)
- **"Courageous Conversations"** continues on **Sunday, April 21, at 6:30 p.m. at St. Paul's United Church of Christ, 626 Williams Grove Road, Mechanicsburg**, when the threat of white Christian nationalism will be discussed. Then, on **Sunday, April 28, at 4:30 p.m., all are invited to a free screening of the documentary "God and Country" at Midtown Cinema, 250 Reily St., Harrisburg**. According to the film's website, it explores "Christian nationalism, which is the belief that America should be defined as a Christian nation, with government adherence to this ideology. 'God & Country' takes a closer look at the dangerous implications and explores how a base of Christians has radically stoked a movement erasing the line between Church and State. 'God & Country' speaks directly to the almost 200 million Americans who identify as Christians: Christians who fear their faith is being hijacked by an extreme right wing political movement known as Christian nationalism." The film features many of today's most prominent and well-respected voices of Christianity.
- Presbyterian Women will hold an **Election Day Bake Sale on Tuesday, April 23, from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.** The group is **seeking baked goods donations**. For more information, pick up a flyer in the Gathering Place or contact Dawn Murray at (717) 737-5139. All proceeds from the sale will benefit PW mission projects.
- Registration for our annual trip to **Mission at the Eastward (MATE)** is open. The trip, set for **Saturday, July 20, through Saturday, July 27**, will take us again to the MATE Housing Ministry in Farmington, Maine. Join us for a fantastic week of faith, service, and fun! **Registration forms, available in the Gathering Place, are due Tuesday, April 30**. For more info, contact Nancy Flint at [nflint.home@gmail.com](mailto:nflint.home@gmail.com) or (717) 576-1513.

## 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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**Associate Pastor — The Rev. Stuart Seelman**

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

**Organist/Choir Director — Byron Mikesell**

**Office Manager — Andrea Ebeling**

**Preschool Director — Dana Tarnoci**

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

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