

 **CAMP HILL
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH**



Fourth Sunday of Eastertide

April 21, 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).

*Cathy Snavelly and Jon Emig present this morning's flowers in honor of the baptism of
their granddaughter, Adelaide Jeanne Sholly.*

*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

The Church's One Foundation
CHPC Brass Choir

Dale Grotenhuis

Welcome

*Call to Worship (Psalm 23)

L: The Lord is our shepherd,

P: **We shall not want.**

L: The Lord makes us lie down in green pastures,

P: **And leads us by still waters.**

L: The Lord restores our souls,

P: **And guides us along right paths for His name's sake.**

L: Though we walk through the valley of the shadow of death,

P: **We will fear no evil, for our Lord is with us; His rod and staff comfort us.**

L: The Lord prepares a table before us in the presence of our enemies,

P: **And anoints our heads with oil; our cups overflow.**

L: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow us all the days of our lives,

P: **And we shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

*Hymn 267

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

*Prayer of Approach

Almighty God, you sent Jesus, our good Shepherd, to gather us together. May we not wander from his flock, but follow wherever he leads us, listening for his voice and staying near him until we are safely in your fold, to live with you forever; through Jesus

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

Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The Sacrament of Baptism — Adelaide Jeanne Sholly, daughter of Josh & Rebecca Sholly

Presentation

Profession of Faith

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Thanksgiving Over the Water

The Baptism

Laying on of Hands and Anointing

Welcome

Baptismal Hymn 486

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

First Scripture Reading (NT, p.240)

1 John 3:16-24

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Anthem

For the Beauty of the Earth

John Rutter

The Chancel Choir

Second Scripture Reading (NT, p.103)

John 10:11-15

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon

The Rev. Nancy Conklin

*Hymn 353

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

Pavane

Gabriel Fauré

The CHPC Handbell Choir

arr. Kevin McChesney

*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 new life, out of the abundance of our lives, we offer these gifts to you. Through your blessing and our willingness to share, may these offerings become a source for hope and love in this church family and in the community beyond us, in the name of Jesus Christ. 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 268

Crown Him With Many Crowns

*Benediction

Postlude

Holy God, We Praise Your Name
CHPC Brass Choir

Paul Manz
arr. Benjamin Culli

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 22

- 10 a.m. — Staff Meeting; Pastor's Study
- 1 p.m. — Quilters & Crafters for Mission; Q&C Room
- 4 p.m. — Election Day Setup; Fellowship Hall/Gathering Place
- 7 p.m. — Session Meeting; Blue Room

Tuesday, April 23

- Election Day Polling Place with PW Election Day Bake Sale; Fellowship Hall/Gathering Place
- 6 p.m. — West Shore A.A. Big Book Study; Reception Room

Wednesday, April 24

- 10 a.m. — Prayer Fellowship; Blue Room
- 6 p.m. — Handbell Choir Rehearsal; Music Room
- 7 p.m. — Chancel Choir Rehearsal; Music Room

Thursday, April 25

- 1:30 p.m. — CCU Golf Committee Meeting; Fellowship Hall (window side)

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

■ **“Courageous Conversations”** continues today at 6:30 p.m. at St. Paul’s United Church of Christ, 626 Williams Grove Road, Mechanicsburg; 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 or (717) 576-1513.

■ The **Cedar Cliff Sinfonietta**, a string ensemble from the West Shore School District under the direction of Morgan Hackett, will **perform at CHPC on Sunday, May 5, at 2 p.m.** The students are excited to present a collection of pieces by composers such as Bach, Mozart, Shostakovich, Vivaldi, and Saint-Saens. This performance is also Morgan’s graduation recital from Messiah University, where she’s been pursuing a degree in orchestral conducting. Please join us for this free event!

■ **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!)

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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