



Christ Presbyterian Church

Proclaiming Christ.
Loving & Serving Others.
Learning & Growing Together.



Gathering

PRELUDE

In Heavenly Love Abiding

Arr. Gilbert Martin

GREETING

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ... be with you all.
And also with you.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Please greet one another saying, 'Peace be with you'

CALL TO WORSHIP (Psalm 1, CEV)

God blesses those people who refuse evil advice and won't
follow sinners or join in sneering at God.

**Instead, they find happiness in the Teaching of the
LORD, and they think about it day and night.**

They are like trees growing beside a stream,
trees that produce fruit in season and always have leaves.

Those people succeed in everything they do.

That isn't true of those who are evil—they are like straw
blown by the wind.

**Sinners won't have an excuse on the day of judgment,
and they won't have a place with the people of God.**

The LORD protects everyone who follows him,
but the wicked follow a road that leads to ruin.

*HYMN #14

For the Beauty of the Earth

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God of love, we confess that we have reduced your
commands to empty rules. Too rarely do we take the high road of loving, and even then,
the best love we can offer to you and to others is a partial love. Be gracious to us; in your
mercy hear us. Increase our ability and eagerness to know, show, and share your love as
you have blessed us abundantly.**

(Please remain in silence as we confess our own personal sins)... Amen.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Remember your baptism and believe the good news.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

Baptism Sunday Sunday, Oct 25, 2026

ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

Rev. Lynn Miller, Preacher
Joe Calhoun, Liturgist
Reid Weisinger, Acolyte
Louise & Richard Sis, Ushers
Louise Sis, Greeter

WORSHIP INFORMATION

Prayer Cards are available
in the pew racks and will be
collected by ushers during the
first hymn.

Bold print indicates
congregational reading or sung
response (italics).

An asterisk * indicates to rise in
body or spirit.

Gray box indicates worship
enrichment information

See the back page for additional
hospitality information

*SUNG RESPONSE #581

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.***

The Word

ANTHEM

The Church's One Foundation
Adult Handbell Choir

Arr. Lloyd Larson

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON: Matthew 22:34-46

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God



**Baker Nathaniel
Hockensmith**

Son of Jake and
Lindsey (Goas) Hockensmith
and younger brother of Piper.
Grandson of
Leigh and Ben Goas
and Denise Hockensmith.
Greatgrandson of
the late Sally Goas.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

PRESENTATION

INTRODUCTION

QUESTIONS TO THE PARENTS

QUESTIONS TO THE CHILDREN OF THE CONGREGATION

QUESTIONS TO THE CONGREGATION

Do we, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture Baker by word and deed, with love and prayer? Do we? **We do.**

Will we encourage him to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of this church? Will we? **We will.**

PROFESSION OF FAITH (Apostles' Creed—traditional)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell; the third day, he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, where he sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of the saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

The Lord be with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

And also with you.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE BAPTISM

WELCOME

Welcome, Child of God
*Raindrops, oceans, lakes, and rivers; welcome, child of God.
Mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters; welcome, child of God.
When the world feels wide around you,
When the dark of night surrounds you,
We are here to tend and guide you.
Welcome, child of God.*

PRAYER

SECOND & THIRD SCRIPTURE READINGS: Deuteronomy 6:1-7 (excerpts); Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Loving God, Loving Our Neighbor

Rev. Lynn Miller

Responding

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Debt/Debtors)

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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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY

Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word

Joseph Klug
Arr. Colin Curtis

*DOXOLOGY #606

Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow
***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. (*or him)***

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Sending

*HYMN #275

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Toccata on "Ein feste Burg"

Martin Luther
Arr. Craig Penfield

Welcome to Christ Presbyterian Church

www.christchurchcamphill.org

Please Sign the Pew Pad: We invite everyone, first-time guests and longtime worshipers alike, to sign the attendance pad at the end of your pew and pass it along the row. It helps us know who is worshiping with us today and gives us the opportunity to welcome one another. When finished, remove the top page and place it in the offering plate.

Hearing & Vision accommodations are available to help you fully participate in worship:

- **Large print hymns and copies of this week's sermon** can be picked up at the bulletin stations in the lounge or narthex.
- **Bluetooth audio** connection via the *Wavecast App* is available. Find information about connecting in the pew racks or by visiting the tech booth in the rear of the Sanctuary.

Children are an important part of our worshiping community and are always welcome in the Sanctuary. To support families, we also offer the following options:

- **Nursery Care:** Supervised care is available for children through age 5 in the Nursery Suite.
- **Worship Bags:** Worshipers of all ages are invited to build their own worship bag at the station in the Lounge.
- **Pew Prep:** Following the Conversation, children ages 4–2nd grade are invited to the Pew Prep and will return to worship during the Doxology.

Offering: Your generosity helps support the mission and ministry of Christ Presbyterian Church. Gifts may be given:

- during worship by placing cash or a check (payable to Christ Presbyterian Church) in the offering plate, or you may make a
- secure digital gift online at <http://bit.ly/Gift2CPC> or by scanning the QR to the right.



Sunday Flowers: The flowers in the sanctuary are a form of liturgical art that enhances our worship and points us toward God's creation, grace, and beauty. Today's flowers are given by Nina and Dave Duke.

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Thank You for Worshiping with Us!

If you'd like to learn more about our church, meet the pastor, or discover ways to proclaim Christ, love and serve others, and grow together, we'd love to connect with you. Please share your contact information in the Pew Pad at the end of the pew, visit the Welcome Center in the lounge after worship, or reach out to us during the week.



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