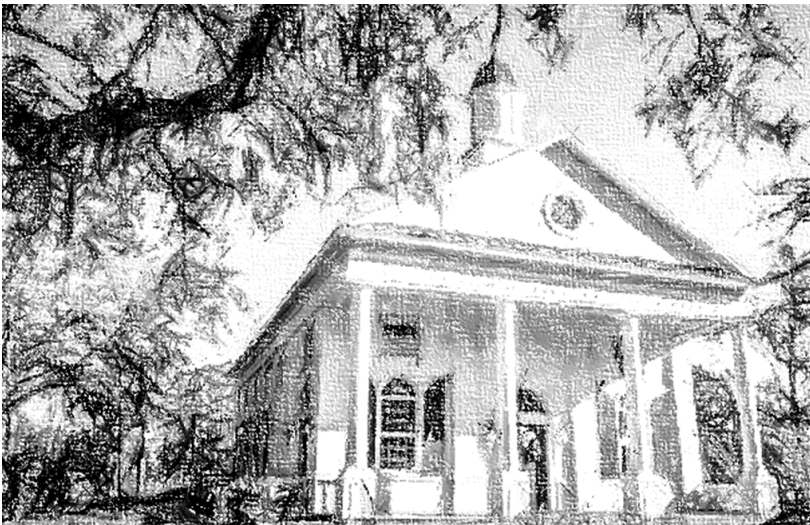


# CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



*August 31, 2025*

A CONGREGATION OF THE  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA



# WELCOME TO CCP

*Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,  
looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith. – Hebrews 12:2*

## VISITORS



Please scan the QR code and fill out any info you'd like to share with us so that we may get to know you better! You can also fill out a physical card if you prefer and place it in the offering plate during the collection.

## ABOUT CHURCH CREEK



Scan the QR code to explore our website! You can access sermons, Sunday School audio, upcoming church-wide events, ministry information, staff contact information, theological resources and more.

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## TODAY

**MORNING WORSHIP | 10:45 AM**

**PRAYER & PRAISE SERVICE | 5:30 PM**

### NURSERY

Our nursery is in the Fellowship Hall next door for children ages 0-3. For nursing mothers or couples with infants/young toddlers, there is a nursing/cry room located at the back of the Sanctuary.

### DEACON ON CALL FOR SEPTEMBER

Erik Menanno - (724)771-8309

# The Order of Public Worship

Aug 31, 2025

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.



## INTROIT

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## MEDITATION VERSES

*John 7:37-39*

On the last day of the feast, the great day, Jesus stood up and cried out, "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, 'Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.'" Now this he said about the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were to receive, for as yet the Spirit had not been given, because Jesus was not yet glorified.

## PRELUDE

## CALL TO WORSHIP

*Psalms 96:1-5*

Oh sing to the Lord a new song;  
sing to the Lord, all the earth!  
Sing to the Lord, bless his name;  
tell of his salvation from day to day.  
Declare his glory among the nations,  
his marvelous works among all the peoples!  
For great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;  
he is to be feared above all gods.  
For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols,  
but the Lord made the heavens.

## PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✠ Congregation  
Standing

✠ HYMN OF PRAISE

*Behold Our God*

*Who has held the oceans in His hands  
Who has numbered every grain of sand  
Kings and nations tremble at His voice  
All creation rises to rejoice*

***[Chorus] Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him***

*Who has given counsel to the Lord  
Who can question any of His words  
Who can teach the One who knows all things  
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds **[Chorus]***

*Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man  
God eternal humbled to the grave  
Jesus Savior risen now to reign*

***[Chorus] Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him. Amen!***

**LAW OF GOD**

*James 5:13-16*

Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

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Grace Worship*

## SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

### CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

*O merciful Father, regard not what we have done against you, but what our blessed Savior has done for us. Regard not what we have made ourselves, but what he is made unto us of you, our God. O that Christ may be to every one of our souls, wisdom and righteousness, sanctification and redemption! That his precious blood may cleanse us from all our sins; and that your Holy Spirit may renew and sanctify our souls. May he crucify our flesh with his affections and lusts, and mortify all our members which are upon earth. O let not sin reign in our mortal bodies, that we should obey in the lusts thereof; but being made free from sin, let us be the servants of righteousness. Amen.*

*NOTE: The Corporate Confession of Sin is prayed in unison by the congregation*

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*Romans 5:1-2*

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Westminster Shorter Catechism Q91-93*

Q. 91. How do the sacraments become effectual means of salvation?

*A. The sacraments become effectual means of salvation, not from any virtue in them, or in him that does administer them; but only by the blessing of Christ, and the working of His Spirit in them that by faith receive them.*

Q. 92. What is a sacrament?

*A. A sacrament is a holy ordinance instituted by Christ; in which, by sensible signs, Christ and the benefits of the new covenant are represented, sealed, and applied to believers.*

Q. 93. Which are the sacraments of the New Testament?

*A. The sacraments of the New Testament are baptism, and the Lord's Supper.*



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## OLD TESTAMENT TEXT

*2 Kings 9:30-37*

## COLLECTION

*2 Corinthians 8:1-4*

We want you to know, brothers, about the grace of God that has been given among the churches of Macedonia, for in a severe test of affliction, their abundance of joy and their extreme poverty have overflowed in a wealth of generosity on their part. For they gave according to their means, as I can testify, and beyond their means, of their own accord, begging us earnestly for the favor of taking part in the relief of the saints.

## OFFERTORY

*My Hope Is in the Lord #523*

*My hope is in the Lord who gave himself for me,  
and paid the price of all my sin at Calvary.  
For me He died, for me He lives,  
and everlasting life and light He freely gives.*

*No merit of my own his anger to suppress,  
My only hope is found in Jesus' righteousness.  
For me He died, for me He lives,  
and everlasting life and light He freely gives.*

*And now for me he stands before the Father's throne.  
He shows his wounded hands, and names me as his own.  
For me He died, for me He lives,  
and everlasting life and light He freely gives.*

*His grace has planned it all, 'tis mine but to believe,  
and recognize his work of love and Christ receive.  
For me He died, for me He lives,  
and everlasting life and light He freely gives.*

## PASTORAL PRAYER

## SERMON TEXT

*Philippians 3:1-11*

## SERMON

*Joyful Confidence*

## THE LORD'S SUPPER

*We celebrate the Lord's Supper using bread and wine. Gluten free wafers are available as well. Grape juice is available and will be found in the outer ring of the tray.*

*Pastor Nick Batzig*

*Not what my hands have done  
can save my guilty soul;  
not what my toiling flesh has borne  
can make my spirit whole.  
Not what I feel or do  
can give me peace with God;  
not all my prayers and sighs and tears  
can bear my awful load.*

*Thy work alone, O Christ,  
can ease this weight of sin;  
thy blood alone, O Lamb of God,  
can give me peace within.  
Thy love to me, O God,  
not mine, O Lord to thee,  
can rid me of this dark unrest,  
and set my spirit free.*

*Thy grace alone, O God,  
to me can pardon speak;  
thy pow'r alone, O Son of God,  
can this sore bondage break.  
No other work, save thine,  
no other blood will do;  
no strength, save that which is divine,  
can bear me safely through.*

*I bless the Christ of God;  
I rest on love divine;  
and with unfalt'ring lip and heart,  
I call this Savior mine.  
This cross dispels each doubt;  
I bury in his tomb  
each thought of unbelief and fear,  
each ling'ring shade of gloom.*

*...Continued...*

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*I praise the God of grace;  
I trust his truth and might;  
he calls me his, I call him mine,  
my God, my joy, my light.  
'Tis he who saveth me,  
and freely pardon gives;  
I love because he loveth me,  
I live because he lives.*

✠ **BENEDICTION**

*Numbers 6:24-26*

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to  
shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his  
countenance upon you and give you peace.

✠ **RESPONSE**

*Psalms 72:18-29 DUNDEE*

*Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel,  
For He alone doth wondrous works in glory that excel.*

*And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity:  
The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be. Amen.*

✠ **POSTLUDE**





# **Morning Sermon Notes**

*Pastor Nick Batzig*

*"Joyful Confidence"*

*Philippians 3:1-11*

# Announcements, Sunday School & Bible Studies

## SUNDAY SCHOOL | 9:15AM

- Adult Sunday School meets in the main worship space of the Sanctuary.
- Preschool Sunday School meets in the Nursing/Cry Room in the back of the Sanctuary.
- 1st-5th Grade Sunday School meets in the right wing of the Fellowship Hall.
- Middle School Sunday School meets in Pastor Batzig's office.
- High School Sunday School meets in the left wing of the Fellowship Hall.
- Brodie and Kendall McKoy lead a prayer group that meets at 10:05am in one of the wings of the Fellowship Hall.

## COLLEGE & CAREER FELLOWSHIP | EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> FRIDAY

We are launching a college and career fellowship night on the second Friday of each month for those who are in their 20's and early 30's. This is a great way to connect with others in a similar stage of life. **The first meeting will be on Friday, September 12.** More details to come!

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES | EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> & 4<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY

This fall, the Women of CCP will begin working through a study on the book of Luke, using *Luke: That You May Have Certainty Concerning the Faith* by Sarah Ivill. **The study will meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month, beginning on September 10.** The morning study will meet at 9:30am and the evening study will meet at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.

All women and teenage girls are invited to attend! Childcare will be available during the morning session. To register, please sign up using the QR code below or reach out to Katie Guffey at [kgguffey23@gmail.com](mailto:kgguffey23@gmail.com).



## SMALL GROUPS | EVERY 1<sup>ST</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> WEDNESDAY

Small groups typically meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month in the evening to discuss God's Word, to pray together, and to develop relationships with other members in the church. We have groups throughout the Charleston area. If you would like more information about small groups, please contact Caleb Willingham at [caleb@church-creek.org](mailto:caleb@church-creek.org).

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## SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES



Please scan this QR Code to fill out our Service Opportunities form.  
We would love to know more about your gifts and the areas in which  
you would like to serve at CCP!

## CCP ELDERS

Nick Batzig | *Senior Pastor*  
Caleb Willingham | *Assistant Pastor*  
Michael Walters | *Teaching Elder*  
(on Sabbatical through 2025)  
D.B. Cummings | *Clerk*  
Jeff Beall  
Matt Geiger  
Tripp Wiles  
David Walters, Sr. | *Emeritus*  
Dean Ezell | *Emeritus*  
Bill McLellan | *Emeritus*

## CCP DEACONS

Ron Vanderwey | *Chairman*  
Erik Menanno | *Clerk*  
Matthew Guffey | *Finance*  
Jordan Frizzell  
Ken Fipps

## CCP STAFF

Nick Batzig | *Senior Pastor*  
Caleb Willingham | *Assistant Pastor*  
Claire Gottshalk | *Office Administrator*  
Brook Rhodes | *Nursery Coordinator*  
Heidi Roope | *Children's Ministry Coordinator*  
Jordan Frizzell | *Facilities Manager*  
Josh Stone | *Audio/Video Manager*  
Joanne Janus | *Piano Accompanist*  
Soohyun Yun | *Piano Accompanist*



THE CHARLESTON  
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

The Charleston Christian School is a ministry of Church Creek Presbyterian, founded in 1981 to educate the children of Christian families. For more information about CCS, please visit [www.charlestonchristian.org](http://www.charlestonchristian.org).

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