CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



February 9, 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.

TODAY

SUNDAY SCHOOL | 9:15 AM

MORNING WORSHIP | 10:45 AM

EVENING WORSHIP | 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 FEBRUARY

Jordan Frizzell - (843) 367-9121

The Order of Public Worship

February 9, 2025

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.



INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEDITATION VERSES

Romans 6:17-18

But thanks be to God, that you who were once slaves of sin have become obedient from the heart to the standard of teaching to which you were committed, and, having been set free from sin, have become slaves of righteousness.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 33:1-5

Shout for joy in the Lord, O you righteous!
Praise befits the upright.
Give thanks to the Lord with the lyre;
make melody to him with the harp of ten strings!
Sing to him a new song;
play skillfully on the strings, with loud shouts.
For the word of the Lord is upright,
and all his work is done in faithfulness.
He loves righteousness and justice;
the earth is full of the steadfast love of the Lord.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

∮ Congregation
Standing

HYMN OF PRAISE

Take My Life and Let It Be #585

Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee.
Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise, let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee, swift and beautiful for thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing, always, only, for my King.
Take my lips, and let them be filled with messages from thee, filled with messages from thee.

Take my silver and my gold; not a mite would I withhold. Take my intellect, and use ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose, ev'ry pow'r as thou shalt choose.

Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine.
Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne, it shall be thy royal throne.

Take my love; my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure store.

Take my self, and I will be ever, only, all for thee, ever, only, all for thee. Amen.

LAW OF GOD John 15:9-12

"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full. This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you."

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

O most great, most just and gracious God; you are of purer eyes than to behold iniquity. You condemn the ungodly, unrepentant, and unbelievers; but you have promised mercy through Jesus Christ to all who repent and believe in him. Therefore we confess that we are sinful by nature and that we have all sinned and come short of the glory of God. We have neglected and abused your holy worship and your holy name. We have dealt unjustly and uncharitably with our neighbors. We have not sought first your kingdom and righteousness. We have not been content with our daily bread. You have revealed your wonderful love to us in Christ and offered us pardon and salvation in him; but we have turned away. We have run into temptation; and the sin that we should have hated, we have committed. Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. We confess you alone are our hope. Make us your children and give us the Spirit of your Son, our only Savior. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Romans 8:31-34

What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

NOTE: The Corporate Confession of Sin is prayed in unison by the congregation Westminster Shorter Catechism Q33

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Q. 33. What is justification?

A. Justification is an act of God's free grace, in which He pardons all our sins, and accepts us as righteous in His sight, only for the righteousness of Christ imputed to us, and received by faith alone.

OLD TESTAMENT TEXT

Genesis 22:1-24

COLLECTION

Acts 2:44-46

All who believed were together and had all things in common. And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts.

OFFERTORY

He Will Hold Me Fast



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When I fear my faith will fail Christ will hold me fast When the tempter would prevail He will hold me fast I could never keep my hold Through life's fearful path For my love is often cold He must hold me fast

[Chorus] He will hold me fast He will hold me fast For my Savior loves me so He will hold me fast

Those He saves are His delight Christ will hold me fast Precious in His holy sight He will hold me fast He'll not let my soul be lost His promises shall last Bought by Him at such a cost He will hold me fast [Chorus]

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Words by Ada Habershon (vv. 1-2) and Matt Berker (alt words vv. 1-2 & v.3), Music by Matt Berker; © 2013 Getty Publishing and Matt Berker/BMI For my life He bled and died
Christ will hold me fast
Justice has been satisfied
He will hold me fast
Raised with Him to endless life
He will hold me fast
'Til our faith is turned to sight
When He comes at last! [Chorus]

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON TEXTHebrews 11:17–19

SERMON A Better Resurrection

THE LORD'S SUPPER

¥ HYMN

Have Thine Own Way, Lord! #688

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Thou art the potter; I am the clay. Mold me and make me after thy will, while I am waiting, yielded and still.

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Search me and try me, Master, today! Whiter than snow, Lord, wash me just now, as in thy presence humbly I bow.

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Wounded and weary, help me, I pray! Power, all power, surely is thine! Touch me and heal me, Savior divine!

Have thine own way, Lord! Have thine own way! Hold o'er my being absolute sway! Fill with thy Spirit till all shall see Christ only, always, living in me! Pastor Nick Batzig

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.

BENEDICTION

2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

≸ RESPONSE

Psalm 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

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Morning Sermon Notes Pastor Nick Batzig

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"A Better Resurrection"
Hebrews 11:17-19

Announcements, Sunday School & Bible Studies

SUNDAY SCHOOL | 9:15 AM

- -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.

SMALL GROUPS | EVERY 1st & 3rd WEEK

CCP small groups typically meet the 1st and 3rd weeks of the month, with the day determined by the group. Small groups meet to hear from 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 the groups or would like to join one, please contact Caleb Willingham at caleb@church-creek.org.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES | EVERY 2nd & 4th WEDNESDAY

The Women's Morning (9:30 AM) and Evening (6:30 PM) studies meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month in the Fellowship Hall. **They will meet again this Wednesday, February 12.** They are currently studying *Habakkuk: Learning to Live by Faith* by Lydia Brownback. Childcare will be available for the morning session. Please contact kguffey23@gmail.com with any questions.

WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT | MARCH 28-30, 2025

The final day to register for the Women's Retreat is tomorrow, February 10!

Location: St. Christopher's Camp (Seabrook Island)

Cost: \$200 (\$100 deposit to reserve your spot) – Full payment is due by 2/28/25 Registration: Please use your Church Center App or the QR code on the next page to register.

WOMEN'S SPRING RETREAT REGISTRATION



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)
David Walters, Sr. | Clerk
D.B. Cummings
Jeff Beall
Matt Geiger
Tripp Wiles
Dean Ezell | Emeritus
Bill McLellan | Emeritus

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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
Joanne Janus | Piano Accompanist
Soohyun Yun | Piano Accompanist



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.

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