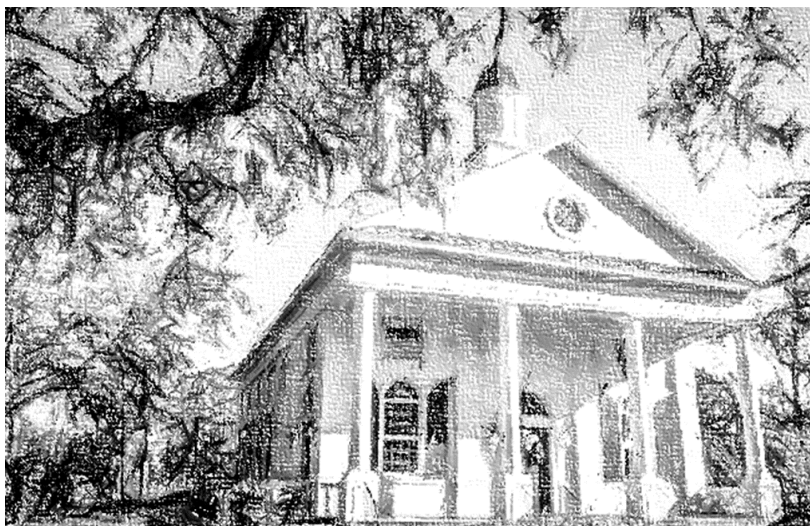


CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



July 14, 2024

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

MORNING WORSHIP | 10:45 AM

EVENING WORSHIP | 5:30 PM

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for an evening sermon series on *The Psalms: Singing the Songs of the Son*.

NURSERY

Parents, we have a nursery located in the Fellowship Hall next door for children ages 0-3. For those who are training their young children to sit through the worship service, we have sought to accommodate for this with the Worship Training Room, located at the back of the Sanctuary.

DEACON ON CALL FOR JULY

Erik Menanno (724) 771-8309

The Order of Public Worship

July 14, 2024

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.



INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEDITATION VERSES

Hebrews 2:1-4

Therefore we must pay much closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For since the message declared by angels proved to be reliable, and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, while God also bore witness by signs and wonders and various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 117:1, 2

Praise the Lord, all nations!
Extol him, all peoples!
For great is his steadfast love toward us,
and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever.
Praise the Lord!

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✠ Congregation
Standing

✠ **HYMN OF PRAISE**

He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought #600

*He leadeth me: O blessed thought!
O words with heav'nly comfort fraught!
Whate'er I do, where'er I be,
still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.*

**[Refrain] He leadeth me, he leadeth me;
by his own hand he leadeth me:
his faithful foll'wer I would be,
for by his hand he leadeth me.**

*Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom,
sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom,
by waters calm, o'er troubled sea,
still 'tis his hand that leadeth me. [Refrain]*

*Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine,
nor ever murmur nor repine;
content, whatever lot I see,
since 'tis my God that leadeth me. [Refrain]*

*And when my task on earth is done,
when, by thy grace, the vict'ry's won,
e'en death's cold wave I will not flee,
since God through Jordan leadeth me. [Refrain]*

LAW OF GOD

Exodus 20:7

“You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain, for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.”

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

O Lord, the great and awesome God who keeps the covenant of love with all who love you and obey you and obey your commands, we have sinned and done wrong. We have been wicked and have rebelled; we have turned away from your commands and laws; we have not listened to your Word; we are a people of unclean lips who have forgotten our Christian heritage. Lord, you are righteous, but this day we are covered with shame. Do not deal with us as our sins deserve. For your sake, O Lord, look with favor upon this congregation and the land in which we live. Send your Spirit to turn us from our evil ways. We do not make requests of you because we are righteous but because of your great mercy. O Lord, hear our prayer; forgive our sin; heal our land. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

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

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.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Heidelberg Catechism
Q49-50*

Q. 49. How does Christ's ascension into heaven benefit us?

A. First, He is our Advocate in heaven before His Father. Second, we have our flesh in heaven as a sure pledge that He, our Head, will also take us, His members, up to Himself. Third, He sends us His Spirit as a counter-pledge, by whose power we seek the things that are above, where Christ is seated at the right hand of God, and not the things that are on earth.

Q. 50. Why is it added, And sits at the right hand of God?

A. Christ ascended into heaven to manifest Himself there as Head of His Church, through whom the Father governs all things.

OLD TESTAMENT TEXT

1 Kings 10:1-13

COLLECTION

2 Corinthians 8:9

For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich.

OFFERTORY

Blessed Assurance #693

*Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine!
O what a foretaste of glory divine!
Heir of salvation, purchase of God,
born of his Spirit, washed in his blood.*

**[Refrain] This is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long;
this is my story, this is my song,
praising my Savior all the day long.**

*Perfect submission, perfect delight,
visions of rapture now burst on my sight;
angels descending, bring from above
echoes of mercy, whispers of love. [Refrain]*

*Perfect submission, all is at rest;
I in my Savior am happy and blest;
watching and waiting, looking above,
filled with his goodness, lost in his love. [Refrain]*

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON TEXT

Hebrews 4:1-13

Pastor Nick Batzig

SERMON

A Better Rest (Part 2)

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.

✠ HYMN

Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ #524

*Thy works, not mine, O Christ,
speak gladness to this heart;
they tell me all is done;
they bid my fear depart.*

***[Refrain] To whom, save thee, who canst alone
for sin atone, Lord, shall I flee?***

*Thy pains, not mine, O Christ,
upon the shameful tree,
have paid the law's full price
and purchased peace for me. [Refrain]*

*Thy cross, not mine, O Christ,
has borne the awful load
of sins that none in heav'n
or earth could bear but God. [Refrain]*

*Thy righteousness, O Christ,
alone can cover me:
no righteousness avails
save that which is of thee. [Refrain]*

✠ **BENEDICTION**

Romans 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

✠ **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
"A Better Rest" (Part 2)
Hebrews 4:1-13

Sunday School & Bible Studies

SUNDAY SCHOOL | BEGINS SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

Sunday School is currently suspended through June and July. We will begin all Sunday School classes again on Sunday, August 4.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PRAYER GROUP

Brodie and Kendall McKoy lead a prayer group that meets in the Pastor's Office in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour. They are currently taking a break through the Summer.

MEN'S BREAKFAST AND BIBLE STUDY | SATURDAY, JULY 20

The men of CCP typically meet *every other* Saturday morning in the Fellowship Hall for a Men's Breakfast and Bible Study. They will meet less frequently during the Summer.

Their next meeting will be this Saturday, July 20, from 8:00 to 9:30am. They are currently working through a Ligonier teaching series by Dr. Robert Godfrey on the book of Revelation. Breakfast will be provided!

WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY | WEDNESDAYS

The Women's Evening Summer study began on June 5. They are studying the book, *1 Peter: Grace-Driven Discipleship in a Difficult Age* by Jonathan Nielson. Description: "*Christians are aliens and exiles in an often hostile world—and yet the work of Christ enables us to live lives that are marked by hope, joy, courage, and faithfulness.*" The morning group will break for the summer. **The evening study meets each Wednesday at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall.** Ashley Chandler leads the discussion each week. Please arrange childcare if needed, as it will not be provided.

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THE CHARLESTON
CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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