

CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



June 1, 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

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 JUNE

Ken Fipps – (843) 557-4258

The Order of Public Worship

June 1, 2025

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.



INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEDITATION VERSES

Titus 3:4-7

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 118:1-4

Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever!
Let Israel say,
"His steadfast love endures forever."
Let the house of Aaron say,
"His steadfast love endures forever."
Let those who fear the Lord say,
"His steadfast love endures forever."

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✠ Congregation
Standing

✠ HYMN OF PRAISE

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise #38

*Immortal, invisible, God only wise,
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,
most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.*

*Unresting, unhasting and silent as light,
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;
thy justice like mountains high soaring above
thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.*

*Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;
all praise we would render; O help us to see
'tis only the splendor of light hideth thee! Amen!*

LAW OF GOD

Philippians 2:1-5

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus.

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Lord, though You should guide us, we inform ourselves; though You should rule us, we control ourselves; though You should fulfill us, we console ourselves. We think your truth too high, your will too hard, your power too remote, your love too free. But they are not! And without them, we are of all people most miserable. Now heal our confused minds with your word, heal our divided wills with your law, heal our troubled consciences with your love, heal our anxious hearts with your presence, all for the sake of your Son, who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

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

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Psalm 32:1-2, 5

Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven,
whose sin is covered.
Blessed is the man against whom the Lord counts no iniquity,
and in whose spirit there is no deceit.
I acknowledged my sin to you,
and I did not cover my iniquity;
I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord,"
and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Westminster Shorter
Catechism
Q63-66*

Q. 63. Which is the fifth commandment?

*A. The fifth commandment is, Honor your father and your mother:
that your days may be long upon the land which the Lord your
God gives you.*

Q. 64. What is required in the fifth commandment?

*A. The fifth commandment requires preserving the honor, and
performing the duties, belonging to everyone in their several
places and relations, as superiors, inferiors, or equals.*

Q. 65. What is forbidden in the fifth commandment?

*A. The fifth commandment forbids the neglecting of, or doing
anything against, the honor and duty which belongs to everyone
in their several places and relations.*

Q. 66. What is the reason annexed to the fifth commandment?

*A. The reason annexed to the fifth commandment is a promise of
long life and prosperity (as far as it shall serve for God's glory, and
their own good) to all who keep this commandment.*

OLD TESTAMENT TEXT

2 Kings 3:1-27

COLLECTION

1 Corinthians 16:1-2

Now concerning the collection for the saints: as I directed the churches of Galatia, so you also are to do. On the first day of every week, each of you is to put something aside and store it up, as he may prosper, so that there will be no collecting when I come.



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OFFERTORY

God Himself Is with Us #382

*God himself is with us:
let us now adore him,
and with awe appear before him.
God is in his temple -
all within keep silence,
prostrate lie with deepest rev'rence.
Him alone God we own,
him, our God and Savior;
praise his name forever.*

*God himself is with us:
hear the harps resounding!
See the crowds the throne surrounding!
"Holy, holy, holy" -
hear the hymn ascending,
angels, saints, their voices blending!
Bow thine ear to us here:
hear, O Christ, the praises
that thy church now raises.*

*O thou fount of blessing,
purify my spirit;
trusting only in thy merit,
like the holy angels
who behold thy glory,
may I ceaselessly adore thee,
and in all, great and small,
seek to do most nearly
what thou lovest dearly.*

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON TEXT

Ecclesiastes 5:1-7

SERMON

The Silence of the Lambs

*Pastor
Caleb Willingham*

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

Holy, Holy, Holy! #100

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.*

*Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

✠ **BENEDICTION**

Hebrews 13:20-21

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead
our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood
of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that
you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his
sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.
Amen.

✠ **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 Caleb Willingham

"Fear, You Fools"

Ecclesiastes 5:1-7



Announcements, Sunday School & Bible Studies

ALL SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES ARE SUSPENDED IN JUNE AND JULY

SMALL GROUPS | EVERY 1st & 3rd WEEK

CCP small groups typically meet on 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 SUMMER BIBLE STUDY | WEDNESDAYS

This summer, the women of CCP will work through a Bible study on the book of Titus, using *Titus: Displaying the Gospel of Grace* by Courtney Doctor & Hunter Beless. All women and teenage girls are invited to attend. **The study will begin this Wednesday, June 4, and will meet every Wednesday in June and July (except for July 2nd) at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall.** To register, please scan the QR code below or reach out to Katie Guffey at kkguffey23@gmail.com. Please arrange childcare, if needed, as it will not be provided.



NEW MEMBERS/INQUIRERS CLASS



Please scan this QR code to sign up for our next New Members/Inquirers class on **Saturday, June 14, from 9:00am to 12:30pm**. This class is for those who wish to pursue membership at CCP and for those who would like to inquire more about membership.

FOUNDATIONS CLASS



Please scan this QR code to sign your child up for our next Foundations class. **This eight-week class will begin on Sunday, June 8, during the Sunday School hour (9:15am)** for children ages 10 and up whose parents are members and would like for the pastors and elders of CCP to help prepare them to come to the Lord's Supper. One or both parents are encouraged to attend. This is not a "confirmation class" but is rather a pre-communicant class that aims at assisting the parents in working with their children to help prepare them to be examined by the elders for communing membership at CCP. This is also a way for our covenant children to get to know the pastor(s) and elders better.

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
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.

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