# CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



September 14, 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**

#### NO EVENING WORSHIP

#### 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

Sept 14, 2025

**Morning Service** 

10:45 a.m.



**INTROIT** 

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

#### MEDITATION VERSES

Romans 6:3-5

Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his.

#### **PRELUDE**

#### CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 98:1-3

Oh sing to the Lord a new song,

for he has done marvelous things!

His right hand and his holy arm

have worked salvation for him.

The Lord has made known his salvation;

he has revealed his righteousness in the sight of the nations.

He has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness

to the house of Israel.

All the ends of the earth have seen

the salvation of our God.

#### PRAYER OF INVOCATION

∮ Congregation
Standing

## **\* HYMN OF PRAISE**

Rejoice, the Lord Is King #310

Rejoice, the Lord is King: your Lord and King adore! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing, and triumph evermore.

[Refrain] Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice!

Jesus the Savior reigns, the God of truth and love; when he had purged our stains, he took his seat above. [Refrain]

His kingdom cannot fail, he rules o'er earth and heav'n; the keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv'n. [Refrain]

He sits at God's right hand till all his foes submit, and bow to his command, and fall beneath his feet. [Refrain]

Rejoice in glorious hope! Our Lord, the Judge, shall come, and take his servants up to their eternal home.

[Refrain] Lift up your heart, lift up your voice! Rejoice, again I say, rejoice! Amen!

LAW OF GOD Exodus 20:4-6

"You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the Lord your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments."

#### SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

#### CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Our loving and gracious heavenly Father, as we consider the greatness of Your love in the giving of Your eternal Son for our sins, we humble ourselves in brokenness. We have not kept Your commandments. We have not done those things that are pleasing to You from our hearts. We have loved ourselves more than we have loved You, the God who has given us life, and breath, and all things. We have been full of pride and self-righteousness, seeking pleasure, possessions, and power for ourselves rather than seeking first Your kingdom and righteousness. We mourn over our sins and cry out to You to have mercy upon us. Hear us, we pray, for the sake of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ, and look on His atoning sacrifice. Pardon us, we pray, in Jesus' name. Amen.

#### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Joel 2:12-13

"Yet even now," declares the Lord, "return to me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning; and rend your hearts and not your garments." Return to the Lord your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love; and he relents over disaster.

#### **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Q. 96. What is the Lord's Supper?

A. The Lord's Supper is a sacrament, in which, by giving and receiving bread and wine, according to Christ's appointment, His death is showed forth; and the worthy receivers are, not after a corporal and carnal manner, but by faith, made partakers of His body and blood, with all His benefits, to their spiritual nourishment and growth in grace.

Q. 97. What is required for the worthy receiving of the Lord's Supper?

A. It is required of them that would worthily partake of the Lord's Supper, that they examine themselves, of their knowledge to discern the Lord's body, of their faith to feed upon Him, of their repentance, love, and new obedience; lest, coming unworthily, they eat and drink judgment to themselves.

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

Westminster Shorter Catechism 096-97



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Pastor Nick Batzig

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Piper Olivia Jarrard, daughter of Logan and Christie Jarrard

#### **OLD TESTAMENT TEXT**

2 Kings 10:18-36

#### COLLECTION

2 Corinthians 9:7

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

#### **OFFERTORY**

Like a River Glorious #699

Like a river glorious is God's perfect peace, over all victorious in its bright increase; perfect, yet it floweth fuller ev'ry day, perfect, yet it groweth deeper all the way.

[Refrain] Stayed upon Jehovah, hearts are fully blest, finding, as he promised, perfect peace and rest.

Hidden in the hollow of his blessed hand, never foe can follow, never traitor stand; not a surge of worry, not a shade of care, not a blast of hurry, touch the spirit there. [Refrain]

Ev'ry joy or trial falleth from above, traced upon our dial by the Sun of Love. We may trust him fully all for us to do; they who trust him wholly find him wholly true. [Refrain]

#### PASTORAL PRAYER

**SERMON TEXT** 

Philippians 4:1-9

SERMON

A Joyful Peace

#### 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.

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll; whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say, "It is well, it is well with my soul."

[Refrain] It is well with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.

Though Satan should buffet, though trials should come, let this blest assurance control, that Christ has regarded my helpless estate, and has shed his own blood for my soul. [Refrain]

My sin- O the bliss of this glorious thought!my sin, not in part, but the whole, is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more; praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! [Refrain]

O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled back as a scroll, the trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend; "Even so" – it is well with my soul. [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 Joyful Peace" Philippians 4:1-9

## **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.

#### NO EVENING WORSHIP TODAY

Please join us for Hope Community Church's particularization service, hosted at **Metro North PCA (109 Central Ave, Goose Creek, SC 29445) at 5:00PM.** 

#### COLLEGE & CAREER FELLOWSHIP | EVERY 2nd FRIDAY

This fellowship night occurs on the 2nd Friday of each month for college aged individuals and for those who have entered into careers in recent years.

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES | EVERY 2ND & 4TH WEDNESDAY

This fall, the Women of CCP are working through a study on the book of Luke, using *Luke: That You May Have Certainty Concerning the Faith* by Sarah Ivill. **The study meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month**. The morning study meets at 9:30am and the evening study meets 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 <a href="mailto:kgguffey23@gmail.com">kgguffey23@gmail.com</a>.



## SMALL GROUPS | EVERY 1st & 3rd 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 <a href="mailto:caleb@church-creek.org">caleb@church-creek.org</a>.

# 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

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#### **CCP STAFF**

Nick Batzig | Senior Pastor
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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 is a ministry of Church Creek Presbyterian, founded in 1981 to educate the children of Christian families. For more information about CCS, please visit <a href="https://www.charlestonchristian.org">www.charlestonchristian.org</a>.

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