

Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church Welcome, Worship, Witness 11 a.m. Indoor Service Seventh Sunday after Epiphany February 23, 2025

Welcome to Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church, where all our members are ministers. We open our doors to all persons to join in worship, fellowship, educational programs, and service. We welcome into membership all who profess faith in Jesus Christ, every gender, race, ethnic origin, worldly conditions, sexual orientation, ability, or any other human condition.

WELCOME & PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Rev. Andrew Taylor-Troutman

Turn Again

The electricity cut off briefly, our oven's blinking clock a five-minute difference from my wristwatch. Some mornings I can't believe the moon is a crescent—wasn't it full just yesterday? We cannot stop time but might embrace before we release. What is finally in our grasp of control? Jesus said to turn the other cheek, and when I do, I see the dandelions are happy by the road, their smiley yellow faces turned toward the sun.

This is the day that the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it!

PRELUDE Daniel Seyfried

Welcome - we're glad you're here! If you are a visitor and would like to learn more about Chapel in the Pines, or be added to our newsletter list, or learn more about joining this church family, scan the QR code to share your visit with us so we can stay in touch! You may also fill out a green visitor card (found in the narthex and chair pockets) and place it in the offering basket.



Ways to Give to CITP

In Worship: Place your offering in the baskets during the Blessing of the Offering.

Online: Access our giving portal at citppc.org/donate-online/

Church information brochures, offering envelopes, note cards for prayer concerns and celebrations are inside the burgundy welcome folder in each chair back pocket. Please use what you need and return the folder to the chair pocket.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION - A prompt for confession by Padraig O Tauma We do not call it a "potato famine"—there was plenty of food in Ireland. It was greed, not mold, that rotted the lives of starving people. We call it *An Gorta Mór*: the great hunger. I grew up with stories of my grandfather's grandfather, who—alone among all his family—survived. He was seven or eight years old. I think of how the starvation that shaped my family's history is a demonstration of what *neighbor* means. It means many things at once: the known and unknown, the distant and the proximate, the loved and the loathed. We affect each other. This is terrible and true.

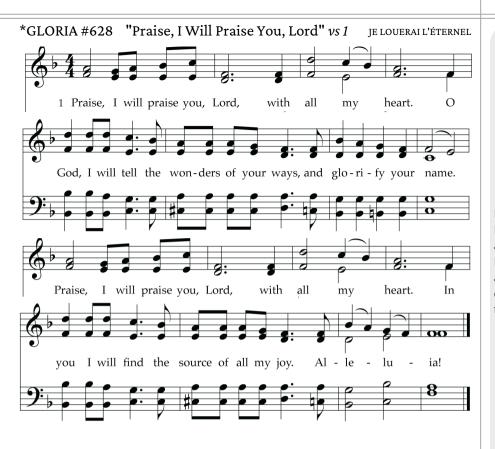
Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayers.**

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION



ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*PASSING OF THE PEACE
May the peace of Christ be with you; and also with you.



SCRIPTURE - Genesis 42-46 "Family Reunion" in The Peace Table, pg. 46 Joelle Brummitt-Yale

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Joelle Brummitt-Yale

SCRIPTURE -Luke 6: 27–38 Karen Fisher Holy Bible NRSV NT pg 60, Large Print Version pg 78

SERMON

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

TIME FOR SILENT MEDITATION

Nursery

Childcare is provided for children four and under during our 9:15, and 11:00 Sunday morning worship as well as at our second Sunday of the month's combined worship at 10am. for children four years old and younger..

Large print worship bulletins, Bibles and hymnals are available from the ushers. Handicapped parking is available in front of the church with level access into the sanctuary.

If you have a prayer request or celebration to share you may write it on an index card, found in the burgundy folders in the chair pockets. Please place your card in the offering baskets during the offering. You may also email your requests to admin@citppc.org or call the office at 919-960-0616.

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*HYMN #661

"Why Should I Feel Discouraged?"

SPARROW

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OFFERTORY

"Offertory" Adult Choir

by John Vess Beck

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

With what shall I come before the Lord. and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings, Shall I come before Him with yearling calves?

Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul.

> He has shown you, O man; He has shown you what is good. And what does the Lord require of you but to do justice and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

*DOXOLOGY #609 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia! Praise God, in Jesus fully known: Creator, Word, and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

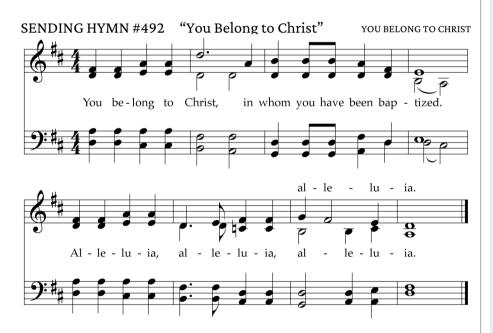
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever.

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*HYMN #795 "Healer of Our Every Ill" HEALER OF OUR EVERY ILL

*CHARGE/BENEDICTION





The flowers beautifying our sanctuary this morning were donated by Jan and Mark Herboth in gratitutde for our wonderful church! Thank you Jan and Mark!

POSTLUDE

Daniel Seyfried

*****NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING*****

March 9 at the beginning of our 10am joint worship service, we will hold our annual meeting in the sanctuary.

We hope to see you in church on that date.

PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK: Andrew Taylor-Troutman, andrew@citppc.org; 540-239-7060

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEARING LOOPS: The sanctuary and fellowship hall are equipped with hearing loops, making it possible for anyone with a T-coil-enabled hearing aid to hear worship services and events in the fellowship hall clearly. If you do not have a hearing aid, but would like to try the hearing loop, headsets are available in the narthex from the ushers. Please turn off the receiver and place it in the specially marked receptable at the back of the sanctuary, or return it to an usher after the service.



YOUTH GROUPS:

6th-8th graders in confirmation class will meet the first and third Sunday from 3:00-4:30pm. **K-8th graders** are invited to faith formation on the second and fourth Sundays from 3:00-4:30pm.

High school youth meet every Sunday from 5:00-6:30pm.

Contact: Joelle Brummitt-Yale, Director of Children's and Youth Ministries, jbrummittyale@citppc.org

PARENTS' MEETING: Every second Sunday during the earlier Youth Group time (3-4:30pm) we will meet for a time of connection, study, and reflection together in the Gathering Room. Every fourth Sunday, we will meet along with others interested in Racial Justice in the Gathering Room. Childcare will be provided for children too young for youth group (under 3rd grade). Please let Ginny know if you are planning to bring your children so that we can be sure to be well prepared. We'll make plans for the future of our group together.

DEACON IN THE NARTHEX: Deacon Deb Rogers will be in the narthex from 10:45am until the end of the service. She will be wearing a red carnation and is available to greet and assist members and visitors who may have questions, comments or special needs. Thank you Deb, for serving today.

CHOIR REHEARSALS

Handbells: We currently have two handbell choirs. Our regular choir meets Wednesdays at 6pm in the Sanctuary. We also have a new group, Grace Ringers, for ages 6th grade through adults, that meets on Sundays at 9am in the Fellowship Hall. This is a great group for those with less experience. Contact: katherine.brekke@gmail.com

Adult Choir: Weekly rehearsals are at 7:30pm on Wednesdays!

Contact: naborsje@gmail.com

NAME TAGS: We would be honored to have a printed name tag waiting for you in the box on the greeter table as part of our welcoming ministry. Please leave your hand printed tag at the greeter table, sign the fellowship pad, and ask the greeter to have a tag printed for you. It will be yours to take with you and bring it back whenever you come or you may place it in our name tag carousel for safe keeping and it will be here when you return.

CHILDCARE: Childcare for children age four and under is provided at our 9:15am and 11am Sunday morning worship as well as 10am on the second Sunday of the month at our combined worship service.

(Our next combined worship is March 9.) Contact: jbrummittyale@citppc.org

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY: We have resumed our Wednesday night Bible Study classes! We meet in the Fellowship Hall at 7pm and on Zoom. See our weekly newsletter to get the link for the Zoom! Please join us - all are welcome

GET TO KNOW CHAPEL IN THE PINES CLASSES

If you missed our class this morning, please plan to join us next week 10am, in our fellowship Hall for our final class. These presentations are especially geared toward people who may not be very familiar with Chapel in the Pines; but there is always something for everyone to learn together and all are welcome, members and visitors alike. These classes are hosted by the Welcome and Membership Committee of Chapel in the Pines. The remaining presentation is offered March 2, from 10-10:50am in the Hall for All (Fellowship Hall). Everyone is welcome!

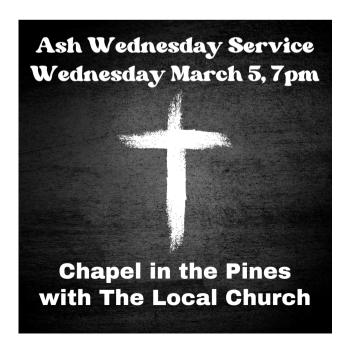
TODAY Sunday February 23: Topic: Get to Know: History of Chapel in the Pines

Presenter, Mary Donna Pond, founding member of Chapel in the Pines

Sunday March 2: Topic: Get to Know: Presbyterian Mission and Service

Presenter, Ginny Taylor-Troutman, Minister of Membership Engagement

Please Note: Nursery Care will be provided during these presentations. Older children are welcomed to join us in the Hall for All during the presentations.





ATTENTION ADULTS!

Since the start of the new year, we've been offering two different worship options for families with children:

9:15am service including Time with Young Disciples (children's message) and Sacred Art Time (children exit the sanctuary during the second scripture reading and sermon for an activity with adult leaders)

11am service including Time with Young Disciples (children's message) only so children can be part of the entire worship service

We'd like to know about your experiences!

Please complete a very short, anonymous survey using the QR code below. All adults are welcome to complete the survey. You do not have to be a parent or caregiver to respond.

Responses will be received through February 28.

Contact: Sarah Thomson (Sarahlthomson@gmail.com)



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