



Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church
Welcome, Worship, Witness
10 a.m. Service with Livestreaming
Eighth Sunday after Pentecost
August 3, 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/POEM OF PREPARATION

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

Why I Like Prayer
after Chris Anderson

because I wake early
and the world seems dark and hushed;

because I need a break
when the world is loud and rushed;

because there is no one way
and there are no grades;

because of rhymes from my childhood
like *everywhere/care, Lord/adored*;

because there is often food involved
afterward;

because sometimes there are candles
and usually deep breaths;

most of all, I like prayer
because children know it best.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

This is the day that the Lord has made; **let us rejoice and be glad in it.!**

PRELUDE

Daniel Seyfried

**indicates where to please stand in body or in spirit*

**Welcome to worship with
Chapel in the Pines
Presbyterian Church!**

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.

***CALL TO WORSHIP - based on Revelation 21**

And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Look! God's dwelling place is now among the people, and God will dwell with them."

They will be his people, and God will be with them and be their God. God will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away.

***HYMN #847**

"Our Hope, Our Life"

O WALY WALY

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**God, as your holy and beloved people,
We are to be kind, humble, gentle, and patient.
Forgive us when we are cruel, indifferent, cynical, and reactive.
You declare that, as we are forgiven, we are to forgive.
In our hearts, help us let go of grudges that shackle our hearts
so that we might be free to love.**

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE #576

"Lord, Have Mercy"

SINGAPURA



Lord, have mer - cy.



Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy on us.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

May the peace of Christ be with you; **and also with you.**

*GLORIA #581

"Glory Be to the Father"

GLORIA PATRI (GREATOREX)

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in the be -

gin - ning, is now, and ev - er shall be,

world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

SCRIPTURE - Colossians 3: 10-17

Joelle Brummitt-Yale

in *The Peace Table*, "New Clothes and a New Song", pg. 324

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Joelle Brummitt-Yale

(Children may gather for Sacred Art time in the
Education Wing following the Time with Young Disciples.)

Nursery

Childcare is provided only during 9:15am and 11am worship each week, and at the combined 10am service on the second Sunday of the month and during the summer for children under the age of four years.

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 the pastor, Andrew at andrew@citppc.org or admin@citppc.org or call the office at 919-960-0616.

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - from *The Theological Declarations of Barmen* (8:25 - 8:27)

"Lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age." (Matthew 28:20)
"The Word of God is not fettered." (II Timothy 2:9)

The church's commission, upon which its freedom is founded,
consists in delivering the message of the free grace of God to all
people in Christ's stead, and therefore in the ministry of his own
Word and work through sermon and Sacrament.

**We reject the false doctrine, as though the church in human
arrogance could place the Word and work of the Lord in the
service of any arbitrarily chosen desires, purposes and plans.**

SERMON

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

*HYMN #317

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

MC KEE

*BLESSING OF THE OFFERING

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OFFERTORY #175

"Seek Ye First"
Summer Choir

LAFFERTY

Seek ye first the kingdom of God
and its righteousness,
and all these things shall be added unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you;
seek, and you shall find;
knock, and the door shall be opened unto you.
Allelu, alleluia!

You shall not live by bread alone,
but by every word
that proceeds from the mouth of God.
Allelu, alleluia!

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

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all bless-ings flow. Praise God, all crea-tures
high and low. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise
God, in Je - sus ful - ly known: Cre - a - tor, Word, and Spir - it
one. Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Al - le -
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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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CHILDCARE UPDATE!!!

WE PROVIDE CHILDCARE FOR CHILDREN UNDER FOUR YEARS OF AGE DURING OUR COMBINED 10AM WORSHIP SERVICE DURING THE MONTHS OF JULY AND AUGUST.

CONTACT: JOELLE BRUMMITT-YALE



The flowers beautifying our sanctuary this morning were donated by Hope Weber in loving memory of her father, Arthur Francis Weber. Thank you, Hope!

FLOWERS FOR THE CHURCH:

Please consider signing up to donate flowers for a Sunday this year. We have many available dates! After the service you may take the flowers with you or share the beauty and love by having a deacon deliver them to one of our homebound parishioners. Contact:

hopefweber@gmail.com or
jherboth@gmail.com



SUNDAY SCHOOL

Andrew, and at times, others
will lead a Sunday School class
8:45 - 9:30am
July through August!
JOIN US!

This is in person and with a Zoom option!

PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK:

Andrew Taylor-Troutman,
andrew@citppc.org;
540-239-7060

*HYMN #687

“Our God, Our Help in Ages Past”

ST. ANNE

*CHARGE/BENEDICTION

**I am created by God.
I am beloved by God.
I am called by God.**

SENDING HYMN #540

“Shalom, Chaverim!”

SHALOM CHAVERIM



Fare - well, good friends! Fare - well, good friends! Sha -
Sha - lom, cha - ve - rim! Sha - lom, cha - ve - rot! Sha -



lom, sha - lom! Till we meet a - gain, till we
lom, sha - lom! Le - hit - ra - ot, le -



meet a - gain, sha - lom, sha - lom.
hit - ra - ot, sha - lom, sha - lom.

POSTLUDE

Daniel Seyfried



SEND GREETINGS TO OUR ONLINE WORSHIPPERS! If you would like to greet our online worshippers, you are invited to the front of the sanctuary (between piano and Communion table) 10 minutes before or immediately after our service today. We do not show the congregation during worship, in order to respect individual privacy, but offer this way for those who wish to greet friends at home.

Children may participate in these greetings with their parents or guardians.

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 receptacle at the back of the sanctuary, or return it to an usher after the service.



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, fill out a visitor's green card, and ask the greeter to have a tag printed for you or just leave it on the round welcome table in the narthex. It will be yours to take with you and bring it back whenever you come back or to hang it on our rack for your future visits!

DEACON IN THE NARTHEX: Deacon Lucy Leuchtenburg will be in the narthex from 9:45am 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, Lucy for serving today.

CHOIR REHEARSALS

Handbells: We have two handbell choirs. One choir is for those with more experience in ringing. The Grace Ringers choir is aimed for those who are new to ringing or with limited musical experience. Both groups are for anyone in the 6th grade and up. **PLEASE NOTE:** We are on summer break and will resume early fall.

Contact: katherine.brekke@gmail.com

Adult Choir: There are no more rehearsals for this season.

SUMMER CHOIR: Summer choir is now in session! No weekday rehearsals, no long term commitments, no experience necessary! Join us 30 minutes before the worship service to learn an easy anthem! We can't wait to hear your beautiful voices blended!

Remaining Summer Choir dates:

Aug 3, 10, 24, 31 - 9:30 am rehearsal

Contact: naborsje@gmail.com

YOUTH GROUPS:

We are currently on summer break from our regular weekly youth group meetings, but we look forward to another year of faith-sharing, growing, fellowship, and fun to begin this fall.

Anonymous Ask of a Pastor

Do you have a theological question about the nature of God? Perhaps a nagging doubt or concern? Do you wonder what Presbyterians believe about a certain idea? Do you seek spiritual advice for a friend or for yourself?

You are always welcome to contact Andrew or Ginny directly.

In addition, we are offering another opportunity for anonymity.

In the narthex, there is a box and index cards. Anyone can ask a question and then leave it in the box.

Periodically, your questions will be addressed in a service, newsletter, or other form of communication. We believe that others are likely wondering the same thing as you! Perhaps a public response might provide opportunities for discussion in small groups as well.

So, please, ask away!

CURRENT WORSHIP SCHEDULE

This is a reminder that we will continue to have one combined worship at 10am, indoors and livestreamed. We hope everyone will join together in worship and fellowship!

UPDATED! CAN YOU HELP? We're getting closer to our A/V matching goal! A kind donor has offered to match donations to cover up to half the cost of replacing our 20+ -year-old analog mics with new digital equipment. Can you help us to match that gift by donating toward the other half? Thanks to nine generous church members, we have received \$2000 toward our goal of \$3120. If you can help with a gift of any size, please mark your gift "A/V Challenge" in the memo when contributing online (use the operating budget line) or by check. Your help is very much appreciated!



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