

Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church Welcome, Worship, Witness 10 a.m. Service with Holy Communion and Livestreaming Fifth Sunday after Pentecost July 13, 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

Rising

We need beauty because it makes us ache to be worthy of it. —Mary Oliver

Extended family congregates on the holy floor of the porch to watch the sun's benediction into the sea-green sound, but

the littlest one begins to shout, "Stay up, Sun! Stay up!"

Of course, this star never deviates from burning in unfeeling space, whereas here on Earth nothing lasts nor stays the same, a lesson learned if wisdom is to be gained.

Still, with childlike faith, please share the hope rising in your heart—

call it naïve if you must, but there's beauty in cheerful chants against the dark.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

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

PRELUDE

Daniel Seyfried

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 - from Psalm 47 All of you nations, clap your hands and shout joyful praises to God.

God rules the nations from God's sacred throne. Their leaders come together and are now the people of Abraham's God. All rulers on earth surrender their weapons, and God is greatly praised!

*HYMN #340

"This is My Song"

FINLANDIA

PRAYER OF CONFESSION - based on Amos 5

Holy, Perfect God,

We admit that we put other things above you in our lives. We say we long for you, but we actually long for more money and more comfort.

We confess that we are openly rebellious against you. We are fallen. Rise us up.

Lord, we have failed to worship you with our hearts. We pay you a visit on Sunday, but we long to go home to our other gods.

Lord God, have mercy. Renew our hearts within us. We are fallen. Rise us up.

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION



*ASSURANCE OF PARDON





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

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"Land of Rest" Text, traditional. Music, American folk melody; arr. Richard Proulx. Music Arr. © 1995 GIA Publications, Inc. All rights reserved. Permission to reprint and stream by OneLicense.net #A710562 SCRIPTURE - Amos 1:1, 4:13, 5:14-15, 7:12 Joelle Brummitt-Yale in Growing in God's Love, *"Telling the Truth"*, pg. 142

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES Joelle Brummitt-Yale (Children may gather for Sacred Art time in the Education Wing following the Time with Young Disciples.)

PENNIES FOR HUNGER COLLECTION

THE NICENE CREED (PCUSA Version)

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God. Begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy universal and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

SERMON

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

*HYMN #494

"Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts"

QUEBEC

*BLESSING OF THE OFFERING To make a donation online scan the QR Code



Daniel Seyfried

OFFERTORY PIANO



SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

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INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE



LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise. It is right ...

And so, we lift our voices to the heavenly chorus.



PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK:

Andrew Taylor-Troutman, andrew@citppc.org; 540-239-7060 ... a kingdom for which your beloved Son taught us to pray:
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.

BREAKING OF BREAD AND POURING OF THE CUP

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Thank you, O God, for the story that is good enough to eat.

Inspire us to take this story with us wherever we go and bring the grace of friendship and love to a hurting world.

Thank you for the grace that nourishes and sustains our faith, both as individuals and as the body of your Beloved Son.

Inspire the ministry of this church, that we would be united in loving service to one another and the larger community. In the name of the Prince of Peace, amen.

*HYMN #700 "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

I'M GONNA LIVE

*CHARGE/BENEDICTION

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



The flowers beautifying our sanctuary this morning were donated by Hope Weber in loving memory of of her mother, Ethel Nora Toner Weber to the glory of God. 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

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POSTLUDE

Daniel Seyfried

POTLUCK AFTER WORSHIP

Everyone is invited to join us in our fellowship hall after worship today for our monthly potluck. Even if you didn't bring a dish to share, we'd still love for you to join us for some good food and even better fellowship.

A great big thank you to those of you who signed up to bring dishes and/or help with set up/clean up.

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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.



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 **ELDER IN THE NARTHEX:** Elder Monty Brekke will be in the narthex from 9:45am until the end of the service. He will be wearing a red carnation and is available to greet and assist members and visitors who may have questions, comments or special needs. We thank you, Monty for serving today.

YOUTH GROUPS:

We have had such a wonderful season with our youth groups this year! We are currently on summer break from youth groups, but look forward to another year of faith-sharing, growing, fellowship, and fun this fall.

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!





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.



This is a reminder that through July and August, we will be having one combined worship at 10am, indoors and livestreamed. We hope everyone will join together in worship and fellowship!

PRAY FOR OUR YOUNGER YOUTH GROUP & LEADERS ON THEIR TRIP JULY 15-18

Our younger youth group is off on a trip to the Massannetta Youth Conference with their leaders July 15 - 18! Please pray for travel mercies and that they will feel the presence of the Holy Spirit guiding them as they learn, grow and connect with other youth on this trip.





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!

CHECK THURSDAY's NEWSLETTER FOR THE ZOOM LINK! Our sanctuary is open each week from 9am-1pm Monday, Tuesday and Thursday for you to come, sit, meditate, and pray. (We do have sanctuary elves that tidy up the sanctuary on various weekday mornings, so we highly recommend checking with Teresa before you come just to make sure there's nothing going on.) We want you to have a safe space to experience some peace, quiet and calm.

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Emily Williams, Youth Assistant

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