

Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church Welcome, Worship, Witness 10 a.m. Service with Livestreaming Sixth Sunday after Pentecost July 20, 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

The Missing Piece is ...

... a Shel Silverstein poem Mom has sung to my young kids about a circle trying to become whole. The moral is about the journey not the destination, a lesson for all ages, the temptation being to fill that emptiness inside with things.

It's now summer, the dog days long and hot as a panting tongue. Best friends, canine or otherwise, advise to make a quiet seat in the shade. The missing peace we seek, may it be found by holy slowing down.

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 - inspired by Psalm 15

We abide in God's sanctuary when we speak the truth from our hearts.

In word and silence, in prayer and song, let the wonderful gifts of God flow through us. May the abundance of God's mercy and grace set us free to praise and give thanks.

*HYMN #331 "God of the Ages, Whose Almighty Hand" NATIONAL HYMN

PRAYER OF CONFESSION - from Scots Confession, Chapter 15

We confess and acknowledge that the law of God is most just, equal, holy, and perfect, commanding those things which, when perfectly done, can give life and bring humans to eternal felicity.

But our nature is so corrupt, weak, and imperfect, that we are never able perfectly to fulfill the works of the law. Even after we are reborn, if we say that if we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth of God is not in us.

TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION



*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

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



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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TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

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

EXCERPT FROM SCOTS CONFESSION, Chapter 16

As we believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, so we firmly believe that from the beginning there has been, now is, and to the end of the world shall be, one Kirk, that is to say, one company and multitude chosen by God, who rightly worship and embrace God by true faith in Christ Jesus, who is the only Head of the Kirk, even as it is the body and spouse of Christ Jesus.

This Kirk is catholic, that is, universal, because it contains the chosen of all ages, of all realms, nations, and tongues, be they of the Jews or be they of the Gentiles, who have communion and society with God the Father, and with his Son, Christ Jesus, through the sanctification of the Holy Spirit. This Kirk is invisible, known only to God, who alone knows whom has been chosen, and includes both the chosen who are departed, the Kirk triumphant, those who yet live and fight against sin, and those who shall live hereafter.

SERMON

*HYMN #450

"Be Thou My Vision"

SLANE

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

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

OFFERTORY

Debussy Piano Trio III - Andante Espressivo Grace and Sarah McCormack



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. "Be Thou My Vision" Text, Mary E. Byrne, Eleanor Hull. Music, Irish Ballad, harm. David Evans. Music Harm. © 1927 Oxford University Press. Permission to stream OneLicense.net #A

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Our Sanctuary is open each week from 9am-1pm Monday, Tuesday and Thursday for you to come, sit and pray. (We do have sanctuary elves that tidy up the sanctuary on various weekday mornings, so we highly recommend checking in with Teresa before you come just to make sure there's nothing going on.) We want you to have a safe space to meditate, pray and feel God's love and presence.

ABBOT'S LEIGH



The flowers beautifying our sanctuary this morning were donated by Lynne Hoerter & Mike Stano in memory of loved ones. Thank you Lynne and Mike!

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



PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK:

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

*CHARGE/BENEDICTION I am created by God. I am beloved by God. I am called by God.



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 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: Jug, 3,10, 24, 31 - 9:30 am rehearsal Contact: naborsje@gmail.com **ELDER IN THE NARTHEX:** Elder Sam Jackson 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, Sam for serving today.

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!

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP AND THEIR LEADERS ON THEIR TRIP 7/20-26. Our high school youth group is heading to the Montreat High School Youth Conference with their leaders today through July 26. 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.



CAN YOU HELP? A generous donor has offered a donation 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? 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!



This is a reminder that during 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!

Church Staff

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