



*Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church*  
*Welcome, Worship, Witness*  
*11 a.m. Worship Service with Livestreaming*  
*Transfiguration of Our Lord*  
*February 15, 2026*

*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 condition, sexual orientation, ability, or any other human condition.*

OPENING PEAL AND CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

WELCOME

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

Sudden Shimmer: A Haibun

Transfiguration Sunday is the last one before Lent and the forty-day journey to the crucifixion. Remember Jesus had a mountaintop experience — a metamorphosis into an angel — and, in the heavenly glow, had a shining-face-to-shining-face conversation with Moses and Elijah. We don't know what was said. I once preached that Peter was "scared to death" by the scene, but I now think he was more scared *of death* — frightened to leave and go down to the valley of shadows and pain. Peter wanted to build shelters on the mountaintop. I love benches that are planted alongside walkways in cemeteries. I sit and rest and maybe pray best with my eyes open, my ears open, my mind clear.

family funeral  
baby's spontaneous laugh—  
tears spill into smiles

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

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

PRELUDE

"Sonata No. 4"  
Sasha Varchenko and Daniel Seyfried

by Johann Sebastian Bach

**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.

**Text:** CITP to 73256

**Online:** Access our giving portal at [citppc.org/donate-online/](http://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.

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

O God, in the transfiguration of your son  
You confirmed the mysteries of the faith  
by the witnesses of Moses and Elijah  
and from your voice from the cloud.

**Give us faith to perceive Christ's glory here and now,  
that we will be strengthened by his grace,  
and changed into his likeness,  
bright shining like the sun.**

**\*HYMN #12            "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"**

ST DENIO

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**Word of truth, and truth in love,  
in an age of confusion and mistrust,  
when vicious ideologies seek to divide and conquer,  
and we are attentive to the trivial  
and indifferent to the consequential,  
grant us forgiveness and give us wisdom and courage.  
Deliver us from the perils of cynicism and apathy,  
for rust will crumble a metal if it is hammered.  
Save us from the reservations that would make our prayers:  
"Thy kingdom come—but not yet."  
"Thy will be done—by other people."**

**TIME OF SILENT CONFESSION**

**KYRIE 35**

by Jerry Douglas

Soprano

Ky - rie E - le - i - son.      Chris - te E - le - i - son.      Lord have mer - cy.

Christ have mer - cy.      Lord have mer - cy.      we pray.

## ASSURANCE OF PARDON

### \*PASSING OF THE PEACE

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

### \*GLORIA #584

### "Glory, Glory, Glory"

CUEQUITA

### SCRIPTURE - Luke 2: 39-52

from *Growing in God's Love*, When Jesus was Twelve pg. 198

Joelle Brummitt-Yale

### TIME WITH YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART

Joelle Brummitt-Yale

*(Children may gather for Sacred Art - Music time in the education wing following the Time with Young and Young at Heart.)*

### SCRIPTURE - Exodus 24: 12-18

Holy Bible NRSV OT pg 68, Large Print Version pg 87

Terry Rudolph

### Nursery

Childcare for children under the age of four is provided during the 9:15am, 11am and at the combined 10am worship service on the second Sunday of the month and other times during the church year.

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](mailto:andrew@citppc.org) or [admin@citppc.org](mailto:admin@citppc.org) or call the office at 919-960-0616.

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SCRIPTURE - Matthew 17: 1-9

Holy Bible NRSV NT pg 17, Large Print Version pg 22

Andrew Taylor-Troutman

SERMON

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\*HYMN #193

"Jesus, Take Us to the Mountain"

vs. 1, 2 all vs. 4 right side

vs. 3 left side vs. 5 all

UNSER HERRSCHER

\*BLESSING OF THE OFFERING AND PLEDGES

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OFFERTORY

"O God Beyond All Praising"

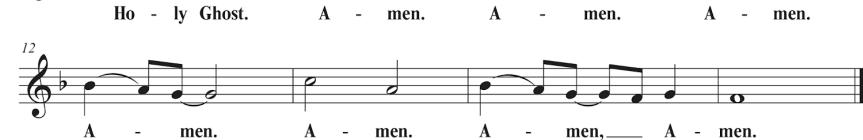
Agape Ringers

arr. Lloyd Larson

\*DOXOLOGY "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"



Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all crea - tures  
here be - low; Praise God a - bove, ye heaven - ly host; Praise Fa - ther, Son, and  
Ho - ly Ghost. A - men. A - men. A - men.  
A - men. A - men. A - men. A - men.  
A - men. A - men. A - men, A - men.



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. Amen.**

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\*HYMN #758

"Why Do Nations Rage Together"

EBENEZER

## \*CHARGE/BENEDICTION

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

SENDING HYMN #491 "You Have Put On Christ" vs 2 BAPTIZED IN CHRIST

We have put on Christ;  
in Christ we have been baptized.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

POSTLUDE

Daniel Seyfried



**SEND GREETINGS TO OUR ONLINE WORSHIPERS!** 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.



**We plan to bring  
grief support to  
our parishioners  
in the near future.  
Please let Ginny  
know of your  
interest in this  
offering.**



The flowers beautifying our sanctuary this morning were donated by Melissa Staples in memory of her parents, Nel and Hal McCoy. Thank you, Melissa.



**FEBRUARY 17**

*Join us THIS  
TUESDAY as Men's  
Fellowship cooks for  
our Shrove Tuesday  
Pancake Supper  
Tuesday 2/17 at  
5:30pm in place of our  
"Family Night  
Dinners". Andrew  
will be hosting his  
regular Bible Study  
following the pancake  
supper.*

## **PASTOR ON CALL THIS WEEK:**

Andrew Taylor-  
Troutman,  
[andrew@citppc.org](mailto:andrew@citppc.org)  
540-239-7060



**ASH WEDNESDAY**  
**February 18**  
**Please come and  
receive the  
imposition of ashes  
any time between  
8am-noon in the  
sanctuary.**

**Worship will be a collaboration with  
The Local Church at 6:30pm in our  
sanctuary.**

# **SO WHAT?**

**The Brief Statement of Faith  
and Why it Matters**

2/25/26 – 3/25/26  
Wednesdays | 5:30 – 6:30  
Online & In-Person  
Chapel in the Pines

Plan to join Jordan Heinzel-Nelson this upcoming season for her Lent Study, "So What?" Wednesdays from 5:30-6:30pm February 25 through March 25 in our fellowship hall and/or on Zoom. (Link coming soon!)

*Please note: throughout February 25 - March 25, Andrew will NOT hold his Bible Study on Tuesday nights, but he will do the Wholeness and Healing service in person only, February 24.*

Contact: Jordan Heinzel-Nelson

# 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.



## CHOIR REHEARSALS

**Handbells:** We have two handbell groups at CITP. Grace Ringers meet Sundays from 6:30-7:30pm. Grace Ringers provides music only on combined service Sundays, so is a great option for early service folks.

Agape Ringers meet on Wednesdays from 6:15-7:15pm and rings for various services throughout the year. Anyone may join us to ring opening peals each week. All are welcome to join from 6th grade through adults.

*Contact: katherine.brekke@gmail.com*

**Adult Choir:** The Adult Choir helps lead worship at the 11am service as well as the 10am combined services. The Adult Choir is open to singers 6th grade through adults. Rehearsals are Wednesday nights from 7:30-8:30pm in the sanctuary. All are welcome!

*Contact: naborsje@gmail.com*

**CHILDCARE:** Childcare is provided at our 9:15am service, at our 11am service, and at our 10am service when we are having our combined service on the second Sunday of the month. The next combined service is Sunday, March 8.

*Contact: Joelle Brummitt-Yale*

## FAITH FORMATION & YOUTH GROUP:

**Faith formation for children in 2nd-6th grades** will meet Sundays from 3-4:30pm in our fellowship hall for a mix of fellowship, Bible study, faith exploration, community building and fun!

**Youth group for 7th-12th grade students** will meet Sundays from 5-6:30pm in the fellowship hall!

*Contact: jbrummittyale@citppc.org*

**DEACON IN THE NARTHEX:** Deacon Marcia Ladd 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. We thank you, Marcia, 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!

## TUESDAY NIGHTS AT CITP!

### Tuesday Church Dinners:

**This week is our Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper at 5pm in the fellowship hall.**

(We need folks to sign up by Thursday the week ahead so we know how much food to have available for every one of our Tuesday Night Church dinners, including Shrove Tuesday.)

*Contact: Ginny Taylor-Troutman*

### Bible Study and Lent Study:

Tuesdays following the dinners, we will meet in the fellowship hall to have Bible Study with Andrew at 6:30pm. There will be a Zoom option to attend as well.

*Contact: Andrew Taylor-Troutman*

However, **from February 25-March 25**, Jordan Heinzel-Nelson will be holding her class (see previous page) and **Andrew will not have his Tuesday night Bible Study**, but he **will hold the Wholeness and Healing Service in the sanctuary on the last Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm**. The Service is not livestreamed or on Zoom.

*Contact: Jordan Heinzel-Nelson*

## Beginning February 1 **9:15 Service\*: Sacred Art**

\*also at 10:00 combined worship services

Following Time With Young Disciples, children ages 4+ are invited to the Sacred Art room to explore the day's scripture through discussion and visual arts and games.



## **11:00 Service: Sacred Art: Music**

Following Time With Young Disciples, children ages 4+ are invited to the Sacred Art room to explore the day's scripture through discussion and music.



## LENT AT HOME GRAB AND GO TABLE IN THE CHURCH NARTHEX

BEFORE AND AFTER WORSHIP SERVICES  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22ND

Stop by the table to get materials, activities, and devotionals to experience the Lent season in your household.



We thank all who provided flowers in 2025. That was our best year yet for sign ups! The 2026 **Flower Sign Up** sheet is located on the welcome table. Please sign up to bring flowers to brighten up our worship space on a Sunday in 2026! We would love to have the sign up completely filled up early this year, we have a whole lot of choices left! If you have questions about this ministry, please reach out to Jan Herboth or Hope Weber.



### **Church Staff**

Janet Askew, Accountant

Teresa Balatico, Office Manager

Katherine Brekke, Director of Handbell Choir

Joelle Brummitt-Yale, CCE, Director of Children's and Youth Ministries

Serpil Chiba, Nursery Staff

Dennis Dallke, Sexton

Heather Frankena, Nursery Staff

Jeremy Nabors, Director of Music Ministry

Daniel Seyfried, Assistant Director of Music Ministry

The Rev. Dr. Andrew Taylor-Troutman, Pastor and Head of Staff

The Rev. Ginny Taylor-Troutman, Parish Associate

Emily Williams, Youth Assistant

### **Minister Intern for 2025-2026**

Jordan Heinzel-Nelson

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