



Community
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

of Clarendon Hills



Worship for the Lord's Day Seventh Sunday of Easter

May 21, 2023
9:30 am

Prelude

He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought

arr. Mary Ellen Kerrick

Introit

Festivity
Clairon Bell Choir

Ellen Lorenz

Lighting of the Christ Candle

Words of Welcome

Rev. Susan Tindall

***Opening Words** (inspired by Ps. 68:1-10, 32-35)

Derek Rush

One: Let the righteous be joyful! Let them rejoice before God.

All: Let us all be jubilant with joy!

One: Sing to God, all peoples of the world. Sing praises to God most high.

All: From the sanctuary of heaven, God gives life and renews the face of the earth.

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***Hymn 463** v 1-3, 5

How Firm a Foundation

FOUNDATION

Call to Confession

Derek

One: Siblings in Christ, God not only desires our repentance, but longs to offer us forgiveness. Therefore, cast all your anxiety on God, because God cares for you eternally. Let us prayer together saying:

Prayer of Confession

All: Listening God, recent years have unfolded in unexpected ways. Things didn't go as we hoped or planned. We have felt isolated, disappointed and despair. This you know so very well. Forgive us when we want to give up and walk away. Forgive us when we resent others' decisions because we would have chosen differently. With your leading love and grace we stand at this moment, strong and courageous. Ready us for tomorrow. Walk with us today. We pray in your name. Amen.

Assurance of God's Grace

One: Friends, the Spirit of God is resting on you, to restore, support and strengthen you.

**All: We are at peace in the One who forgives and loves.
Thanks be to God!**

*Sung Response 582

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

GLORY TO GOD (Vasile)

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

One: As a sign of our reconciliation with God and with one another, let us share the peace with one another. The Peace of Christ be with you!

All: And also with you!

*Sung Response 591

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!
refrain, verse 1, refrain

HALLE, HALLE

Thanking Volunteers

Kristin Duy & Susan

Sunday School Teachers

Liz Monson Alison Kocoras
Nancy Jaycox Jason Salbego
Audrey Crouse Joanna Petersen
Valerie Cooper Kathy Florence
Tracy Sims Sarah Ryan

Adult Youth Leaders

Jason Salbego
Daniel Marginean
Berrie Salbego
Alyssa Woody
Ann Lorenz
Riley Roca

WF Board

Joanna Petersen
Courteney Templeton
Meredith Rush
Andrew Petersen
Willem Marginean
Robert Monson

Student Youth Leaders

Abby Petersen
Tristan Rush
Sara Ellithorpe
Julia Lorenz

Middle School Leaders

Gianni Salbego
Madeline Saunders
Sheri Videbeck
Todd Videbeck

Dinner Coordinators

Liz Monson
Ken Monson

Prayer for Inspiration

Derek

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11

One: Holy Wisdom, Holy Word! This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

Special Music

Rivers and Roads

Words and Music by Kenneth Hensley, Josiah Johnson,

From: "The Head and the Heart"

Jonathan Russell, Charity Thielen, Robert Williams and Chris Zasche

Sermon

Letter of Recommendation

Rev. Beth Freese Dammers

***Hymn 295**

Go to the World!

SINE NOMINE

Offering Our Gifts to God

Invitation to Offering

Derek



Offertory

With a Voice of Singing

Martin Shaw

Chancel Choir & Clarion Bells

***Doxology** words 607, tune 606

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD HUNDREDTH

***Prayer of Dedication**

QR Code for Giving

Senior Recognition

Susan

CPC Class of 2023

Kevin Brixie, Lindsey Bruns, Sara Ellithorpe, Annaka Freve, Kate Kocoras, Julia Lorenz, Robert Monson, Abby Petersen, Avery Rigazio, Tristan Rush, Hays Templeton, Grace VanHoutte, Jack Videbeck

God's People Pray

Lord's Prayer (using "sins")

**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 sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

***Hymn 539**

We Will Go Out with Joy

WE WILL GO OUT WITH JOY

***Charge and Blessing**

***Postlude**

Passacaglia
Tristan Rush, Piano

G. F. Handel

All Church Photo on front patio

** Please rise in spirit or body*

All speak emboldened type

USHERS: Kris Veenbaas, Phil Lorenz

LITURGIST: Derek Rush

ONLINE WORSHIP HOST: Michele Vickery

SPECIAL MUSIC: Abby Petersen and Julia Lorenz, vocalists,
Tristan Rush, Piano, Willem Marginean, cello, Robert Monson, violin

AV: Robert Monson, Sam Dammers

Next Sunday in Worship, May 28

Sixth Sunday of Easter

**Pentecost
Communion**

9:30 am

Numbers 11:24-30

Acts 2:1-21

Spirit Set Free!



**ALL CHURCH PHOTO
SUNDAY TODAY!
10:30 IN THE GARDEN**

Let's update the All Church photo! We really need YOU to be in our family portrait. It's fun, easy and casual. Simply join in the garden after worship!

Wear CPC logo colors if possible: Blue, teal, lime green, green, turquoise



**Congregational
Meeting**



CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Sunday June 4

9:30 am

Preceding worship

Session is calling for a Congregational Meeting for the purpose of nominating and electing one Elder to serve on Session. This is to fill a vacant Elder position. The Nominating Committee has invited Paul Abraham to serve. He is willing if elected. We will also take nominations from the floor. Folks worshipping online that day will be able to vote by remaining on the same livestream link.

This week at CPC:

Sunday, May 21

Senior Recognition Sunday

Volunteer Recognition Sunday

9:30 am — Worship

10:30 am — All Church Photo; Garden

1:00 pm — Camp Courageous Caravan Meeting

2:00 pm — West Virginia Caravan Meeting

Monday, May 22

7:00 pm — Communications; Zoom

7:00 pm — Deacons; Zoom

Tuesday, May 23

9:00 am — PW Circle 1; off-site

1:00 pm — PW Circle 2; Gathering Room

1:30 pm — Staff Meeting; Chapel / Zoom

7:00 pm — PW Circle 3; Gathering Room

7:00 pm — A&P; Chapel / Hybrid

Wednesday, May 24

Thursday, May 25

9:00 am — Thursday Morning Devotions Brunch;
Chapel

Friday, May 26

Saturday, May 27

Sunday, May 28

Pentecost

Communion

9:30 am — Worship

Monday, May 29

Memorial Day

Church Office Closed

Kids' Academy Closed

NURSERY CARE

The Nursery will be staffed the first Sunday of the month (**Next on June 4**). Families can drop off their little ones to be cared for by our volunteers. We use a pager system in case a parent is needed. The Nursery is located across from the church office on the main floor.

SUMMER SUNDAYS

kids 3 yrs - 5th grade WE NEED YOU...

to participate in worship by acting as greeters, ushers, acolytes, or liturgists.

Simply click [HERE](#) to sign-up for the following Sundays

June 4

July 9

August 6



CPC YOUTH REMINDERS

1-2pm Camp Courageous

2-3pm West Virginia

Youth Lounge

Caravan meetings are this afternoon! Both trips require

paperwork which were made available in the weekly emails. Please bring this information with you and also any remaining registration fees. Please contact Pastor Susan if you have any questions or cannot attend. Looking forward to kicking off the summer today!



THURSDAY MORNING DEVOTIONS

CELEBRATION BRUNCH

May 25

Thursday, 9:00 am

We gather this Thursday May 25 to celebrate a fabulous year of learning and exploring!! Everyone is welcome to gather at 9:00 am in the chapel for a shared brunch and celebration.





CARAVAN COMMISSIONING AND CAR WASH

Sunday, June 11
11am-2pm

Youth Ministry is set to kick off its summer on Sunday, June 11, beginning with worship at 9:30 am. We will be sending out our students and their leaders with our blessing followed by our annual car wash. Grab yours, your neighbors, your friends' cars and bring them over for a wash and towel dry from 11 am-2 pm! A free will offering will be taken and snacks served.

WELCOME TO AMERICA!

A Collection for Exodus World Service

May 7-May 28

On May 7, CPC began collecting for a Welcome to America Pack in collaboration with Exodus World Service which sets up an apartment for individuals or a family with essential everyday items. You can participate by picking up a gift tag in the narthex or by ordering an item from our Amazon wish list [by clicking here](#). Items vary in price point but each is essential and should be bought new. The Mission and Outreach committee will be looking for volunteers to help set up the apartment after we end our collection on May 28. Looking forward to being a welcoming presence out in our community with you!

EXODUS

world service



MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH

All month long!

May is mental health awareness month and as a continuation of our discussions with our high school youth, the whole congregation is invited to participate in the Little Hearts Project. Handcrafted hearts will be in baskets in the narthex and near door 5C. Each heart has an affirmation and a link to resources for those who either need a little encouragement or to be connected to mental health resources. You can either give one to a loved one or find a public place for someone to find it when they may most need it. Thank you for participating in this initiative to give everyone a little reminder that they are loved!

MEAL A MONTH COLLECTION FOR SPRING

Food Pantries are in desperate need. Fill a bag with grocery items to be donated to Hinsdale Community Services. The suggested menu for Spring is:

- Hot Cereal
- Campbell's Chunky or Progresso Soups
- Peanut Butter and Jelly
- Canned Tuna or chicken
- Soaps: Bars, Body Wash, Dish and Laundry Soap



Any non-perishable items will be most welcome! Pick up a bag in the narthex or use your own and return to CPC. Thank you for your generous donations.



COMPASSION CAMP; VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Changing the World with Loving Kindness

August 14 - 18

9am - 11:30 ~ Snack Included

4yrs - 5th grade

Cost: Register Early for Discount:

April 28 - June 2; \$50 for the first child/\$30 for each additional child

June 3 - July 14; \$60 for the first child/ \$30 for each additional child

*reach out to Kristin Duy if you would like scholarship information

Through Compassion Camp: What Every Living Thing Needs, children will explore what all living things need to live—shelter, food, water, air, and community—and how they can have compassion for the living earth. Through awareness, gratitude, wonderment, and kinship, kids will consider how to become participants in the work of God's creation.

A typical morning will include: Gathering and Music, Bible Story, Crafts & Activities, Movement & Games & Compassion in Action

Simply click [HERE](#) to add your child's name to the sign-up list.

Full registration paperwork and payment information to come!



CUPCAKES WITH KRIS

Sunday, June 4

Fellowship Hall at 10:30am

Baker extraordinaire and amazing Deacon, Kris Veenbaas will be sharing her cupcake decorating tips on Sunday, June 4 following worship in Fellowship Hall. People of all ages are invited to attend in order to try out some techniques and taste test them as well! Everything will be provided for you, all that is missing is you! Sign up sheets will be available in the Narthex or you can call or email [Pastor](#)

[Susan](#) if you would like to attend!

JOIN MOMS AGAINST GUN VIOLENCE

Tierra Distillery and Cafe

(outdoor open space)

211 Burlington Ave

Clarendon Hills, IL 60514

Tuesday, May 30, 9:00 AM



Join us as we honor the more than 120 lives cut short and the hundreds more wounded by gun violence every day. We will be tying ribbons on trees and light poles throughout town, sharing information, and have a take home project for your family.



SAVE THE DATE
HONORING 50+ YEAR MEMBERS
50+ FRIENDS BRUNCH
Sunday, June 25
10:30

Mark your calendar for this special day as we love and honor our members with 50 or more years of membership here at CPC! We will honor them in worship as well as with a special brunch

following worship. We are blessed with their wisdom, insight and commitment to Christ's church.



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