



CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



November 26, 2023



PASTOR: Rev. Dr. Wallace Wilson
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Church Musician: Jebediah (Jeb) Lottes
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Christ the King Sunday

November 26, 2023

Liturgist: Dennis Whitson

10:00 AM

*Those who are able, please stand

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

***The Prelude is the Opening of Worship and a time of reflection for all
Please mute or turn off all electronic devices***

Call to Worship

God has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

Christ is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn of the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything.

Prayer of the Day

***Hymn #2**

Come, Thou Almighty King

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Almighty God, we have failed to welcome your rule by failing to care for the thirsty, the hungry, the most needy and vulnerable among us. We have tolerated evil and accommodated violence. Forgive us, O God, that we might welcome your rule among us. We ask this in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ... *(Time of silent confession)* Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness (From Ezekiel 34:15-16)

Thus says the Lord our God: "I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak."

Christ's grace is relentless. Thanks be to God who seeks and saves.

***Response #71**

Surely It Is God Who Saves Me

(refrain only)

Peace

Since God has forgiven us, let us also forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all!

And also with you!

Let us stand and share our love for God and one another with signs of peace.

***Response No. 591**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Time with Children

Minute for Mission

Prayer for Illumination

New Testament

Luke 10:25-37

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

Our hearts are open

Sermon

Ready and Willing to Care in the Season of Caring
Rev. Kevin Bausman

Hymn # 363

Rejoice, the Lord Is King

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Worship in Giving

Call to the Offering

Offertory

Doxology

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

***Hymn # 719**

Come, Labor On

***Benediction**

***Response # 80**

You Shall Go Out with Joy

Postlude



Mary Alice Beaumont

7/1/1932 — 11/15/2023



Miki Bean

9/4/1932 — 11/16/2023



Consecration Sunday Recap
Last Sunday we received 15 pledges
2 of those were NEW pledges
6 increased their pledge
Total pledge committed
\$108,500



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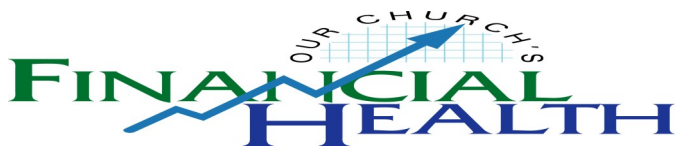


ATTENDANCE

November 19

In Person — 25

Virtual — 51



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\$809

Year to Date

\$139,581

If Pastoral Care is needed,
Rev. Wally Wilson
Can be reached at
(765) 278-3749 or
revwwilson@gmail.com

Calendar for Week of November 26

Sunday 11/26	10 AM Worship <i>Hanging of the Greens</i> 11 AM Dinner— Mp Rm
Monday 11/27	3 PM Book Study — Education Room 6 PM Geist Harbor 7 PM Scout Meeting — Education Room
Tuesday 11/28	1 PM Knit & Natters — Education Room
Thursday 11/30	1 PM Painting Class — MP Room 7 PM Deer Creek HOA Annual Meeting — MP Room
Sunday 12/3	10 AM Worship



November

Cheryl Embrey 11/27

Roger Howard 11/28

Steve Karch 11/30



Toys for Tots

What's that Toys for Tots box all about? Tony DeSimone's neighborhood is doing a drive for Toys for Tots. They are putting toys out and the scouts from Pack & Troop 88 are collecting them. Tony is keeping the toys safe here at the church. They will be delivered on Monday December 11.

If you would like to add to the box, feel free to do so up until December 12.

Men of Christ Angel Tree

Help the CPC family make Christmas happy for three local area families. Here are five easy steps:

- 1) Pick a gift tag from the tree in the Narthex
- 2) Buy and wrap the gift
- 3) Add your personal gift tag
- 4) Add the **original** gift tag **by taping the yarn part onto the present**
- 5) Bring to church by **December 22.**

If you would prefer to make a cash donation, place it in an envelope and identify it for the Angel Tree.



Hanging of the Greens Sunday November 26

Please see Jamie Strebing to get your assignments!

Food Drive



NEW Items for F.A.R.M. (Fortville Area Resource Mission)

Food Drive



F. A. R. M. is open every Tuesday from 12:30-2:30 for food pickup. They hold a Bible study from 11:30-12:30 prior to the pantry opening. On Thursdays they take food to a low income apartment complex on the north side of Fortville. They have 125 families at the pantry on Tuesdays and around 25 families in the apartments. They also sponsor snack bags for around 45 students in the Mt. Vernon school system to take home for the weekends.

During the next few months, we will be collecting "Celebration Kits" or "Holiday Kits". An assembled kit includes a 9"x13" cake pan **WITH** lid, a cake mix (any flavor), icing (appropriate for the cake), candles, napkins and plates.

Please bring to the church and place in grocery cart. They will be delivered to F.A.R.M..

At Home:

Shirley Sheeks
Joe Abramo



In Hospital, Nursing Home & Assisted Living Centers:

Ann McFate @ Wyndmoor of Castleton,
Indpls., IN 46250

Shirley Tichenor @ Westminster Village
10050 Presbyterian Dr.; 3386 Juniper
Commons 46236 phone 317-823-6841

Betty Burney @ Independence Village
9745 Olympia Drive Room #306;
Fishers, IN 46037 Phone 317-913-
7489

Martha Dawson @ 10050 Presbyterian
Drive; ATTN: 4315 Laurel Commons;
ZIP 46236

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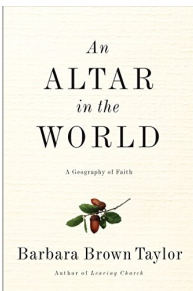
November 2023

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December 2023

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Oct 29	30	31	Nov 1	2 1:00pm PW Coordinating Team (Education Room)	3	4 5:30pm Troop 88 Campout at Church (MP Room & Outsid
5 Troop 88 Campout at Church	6 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	7 Election Day 1:00pm Needlecrafters (MP Room) 6:00pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP	8 7:00pm Euchre Night (MP Room)	9 7:30pm Sarah Circle (Education Room)	10 Veteran's Day (Observed) 5:30pm Raingutter Regatta Set Up (MP Room)	11 Veteran's Day 9:00am Men of Christ (Lincoln Square) 10:00am Raingutter Regatta (MP Room)
12 11:15am Deacon Meeting (Education Room)	13 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	14 10:30am Hope Circle (Education Room) 12:00pm Stewardship Commission (The Grill)	15	16 7:00pm Session Meeting (MP Room)	17	18 5:30pm Troop 88 Campout at Church (MP Room and Outs
19 Troop 88 Campout at Church Consecration Sunday 11:15am Pitch-in Meal (MP Room)	20 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 6:00pm Geist Harbours Property Owners 7:00pm Troop 88	21 6:30pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP Room)	22	23 Office Closed Thanksgiving Day	24 Day After Thanksgiving Day Office Closed	25
26 11:15am Hanging of the Greens (Sanctuary / Narthex / MP Room)	27 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	28 1:00pm Knit & Natters (Education Room)	29	30 1:00pm Painting Class (MP Room) 7:00pm Deer Creek HOA Annual Meeting (MP Room)	Dec 1	2



Book Study

Do you enjoy reading, sharing, and growing? All members and friends are invited to come together to study Barbara Taylor Brown's book, *An Altar in the World*. Taylor is an engaging writer and public speaker, a former Episcopal priest. *An Altar in the World* explores how the sacred can be found in altars beyond the walls of the church. We meet each **Monday at 3:00 P.M.** at the church. Let Bruce Embrey know if you need a copy of the book and he will order them.

An Altar in the World is a delightful, refreshing take on how the sacred is found in the world, and how we can be part of it. I plan to be there, and I hope many of you will join us.

Pastor Wally



Presbyterian Women Christmas Party

Sarah Circle will be hosting their annual Christmas party on **Sunday, December 10.**

ALL members of Sarah and Hope circles, spouses, friends and significant others are welcome.

We will meet at **The Grill for lunch**, and then return to the multipurpose room at the church for dessert and the Ornament Auction.

Price of admission is one wrapped ornament. The limit during the auction is \$5 per ornament. Proceeds will be divided between Sarah and Hope Circles. Hope to see you then!



Knit & Natters

The **Knit & Natters** will meet at **1 PM on Tuesday, November 28** in the teen room.

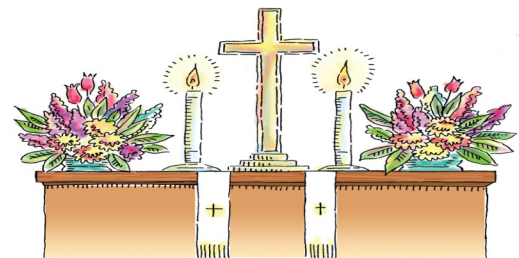
If you are interested in joining this fun bunch of ladies, see Diana Chastain during fellowship or call 317-626-0681.



Christ Presbyterian Church wants God to be a vital part of our lives as we reach out to our community and we embrace the following Vision Statement:
We believe that God is calling us to be the open arms, the healing hands, and the loving hearts of the body of Christ in our community.

Sign up sheets are in the narthex.

Need volunteers for Liturgist, purchasing the sanctuary flowers to honor, remember or show appreciation for someone or set up, serve and clean up coffee fellowship after service.



Worship Schedule

Sunday December 3

Liturgist: Bill Wheeler

Usher: Sylvia Schofield

Fellowship:

Joys and Concerns
November 26, 2023

- We pray for our members and friends in the Armed Services, especially
Curtis Call-Bridgewater, Scott Kelley, Amy [Abramo] Allgood, Nate Henry,
Chase Bilyou
- Prayers for the people of Ukraine.
- Continuing prayers for those cities who have experienced mass shootings in the
past including, Buffalo, NY; Uvalde, TX; Tulsa, OK; Philadelphia, PA;
Dallas, TX; Smithsburg, MD; Highland Park, IL; Greenwood, IN; Beech Grove, IN;
Raleigh, NC; St. Louis, MO; Monterey, CA; Half Moon Bay, CA; Michigan State;
El Paso, TX; Nashville, TN; Louisville, KY; Dadeville, AL; Atlanta, GA; Allen, TX
Columbus, IN; Muncie, IN, Lewiston, ME
- Prayers for an end to violence in Indianapolis and our world
 - Prayers for the people of Israel

We Pray for God's Healing for:

*Ann McFate
Betty Burney
Roy Bilyou
Phil McDaniel
Martha Dawson
Shirley Sheeks
Joe Abramo*

*Shirley Tichenor
Arlene Wheeler
Heather Fisher
Cheryl Embrey
Dana Hanson
Ron Fleshood
Tildan "Bud" Blanton*

*Prayers of Thanksgiving for **Ron & Carol Fleshood** and **Jill Lyon** for their presence and gifts to our family of faith.*

Welcome to CPC ~ CONNECT WITH US

Please let us know who you are and how we can help you. Please tear off
this sheet, fill it in and place in the offering basket.

Today's Date: _____

Name (s): _____

Address: _____

City / ZIP _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

How did you hear about us: _____

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