

June 12, 2022

Welcome to
worship this
morning!

Bulletin Cues:

Bold indicates
congregational
response,

* indicates please
stand, if able



GATHERING AROUND THE WORD OF GOD

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Eternal Creator, you create us in the image of your love.

In awe and humility, we praise you.

Living Christ, you bear God's love to us.

In gratitude and love, we thank you, and we follow you.

Holy Spirit, you breathe your love into our hearts.

By your grace, we bear your love to all people,

in the name of Christ, for the sake of the healing of the world.

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

It is only by the power of God that we are able to stand against evil.

Trusting in God's grace, let us confess our sin. *Silence*

Holy God, one God in three persons, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit;

Mother, Lover, Friend; mutual and whole:

we confess our relationships are not that way.

We have been too selfish; or we have given too much;

or we have accepted too little.

Our sin drives us away from one another and from you.

Forgive us and restore us.

Draw us close that we may know life in all its fullness.

Now stand firm in your faith, covered by the saving grace of God
and ready to proclaim the gospel of peace.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

Thanks be to God.

LISTENING FOR GOD'S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Eternal One, Holy Oneness, we belong to you. Loving Christ, Divine Companion, we listen for you. Holy Spirit, Breath of God in us, we open ourselves to your flow into us and through us to the world. Holy Three, Holy One, you live in us, and we in you. We offer ourselves in love. **Amen.**

SCRIPTURE READING Proverbs 8:1-4, 22-31

Does not wisdom call, and does not understanding raise her voice? On the heights, beside the way, at the crossroads she takes her stand; beside the gates in front of the town, at the entrance of the portals she cries out: "To you, O people, I call, and my cry is to all that live. God created me at the beginning, the first of the divine acts of long ago. Ages ago I had my origin, at the start, before the dawning of the earth. When there were no depths I was brought forth, when there were no springs abounding with water. Before the mountains had been shaped, before the hills, I was born— when earth and fields did not exist, or the world's first bits of soil. When the Creator established the heavens, I was there, when the eternal Artist drew a circle on the face of the deep, making firm the skies above, establishing the fountains of the deep, assigning to the sea its limit, so that its waters might not overflow; When the Founder marked out the foundations of the earth, then I was, as well, like a confidant, a master worker, giving delight; rejoicing before the Lifegiver always, enchanted as a child at play, reveling in the inhabited world and delighting in the human race."

RESPONSIVE READING

Psalm 8

O God, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

You have set your glory above the heavens.

**Out of the mouths of babes and infants you have founded a bulwark
because of your foes, to silence the enemy and the avenger.**

When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers,
the moon and the stars that you have established;

**what are human beings that you are mindful of them,
mortals that you care for them?**

Yet you have made them a little lower than God,
and crowned them with glory and honor.

**You have given them dominion over the works of your hands;
you have put all things under their feet,**

all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field,
the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea,
whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

O God, our Sovereign, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

SPECIAL MUSIC

Allegretto quasi Menuetto

Bri McDonough, cello

Brahms *Sonata No. 1 E minor Opus 38*, movement 2

GOSPEL READING

John 16:12-15

“I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, that One will guide you into all the truth; for she will not speak on her own, but will speak whatever she hears, and she will declare to you the things that are to come. She will glorify me, because she will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine. For this reason I said that she will take what is mine and declare it to you.”

Your Word, our light; your grace, our hope; your love, our life. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

God's Wisdom Song

Pastor Jan

RESPONDING TO GOD'S GRACE

*HYMN OF THE DAY GTG 174

Come and Seek the Ways of Wisdom

all verses



1 Come and seek the ways of Wis-dom, she who danced when
2 Lis - ten to the voice of Wis-dom, cry - ing in the
3 Sis - ter Wis - dom, come, as - sist us; nur - ture all who



earth was new. Fol - low close - ly what she teach - es,
mar - ket - place. Hear the Word made flesh a - mong us,
seek re - birth. Spir - it - guide and close com - pan - ion,



for her words are right and true. Wis - dom clears the
full of glo - ry, truth, and grace. When the word takes
bring to light our sa - cred worth. Free us to be -



path to jus - tice, show - ing us what love must do.
root and rip - ens, peace and righ - teous - ness em - brace.
come your peo - ple, ho - ly friends of God and earth.

JOYS AND CONCERNS/PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

God, our Savior,
hear our prayer.

LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name.
Your kingdom come, your 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 let us not be led into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen**

SENDING INTO THE WORLD TO LOVE AND SERVE

*CLOSING HYMN GTG 547

Go, My Children, with My Blessing

vs. 1 and 3

1 "Go, my chil - dren, with my bless - ing, nev - er a - lone.
3 "Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour - ished, clos - er to me.

Wak - ing, sleep - ing, I am with you, you are my own.
Grow in love and love by serv - ing, joy - ful and free.

In my love's bap - tis - mal riv - er I have made you mine for -
Here my Spir - it's pow - er filled you; here my ten - der com - fort

ev - er. Go, my chil - dren, with my bless - ing, you are my own."
stilled you. Go, my chil - dren, fed and nour - ished, joy - ful and free."

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

The blessing of God, all-giving and all-holy,
who was and is and is to come—
be with you now and always.

Go in peace to love your God
with heart and soul and mind and strength,
and to love your neighbor as yourself. **Amen**

POSTLUDE



Are you interested in enjoying outdoor music and food with CPC friends? Berne Woodfired Pizza offers great outdoor concerts featuring local musicians each Wednesday throughout the summer. Groups perform at 5 and 6:45 pm. Check out their website: <https://www.bernepizza.org/concerts>. Anyone interested in carpooling with other CPC folks, please respond to Amanda Ross, akayross@gmail.com, or Sue Chipman, suechipman9@gmail.com.

July 16 there will be an Ice Cream Social with our ministry partners! Plan to be here! More information coming soon!



But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all truth.

John 16:13

Community Presbyterian Church

open hearted, open minded

TODAY AT CPC

Sunday, June 12

9:30 am Worship (Onsite and Online)

THIS WEEK AT CPC

Monday- Friday

Med City Driving classes meet each day

Tuesday, June 14

12:00 pm Conference Call *

6:30 pm Building and Grounds Committee

Wednesday, June 15

6:30 am Prayer Group

6:30 pm Mission and CE Joint Meeting (V)

Sunday, June 19

**9:30 am Worship (Onsite and Online)-
Outdoors, weather permitting**

Online Worship: Sundays 9:30 – 10:30am

<https://meet.google.com/vao-wjef-cbe>

+1 575-305-4527 PIN: 652 821 468 #

* **Tuesday's Conference Call**

<https://meet.google.com/kee-rcys-sdh>

+1 413-889-2244 PIN: 433 818 991#



Judy Leal

Jane and Ed Burgstaler family,
especially daughter Jenny and
Ed's mother, Helen

Connie Holst

MariLynn Johnson

Vera Atkinson's daughter, Teresa

Shannon Cisewski

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