

Children's Classes:

2's & 3's Lynn Zeller Room 216

Pre K Ken & Pat Robbins Room 215

K & 1st Sarah Gossage Room 204

2nd – 4th Steve Saville, Kim Burdette Room 213

5th Michele Decker Room 210

Youth Classes:

Middle School Girls: God's Promises Becky Batusic & Linda Hutchinson A116

Middle School Boys: A Scripture preview and application of the Sunday morning sermon Bruce Burch & Jason Wallis A109

High School Students: Bible 101, Travis Brown & Sarah Tilley, Youth Room

Adult Classes:

New Members: taught by Pastor John in his study

Young Adults: Parables of Jesus taught by Andy Jobson, A112

Ladies: James taught by Claudia Rollo in the Parlor

Harvest Class studying personal evangelism, local outreach, and global missions taught by Dee Hammond, meeting in the Gathering Room

“On Being Presbyterian” - an 8 week class for those new to the PCA or anyone seeking a better understanding of Presbyterian doctrine and practice. Taught by Jason Cunningham, room 114 (this class is 1/2 way through). The Westminster Confession of Faith taught by Doug Ostien, A114 (will resume after the completion of “On Being Presbyterian”)

“The Lord’s Day” with Robert Godfrey taught by Keith Cox, Benny Hurley and Jack Sweeney, A110

Gospel of John taught by Bob Bradbury, Tom Day, John King and Jim Zeller, in the Fellowship Hall

1 & 2 Peter taught by Terry Ensley, Dave Martin, Ben Phillips, David Stockamp & John Rollo, meeting along the walking track, in the CLC

So What About Us? A discussion of the Sunday morning sermon facilitated by Marty Moore, A105

Welcome, guests! We're delighted that you've joined us for worship! Following the services, our pastoral staff would love to meet you. Contact churchoffice@cmpca.org to receive email updates and prayer requests. You can also watch *This Sunday at CMPC* on CMPC's Facebook page.

NEW CHILDREN/YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL YEAR BEGINS TODAY! See back for classroom locations.

NEW WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY NIGHT ALIVE CLASS- Romans: co-led by Sarah Lingerfelt, Beth Wald, Rebecca Phillips, and Sarah Beth Gossage A114.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES: See today's insert or ask Mike Owens or Pastor John if you have any questions.

WNA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: We are in need of 3 people to help serve the WNA meal and clean up on Wednesday nights. Please email churchoffice@cmpca.org to sign up to serve.

YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S MEMBERSHIP CLASS... meets today at 5pm in Room 213. For more information, please see Pastor John.

SUMMER MISSION JOURNEY REPORTS: Please join us on Sunday evenings in August for a report from each of our summer mission journeys.
8/14: BridgeMont Camp 8/21: Bulgaria 8/28: Germany

WOMEN'S MINISTRY: Ladies!! Mark your calendars for our upcoming events. **Friday, August 19** is Game Night; **Friday, September 9** is Movie & Devotional; **Friday, September 24** is Feed You Soul - Faithful Living in a Secular World; **October** will be a Bonfire; **Thursday, December 8** is our annual Christmas Tea.

NEW FIRST PLACE FOR HEALTH SESSION: A new 9-week session begins August 17, meeting Wednesdays, 6:15 – 7:30 pm in the Parlor. Please contact Beth Lane (770-540-5942 or beth.lane.fp4h@gmail.com) by August 7th if you are interested.

“SO, WHAT ABOUT US...” SHIRTS: THANK YOU! to everyone who supported the youth this summer with the t-shirt fundraiser. Due to the generosity shown we have raised \$1,050! To order a "So, What About Us..." shirt please have your order in with Beth Wald, Sarah or Travis **by August 14**. Shirts will be ready by August 28. Order at cmpca.org/youth-shirt or by using the paper order forms in the Welcome Center.

CMPC Sermon Notes ♦ **Series:** Revelation: Strength for Today, Hope for Tomorrow ♦ **Text:** Revelation 8.1-5 ♦ **Message:** Sounds in the Silence

- The story so far

The Seventh Seal Opened brings silence

- Silence
- The noise of heaven
- The Impact of Silence
 - Habakkuk 2.20; Zephaniah 1.7; Zechariah 2.13
 - Silence at Jericho
- Our noisy world today
- Silence is not inactivity
- The last seal highlights the prayers of the people of God in the unfolding of history

The Seven Trumpets introduced in the silence

- Trumpets in the Old Testament
 - War
 - Movement
 - New Year's Day
- Trumpets in the New Testament- second coming, I Thessalonians 4.16
- Tension heightened

Incense and prayer

- Another angel- no trumpet but a censer
- The pleasing aroma of prayer
- Incense, Leviticus 16.11-19, especially 12-13
- The Son's mediation (Hebrews 10.21) and the Spirit's help (cf. Romans 8.26-27)
 - The perfecting of our prayers
- Revelation 5.8
- The content of pleasing prayer
- The martyrs' prayer, Rev. 6.9-11
- Psalm 141
 - A comment on prayer
 - Personal holiness
 - The enemies of God

The impact of prayer in the silence

- The world's view of prayer
- Exodus 19 in view
- George Herbert: reverse thunder
- Jesus' challenge
- The Lord's Prayer
- Luke 18.1ff
- James' encouragement, James .16
- Paul's encouragement
- Psalms
- God will use every prayer of His saints to vindicate His glory on earth.

So What About Us?

- Prayer's role in history
- A rebuke/chastisement
- We get frustrated/we forget
- We impact the universe from our knees

WORSHIP OF THE LIVING GOD

August 7, 2022

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Dee Hammond,
Pastor of Missions and Evangelism

The Song of Ascent

God's people sang together as they gathered and traveled together up to Jerusalem to worship God.

Congregation

I Stand in Awe

You are beautiful beyond description, too marvelous for words,
Too wonderful for comprehension, like nothing ever seen or heard.
Who can grasp Your infinite wisdom,
Who can fathom the depth of Your love?
You are beautiful beyond description, majesty enthroned above.

*And I stand, I stand in awe of You, I stand, I stand in awe of You;
Holy God, to whom all praise is due, I stand in awe of You.*

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ADORATION OF GOD

Call to Worship: The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him.... Be silent before the Lord God! For the day of the Lord is near... Be silent, all flesh, before the LORD, for he has roused himself from his holy dwelling. - Habakkuk 2.20, Zephaniah 1.7, Zechariah 2.13

Quieting of Hearts, Confession of Sin and Invocation

Declaration of Truth:

Exodus 19.16-20a

On the morning of the third day there were thunders and lightnings and a thick cloud on the mountain and a very loud trumpet blast, so that all the people in the camp trembled. Then Moses brought the people out of the camp to meet God, and they took their stand at the foot of the mountain. Now Mount Sinai was wrapped in smoke because the Lord had descended on it in fire. The smoke of it went up like the smoke of a kiln, and the whole mountain trembled greatly. And as the sound of the trumpet grew louder and louder, Moses spoke, and God answered him in thunder. The Lord came down on Mount Sinai, to the top of the mountain.

Hymn of Praise

Before Jehovah's Awesome Throne

Before Jehovah's awesome throne,
All nations bow with sacred joy!
Know that the Lord is God alone;
He can create and He destroy.
His sovereign pow'r without our aid
Made us of dust and formed us men;
And when like wandering sheep we strayed,
He brought us to His fold again. (x2)

SUMMER IN THE SON 20/20/20 6:30PM

Join us tonight as Pastor John looks at 2 Kings 5.1-4 and *"Kidnapped! A Most Remarkable Girl!"* in our series, *Elisha: The Spirit-filled Life in a Wordless World*. 20 minutes of singing, 20 minutes of study, and 20 minutes of food and fellowship for the whole family. Tonight: Ice Cream

We are His people, we His care,
Our souls, and all our mortal frame;
What lasting honors shall we raise,
Almighty Maker, to Your Name?
We'll crowd Your gates with thankful songs,
High as the heav'ns our voices raise!
And earth, with her ten thousand tongues,
Shall fill Your courts with sounding praise. (x2)

Wide as the world is Your command,
Vast as eternity Your love.
Firm as a rock Your truth must stand,
When rolling years shall cease to move.
Before Jehovah's awesome throne,
All nations bow with sacred joy!
High as the heavens our voices raise;
To fill Your courts with sounding praise. (x2)

CMPC Mission and Family Life Mission Moment

Pastoral Prayer

OUR GIFTS TO GOD

The Gift of Music *God of Grace and God of Glory* Orchestra

Receiving God's Tithes and Our Offering

The Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.
Praise him, all creatures here below.
Praise him above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn of Testimony

God, the Uncreated One

(Children ages three through 3rd grade may be escorted to Children's Church)

God, the uncreated one The author of salvation
Who wrote the laws of space and time And fashioned worlds to his design
The one whom angel hosts revere Hung the stars like chandeliers
Numbered every grain of sand Knows the heart of every man
He is king forever He is king forever He is king forevermore
God, our fortress and our strength The rock on which we can depend
Matchless in his majesty His power and authority
Unshaken by the schemes of man Never-changing, Great I AM
Kingdoms rise and kingdoms fall He is faithful through it all
Crown him king forever Crown him king forever Crown him king forevermore

Mighty God in mortal flesh Forsaken by a traitor's kiss
The curse of sin and centuries Did pierce the lowly prince of peace
Oh lifted high, the sinless man Crucified, the spotless lamb
Buried by the sons of man Rescued by the father's hand
To reign as king forever Reign as king forever Reign as king forevermore

King eternal, God of grace We crown you with the highest praise
Heaven shouts and saints adore "You're holy, holy, holy, Lord!"
What joy in everlasting life All is love and faith is sight
Justice rolls and praises rise At the name of Jesus Christ
King of kings forever King of kings forever King of kings forevermore

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PROCLAIMING THE WORD OF GOD

Reading of God's Word

Revelation 8.1-5, pew Bible page 1032

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon

The Sounds in the Silence

Pastor John

OUR RESPONSE

Prayer of Application

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father Who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done in 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, for ever. Amen.

Hymn of Response

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

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What a Friend we have in Jesus,
all our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
ev'rything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
all because we do not carry
ev'rything to God in prayer.

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged:
take it to the Lord in prayer!
Can we find a friend so faithful,
who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our ev'ry weakness –
take it to the Lord in prayer!

Are we weak and heavy-laden,
cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge –
take it to the Lord in prayer!
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer!
In his arms he'll take and shield thee;
thou wilt find a solace there.

The Benediction and Threefold Amen

Serving Christ at CMPC August 7

Lock-up	Bob Bishop and Jonathan McRae
8:30am	
Ushers	Mark Lane, Bo Porter, John Kapustay, Jeff Eichler, Morris Bingham, Doug Whitlock
Greeters	Sarah Booker and Carol Zaremba
Infants/Toddlers	Marie Tiano
Children's Church	Jason Wallis
Junior Assistants	
11am	
Ushers	Anthony Watkins, Ryan Watkins, Charles Scarborough, Oscar Rodriguez
Greeters	<i>Sign up to serve at cmpca.org/greeters</i>
Infants/Toddlers	Craig and Jennifer Cash
Children's Church	Noah Carmosino
Junior Assistants	Natalie and Caroline Hammond
6:30pm	
Nursery	Marie Tiano
Today	This Week at CMPC
8:30am, 11am	Worship Services
10am	Sunday School
6:30	Summer in the Son (Ice Cream)
Wednesday	Wednesday Night Alive
5:30	Meal (Spaghetti)
6:30	Orchestra Choir WNA Classes Nursery Youth Group



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