



Welcome to Worship
at
Carmichael Presbyterian Church

February 4, 2018
8:45 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service

Carmichael Presbyterian Church
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CARMICHAEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

“A Church of Christ-centered worshippers enthusiastically caring for the diversity of ages, needs and interests, within the fellowship and committed to mission in the Carmichael community and in God’s world.”

COMMUNION

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CALL OF THE BELL

PRELUDE

“Allegretto”

Scholze

(Please observe the Prelude as a time of quiet reflection.)

* WELCOME

Pastor Ivan N. Herman

Registration of Attendance Announcements

Greeting One Another

LET US WORSHIP GOD

CHORAL INTROIT “Surely the Lord Is in This Place”

Colvin

Sanctuary Choir

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Have we not known? Have we not heard?

People: Has it not been told to us since the beginning?

Leader: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength;

People: They shall mount up with wings like eagles;

Leader: They shall run and not be weary;

People: They shall walk and not faint.

* HYMN OF PRAISE “Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above”

No. 483

CALL TO CONFESSION

Leader: We fool ourselves if we think that our ways are hidden from God.
Therefore let us confess our sin, trusting in the mercy of God our
Maker.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God, you are everlasting, the creator of all that is. Your understanding is beyond measure. We confess to you that we have sinned against you and our neighbors. In your compassion, forgive us, for we place our hope in your steadfast love.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Leader: Praise the Lord! Our God heals the brokenhearted and binds up our wounds.

People: God takes pleasure in those who place their trust in God's grace.

Unison: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

- * RESPONSE OF THE PEOPLE "The Gloria Patri" Traditional
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.

LET US OBSERVE GOD'S PRESENCE

TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

(Following the Time for Young People, children age 4-2nd grade may attend "Spark" in Room 104. Older children may return to their seats and are encouraged to participate in communion.)

ANTHEM

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

Courtney

Sanctuary Choir

*Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father, there is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not; as Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.
Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see;
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided--great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!
Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness to Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.
Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!*

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 Corinthians 9:16-23

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SERMON

"It's All About Relationships"

Pastor Keith L. DeVries

- * HYMN OF PREPARATION "Living Word of God Eternal" No. 512

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

SHARING THE ELEMENTS

(Please hold the bread and all partake together; please partake of the cup as it is passed.)

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

RESPONDING IN GRATITUDE
Invitation

Reception of Tithes and Offerings
Offertory Prayer

Congregational Response

*We give thee but thine own, What e'er the gift may be:
All that we have is thine alone, A trust, O Lord, from thee.*

OFFERTORY

“Sweet Hour of Prayer”

Young

* DOXOLOGY

Presentation of the gifts

*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.*

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal Pg. 16

*(If you would like to privately share a concern, thanksgiving, or request for healing,
please come to the Stephen Ministry banner on the east wall of the Sanctuary
immediately following the service for individual prayer with a Stephen Minister)*

* HYMN OF ASSURANCE

“I Love to Tell the Story”

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* THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

(Congregation please join hands)

* CHORAL BENEDICTION “God Be with You Till We Meet Again” V. Williams
Sanctuary Choir

* POSTLUDE

“I Come With Joy”

Martin

* Those who can comfortably do so, please stand.

Please silence cell phones during worship.

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