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Parish Notes

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Register Your Attendance!

Let us know you're watching and worshipping with us by filling out the form

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Welcome to worship in the Sanctuary of Carmichael Presbyterian Church. As God's people, whether gathering in person or via live streaming, we affirm that worship is what we are called to do. Together or apart, near or far, all are welcome as we worship and celebrate the God of incarnate love in Jesus Christ.

We are grateful for your presence at our 10:00 a.m. worship service. This service combines live streaming and in person worship and traditional and contemporary music styles. Occasional pre-recorded videos provide an opportunity for members and friends of our faith community to participate in ways that bring new life to the Word of God.

May the peace and wholeness of Christ be with you always,

~Pastor Keith and Pastor Ivan

SUNDAY SCHOOL & COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Sunday School for kids age 4-5th grade will not meet today. Children are encouraged to remain in worship and participate in Communion.

Nursery Care is open for children age 4 and under from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. in Room 102

Coffee Fellowship is available in the Gathering Place following the Annual Meeting (about 11:30 a.m.) Grab a cup of coffee or a cookie and enjoy fellowship.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

You are invited to worship on Sundays at **10:00 a.m.** in the Sanctuary either in person or via live stream. Sheet music is available for songs not included in the hymnal. You can also watch the recording of the service any time after Sunday. There are several ways to join Sunday worship services:

Come In-Person: To help us be a more welcoming congregation and greet each other, please wear your name badge or, if you don't have one or can't find it, pick up a sticker name tag as you enter the Sanctuary.

Go to the church website: <http://carmichaelpres.org/> and click on the "live stream" link

Go to the URL: <https://www.youtube.com/user/carmichaelpres/>

Use the YouTube App or Smart TV: search for carmichaelpres (and subscribe to our channel if you haven't yet)

Remember in Prayer:

- Victims of Natural Disasters & Violence Worldwide
- COVID-19, Flu, & RSV Victims
- Polly Hunt
- Danelle Ingalls
- Linda Hatch
- Jan Olson
- Sandy & Susan Williamson
- Howard & Donna Ross
- Marcia Law
- Mike Honnold
- Patti Grimm
- Thelma Wever
- Paul Kinsella
- Knoll Niemi Family
- Christine Randall-Walker
- Hazel Smith
- Nonie French-Parker
- Thamsyne Brown
- Mary Buehler
- Lee Paxton
- Lillie Tonkin
- Jymmye Black
- Dave Johnson (Harry Jones' cousin)
- Bruce Erfer (John Erlich's son-in-law)
- Merdith Paz Lopez (student of Laura Garwood)
- Nikolas Jones (friend of Laura Garwood)
- Gloria Marquez (Peter Davalos's niece)
- Susan Hendrickson (friend of Sharon MacLean)
- Steve Cox (friend of Laura Garwood)
- Robert Beach (friend of Lynette Ledesma)
- Anne Wellman Jones (Karen Banker's niece)
- Gary Hursh (Kristen Miller's father)
- Lee Ridgeway (friend of Jan Olson)
- John Williams (friend of Keith DeVries)
- Sharon & Bob Ruffner (friends of Brenda Mock)
- Yvonne Menchaca (Lisa Benadom's cousin)
- Diana West (former CPC Preschool director)
- Cassandra Drakatos (Beth Lindley's daughter)
- Cynthia Metcalf (friend of Janann Poteet)
- Michelle Valladares (friend of Kelly Holland)
- Sarah Cagley (Allison Cagley's daughter)
- Claire Chavarria (friend of Christine Randall-Walker)
- Christopher & Tina Wiseman (Jessica Wattles' cousin & family)
- Ann Peck (Keith DeVries' cousin)
- Rob Brock (friend of Kate Erlich)
- Maryellen Stoker (Bonnie Paxton's sister)
- Damon Kaiser (friend of Mary MacDonald)
- Pat Ison (Terry Sakuda's cousin)
- Wade Miller (friend of Keith & Jenny DeVries)
- Wylie Cummings (Kate Erlich's former brother-in-law)
- Barbara Lee (friend of Bette Johnson)
- Jay Geha (Bonnie Pearson's son)
- Michael Lauffelman (husband of Cathy Levering's granddaughter)
- Elvira Ramirez (friend of Dick & Charlotte Frink)

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Plan to attend CPC's Annual Congregational Meeting TODAY immediately following worship (about 11:00 a.m.) in the Sanctuary. You can attend either in-person or via livestream and find out more about what happens at CPC on and beyond Sundays.

Agenda items include:

- reviewing the budget for 2023
- electing elders, deacons, and nominating committee members
- receiving the 2022 annual report
- approving Terms of Call for Pastor Keith and Pastor Ivan.

Printed packets are available in the Sanctuary. Digital packets are available [HERE](#).

CPC AFFILIATES WITH COVNET

Your Session voted to approve the CPC Inclusion Task Force recommendation to affiliate with Covenant Network of Presbyterians (CovNet), a national organization established 25 years ago to help PCUSA churches become more inclusive for LGBTQIA+ people, whether they are church members or guests (<https://covnetpres.org>). This is a continuation of CPC's efforts to become an even more welcoming church with guidance and support not only from CovNet, but from other churches in our Presbytery that have also affiliated with CovNet. A re-constituted Inclusion Task Force will continue to meet this coming year to help engage, educate, and equip our church in this important work. Questions? Contact Rae-Nani Stokes or Kathy Lewis, CPC Inclusion Task Force Co-Chairs.

STEPPING STONES OF FAITH

All second graders and their families are invited to learn about communion and other sacraments at Stepping Stones of Faith classes on Sundays, February 12 and 26 at 10:30 a.m. in Room 204, led by Eliza-Beth Phillips. We will celebrate this milestone during worship on Sunday, March 5. Questions? Contact Lisa Torgerson at 916-486-9081 or lisa@carmichaelpres.org.

Today's Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by **Bill & Misty Dunn** in celebration of their 34th wedding anniversary on February 4. Blessings to you both!

Special Friends

Please pray for these folks whose circumstances often keep them from attending in-person worship. We include a few names each week.

Mary Buehler
George Burbank
Trudy Carney
Ele Crispell

Wednesday Dinner

Share a meal and conversation with other CPC folks in McMillen Hall starting at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. On the menu: \$5 dinner, \$3 salad bar, \$1 per slice pizza, \$20 max per family.

We need Wednesday helpers, too! contact Pastor Ivan at ivan@carmichaelpres.org for details.

ASK THE PASTOR!

Are you new to Carmichael Presbyterian and curious what we're all about? Wondering how a mission style church ended up in the middle of Marconi? Can't figure out what on earth the pastor was talking about in the sermon? Ask the Pastor!

Come meet other curious folks at an informal chat with Pastor Keith on Sunday, February 12 at 11:15 a.m. Grab coffee and a cookie and meet us in The Parlor. RSVP to Rae-Nani Stokes at raenani@hotmail.com or (916) 524-9562.

M.O.V.E.

Mission **O**pportunities to **V**olunteer for and be **E**nergized. Carmichael Presbyterian will be preparing breakfast, offering showers, and providing hospitality to our homeless neighbors on Tuesdays, February 21 and 28 from 8:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Bill Dunn and Barbara Farley will be in the Gathering Place following worship to answer questions and sign you up for a shift or you can email them at willgolf81@gmail.com or b_farley@sbcglobal.net and they will get you plugged in!

YOU DON'T HAVE TO FACE IT ALONE

If you are going through a difficult time, consider asking for a Stephen Minister. CPC's trained, caring Stephen Ministers will listen and walk alongside you as you deal with life's challenges. Contact one of our pastors or Stephen Leaders or call the confidential line 916-486-0604.

HOW TO CONTACT CPC STAFF

The church office is open Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. for you to call or visit. Staff also check email and voicemail frequently.

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Donate Sanctuary Flowers in 2023

You can donate flowers to adorn our Sanctuary during worship on Sundays in 2023! The cost is \$35 for one bouquet or \$70 for both bouquets. It's easy to do: Go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0e4ba4ae29a5fe3-sanctuary1> to choose an open date (at least one week in advance). Fill in the information requested and submit your payment to CPC with "flowers" in the memo line.

CPC's Mission

Responding to God's love through Jesus Christ, we:

- Welcome all
- Nurture relationships
- Grow in faith together
- Connect with and serve our community & the world

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THIS WEEK @ CPC

Sunday, February 5 @ 10:00 a.m.	Worship & Communion in Sanctuary & on YouTube
Sunday, February 5 @ 11:00 a.m.	Annual Congregational Meeting in Sanctuary and on YouTube
Sunday, February 5 @ 11:00 a.m.	Waterfall Singers in Room 104
Sunday, February 5 @ 2:00 p.m.	Kiwanis Band in Music Room
Monday, February 6 @ 6:00 p.m.	Bell Choir in Music Room
Tuesday, February 7 @ 9:00 a.m.	Winter Respite in McMillen Hall
Tuesday, February 7 @ 9:00 a.m.	Dorcas Circle in Howard Crowley Room
Tuesday, February 7 @ 10:00 a.m.	Staff Meeting in Library
Tuesday, February 7 @ 11:00 a.m.	Companions Study in Gathering Place GA in Room 202
Tuesday, February 7 @ 11:00 a.m.	CCA Soccer Practice in McMillen Hall??
Tuesday, February 7 @ 6:00 p.m.	All Divisions Meet via Zoom
Tuesday, February 7 @ 7:00 p.m.	Prayer Shawl Ministry in Room 204
Tuesday, February 7 @ 7:00 p.m.	AA in Parlor
Wednesday, February 8 @ 1:00 p.m.	Centennial Committee in Library
Wednesday, February 8 @ 5:30 p.m.	Wednesday Dinner in McMillen Hall
Wednesday, February 8 @ 6:30 p.m.	Companions Study in GP & via Zoom
Wednesday, February 8 @ 7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir in Music Room
Thursday, February 9 @ 8:30 a.m.	Men's Morning Fellowship via Zoom
Thursday, February 9 @ 10:00 a.m.	PW Bible Study via Zoom
Thursday, February 9 @ 6:00 p.m.	Food Closet Pick Up
Thursday, February 9 @ 7:00 p.m.	Stephen Ministry via Zoom
Thursday, February 9 @ 7:30 p.m.	SPAA in Gathering Place
Friday, February 10 @ 10:00 a.m.	Alanon in Howard Crowley Room
Saturday, February 11 @ 9:00 a.m.	Presbytery Meeting in Sanctuary
Saturday, February 11 @ 9:00 a.m.	Winter Respite in McMillen Hall
Saturday, February 11 @ 3:30 p.m.	Shay Celebration in McMillen
Sunday, February 12 @ 10:00 a.m.	Worship in Sanctuary & on YouTube
Sunday, February 12 @ 10:30 a.m.	Sunday School in Room 206
Sunday, February 12 @ 11:00 a.m.	Coffee Fellowship in Gathering Place
Sunday, February 12 @ 11:00 a.m.	Ask the Pastor in Parlor
Sunday, February 12 @ 11:00 a.m.	Waterfall Singers in Room 104
Sunday, February 12 @ 11:00 a.m.	Middle & High School in Upper Rooms