

Carnegie Presbyterian Church

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BOLD print – **ALL** join to read

***** please stand if you are able

Being a community of devoted believers, we are:

Gathered by the Holy Spirit



WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL to ORDER of SPECIAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Announce Quorum

MOMENT of PREPARATION

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." -Revelation 21: 5

CALL to WORSHIP

Leader: We gather in the name of the living Christ to worship God.

ALL: Surely, God is in this place and calls us to worship in spirit and in truth.

Leader: God's love is for you and for all people everywhere.

ALL: That we may share God's love and life, may we be renewed in the refreshing

Spirit of the living Christ.

Leader: The living Christ is with us.

ALL: Praise the Lord!

★OPENING HYMN † Spirit of the Living God

Spirit of the Living God,
Fall afresh on me,
Spirit of the Living God,
Fall afresh on me.
Break me, melt me, mold me, fill me.
Spirit of the Living God,
Fall afresh on me. REPEAT

CALL to CONFESSION & PRAYER of CONFESSION

Who are we to get in your way, Holy God? We put people into neat, little boxes, but you rip them open, so folks can dance in your joy. We imprison others with our unmet expectations, and you set them free with a Word. We build walls around those we don't know, and you tear them down, so they can run wild in the kingdom.

Who are we to get in your way, Holy Spirit, especially in the way of forgiveness offered to all! Give us your vision that sees everyone as equal - forgiven, graced, loved - even as we seek to follow our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

PROCLAMATION of GRACE

SHARING the PEACE of CHRIST

***GLORIA PATRI**

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.

Growing in faith

PRAISE SONG † Thy Word

CHORUS

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path

When I feel afraid think I've lost my way
Still you're there right beside me
And nothing will I fear as long as you are near
Please be near me to the end

CHORUS

I will not forget Your love for me and yet
My heart forever is wandering
Jesus be my guide and hold me to your side
I will love you to the end

Nothing will I fear as long as you are near Please be near me to the end

CHORUS

And a light unto my path You're the light unto my path

NOMINATING REPORT

Ruling Elder ~ Dawn Wood, Class of 2024

PRAYER of ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE

Acts 11:1-18

SERMON

Hindering God Rev. Dr. Colleen Molinaro

HYMN † God of Grace and God of Glory

- 1 God of grace and God of glory, on your people pour your pow'r; crown your ancient Church's story, bring its bud to glorious flow'r. Grant us wisdom, grant us courage for the facing of this hour, for the facing of this hour.
- 2 Save us from weak resignation to the evils we deplore; let the gift of your salvation be our glory evermore.
 Grant us wisdom, grant us courage serving you whom we adore, serving you whom we adore.

ORDINATION and **INSTALLATION**

Ruling Elder ~ John Kushner, Class of 2023
Ruling Elder ~ Dawn Wood, Class of 2024
Deacon ~ Julie Senchak, Class of 2024

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE with LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy 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 lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Going to share the good news of God's love

OFFERING of OUR LIVES & GIFTS

*****please stand if you are able

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above the heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

*PRAYER of DEDICATION

★CLOSING PRAISE SONG † I Will Call Upon the Lord

I will call upon the Lord
Who is worthy to be praised
So shall I be saved from my enemies
I will call upon the Lord.

I will call upon the Lord Who is worthy to be praised So shall I be saved from my enemies I will call upon the Lord.

The Lord liveth and blessed be the Rock
And let the God of my salvation be exalted

I will call upon the Lord
Who is worthy to be praised
So shall I be saved from my enemies
I will call upon the Lord.

The Lord liveth and blessed be the Rock
And let the God of my salvation be exalted

***CALL for ADJOURNMENT**

***CHARGE & BLESSING**

*****SENDING † Halle Halle

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah Halle, Halle, Hallelujah Halle, Halle, Hallelujah Hallelujah, Hallelujah!

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It is a set amount per individual member that congregations remit to our Presbytery that is then sent onto our Synod and the General Assembly.
Per capita is part of the glue that holds Presbyterians together. It exists to allow the whole church to share equitably in those things that make us Presbyterian. In giving to support Per Capita, we are saying,

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PER CAPITA



\$34.79 / per member

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last Sunday of every month

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Dial the following number: 1-312-626-6799 Enter access code: 634 764 368 # and #





Download ZOOM meeting App: Enter meeting ID#:

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