



Welcome to Worship  
at  
Carmichael Presbyterian Church

October 8, 2017

8:45 a.m.

Traditional Worship Service

**Carmichael Presbyterian Church**

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# CARMICHAEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*“A Church of Christ-centered worshipers 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.”*

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## CALL OF THE BELL

PRELUDE

“God is Good”

Moen/Overstreet

Waterfall Singers

Nancy Studer, Director; Kathy Phillips, Accompanist

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

## \*\* WELCOME

Registration of Attendance

Announcements

Greeting One Another

MOMENT FOR CPC

Flu Shot Clinic

Jan Olson

## LET US WORSHIP GOD

CHORAL INTROIT

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

Dykes

Sanctuary Choir

## \* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love.

***Unison: The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made.***

**People: All your works praise you, Lord; your faithful people extol you. They tell of the glory of your kingdom, and your dominions endures through all generations.**

Leader: Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures through all generations.

***Unison: The Lord is trustworthy in all he promises and faithful in all he does.***

## \*\* HYMN OF PRAISE

“O God, Our Faithful God”

No. 277

## CALL TO CONFESSION

Leader: The Scriptures tell us and we have sung: “All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.” Let us confess our sins, looking to Jesus Christ, our Savior, with faith and hope, knowing that he alone forgives and brings newness of life.

## UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Forgive our faithlessness, O faithful God! Jesus, who sat at the table with outcasts and sinners, we confess that too often our words and actions are not consistent with our beliefs. Often we ignore the needy, show indifference to the lonely, and reject those who seem different from us. Forgive us, we pray. Enliven our faith, giving us eyes to see what you see and to live out what we believe day by day.**

## SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

### ASSURANCE OF PARDON

**Leader:** By grace we have been saved through faith, and this is not our own doing; it is the gift of God - not the result of works, so that no one may boast.

**People:** **For we are what he has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.**

***Unison: Thanks be to God.***

\*\* 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

SPECIAL MUSIC                      “Just Like You, Lord”                      Harrison/Culross  
Waterfall Singers

## TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

(Following the Time for Young People, children age 4-2<sup>nd</sup> grade may attend Spark in Room 104. Older children may return to their seats.)

ANTHEM                      “Sovereign Lord, Creator, Righteous One”                      McDonald  
Sanctuary Choir

*Sovereign Lord, Creator, righteous one, most high and holy King,  
My Redeemer, Father, dearest friend, my praise to you I bring.  
I will praise your name forever, knowing that you loved me first;  
For you feed my every hunger and quench my every thirst.  
With my heart I'll ever worship you, my voice will sing your praise;  
For your everlasting mercy and grace for every day.  
All creation bows in humbleness before your heavenly throne,  
And I shall forever thank you for making me your own.  
You are higher than the highest, and the God of all who live.  
You are worthy of all honor and praise that I can give.  
All my life shall be a witness of your majesty and grace,  
And in heaven I'll bow before You and see You face to face.*

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Romans 3:21-31  
N.T. Page 154

SERMON

**“The Five Solas: 2. Faith”**

Pastor Keith L. DeVries

\* HYMN OF RESPONSE “We Walk by Faith and Not by Sight” No. 399

RESPONDING IN GRATITUDE

Reception of Tithes and Offerings

Invitation

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

“Allegretto Cantando”

Franck

\* 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.*

PRAYER SHAWL BLESSING

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 “My Faith Looks Up to Thee” No. 383

\* THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION (Congregation please join hands)

\* THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

*The Lord whom we love, whom we worship and adore, We will serve  
throughout this coming week. He it is who binds us together, And He it is who  
sends us apart, to be God's people, be God's people. Amen. (The music is found  
in the inside back cover of the hymnal.)*

\* POSTLUDE “Postlude” Scarmolin

\* Those who can comfortably do so, please stand.

\*\*Ushers May Seat Arriving Worshipers

**Please silence cell phones during worship.**

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