



CARMICHAEL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Parish Notes

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Register Your Attendance!

Let us know you're watching and worshipping with us by filling out the form [HERE!](#)

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Welcome to worship with Carmichael Presbyterian Church. This community affirms that every person has worth as a unique creation and a child of God. We strive to welcome into full participation people of every age, sex, race, color, ethnicity, culture, immigration status, political affiliation, economic condition, physical and mental ability, marital status, sexual orientation, and gender identity and expression. Nametags and pronoun pins are available at the sign-in tables at the entrances to the worship space.

This service is livestreamed for those unable to be physically present, and we celebrate that we can be connected to each other in different times and places for worship.

If you are visiting, we extend God's blessings to you on your journey. If you are seeking a home, we invite you to join us in the adventure of serving Jesus Christ in a challenging and beautiful world.

~Pastor Keith and Pastor Ivan

SUNDAY MORNINGS AT CPC

Sunday School will not meet today. Children and youth 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 DeVries Gathering Place following worship and the congregational meeting. Grab a cup of coffee or a cookie and enjoy fellowship.

Restrooms are available between the DeVries Gathering Place and Parlor and outside McMillen Hall. All gender restrooms are located on the second floor across from the elevator and across from Room 206.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

You are invited to worship on Sundays at **10:00 a.m.** in the Sanctuary either in person or via live stream. You can also watch the recording of the service any time after Sunday. There are several ways to join 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/@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**
- **Jim Marshall**
- **Terry Barto**
- **Linda Sweetman**
- **Liliane Morin**
- **Ken DeYoung**
- **Naomi French-Parker**
- **Patti Grimm**
- **Bill Walker**
- **Paul Buehler**
- **John & Kate Erlich**
- **Jan Hill**
- **Hazel Smith**
- **Lora Cammack**
- **Mel Huth**
- **Julie Acosta & Family** (friend of Jenny DeVries)
- **Marty Welch** (friend of Anita Lawson)
- **Linda Hopper** (Lisa Torgerson's mother)
- **Curtis Freeman** (Paul Buehler's cousin)
- **Jo Dixon** (friend of Anita Lawson)
- **Kathy Warren** (Ron Morris' sister)
- **Christine Tiedemann** (Anita Lawson's cousin)
- **Rosetta Bartels** (friend of Misty Dunn)
- **Joan Maybury** (friend of Anita Lawson)
- **Debbie Scott** (Mary Thomas's sister)
- **Farrel Meyer** (Brook Silvernail's uncle)
- **Colleen Vignes & Family** (Glenda Perrou's sister & family)
- **Charlotte Faith Syres** (Pattie Shaw's great-granddaughter)
- **Ben Hidalgo** (husband of Gail Ball's granddaughter)
- **Anne Tolbert** (friend of Bette Johnson)
- **The Deutschman Family** (friends of Savannah Lombrano)
- **Julie Roseaia** (Carolyn Biggers' sister)
- **Kathy Manzene** (friend of Tony & Glenda Perrou)
- **Rick Fulwider** (friend of Marti Wallace)
- **Jaxon Dwonch** (Kathy Lewis's friend's great-grandson)
- **DG Dela Peña** (Lynette Ledesma's cousin's daughter)
- **Julie Miller** (friend of several CPC families)
- **Derik Browning** (friend of ElizaBeth Phillips)
- **Jody Fairfield** (friend of Carolyn McGregor)
- **Diana West** (former CPC preschool director)
- **Sarah Cagley** (Allison Cagley's daughter)
- **Erin Frank** (Caron Treon's cousin)
- **Katie Durham** (Lex Phillips' teacher)
- **Brandi Rusniak** (family friend of Janann Poteet)
- **Rachel Pollock** (Rebecca Parker's daughter)
- **Jay Geha** (Bonnie Pearson's son)



STEPPING STONES BAPTISM CLASS

CPC members wishing to have their children baptized are invited to an information and preparation class TODAY at 11:00 a.m. in Room 204. Have questions or need more information? Contact Pastor Keith (keith@carmichaelpres.org) or Pastor Ivan (ivan@carmichaelpres.org) or call the church office.

THE EMPIRE KICKS BACK

Join us TODAY, May the 4th (Star Wars Day!) at Carmichael Park for a family picnic and kickball game at the baseball diamond across the street from the Sacramento Ukrainian 7th Day Adventist Church (5748 North Ave, Carmichael). Bring your own lunch and a chair or picnic blanket. We will meet at 1:00 p.m. to eat together, and the kickball kick-off will be at 1:30 p.m.! Players and spectators of all ages and abilities are welcome!

CHIPS AHOY! COOKIE MINISTRY

Do you have a favorite family cookie recipe? Become a part of Chips Ahoy! and join us in McMillen Hall this Wednesday, May 7 from 7:00 p.m.- 8:15 p.m. Bring your recipe, a mixing bowl and spatula, and special ingredients. We'll provide the basics. Questions? Call Lynette Ledesma at 650-759-5179.

BRAG ON YOUR GRAD

We will recognize all high school and college graduates during worship on June 1 when we also present quilts to graduating high school seniors. Graduates will also be listed in the June *Mission Bell*.

If you know a graduate who should be included, please give their name, relationship to you, school, and degree (if applicable) to Karen Gray (916-486-9081 or karen@carmichaelpres.org) by May 25.

WEDNESDAY DINNER

Share a meal and conversation in McMillen Hall starting at 6:00 p.m. every Wednesday. Enjoy \$5 dinner, \$3 salad bar, and \$1 per slice pizza (\$20 max per family). Childcare is available from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Youth Group for grades 6-12 meets from 6:30-8:00 p.m.

If you'd like to help on an ongoing or one-time basis, contact Pastor Ivan at ivan@carmichaelpres.org or 916-486-9081.



Today's Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by **Keith & Jenny DeVries** in loving memory of **Kristel DeVries** and by **Bill Dunn** in celebration of **Misty Dunn's** birthday.

You Are Not Alone

If you are going through a difficult time, consider asking for a Stephen Minister. A trained, caring Stephen Minister will listen and walk alongside you. Contact one of our Stephen Leaders or call the confidential line at 916-486-0604 for more information.

Special Friends

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

Dick Strader
Laurie White
Doreen Wilson
Shirley Worthington

PAVING THE WAY TO WELCOME ALL

If you haven't already been to a meeting, you are invited to learn more about Paving the Way to Welcome All, a capital campaign to help fund renovations to our parking lot at the final information meeting on Saturday, May 10 from 10:00–11:00 a.m. in the DeVries Gathering Place. To help us plan accordingly, please RSVP to Allison Cagley at aecagley@comcast.net or to the church office at 916-486-9081.

CAREGIVER WORKSHOPS

CPC is hosting a series of free workshops for caregivers sponsored by Senior Care Solutions, Del Oro Caregiver Resource Center, and the Alzheimer's Association.

Navigating the Senior Care Maze: May 14, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Get an overview of the senior care industry and gain important tools to advocate for yourself or a loved one.

Understanding Alzheimer's & Dementia: August 13, 2:00-3:30 p.m.

Learn about the impact of Alzheimer's, the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, current research and treatments, and resources.

All workshops will be in the DeVries Gathering Place. Register by calling 916-965-5565 or emailing info@seniorcs.com. Respite may be available for participants who request it at least two weeks in advance.

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Registration is now open for CPC's Women's Retreat September 12-14 at Zephyr Point Conference Center in Lake Tahoe. Cost is \$225 per person. Register in the DeVries Gathering Place today, online at <https://www.carmichaelpres.org/event/womens-retreat/>, or pick up a form in the church office. Questions? Contact Sharon MacLean at 916-213-4179 or sharmac617@gmail.com or find her during coffee fellowship today.

CPC STAFF

The church office is open Monday-Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

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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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<https://www.pcusa.org/>



<https://covnetpres.org/>



MATTHEW 25

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/matthew-25/>



<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/environment/earth-care-congregations/>

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Sunday, May 4 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Sunday, May 4 @ 1:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 4 @ 5:00 p.m.

Monday, May 5 @ 1:30 p.m.

Monday, May 5 @ 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, May 6 @ 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, May 6 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Tuesday, May 6 @ 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, May 7 @ 8:30 a.m.

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Thursday, May 8 @ 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, May 8 @ 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, May 8 @ 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 8 @ 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 8 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 8 @ 7:30 p.m.

Friday, May 9 @ 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 10 @ 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 10 @ 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, May 10 @ 2:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 11 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Worship & Communion in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Coffee Fellowship in DGP

Waterfall Singers in Room 104

Baptism Class in Room 204

Officer Orientation in HCR

Kickball & Picnic at Carmichael Park

Scouts in McMillen Hall

Food Closet Distribution

Mission Bells in Music Room

Dorcas Circle in Howard Crowley Room

Staff Meeting in Library

GA in Room 202

Companions Study in DGP

Food Closet Distribution

Prayer Shawl Ministry in Room 204

World Relief in Room 109

CCA Soccer in McMillen Hall

Girl Scouts in HCR and Room 202

AA in DeVries Gathering Place

Art Committee in DGP

World Relief in Room 109

Mission Division in Conference Room

Wednesday Dinner in McMillen Hall

Youth Group in Upper Rooms

Officer Orientation in HCR

Companions Study in Room 204

Sanctuary Choir in Music Room

Chips Ahoy! In McMillen Hall

Men's Morning Fellowship via Zoom

PW Bible Study via Zoom

Food Closet Distribution

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Stephen Ministry via Zoom

SPAA in DeVries Gathering Place

Alanon in Howard Crowley Room

Shower Ministry in McMillen Hall

Paving the Way Information Meeting in

DeVries Gathering Place

Origami & Omotenashi Auction Event in

DeVries Gathering Place

Worship in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Sunday School in Rooms 206 & 207

Coffee Fellowship in DGP

Waterfall Singers in Room 104

Youth Bible Study in Upper Rooms