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Register Your Attendance!

Let us know you're watching and worshiping 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 for kids age 4 through 5th grade starts after the Time for Young People (about 10:15 a.m.) in Rooms 205 and 207. Youth Bible Study for middle and high schoolers (6th-12th grade) starts at 11:00 a.m. in the Upper Rooms.

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. 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**
- **Bill Walker**
- **Cindy Morris**
- **Jean Jones**
- **Heidi Van Regenmorter**
- **Jymmye Black**
- **Mike Miller**
- **Don Cox**
- **Chauncey Hayes**
- **Mary Lou Pettit**
- **Julie Leporiere**
- **John & Kate Erlich**
- **Bonnie Paxton**
- **Marcia Law**
- **Elise Treon**
- **Jan Hill**
- **Hazel Smith**
- **Lora Cammack**
- **Ginny Morgan** (friend of Terryl Summers)
- **Joanna Duthler** (friend of Cathy Wride)
- **Lisa Roppolo** (friend of Anita Lawson)
- **Dennis Hickey** (Carolyn Biggers' son)
- **Carina Peñalosa** (daughter of David Stoffel's coworker)
- **Andre Kioshima** (Dani Romais's brother)
- **Laura Voelker** (Kate Erlich's cousin)
- **Marty Welch** (friend of Anita Lawson)
- **Eduardo Kioshima** (Dani Romais's father)
- **Marilyn & Bill Garwood** (Laura Garwood's parents)
- **Nancy Marker** (friend of Beth Lindley)
- **Diana Jacks** (Terry Sakuda's sister)
- **Martha Jones** (friend of Marti Wallace)
- **Robert Ellsworth** (Kate Erlich's brother-in-law)
- **Anne Smith** (friend of Marti Wallace)
- **Corinne Coakley** (friend of Carolyn McGregor)
- **Mary Patton** (Janann Poteet's daughter)
- **Linda Hopper** (Lisa Torgerson's mother)
- **Debbie Scott** (Mary Thomas's sister)
- **Charlotte Faith Syres** (Pattie Shaw's great-granddaughter)
- **Ben Hidalgo** (husband of Gail Ball's granddaughter)
- **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)
- **Jody Fairfield** (friend of Carolyn McGregor)
- **Diana West** (former CPC preschool director)
- **Sarah Cagley** (Allison Cagley's daughter)
- **Erin Frank** (Caron Treon's cousin)
- **Brandi Rusniak** (family friend of Janann Poteet)
- **Jay Geha** (Bonnie Pearson's son)

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Session has called a congregational meeting for Sunday, November 9 immediately following worship for the purpose of amending the Terms of Call for Pastor Keith to include contributions to a 403(b). Please plan to attend in person to vote or via livestream to listen & watch.

NEW MEMBER CLASSES

Want to find out what it means to be Presbyterian, how CPC operates, and how you can connect to the life and ministry of CPC in a way that is meaningful to you? Join Pastor Keith for new member classes on Sunday, November 16 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. and Saturday, November 22 from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. (includes welcome lunch). Childcare will be provided upon request. Questions? Want to sign up? Contact Julie Ueltzen at 916-486-9081 or carmichaelpres@gmail.com

MISSION MEETS MINISTRIES: STEWARDSHIP 2026

CPC's Mission Statement is carried out by our ministries supported by the Divisions and Deacons every week. Today we will hear from the Nominating Committee which seeks leaders to serve in our many ministries and the Board of Deacons who minister to those in need: those who are poor, hungry, sick, lost, friendless, oppressed, burdened by unjust policies or structures, or in distress.

Please submit your 2026 pledge on or before **Commitment Sunday, November 16** by returning your pledge card to the church or pledging online at https://carmichaelpres.org/give/ or contacting Paul Shultz, CPC Financial Administrator. Your generous gift will fund the activities of the church into 2026.

TODAY'S CHOIR MUSIC

Introit: The melody of today's introit, "Praise We Sing to Thee" was composed around 1780. It is often called "Saint Anthony's Chorale" and was later used by Johannes Brahms.

Anthem: Austin Lovelace adapted this southern American hymn from The Sacred Harp, a mid-19th century hymnal using "shaped notes" and sung *a capella* by revival communities to create today's choir anthem, "God Is My Strong Salvation."

Today's Flowers

The flowers in the Sanctuary today are given by **Margo Scandella** in memory of her granddaughter-in-law **Heidi Kilpatrick** and by **Harry & Carol Jones** in celebration of their 72nd wedding anniversary on November 7.

Wednesday Dinner

Share a meal and conversation in McMillen Hall starting at 6:00 p.m. every Wednesday. Enjoy $7 dinner, and /or $1 per slice pizza ($25 max per family). Youth Group for grades 6-12 meets from 6:30-8:00 p.m. and the Sanctuary Choir rehearses at 7:00 p.m.

Special Friends

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

Linda Gracey
Margaret Herman
Leon & Cathy Hodge
Dick & Carole Jacobi

SHARE YOUR FAITH STORY

You can share how God has worked in your life with your church family! Sharing your faith story can help others understand your perspective, deepen their relationship with God and with you, and encourage them in their own faith journeys.

You can share during worship, write something for someone else to read, or come up with a new way to share your story. Interested? Contact Terry Sakuda at 571-205-8055 or terry.sakuda@yahoo.com.

PRIDE 5K NOVEMBER 22

Mothership Marinership invites you to join them for a Pride 5K celebrating LGBTQIA+ Pride and allyship! We will walk 3.1 miles in Carmichael on Saturday, November 22 starting at 9:00 a.m. as part of Transgender Awareness Week. Each November people and organizations around the country participate in a week of awareness to increase understanding about transgender people and the issues members of the community face. Mothership's support for the Pride 5k benefits Point of Pride. We invite you to join us for free! Email cpcinclusion@gmail.com to sign up and get the location for the start of the walk.

CPC will not be organizing a Thanksgiving Day Run to Feed the Hungry event this year. We invite you to help feed our community by supporting the Carmichael Food Closet.

FOOD CLOSET NEEDS

Thank you for your amazing response to the increased need for assistance at the Carmichael Food Closet! They continue to serve 80+ families at each of four weekly distribution times. Here's how you can help:

- **Volunteer** – There are expanded volunteer opportunities available. Get detailed information and sign up at https://signup.com/go/aZUPgfc or email carmfc5645@gmail.com.
- **Food** – In demand right now are cereal/oatmeal, canned protein/tuna, canned soups, peanut butter, jam/jelly, and fresh produce. Donations can be brought to worship on Sundays or to the church office during regular office hours.
- **Money** – Financial donations allow the Food Closet to purchase fresh items like milk and eggs at discounted prices, and bulk food orders from Sacramento Food Bank and Family Services. Give online at https://carmichaelpresbyterian.breezechms.com/give/online (the top dropdown menu gives the choice of "Give to Food Closet") or mail a check to CPC with "Food Closet" 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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MATTHEW 25

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

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

THIS WEEK @ CPC

Sunday, November 9 @ 10:00 a.m.	Worship in Sanctuary and on YouTube
Sunday, November 9 @ 10:15 a.m.	Sunday School in Rooms 206 & 207
Sunday, November 9 @ 10:30 a.m.	Inclusion Parent Group in Room 204
Sunday, November 9 @ 11:00 a.m.	Coffee Fellowship in DGP
Sunday, November 9 @ 11:00 a.m.	Waterfall Singers in Room 104
Sunday, November 9 @ 11:00 a.m.	Youth Bible Study in Upper Rooms
Monday, November 10	**Church Office Closed**
Tuesday, November 11	**Church Office & Food Closet Closed**
Wednesday, November 12 @ 6:00 p.m.	Wednesday Dinner in McMillen Hall
Wednesday, November 12 @ 6:30 p.m.	Youth Group in Upper Rooms
Wednesday, November 12 @ 7:00 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir in Music Room
Thursday, November 13 @ 8:30 a.m.	Men's Morning Fellowship via Zoom
Thursday, November 13 @ 9:30 a.m.	World Relief in Room 109
Thursday, November 13 @ 10:00 a.m.	PW Bible Study via Zoom
Thursday, November 13 @ 1:30 p.m.	Food Closet Distribution
Thursday, November 13 @ 6:00 p.m.	Food Closet Distribution
Thursday, November 13 @ 7:30 p.m.	SPAA in DeVries Gathering Place
Friday, November 14 @ 10:00 a.m.	Alanon in Howard Crowley Room
Saturday, November 15 @ 9:00 a.m.	Shower Ministry in McM &CYR
Saturday, November 15 @ 4:00 p.m.	Supper on Saturday in McMillen Hall
Saturday, November 15 @ 6:00 p.m.	Scouts in McMillen Hall
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Sunday, November 16 @ 11:00 a.m.	Youth Bible Study in Upper Rooms
Sunday, November 16 @ 11:00 a.m.	Deacons in Howard Crowley Room
Sunday, November 16 @ 12:00 p.m.	Sac. Bible Church for the Deaf in McM
Sunday, November 16 @ 1:00 p.m.	New Member Class in Parlor
Sunday, November 16 @ 2:00 p.m.	Kiwanis Band Rehearsal in Music Room

CPC STAFF

The church office is usually open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Please note the church office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, November 10 and 11 for Veterans' Day.

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