

Parish Notes

Carmichael Presbyterian Church



August 2, 2026

Welcome to Worship

Welcome to worship with Carmichael Presbyterian Church. This community of faith affirms that every person has worth as a unique creation and child of God. As followers of Jesus, 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, degree of neurodivergence, marital status, sexual orientation, and gender identity and expression. We rejoice in the diversity of God's creation.

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

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Sundays at CPC

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)

Sunday School 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 DeVries Gathering Place following worship. Grab a cup of coffee or a cookie & 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.

Let us know you're watching!
Register your attendance HERE!



Remember in Prayer:

- Victims of Natural Disasters & Violence Worldwide
- Sharon MacLean
- Len Tozier
- Mary Miller
- Chauncey Hayes
- Darlene Little
- Anne Parker
- Beth Lindley
- Dave Mathews
- Mary Simpson
- Hazel Smith
- Linda Gracey
- Pastor Keith DeVries
- Marsha Cook
- Carol Jones
- James Wurz
- Ron Morris
- Bill Walker
- Julie Leporiere
- John & Kate Erlich
- Jan Hill
- Jymmye Black
- Joan Maybury (friend of Anita Lawson)
- AJ Myers (Barbara Hussey's grandson)
- Dennis McAllister (friend of Carolyn & Gordon McGregor)
- Emily Brown (Linda Franke's daughter-in-law)
- Jeff Poteet (Janann Poteet's son)
- Sarah Cagley (Allison Cagley's daughter)
- Scott Crippin (Paul & Lynn Shultz's son-in-law)
- Marilyn & Bill Garwood (Laura Garwood's parents)
- Amber Smyth (Jimmi Mishler's granddaughter)
- Mark Ostman (Hal Millering's cousin's husband)
- Jill Hesser (former CPC member)
- Michelle Busath (Carmichael HART)
- John Buechner (friend of Keith & Jenny DeVries)
- Rachel Pollock (Rebecca Parker's daughter)
- Erika Heald (friend of ElizaBeth Phillips)
- Sarah Winston (Laura Garwood's sister)
- Becca Hugh (friend of Bill & Misty Dunn)
- Joanna Duthler (friend of Cathy Wride)
- Lisa Roppolo (friend of Anita Lawson)
- Laura Voelker (Kate Erlich's cousin)
- Marty Welch (friend of Anita Lawson)
- Eduardo Kioshima (Dani Romais's father)
- Diana Jacks (Terry Sakuda's sister)
- 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)
- DG Dela Peña (Lynette Ledesma's cousin's daughter)
- Brandi Rusniak (family friend of Janann Poteet)
- Jay Geha (Bonnie Pearson's son)



Sacrament of Baptism

It is our joy and privilege to baptize these children today:

Guinevere Madelyn Mitchell
Violet Olivia Mitchell

Women's Retreat

All women age 18 and up are invited to CPC's Women's Retreat September 18-20 at Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center in Lake Tahoe. Our theme is "Come to Me" and our speaker is Pastor Cathy Lovejoy from Shepherd of the Sierra Church. The registration deadline is August 15. You can find the registration form at <https://carmichaelpres.org/event/womens-retreat/> or pick up a form in the the church office during the week. For more details, stop by the table in the DeVries Gathering Place during coffee fellowship or contact Sharon MacLean at sharmac617@gmail.com.

Music Notes

Break Thou the Bread of Life, was written by Mary Ann Lathbury in 1877 for summer Chautauqua assemblies in upstate New York. The tune was composed by the music director of those popular gatherings. While often associated with communion, its metaphor "bread of life" refers to the Bible, the living Word of God.

Mothership Summer Diaper Drive

Now through August 31, CPC's Mothership Mariners is hosting a diaper drive to support the CPC Food Closet. Diapers are an essential health necessity for young families, but are often a major financial strain as public assistance programs rarely cover them. This summer, we can help bridge that gap for parents in our community by purchasing diapers in any size (sizes 4, 5, and 6 are often in the highest demand) and bringing them the collection bins at CPC until August 31. Thank you for your generosity.



In Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the families of members who entered the Church Triumphant :

- **Howard Willey**, who entered on July 22
- **Melvin Majesty**, who entered on July 28

With Thanks

A big thank you from our childcare providers, **Paul & Mary Camozzi** to these families who have recently donated toys and books for the nursery:

- the **Knoll-Niemi family**
- **Cathy Chang and Juan Lopez**
- **Bill & Misty Dunn**

Special Friends

Please pray for these folks whose health or other circumstances often keep them from attending in-person worship. Because the list is long, we include a few names each week.

Leon & Cathy Hodge
Dick & Carole Jacobi
Marcia Law

Caregiver Support Group

If you are caring for a loved one, you are invited to CPC's Caregiver Support Group, meeting the first and third Wednesday of every month at 12:30 p.m. on Zoom. The next meeting is August 5. For more information or to receive the Zoom link, please contact Kathy Lewin at 916-955-4601 or kslewin@sbcglobal.net

How to Give

There are several ways to contribute to CPC's ministry and mission:

- Place your contribution in one of the contribution boxes in the Sanctuary or Narthex on Sundays.
- Scan the QR code.
- Go to carmichaelpres.org/give/ to give with a credit/debit card, bank transfer, or PayPal.
- Contact Paul Shultz, Financial Administrator to make a credit/debit card contribution over the phone.
- Mail a check to CPC, 5645 Marconi Ave., Carmichael, CA 95608.



CPC Staff

The church office is typically open Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m.-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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This Week at CPC

Sunday, August 2 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Monday, August 3 @ 9:00 a.m.

Monday, August 3 @ 9:30 a.m.

Monday, August 3 @ 10:00 a.m.

Monday, August 3 @ 11:00 a.m.

Monday, August 3 @ 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 4 @ 11:00 a.m.

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Tuesday, August 4 @ 1:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 4 @ 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 4 @ 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, August 4 @ 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, August 5 @ 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, August 5 @ 6:45 p.m.

Thursday, August 6 @ 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, August 6 @ 10:00 a.m.

Thursday, August 6 @ 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, August 6 @ 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, August 6 @ 7:30 p.m.

Friday, August 7 @ 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 8 @ 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 8 @ 12:00 p.m.

Sunday, August 9 @ 10:00 a.m.

Sunday, August 9 @ 10:15 a.m.

Sunday, August 9 @ 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, August 9 @ 11:00 a.m.

Worship and Communion in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Coffee Fellowship in DGP

CCMP in Library

Art Committee in DeVries Gathering Place

World Relief in Room 109

Youth Open Hours in Upper Rooms

Food Closet Distribution

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Companions Study in DGP

GA in Room 202

Food Closet Distribution

Prayer Shawl Ministry in Room 204

Girl Scouts in Room 202

AA in DeVries Gathering Place

Youth Group in Upper Rooms

Companions Study in DGP

Men's Morning Fellowship via Zoom

Carmichael HART in Conference Room

Food Closet Distribution

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SPAA in DeVries Gathering Place

Alanon in Howard Crowley Room

Shower Ministry in McMillen Hall

Nautilus in DeVries Gathering Place

Worship in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Sunday School in Room 206

Inclusion Parent Group in Room 304

Coffee Fellowship in DGP