

CARMICHAEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

November 1, 2026 ***Livestream & In-Person*** **10:00 a.m.**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Keith L. DeVries

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* GREETING ONE ANOTHER

PRELUDE **"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"** arr. Bob Hustad

* CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 113:1-3) Dani Romais

Leader: Praise the Lord!
People: Praise the name of the Lord!
Leader: Blessed be the name of the Lord
People: from this time on and forevermore.
Leader: From the rising of the sun to its setting,
People: The name of the Lord is to be praised.

* OPENING SONG **"God of Wonders"** Marc Byrd & Steve Hindalong

Lord of all creation, of water, earth, and sky
The heavens are Your tabernacle, glory to the Lord on high

God of wonders beyond our galaxy,
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty,
You are holy, holy
Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth

Early in the morning I will celebrate the light
When I stumble in the darkness, I will call Your name by night

God of wonders beyond our galaxy,
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty,
You are holy, holy
Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth

Hallelujah to the Lord of heaven and earth
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CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON Dani Romais

Leader: The work of being the people of God is not solitary work. We are here to support one another, to love one another, and to lead one another to Christ, again and again. But sometimes we come up short. Let us now confess our sin together as we come before our God who created us, and who knows nothing but love for us.

All: Holy God, we rest in the promises of our baptism that your grace rests on us every day. Never for a moment are we outside of your constant care. And yet, life tumbles in. Your promises seem distant. We retreat into fear. We worry about what we cannot change. Forgive our anxious fears. Lead us to be who you created us to be.

silence

Leader: There is no greater joy in the heart of God than the moment when we open ourselves to the gift of forgiveness.

People: In the name of Jesus Christ we are claimed by God's grace. With great joy we are made alive. Thanks be to God. Amen.

TIME FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

(All children are invited to the front of the church. Afterwards, they may return to their seats to participate in the remainder of worship and Communion.)

CONFIRMATION AND SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

ANTHEM **"Sing Alleluia Forth"** Jane M. Marshall

Sanctuary Choir and Handbell Ensemble

Sing Alleluia forth in duteous praise,
Ye citizens of heaven, O sweetly raise an endless Alleluia

Ye powers who stand before the eternal light,
Let all your choirs re-echo to the height an endless Alleluia

Ye who have fought and joined the starry throng,
Ye victors now take up the eternal song an endless Alleluia

Your songs of triumph shall forever ring,
The hymns which tell the honor of your king, an endless Alleluia

Such song is rest and food and deep delight to saints forgiven,
Let them all unite in endless Alleluia

Almighty Christ to thee our voices sing glory,
Glory evermore, to thee we bring an endless Alleluia.

SCRIPTURE READING 1 John 3:1-3

1 See what love the Father has given us, that we should be called children of God,
and that is what we are. The reason the world does not know us is that it did not
know him. 2 Beloved, we are God's children now; what we will be has not yet been
revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we
will see him as he is. 3 And all who have this hope in him purify themselves, just as he
is pure.

SERMON ***Believe It or Not*** Pastor Ivan N. Herman

* SONG **"Remembrance"** Chris Davenport & Benjamin Hastings

I take the bread of life, broken for all my sin
Your body crucified to make me whole again

I will recall the cup poured out in sacrifice
To trade this sinner's end for Your new covenant

Hallelujah! I'll live my life in remembrance
Hallelujah! Your promise I won't forget

I'll walk salvation's road with fear and trembling
Your way borne as my own as Christ is formed in me

Hallelujah! I'll live my life in remembrance
Hallelujah! Your promise I won't forget

If ever I should lose my way, if ever I deny Your grace
Remind me of the price You paid
Hallelujah! I'll live in remembrance

You've been so, so good to me. You've been so, so good to me,
Oh, to think where I would be if not for You, if not for You

As far as heights reach from the depths, as far as east is from the west
So far Your grace has carried me
Until I see You face to face, until at last I've won my race
Remind me You're not finished yet
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!
Hallelujah! I'll live in remembrance

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

If you are worshiping via live stream, place a plate with bread or crackers and a cup with juice, wine, water, or other common beverage in your home worship space. Wherever you are, you are invited to partake of the bread and the cup.

If you are worshiping in person, please come down the center aisle to receive the communion elements. You can choose intinction (dipping the bread into the cup) from the servers nearest the center aisle or bread and individual cups from the servers nearest the outside aisles; partake and return to your seat using the side aisles. <u>All communion bread is gluten free.</u>
Ushers will bring communion to the seats of those who cannot come forward.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

MOMENT FOR STEWARDSHIP Barbara Farley & Laura Janik

OFFERING AND PRAYER

OFFERTORY **"Mighty Is Our God"** arr. Jay Rouse

ALL SAINTS DAY REMEMBRANCE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Pastor: Eternal God, as we await the day when you have perfected creation once more, we know that you have called us to be your people, living in your vision of shalom. Knowing these things, we offer our prayers in the sure and certain knowledge that you hear them, and that you delight in them, and that you will fulfill in us that which you have accomplished in Jesus Christ.

We offer now the prayer our savior taught us:

All: 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.

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.

* CLOSING HYMN **"For All the Saints"** No. 326

Glory to God

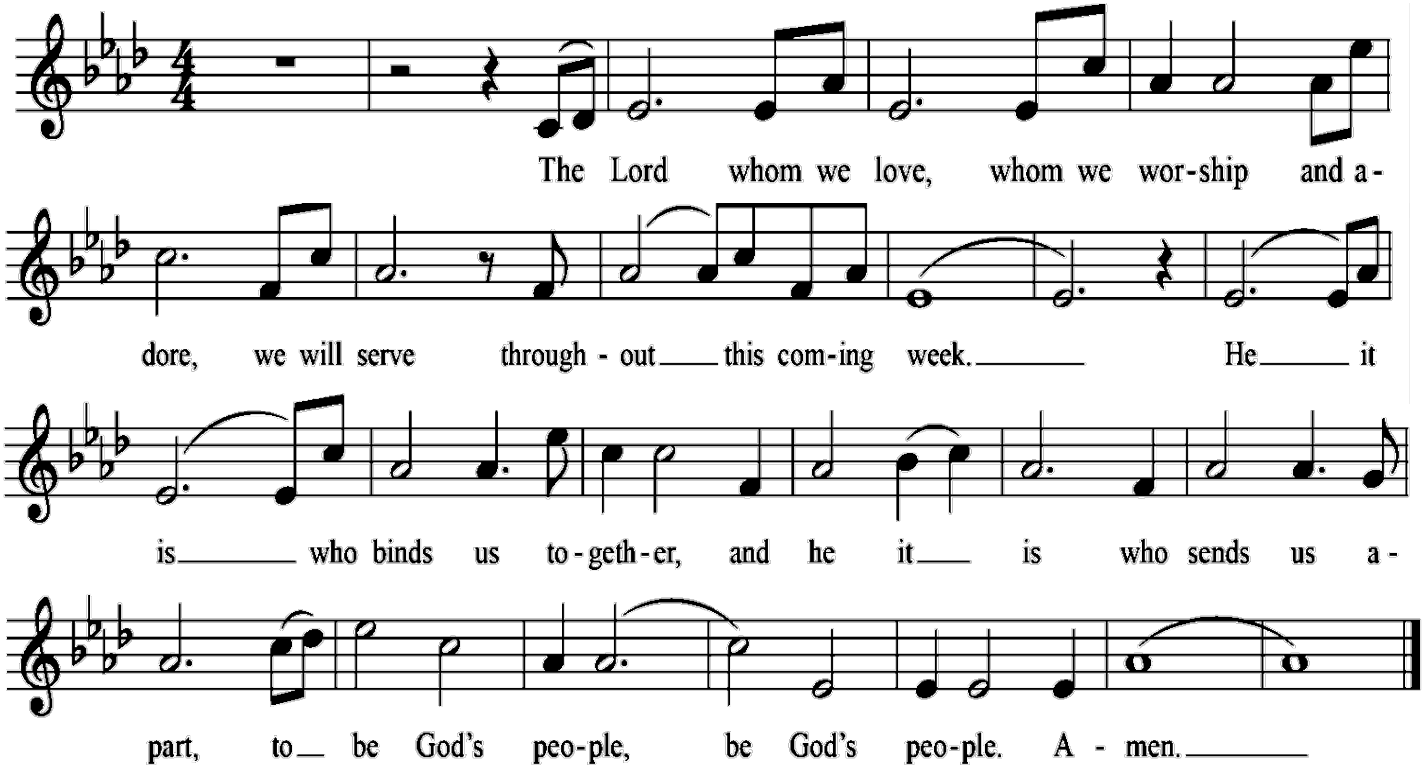


* CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

"The Lord Whom We Love" Kurt Kaiser

Congregation may join hands



* POSTLUDE

* Please rise in body or in spirit.

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