

Parish Notes

Carmichael Presbyterian Church

October 11, 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 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 & 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**
- **Patti Grimm**
- **John & Kate Erlich**
- **Hazel Smith**
- **Bonnie Paxton**
- **Paul Kinsella**
- **Anne Parker**
- **James Wurz**
- **Paul Buehler**
- **Len Tozier**
- **Chauncey Hayes**
- **Darlene Little**
- **Mary Simpson**
- **Linda Gracey**
- **Ron Morris**
- **Bill Walker**
- **Jan Hill**
- **Jymmye Black**
- **Ethel Ledesma** (Lynette Ledesma's sister-in-law)
- **Ana Carolina Wiedmer Collaço Kioshima** (Dani Romais's mother)
- **Michael Tiedemann** (Anita Lawson's cousin's husband)
- **Marsha Guzzi** (friend of Kathy Lewin)
- **Derek Edwards** (Kate Erlich's nephew)
- **Patricia Ellsworth** (Kate Erlich's sister)
- **Sierra Acevedo** (friend of Leon Wartinger & Laura Garwood)
- **Jack Paxton** (Bonnie Paxton's brother-in-law)
- **Noele Condon** (friend of Kate Erlich)
- **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)
- **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)
- **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)
- **DG Dela Peña** (Lynette Ledesma's cousin's daughter)
- **Brandi Rusniak** (family friend of Janann Poteet)
- **Jay Geha** (Bonnie Pearson's son)

Meet the Artist Today!

Join us in the DeVries Gathering Place after the service for coffee and treats. Say hello to artist Karen Orlando. Learn more about her "Legends of the Wall" art show featuring portraits of her husband Steve's favorite athletes. It's like a collection of trading cards for a sports fan, usually hung on the wall of Steve's home office.

All Saints Day Recognition

On Sunday, November 1, All Saints Day, we will remember those in our congregation who have died and entered the Church Triumphant during the past year. We will also remember loved ones who were not members of CPC by listing their names during the time of remembrance. If you wish to have loved ones who were not CPC members included in this remembrance, please submit names to the church office at 916-486-9081 or carmichaelpres@gmail.com by Sunday, October 25.

Ask the Pastor October 18

New to Carmichael Presbyterian Church and curious what we're all about? Ask the pastor! Been here a while but still curious? Ask the pastor! Meet other curious folks at an informal chat with Pastor Keith on Sunday, October 18 at 11:15 a.m. in the Parlor. Questions? Contact the church office at carmichaelpres@gmail.com or 916-486-9081.

Harvest Festival October 28

CPC's Harvest Festival is coming soon! Wednesday, October 28 will be a night of fun, food, and prizes as we don costumes and decorate doors (to substitute for trunks) with treats. All events are free, but the hot dog dinner is \$8 for adults and \$6 for kids 12 and under. To reserve your dinner, contact the church office at carmichaelpres@gmail.com, or 916-486-9081.

Want to help? We need folks to do setup, cleanup, take tickets, serve, make desserts for the Cake Walk, and decorate for "Trunk" or Treat. Sign up here: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0E4BA4AE29A5FE3-65725835-2026# or stop by the table in the DeVries Gathering Place today!





In Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the family of **Dick Strader**, who passed away recently.

No Wednesday Dinner This Week

Due to Myrtle Lane repaving, there will not be a Wednesday Dinner on October 14. Dinners will resume on October 21 when you can share a meal and conversation starting at 6:00 p.m. in McMillen Hall. Enjoy a delicious dinner for \$7 per person (including salad bar and ice cream) with a \$25 max per family and/or pizza for \$1 per slice.

Youth Group for grades 6-12 meets from 6:30-8:00 p.m. and the Sanctuary Choir rehearses starting at 7:00 p.m.

Special Friends

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

Mary Lou Pettit
Joyce Purvis
Janette Stoker
Harvey Swenson

Myrtle Lane Repaving

Myrtle Lane (along the west side of the church campus) will be closed for repaving on Wednesday, October 14 and Thursday, October 15. If you are coming to CPC either of those days, please note that you will need to park in the front circle or at Oak Leaf Plaza (directly east of CPC). Thank you for your understanding as we continue "paving the way" for a more welcoming, accessible church!

Music Notes

"Who You Say I Am" is a popular worship song from a 2018 Grammy and Dove award-winning contemporary Christian album by Hillsong Worship. Starting as Hillsong Live in the mid 1980's at a Sydney, Australia Pentecostal megachurch, this large ensemble of varying singers, instrumentalists, composers, and live worship leaders have recorded dozens of albums and continue to tour all over the world.

"God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" was one of over 400 hymn texts sent to the Hymn Society of America in 1961 as part of their search for fresh new material for singing. Its theme of encouraging stewardship pairs well with the 19th century American folk hymn tune from the *Sacred Harp* collection, which is also used in the hymn "Come, All Christians Be Committed."

Donate Sanctuary Flowers

There are several openings to donate flowers to adorn our Sanctuary in the coming weeks. The cost is \$65 for one bouquet or \$115 for both bouquets. It's easy to do: go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0E4BA4AE29A5FE3-60693685-sanctuary> to choose an open date at least one week in advance. Fill in the information and submit your payment to CPC with "flowers" in the memo line. Or, call the church office and we'll help you sign up over the phone.

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 or bank transfer.
- 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'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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Sunday, October 11 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Tuesday, October 13 @ 5:30 p.m.

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Wednesday, October 13

Wednesday, October 14 @ 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, October 14 @ 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, October 15

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Thursday, October 15 @ 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 16 @ 10:00 a.m.

Saturday, October 17 @ 9:00 a.m.

Saturday, October 17 @ 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, October 17 @ 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 17 @ 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 18 @ 10:00 a.m.

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Sunday, October 18 @ 2:00 p.m.

Worship in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Sunday School in Rooms 206 & 207

Inclusion Parent Group in Room 204

Meet the Artist in DeVries Gathering Place

Coffee Fellowship in DGP

Youth Confirmation Class in Upper Rooms

Waterfall Singers in Room 104

Mission Study Task Force in HCR

Food Closet Distribution

Staff Meeting in Library

Companions Study in DGP

GA in Room 202

NCCP in Library

Personnel Committee via Zoom

Division Meetings via Zoom

AA in DeVries Gathering Place

Myrtle Lane Repaving

Youth Group in Upper Rooms

Sanctuary Choir in Music Room

Myrtle Lane Repaving

Men's Morning Fellowship via Zoom

Mary Martha Circle in DGP

Food Closet Distribution

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Carmichael HART in HCR & Room 202

SPAA in DeVries Gathering Place

Alanon in Howard Crowley Room

Shower Ministry in McMillen Hall

AAUW in DeVries Gathering Place

Nautilus in DeVries Gathering Place

Supper on Saturday in McMillen Hall

Worship in Sanctuary and on YouTube

Sunday School in Rooms 206 & 207

Coffee Fellowship in DGP

Ask the Pastor in Parlor

Youth Confirmation Class in Upper Rooms

Waterfall Singers in Room 104

Kiwanis Band Rehearsal in Music Room