

# CPC News and Announcements

May 23, 2021

## **Sunday, May 23**

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:45 a.m.
Congregational Meeting	12:00 p.m.

## **Announcements:**

**Modifications & Guidelines** - Visit [www.clarksvillepca.org/modifications](http://www.clarksvillepca.org/modifications) to read about our modifications and guidelines.

**Childcare** - The Toddler Room is welcome to children ages 18 months to 3 years old during the worship service hour. If you are interested in serving as a volunteer, please email Tina Lee at [tlee4359@charter.net](mailto:tlee4359@charter.net).

**Online Giving** - Give online at [www.clarksvillepca.org/give](http://www.clarksvillepca.org/give).

**Subscribe E-Newsletters** - Subscribe to our weekly CPC newsletters by visiting [www.clarksvillepca.org/subscribe-newsletter](http://www.clarksvillepca.org/subscribe-newsletter). Stay up-to-date on latest updates from the CPC session, view upcoming events, prayer requests, and more!

**Prayer Meeting** - Our next online prayer meeting will be on Thursday, May 27 at 7 p.m. on Zoom. Please email [cpclarksville@gmail.com](mailto:cpclarksville@gmail.com) to learn more and RSVP.

**Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study** - We will meet the 1st Saturday every month (6/5) from 8:30 - 10 a.m. for breakfast followed by the study on "Walking with God in a Pandemic." Please bring your own brownbag breakfast. Please contact Micah Lee at 931-494-3493 with any questions.

**Congregational Meeting** - There will be a congregational meeting immediately following the worship service on May 23. Steve Christian has been approved by the session to serve as a ruling elder at CPC. This meeting be an opportunity for the congregation to accept that recommendation. All members are requested to attend.

## **Upcoming Events**

- Prayer Meeting on Zoom on May 27 at 7 pm
- Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study on June 5 at 8:30 am
- Fellowship Lunch on June 6

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## **Community Groups**

Woodlawn - 1st & 3rd Sunday, 4:00pm.  
Corey and Leann Boyd  
[cnlboyd@gmail.com](mailto:cnlboyd@gmail.com), (931) 561-8218

East Montgomery - 1st & 3rd Sunday, 5:00 pm.  
Richard and Sarah Schwartz  
[rtschwartz67@gmail.com](mailto:rtschwartz67@gmail.com), (931) 801-0264.

Sango - 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6:30 pm.  
Colin and April Foster  
[camrts@yahoo.com](mailto:camrts@yahoo.com), (601) 260-1128

Eastland Green - 1st & 3rd Thursday, 6:30 pm.  
Stephen and Tina Lee  
[slee9980@charter.net](mailto:slee9980@charter.net), (615) 477-9980.

For questions or to learn more about our community groups, please email [cpclarksville@gmail.com](mailto:cpclarksville@gmail.com).

## **Ministry Team Leaders**

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Peacemaking Team	Richard Schwartz: (931) 906-6650
Property Care (Ext.)	Dale Massey: (615) 870-2826
Property Care (Int.)	Asa Stone: (931) 358-3726
Women's Ministry	Carrie Abraham: (928) 257-7397

## **Elders**

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Stephen Lee	(615)477-9980
Richard Schwartz	(931)801-0264
Dave Smith	(931)603-6133
John Stitt	(270)889-4899

## **Deacons**

Dale Massey	(615)870-2826
John Michael Stitt	(270)498-3539
Asa Stone	(931)358-3726

## **General Questions & Assistance**

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## Prelude

Proverbs 15:31-33

## \*Call to Worship

Psalm 96:1-6

## \*Prayer of Approach

## \*Songs of Praise

"Arise My Soul Arise"

"Before the Throne of God Above"

## Scripture Reading

Psalm 141

## Prayer of Confession

## \*Song of Assurance

"All I Have Is Christ"

## Scripture Reading

Galatians 2:15-21

## Prayer of Intercession

## \*Song of Preparation

"Jesus I Come"

## Sermon

"Listening to Criticism"

## Prayer of Response

## Offerings

Matthew 6:19-21

## \*Song of Response

"Sursum Corda"

## \*Benediction

\*As you are able, please stand.

Introduction:

I. The Foundation

A) In Creation

B) In the Fall

Application:

II. The Exhortation

A) The Benefits

B) The Warnings

Application:

III. The Implementation

A) To Fear the LORD

B) To Hear the LORD

Application:

Conclusion:

## Quotes and Notes

"If you account him a believer, though greatly mistaken in the subject of debate between you, the words of David to Joab, concerning Absalom, are very applicable: "Deal gently with him for my sake." The Lord loves him and bears with him; therefore you must not despise him, or treat him harshly. The Lord bears with you likewise, and expects that you should shew tenderness to others, from a sense of the much forgiveness you need yourself."

"In a little while you will meet in heaven; he will then be dearer to you than the nearest friend you have upon earth is to you now. Anticipate that period in your thoughts; and though you may find it necessary to oppose his errors, view him personally as a kindred soul, with whom you are to be happy in Christ for ever."

"But if you look upon him as an unconverted person, in a state of enmity against God and his grace, (a supposition which, without good evidence, you should be very unwilling to admit,) he is a more proper object of your compassion than your anger. Alas! "he knows not what he does." But you know who has made you to differ. If God, in his sovereign good pleasure, had so appointed, you might have been as he is now; and he, instead of you, might have been set for the defence of the Gospel. You were both equally blind by nature. If you attend to this, you will not reproach or hate him, because the Lord has been pleased to open your eyes, and not his."  
- John Newton (1725-1807), Letter "On Controversy"

"Stoop if you would climb to heaven. Do we not say of Jesus, "He descended that he might ascend?" so must you. You must grow downwards, that you may grow upwards; for the sweetest fellowship with heaven is to be had by humble souls, and by them alone. God will deny no blessing to a thoroughly humbled spirit."

- Charles Spurgeon (1834-1892), *Morning and Evening*

We are really glad you could be with us this morning. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask our pastor or one of the elders. They would be glad to help you in any way they can. You can call or reach us at: [www.clarksvillepca.org](http://www.clarksvillepca.org).  
\*Webpage access: "Fellowship" is the password for the Directory, and "Cpcprayers2020" is the password for the prayer requests page.

For next week: "Listening to the News"