

CPC News and Announcements

April 18, 2020

Sunday, April 18

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Wednesday, April 21

Ladies' Bible Study on Zoom 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 22

Prayer Meeting on Zoom 7:00 p.m.

Announcements:

Modifications & Guidelines - Visit www.clarksvillepca.org/modifications to read about our modifications and guidelines.

Sunday School - Join us from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Room for a study on the book of Revelation led by Steve Christian. Children are welcome to join at this time.

Childcare - The Toddler Room is welcome to children ages 18 months to 3 years old during the worship service. To serve as a volunteer, email Tina Lee at lee4359@charter.net.

Online Giving - Give online at www.clarksvillepca.org/give.

Subscribe E-Newsletters - Subscribe to our weekly CPC newsletters by visiting 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, April 22 at 7 p.m. on Zoom. Please email cpclarksville@gmail.com to learn more and RSVP.

Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study - We will meet the 1st Saturday every month (5/1 and 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.

AIM Ministry Camping Trip - Join our Adults in the Making (AIM) Ministry on an overnight camping adventure at the Boyd home (300 Sequoia Lane). Drop-off at 6 pm on 4/23 and pick-up on 4/23 between 9 - 11 am. Please RSVP by email to Jake Trageser at trageser13@gmail.com by 4/21. Parents are welcome to join.

Upcoming Events

- Inquirer's Weekend on 4/23-24
- AIM Ministry Camping Trip on 4/23-24
- Men's Saturday Morning Bible Study at 8:30 am on 5/1
- Ordination Service for Will Cote at 5 pm on 5/2

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Community Groups

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

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

Sango - 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6:30 pm.
Stephen and Kimberly Beaty
sbeaty69@gmail.com, (573) 308-2357

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

For questions or to learn more about our community groups, please email cpclarksville@gmail.com.

Ministry Team Leaders

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| AIM (Adults in Making) | Jake Trageser: (931) 801-1457 |
| Audio/Visual Team | Stephen Beaty: (573) 308-2357 |
| Education - Adults | Corey Boyd: (931) 561-8218 |
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| Emergency | Dave Chapman: (931) 237-6867 |
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| Men's Ministry | John Michael Stitt: (270) 498-3539 |
| Missions | Roger Pinkley: (931) 368-1568 |
| MOMs | Kait Gross: (360) 489-8700 |
| Music Ministry | Amy Massey: (615) 972-9696 |
| Nursery | Tina Lee: (931) 206-6824 |
| 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 Beaty | (573)308-2357 |
| Stephen Lee | (615)477-9980 |
| Richard Schwartz | (931)801-0264 |
| Dave Smith | (931)603-6133 |
| John Stitt | (270)889-4899 |

Deacons

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

General Questions & Assistance

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Prelude

John 2:13-22

*Call to Worship

Psalm 65:1-4

*Prayer of Approach

*Songs of Praise

"A Mighty Fortress"

"Our Great God"

Scripture Reading

1 Kings 8:1-11

Prayer of Confession

*Song of Assurance

"Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery"

Scripture Reading

Colossians 1:15-20

Prayer of Intercession

*Song of Preparation

"Who Is This, So Weak and Helpless?"

Sermon

"Resurrection Reorientation"

Prayer of Response

Offerings

Acts 20:35

*Song of Response

"Sursum Corda"

*Benediction

*As you are able, please stand.

Introduction:

I. The Cleansing of the Temple

A) The cause for Jesus' anger

B) The nature of Jesus' assertion

II. The Raising of the Temple

A) The consternation of the leaders

B) Jesus' veiled meaning

III. The Coming of the Temple

A) The story of the temple

B) Jesus as the temple

Conclusion:

Quotes and Notes

"When Jesus said that his resurrected body is the true temple, he was saying something like this: 'In all temples around the world, priests offer sacrifices and do rituals aiming to bridge the chasm you feel between yourself and God. But I am *the* sacrifice that ends all sacrifices. I am *the* priest who ends your need for priests...I am the one who brings heaven to earth, because I am not just the bridge over the gap to God's glory. I *am* God's glory.' No one, of course, had ever said anything like this before. The founders of other religions built many temples. But Jesus *is* the temple to end all temples."

- Tim Keller, *Hope in Times of Fear*

"Jesus' cleansing of the temple was much more than an act of moral outrage and judgment. It was also a sign of end-time fulfillment. The temple was never given as an end in itself. Like the tabernacle, the temple was essential but ultimately temporary, for its abuses exposed just how broken God's worship and God's worshipers had become through sin. Something better was promised, and that something arrived with Jesus, the true and final temple (John 2:19-21). As the embodiment of the temple (the place where God was present among his people in the Old Testament), Jesus is God with us—Immanuel—and God for us (Isa. 7:14; Matt. 1:18-25)."

- *ESV Gospel Transformation Bible*

"Jesus is claiming nothing less than the reconstituting of the entire worship of God's people around his own person and mission. The temple will pass into oblivion, not only because it is physically razed, but because it is spiritually obsolete. Jesus' body, offered up in sacrifice and raised up in power, will be the new temple where God and humanity, creator and creature, meet face to face. 'The action of Jesus is more than an example of prophetic protest against corrupt religion: it is a sign of the end of all religion.'"

- Bruce Milne, *The Message of John*

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. *Webpage access: "Fellowship" is the password for the Directory, and "Cpcprayers2020" is the password for the prayer requests page.

For next week: John 17:1-5