

CPC News and Announcements

October 10, 2021

Sunday, October 10

Sunday School Classes 9:30 am
Worship Service 10:45 am

Tuesday, October 12

Ladies' Bible Study on Zoom 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 14

Ladies' Morning at the Greenway 9:00 am

Announcements:

Sunday school Classes - Our Adult Sunday Morning Study is going through a study of 1 John. Our Children's, Youth (Middle School), and High School Sunday School Classes have resumed! Our Sunday School classes meet from 9:30 - 10:30 am in the education classrooms.

Childcare - The Toddler Room is welcome to children ages 18 months to 3 years old during the worship service hour.

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

Ladies' Bible Studies - Our evening study will meet on Zoom from 7 - 8:30 pm on Tuesdays. Our morning study will meet in the Fellowship Room from 8:30 - 10 am. Childcare is provided. RSVP to Carrie Abraham at carrieabraham7@gmail.com.

Ladies' Morning at the Greenway - Meet us at the Greenway (1101 Pollard Road) at 9 am for a kid-friendly outing on Thursday, October 14! In light of Fall Break for the schools, we will not meet for Ladies' Bible Study at CPC.

Ladies' Lunch Bunch - Our next Ladies' Lunch Bunch will be held on Tuesday, October 19 at 12 pm at Liberty Park Grill. Please RSVP to Marie Beck at mamiern95@yahoo.com.

Inquirer Weekend - Our next Inquirer Weekend will be held Friday, October 22 (6:30 - 8:30 pm) and Saturday, October 23 (8:30 - 11:30 am). Come learn about our church history and doctrine, ways to get further connected at CPC, and take the first formal step toward membership. Childcare is provided. Please RSVP to Kristin Benoit by October 15 by emailing cpccclarksville@gmail.com.

Upcoming Events

- Ladies' Lunch Bunch - October 19
- Inquirer Weekend - October 22 and 23
- AIM Night - October 29
- Ladies' Game Night - October 29
- Fellowship Lunch - October 31

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Community Groups

Woodlawn - Every Sunday, 4 pm
Corey and Leann Boyd; Ashley Lesondak
cnlboyd@gmail.com, (931) 561-8218

Sango - 1st and 3rd Sundays, 5 pm
Steve and Connie Christian
steve.christian@me.com, (502) 435-4062

McAdoo Creek - 1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6:30 pm
Colin and April Foster; Dave and Paige Smith
camrts@yahoo.com, (601) 260-1128

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

Rossvie - 1st & 3rd Sunday, 12:30 pm
George and Katherine King
geokatking@gmail.com, (931) 624-1456

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

Ministry Team Leaders

AIM (Adults in Making)	Jake Trageser: (931) 801-1457
Audio/Visual Team	Chris Abraham: (928) 257-7331
Education - Adults	Corey Boyd: (931) 561-8218
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Missions	Roger Pinkley: (931) 368-1568
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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

Steve Christian (elder elect)	(502) 435-4062
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

Joel 1:1-2:17

*Call to Worship

Psalm 96:1-6

*Prayer of Approach

*Songs of Praise

"How Great Thou Art"

"Our Great God"

Scripture Reading

Deuteronomy 30:1-10

Prayer of Confession

*Song of Assurance

"In Christ Alone"

Scripture Reading

1 John 1:5-10

Prayer of Intercession

*+Song of Preparation

"God Be Merciful To Me"

Sermon

"Repent! The Day of the Lord Is Near."

- Rev. Richard Schwartz

Prayer of Response

Offerings

Romans 11:33-36

*Song of Response

"Jesus Thank You"

*Benediction

*As you are able, please stand.

+Children, ages 4-6, are dismissed for Children's Church.

Introduction:

I. What It Means

A) Not attrition

B) But contrition

II. Why It's Needed

A) For our development

B) For our discipline

III. How It's Possible

A) God's merciful ways

B) Christ's finished work

Conclusion:

Quotes and Notes

"Let each one confess his sin, I beseech you, brethren, while he who has sinned is still in this world, while his confession can be admitted, while the satisfaction and remission effected through the priest is pleasing with the Lord. Let us turn to the Lord with our whole mind, and, expressing repentance for our sin with true grief, let us implore God's mercy. Let the soul prostrate itself before him; let sorrow give satisfaction to him; let our every hope rest on him. He himself tells how we ought to ask. He says, "Return to me with all your hearts, in fasting and in weeping, and in mourning, and rend your hearts, not your garments." Let us return to the Lord with a whole heart; let us placate his wrath and displeasure by fastings, weepings and mournings, as he himself admonishes."

- Cyprian (c.210-258), *The Lapsed* 29.5

"What is repentance unto life?"

"Repentance unto life is a saving grace, wrought in the heart of a sinner by the Spirit and Word of God, whereby, out of the sight and sense, not only of the danger, but also of the filthiness and odiousness of his sins, and upon the apprehension of God's mercy in Christ to such as are penitent, he so grieves for and hates his sins, as that he turns from them all to God, purposing and endeavoring constantly to walk with him in all the ways of new obedience."

- *Westminster Larger Catechism* (1647), Question 76

"We must stop parading around as a shell of a person, living as those that T.S. Eliot called "hollow men." Ask the Holy Spirit to make you willing to be searched by God ([Psalm 139:23-24](#)). And in turn, you will realize you are truly known by him. Do not expect the process of searching to be always painless and pleasant. No, hardly. But you will begin to have the joy of a clear conscience and a deepening fellowship with Christ as you realize He is unafraid of what He exposes, willing to heal, awaiting your return to Him. As you learn to thirst after Christ and drink of Him, you will find the living waters of the Holy Spirit flowing through you ([John 7:37-39](#)). No longer will you be the shiny appearance of something good, but you will be really living—and from you waters will overflow into others' lives."

- C. John Miller (1928-1996), *Repentance and the 20th Century*

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: Joel 2:18-3:21