

CPC News and Announcements

December 27, 2020

Sunday, December 27

Worship Service 10:45 a.m.

Announcements:

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

Sunday School - SS Classes are on break until the end of the year or later.

Childcare - The nursery room is still available for use, but there will be no childcare provided at this time.

Online Giving - Visit www.clarksvillepca.org/give to give online to CPC.

Sermon Recordings - Visit www.clarksvillepca.org/sermons to view video and audio recordings of sermons dating back to 2013.

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, view prayer requests, and more!

Community Groups Sign-Ups - Community Groups are a great way to grow in the Christian life and get connected with CPC. To sign up, email cpclarksville@gmail.com.

Prayer Meeting - Our next online prayer meeting will be on Thursday, January 28 at 7 pm on Zoom. Please email cpclarksville@gmail.com to learn more and RSVP.

Opportunity to Serve - Our Hospitality Team is looking for volunteers to serve on Sunday mornings. Email Ashley Lesondak at ashleylesondak@gmail.com for more information.

Coming Events:

- 01/05 Men's Night Out
- 01/15-01/16 Inquirer Weekend
- 01/28 Prayer Meeting

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Community Groups

Woodlawn - 1st & 3rd Sunday, 4:00pm.
Michael and Kristin Benoit
benoitmh@gmail.com, (518) 369-4457

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

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

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

Ministry Team Leaders

AIM (Adults in Making)	Jake Trageser: (931) 801-1457
Audio/Visual Team	Stephen Beaty: (573) 308-2357
Education - Adults	Corey Boyd: (931) 561-8218
Education - Children	Anna McMurry: (931) 896-1313
Emergency	Dave Chapman: (931) 237-6867
Fellowship	Bill DuVal: (713) 217-7994
Hospitality	Ashley Lesondak: (360) 616-1561
Men's Ministry	Herb Paugh: (615) 584-2941
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

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

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

General Questions & Assistance

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Prelude

*Call to Worship

Psalm 96:1-6

*Prayer of Approach

*Songs of Praise

"Go Tell It On The Mountain"

"I Heard The Bells on Christmas Day"

Scripture Reading

Isaiah 9:1-7

Prayer of Confession

*Song of Assurance

"Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery"

Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 1:18-25

Prayer of Intercession

*Song of Preparation

"In The Bleak Midwinter"

Sermon

"The King of the Jews"

Prayer of Response

Offerings

Proverbs 3:9-10

*Song of Response

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

*Benediction

*As you are able, please stand.

Matthew 2:1-12

Introduction:

I. The King Is Announced by the Star

II. The King Is Prophesied by Micah

III. The King Is Encountered by the Wise Men

Conclusion:

Quotes and Notes

"To rejoice is to treasure a thing, to assess its value to you, to reflect on its beauty and importance until your heart rests in it and tastes the sweetness of it. "Rejoicing" is a way of praising God until the heart is sweetened and rested, and until it relaxes its grip on anything else it thinks it needs."

-Tim Keller, *Counterfeit Gods*

"These wise men believed in Christ when they had never seen him; but that was not all. They believed in him when the scribes and Pharisees were unbelieving; but that again was not all. They believed in him when they saw him as a little infant on Mary's knees, and worshiped him as King. This was the crowning point of their faith. They saw no miracles to convince them. They heard no teaching to persuade them. They saw nothing but a newborn infant, helpless and weak, needing a mother's care like any of us. And yet when they saw that infant, they believed that they saw the divine Savior of the world!"

-J. C. Ryle (1816-1900), *Expository Thoughts on the Gospels*

"The magi show the way. They knew one thing: the king of the Jews had been born. The scribes had more and better information than the magi did, but the magi acted on what they knew. They traveled to see the baby king. They left work, home, and family, to follow a star for many months. They embarked on a perilous journey, traveling most likely on lumpy, foul-smelling camels, past brigands, through alien lands. They brought the most expensive gifts they could find. When they arrived, they worshiped, then gave gifts. They knew little, but acted on what little they knew."

-Dan Doriani, *The Incarnation in the Gospels*

"Earthly pride is undoubtedly alarmed when the Highness of heaven is revealed."

-Gregory the Great (540-604), *Sermon*

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: Psalm 130