

CPC News and Announcements

January 9, 2022

Sunday, January 9

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

Announcements:

Sunday School Classes - Our Adult Sunday Morning Study will resume this week at 9:30 am. Our Children's, Youth (Middle School), and High School 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.

January Prayer Calendar - The January Prayer Calendar is now available on the church website under the "Connect" tab, then under "Documents."

www.clarksvillepca.org

Community Groups

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

Sango - 1st and 3rd Sundays, 5:30 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
John and Dina Stitt
johndina@aol.com, (270) 889-4899

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 | Chris Abraham: (928) 257-7331 |
| Education - Adults | Corey Boyd: (931) 561-8218 |
| Education - Children | Anna McMurry: (931) 896-1313 |
| Fellowship | Bill DuVal: (713) 217-7994 |
| Hospitality | Connie Christian: (502) 451-2828 |
| Men's Ministry | John Michael Stitt: (270) 498-3539 |
| Missions | Roger Pinkley: (931) 368-1568 |
| 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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| Steve Christian | (502) 435-4062 |
| 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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CHRIST

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Psalm 65:1-4

*Prayer of Approach

*Songs of Praise

"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

"Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery"

Scripture Reading

Psalm 32

Prayer of Confession

*Song of Assurance

"A Debtor to Mercy Alone"

Scripture Reading

I John 4:7-16

Prayer of Intercession

*+Song of Preparation

"Speak, O Lord"

Sermon

"Union With Christ"

- Rev. Richard Schwartz

Prayer of Response

Offerings

Luke 12:13-15

*Song of Response

"The Solid Rock"

*Benediction

*As you are able, please stand.

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

Galatians 2:15-21

Introduction:

I. United to Christ's Death

A) Not in the historical moment

B) But in a representational sense

II. United to Christ's Life

A) Not a denial of personality

B) But a living spiritual union

III. United to Christ by Faith

A) Paul's personal experience

B) A necessary reminder

Conclusion:

Quotes and Notes

"How do we receive those benefits which the Father bestowed on his only-begotten Son—not for Christ's own private use, but that he might enrich poor and needy men? First, we must understand that as long as Christ remains outside of us, and we are separated from him, all that he has suffered and done for the salvation of the human race remains useless and of no value for us."

- John Calvin (1509-1564), *Institutes of the Christian Religion* (III, i, 1)

"Union with Christ is the central truth of the whole doctrine of salvation. All to which the people of God have been predestined in the eternal election of God, all that has been secured and procured for them in the once-for-all accomplishment of redemption, all for which they become the actual partakers in the application of redemption, and all that by God's grace they will become in the state of consummated bliss is embraced within the compass of union and communion with Christ."

- John Murray (1898-1975), *Redemption Accomplished and Applied*

"Summing up, we could say that union with Christ has its source in our election in Christ before the creation of the world and its goal in our glorification with Christ throughout eternity. Union with Christ was planned from eternity, and is destined to continue eternally. This union, therefore, is what makes our life as Christians significant, happy, and victorious. We are pilgrims and strangers on this earth, but Christ lives in us forever."

- Anthony Hoekema (1913-1988), *Saved by Grace*

"Faith in our unchanging status and in our changed ability are the powerful resources for spiritual change made available to us by our union with Christ. These resources do not remove our need to seek godliness with vigor and dedication. Progress in sanctification requires work from us, but we are made willing and able to work because of our sure relationship with the Lord who gave himself for us, rose from the dead, and now indwells us with that life-changing power. By virtue of our union with Christ our sinful identity is dead and his righteous identity is ours."

- Bryan Chapell, *Holiness by Grace*

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: Guest speaker