

## Welcome to Worship at CPCC

It's a joy to welcome you to worship this morning! We worship the LORD with our heart's affections and mind's attention focused on His glory and His grace. Take a moment to preview *the order of worship* in the bulletin. **We're glad you are here!**

## Morning Worship

As Jesus made His final arrival at the city of Jerusalem, the gathered crowds greeted Him saying, *"Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"* Today's sermon (from [Luke 19](#)) is **"The King Has Come,"** about Jesus being the divine King, who came to bring the real peace of salvation to His people. May the Spirit press the truth of the Word of God upon our hearts and minds, so that we honor the King, and serve well in His kingdom in our day.

*If the Spirit of God is working in you today, calling you to believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, repent of sin, or otherwise respond to the Word of God, then **please** take a moment to speak with one of our Elders (in the front of the room) after this morning's service.*

## Children in Worship

All children are welcomed and encouraged to be in worship as parents train them to praise the Lord and to listen to God's Word. As needed, the **church nursery** is ready for infants & toddlers.

## Visiting Today?

*We're glad you're here!* If you need a Bible during the service they are available at the ushers' stations in the back of the sanctuary. Help yourself. \*All **first time visitors** should also pick up a **Welcome Gift Bag** from the ushers' stations after the service.

## Refreshments

After the service enjoy some light refreshments downstairs in the Fellowship Hall — and mingle to get to know one another.

## Sunday School hour

CPCC has Sunday School classes for all ages, at 11 AM to Noon. See the schedule posted downstairs. The Adult Class, in the Fireside Room with Pastor Bissett, has begun a course of study, **DISCOVERING GOD'S WILL**. Stay and learn with us. \*Next Sunday the Adult Class has a special lesson on the [Resurrection](#).

## No Evening Worship tonight

After our noontime fellowship luncheon and the annual business meeting this afternoon, there will be no evening service tonight.


## Prayer meetings this week...

CPCC has three regular times for corporate prayer (Room #8): **Sunday Mornings @ 9:15 AM**; and **Wednesdays at 10:00 AM**, and again in the evening at **7:00 PM** (also on Zoom).

## Easter Sunday invites

Please use the colorful flyers on the round table to invite others to our Easter Sunday morning worship service. And let's be praying for the Lord to bring many to CPCC to hear the good news.

## Alpha Centers fund-raising

 Alpha Crisis Pregnancy Center has set-up a website page **just for CPCC** to donate to their spring **"Baby Bottles"** fund drive, online: <https://secure.fundeasy.com/ministrysync/event/website/?m=6568866>

## THE WEEK AHEAD @ CPCC —

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| <b>Wednesday:</b>   | 10:00 AM <b>Morning Prayer meeting</b> (room #8)     |
|                     | 7:00 PM <b>Evening Prayer meeting</b> (also on Zoom) |
| <b>Thursday:</b>    | 7:00 PM <i>Maundy Thursday Comm. Service</i>         |
| <b>Next Sunday:</b> | 9:15 AM Sunday morning Prayer (Room #8)              |
|                     | 9:30 AM <b>Easter Sunday Morning Worship</b>         |
|                     | 11:00 AM <b>Sunday School Classes</b> (for all)      |
|                     | 6:00 PM <b>Evening Worship &amp; Bible lesson</b>    |

### Scheduled Volunteers: (TODAY)

- **Coffee:** Laurel Bissett
- **Nursery:** Harjit Earnest & Sheryl S.

### (NEXT SUNDAY - MARCH 31ST)

- Paula Bachinsky & Aaron W.
- Ellen Dick & Ashlee Shultz

## Annual Meeting & Luncheon today

Everyone is welcome to stay for a delicious hot meal (chicken parm.) at a **Fellowship Luncheon** at Noon in the Fireside Room, before our **Annual Business Meeting** (around 1 PM) in the sanctuary. There is plenty of food for all. At the meeting, Members will vote on the Proposed Budget for 2024-25, and also four Capital Fund Proposals — which, if approved, could be undertaken as funds allow. The meeting will also feature a word from the Pastor and a year-in-review slideshow — so **everyone** is encouraged to attend.

*\*Thanks to Deacon Chad Granger, Roger Bowman, and Pam & Craig Thomas (and others) for helping with today's luncheon.*

## Thanks

The congregation thanks Debbie & Donna and Glenda Schwartz for the Palm Sunday (and Easter Sunday) decorations of the sanctuary.

## What is "Maundy Thursday"?

March 28th is *Maundy Thursday* with a special communion service here at CPCC at **7:00 PM**. You could call it *"Good Friday-Eve"* the night before Jesus' betrayal and crucifixion. That evening Jesus gathered His disciples to eat the Passover meal, which we know as the Last Supper. Jesus used that bread and a cup of wine to institute *Christian Communion* (the Lord's Supper) giving His disciples a command to love one another ('maundy' comes from command, as in "mandate"). Plan to join us this Thursday at **7:00 PM**.

## Service live-streaming

We now live-stream the worship service at [SermonAudio.Com/CPCC](https://SermonAudio.Com/CPCC) which also has previous sermons there. *Spread the word!*

## Upcoming Calendar items...

- ★ Thurs., March 28th — **Maundy Thursday service**, 7:00 PM
- ★ Sunday, March 31st — **Easter Sunday**
- ★ Tuesday, April 2nd — NY Primary Election Day
- ★ Sat., April 6th — *Camaraderie & Coffee* at CPCC, 10 AM
- ★ Monday, April 8th — Serve at the Schenectady City Mission
- ★ Tuesday, April 2nd — 7 PM, Joint Boards Zoom meeting
- ★ Tuesday, April 16th — 7 PM, Elders Zoom meeting
- ★ Sat., April 20th — *Women In the Word* seminar, Open Arms Ch.
- ★ Sunday, April 28 — 2 PM, Alpha Spring Banquet (1 of 2)
- ★ Monday, April 29 — 5:30 PM, Alpha Spring Banquet (2 of 2)
- ★ Sunday, June 2nd — Annual Church Picnic, Noon-4 PM

"Keep steady my steps according to your promise,  
and let no iniquity get dominion over me."

Psalm 119:133 esv