

ANNOUNCEMENTS • JANUARY 15, 2023

January 15 - January 21

Sunday

9 a.m. - "Over the Coffee" meets downstairs
9 a.m. - Sunday School for Preschool - 5th Grade
10 a.m. - Worship Service

Monday

Office Closed in Honor of Martin Luther King, Jr.

Tuesday

Annual Reports Due
1:30 p.m. - Staff Meeting

Wednesday

Noon - **Bulletin Deadline**
6 p.m. - WN@CH

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY

10 a.m. - Worship Service
11:15 a.m. - Board of Deacons Meeting
11:15 a.m. - Special Called Session Meeting

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS @ CEDAR HEIGHTS (WN@CH) is a family dinner around the table in Fellowship Hall from 6:00-6:30 p.m. After dinner, children and youth go to age-specific activities and are invited to participate in faith-based discussion. At this time, parents clean up the kitchen and dining room together, and gather after to discuss family life, which often circles around to faith related topics. Activities finish by 7:30 p.m. We will continue with families signing up to cook the meal each week, a sign-up sheet will be provided in Fellowship Hall. Please join us!

OVER THE COFFEE - Join us Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. This group, while showing its "grey," welcomes all ages for intergenerational discussions and fellowship. Please bring your own coffee. We look forward to seeing you!

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL - We meet in the room across from the nursery. We will be using Growing in Grace and Gratitude curriculum, which is rooted in the foundation of Presbyterian identity where God's grace and our gratitude are the heartbeat of our faith, life, and worship. The classes inspire children to learn and practice hospitality, generosity, and love; and reaches beyond Sunday morning, encouraging children to live their lives as an expression of God's grace.

WORSHIP EXPLORERS! After the children's message and during the sermon, children **Preschool-4th grades** can follow a Worship Explorers leader to a classroom. This program is designed to help children grow as worshipers and to equip them to participate in worship. The children will be out of worship only during the sermon. 5th grade and up should stay in the sanctuary to listen to the sermon.

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Soprano Section Leader

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Alto Section Leader

Mason Sealock
Tenor Section Leader


Tiffany Sherwood
Guitarist

At Cedar Heights Community Presbyterian Church, we believe in the centrality and power of prayer. You may put a request on our prayer list by emailing the church office at chpreschurch@cfu.net. If you would like your name removed from the list, please inform the church office.

PRAYERS FOR: Norma Caquelin's granddaughter's husband, Brandon; for Kathryn Rogers' husband, Ken & son, Andrew; for the people of Ukraine and Russia; for the people of Bihembe, Rwanda & Makantakita, Nicaragua; for those currently serving in the military; and for all facing surgery, difficulty, or times of great challenges.

WE WILL HOLD OUR ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING on Sunday, January 29, immediately following the service. The meeting will give the congregation a chance to review the activities of the past year. **Reminder that annual reports are due in the office by January 17.** The meeting continues with a *Meet Your Deacon Lunch* prepared by Pastor Dave in Fellowship Hall.

THE SUNDAY SUPPER Free Community Meal is back! We began serving meals at First Presbyterian Church in downtown Waterloo last Sunday. The meal is served at 5:00 p.m. The crew each week is an intentional mix of people from each of the five PCUSA churches in the Cedar Valley. Cedar Heights is scheduled to provide 4 people each week (2 to open at 3:30, 2 to close at 4:30). The opening shifts helps with prep and cooking and hospitality. The closing shift helps with service, hospitality and cleaning. We posted a sign up sheet for volunteers in the Commons area outside the sanctuary. Please sign up! Pastor Dave is one of the chefs cooking on the second Sunday of each month starting in February. Lesley Johnson is one of our chefs and our new director. Thank you Lesley!



SNOW SHOVELERS NEEDED

It's that time of year again and the Building & Grounds Committee **needs volunteers** to help with snow removal at the entrance and sidewalk on Sunday mornings and on some weekdays.

Concrete-friendly ice melt is located in the outside deck box along with sand (east side of entryway). Shovels are outside and a broom is located by elevator. See the sign-up board in the commons. ~ Thank You!



SNOW CANCELLATIONS

If school is canceled, then all events at the church will be canceled. If school releases early for snow, then all afternoon and evening events at the church will be canceled.



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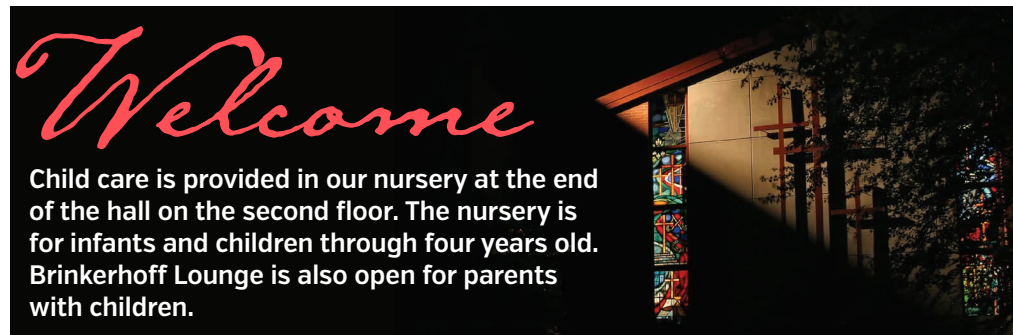
JANUARY 15, 2023 - 10:00 AM
Second Sunday after Epiphany



Following
Jesus

"Looking to Follow"

Psalm 40:1-11
John 1:29-42
Dr. Dave Kivett



Child care is provided in our nursery at the end of the hall on the second floor. The nursery is for infants and children through four years old. Brinkerhoff Lounge is also open for parents with children.

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Johnny Janssen

Prelude "Lamb of God" Arr. Lloyd Larson
Hugh Brown

***Call to Worship**

One: Sing to the Lord a new song.
All: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
 One: Look, here is the Lamb of God!
All: Jesus calls us: Come and see.

*Hymn - 451 "Open My Eyes, That I May See"

Our Shortcomings [a guided moment of silence]

God's Forgiveness

Sharing God's Peace Mitchell Darst

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 40:1-11

New Testament Lesson John 1:29-42

Message for Children [and children at heart] Dr. Dave Kivett
[Preschool-4th grades are welcome to go to Worship Explorers following the message]

Special Music "Something for Thee" Alfred Wooler
Hannah Miedema, Mason Sealock

Sermon "Looking to Follow" Dr. Dave Kivett

*Hymn - 353 "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

*Affirmation of Faith – The Brief Statement of Faith *Please see the screen*

**We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God.
 Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor
 and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed
 and blessing the children,
 healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted,
 eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners,
 and calling all to repent and believe the gospel.
 Unjustly condemned for blasphemy and sedition, Jesus was crucified,
 suffering the depths of human pain and giving his life for the sins of the world.
 God raised this Jesus from the dead, vindicating his sinless life,
 breaking the power of sin and evil, delivering us from death to life eternal.
 With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death
 can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.
 Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
 Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts,
 as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation,
 but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power
 and the glory forever. Amen.**

Offering Ourselves to God

Offering in Song "Come Follow Me" Arr. Paul Cardall

*Response - 582 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"

*Dedicating Our Gifts

*Praise Song "I Have a Hope" Tommy Walker

*Blessing and Sending

*Sending Music "Trust and Obey" Arr. Joel Raney

**Please Rise, in Body or in Spirit*

Greeters & Ushers
 Andy & Joan Ackerman
 Cindy Michael

Camera & Soundboard
 Randy Darst

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 Janelle Darst



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We are so glad you chose to worship with us!

If this is your first visit, we look forward to meeting you and getting to know you. Please be sure to sign in on this Bulletin Stub and leave your contact information so we can welcome you! ***(Please tear off this stub and place in offering plate.)*** We can also add you to our weekly eNEWS list so you know what is coming up in worship and in the life of the church.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Zip _____ Phone (____) ____-_____

E-mail _____

First Time Guest Return Guest Member

Regular Attendee [Non-member]

Here for Special Occasion Only

This is a change in my contact information

I'd like to receive the weekly eNewsletter

I heard about CHCPC from:

Driving by Friend/Family New Resident

Other _____

I wish...

I were a member

A Pastor would call on me

I was on the e-mail list

We'd sing hymn # _____

or the song _____

A Pastor would call on...

(name) _____

who is ill, a prospective member, other

Pastor/congregation would pray for:
