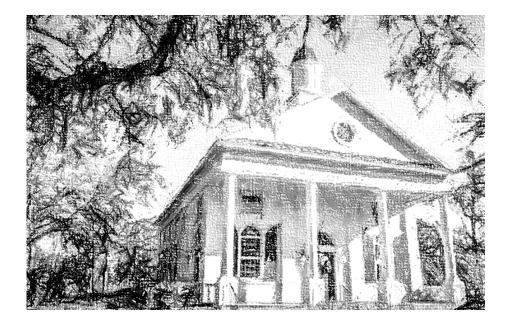
# CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN

A Reformed Fellowship



### A CONGREGATION OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.

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# Welcome to Church Creek Presbyterian

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

**Visitors**, we are so glad you are here! Please locate a 'Visitor's Card', and fill out any info you'd like to share with us so that we may get to know you better. You can place it in the offering plate during the collection or hand it to one of the pastors, ushers, or greeters

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\*\*Due to allergy sensitivities, CCP is a scent-free congregation\*\*

### Announcements for Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

If you or anyone in your household becomes infected with COVID-19 and you attended worship in person at CCP, please notify the church by e-mailing *session@church-creek.org* or call and leave a message at the church office: 843-766-1381. Your identity will be kept confidential.

**Outdoor Family Ministry** – Families and children gather outside, behind the Fellowship Hall at 10:00am, weather permitting. This time will include some singing and a Bible lesson, followed by time for fellowship and for children to play outside prior to the worship service. Parents should participate and remain with their children.

#### Women's Bible Study Options:

Morning group is studying *The Wisdom of God: Seeing Jesus in the Psalms and Wisdom Books*, by Nancy Guthrie every Wednesday from 10:30am-noon at Mary McLellan's. Contact Karyl Doyle for details.
Evening group is studying *The Son of David: Seeing Jesus in the Historical Books*, by Nancy Guthrie every Wednesday at 7:30 pm via Zoom - links for joining are shared on CCPLife/Facebook each week.

**Operation Christmas Child** – Turn in your shoebox(es) today in the Narthex or before Wednesday, November 18th by contacting Ashli Mulock (843-345-7769) to arrange a time/place to get your box to her. You can also drop off at Charleston Baptist by November 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**Ladies Luncheon** Meet at the church at 11:45 am on Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup> for bring-your-own lunch/drink time of fellowship. Weather permitting, we will picnic on the church grounds or move into the Fellowship Hall if the weather is poor.

**Thanksgiving Service** – Mark your calendars for a special service on Wednesday, November 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 in the Fellowship Hall where we will sing God's praises and share stories of gratitude to our God.

**Pastoral Search Committee Requests**– If you have a pastor to recommend, please fill out a Google Referral Form with contact information. *https://bit.ly/Pastor-Recommendation* 

### Deacon On Call November: Troy Watson – 843-709-2256; backup Jeff Beall

REMINDER Please turn off, use airplane mode, or cell data only on your phones during the service in order to reduce interference with the webcast.

Only the <u>audio</u> <u>livestream</u> of today's service is being broadcast in the Fellowship Hall, which is designated as a no-singing space and offers physically distanced seating

Calendars for the month of November are available in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall.

## The Order of Public Worship

November 15, 2020 Morning Service

10:45 a.m.

Our passion is that Church Creek Presbyterian be a place where people experience the awesome presence of God in Word and worship, the restful presence of Jesus through a transformed community, and the powerful presence of the Holy Spirit in witness and ministry.

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Prelude: Dr. Soohyun Yun

### PRELUDE

GREETING

Deacon Jeff Beall

The Apostles' Creed

### COME RULE IN EVERY HEART

### **≸ DOXOLOGY OF PRAISE**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow: Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

### **≸** CONFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### **≸ PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

### **∮ HYMN**

Come, Thou Almighty King 101

Come, thou Almighty King, Help us thy name to sing, Help us to praise: Father, all glorious, O'er all victorious, Come, and reign over us, Ancient of days.

Come, thou Incarnate Word, Gird on thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend: Come and thy people bless, And give thy Word success; Spirit of holiness, on us descend.

Come, Holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear In this glad hour: Thou who almighty art, Now rule in every heart, And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power.

To the great One in Three Eternal praises be, Hence evermore. His sovereign majesty May we in glory see, And to eternity Love and adore. Amen!

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From Martin Luther's Small Catechism

NOTE: Italicized words in readings are read by the congregation

from Micah 7:18-19

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# OUR FAITH IN GOD'S SPIRIT

### **CONFESSION OF FAITH**

I believe in the Holy Ghost. What does this mean?

I believe that I cannot by my own reason or strength believe in Jesus Christ, my Lord, or come to Him; but the Holy Spirit has called me by the Gospel, enlightened me with His gifts, sanctified and kept me in the true faith; just as He calls, gathers, enlightens and sanctifies the whole Christian Church on earth and keeps it united to Jesus Christ in the one true faith.

In this Christian Church He daily and richly forgives me and all believers all our sins; and at the last day He will raise up me and all the dead, and will grant me and all believers in Christ eternal life.

This is most certainly true.

### **GOD'S PROMISE OF GRACE AND MERCY**

Who is a God like You, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of Your inheritance?You do not retain Your anger forever, because You delight in steadfast love.

You will again have compassion on us; You will tread our iniquities under foot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

### SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

ABSOLUTION

### **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

#### **COLLECTION**

**\$ OFFERTORY HYMN** Come, Dearest Lord, Descend and Dwell 340

Come, dearest Lord, descend and dwell By faith and love in ev'ry breast; Then shall we know and taste and feel The joys that cannot be expressed.

Come, fill our hearts with inward strength; Make our enlarged souls possess And learn the height, and breadth, and length Of thine unmeasurable grace.

Now to the God whose pow'r can do More than our thoughts or wishes know, Be everlasting honors done By all the church, through Christ his Son. Amen!

### MINISTRY OF GOD'S WORD

#### **SERMON TEXT**

Do not be deceived, my beloved brothers.

# SERMON "Do Not Be Deceived" ∮ HYMN O Splendor of God's Glory Bright 58 O Splendor of Cod's glory bright

O Splendor of God's glory bright, From light eternal bringing light, Thou light of light, light's living Spring, True Day, all days illumining: Deacon Jeff Beall

You may carry your offering to the plate on the table in the front of the church during the Offertory Hymn or place it in the plate nearest you as you leave

Pastor John Olson

James 1:16

(continued...)

Come, very Sun of heaven's love, In lasting radiance from above, And pour the Holy Spirit's ray On all we think or do today.

And now to thee our prayers ascend, O Father, glorious without end; We plead with sovereign grace for pow'r To conquer in temptation's hour.

Confirm our will to do the right, And keep our hearts from envy's blight; Let faith her eager fires renew, And hate the false, and love the true.

O joyful be the passing day With thoughts as pure as morning's ray, With faith like noontide shining bright, Our souls unshadowed by the night.

Dawn's glory gilds the earth and skies, Let him, our perfect Morn, arise, The Word in God the Father one, The Father imaged in the Son.

### **≸ BENEDICTION**

### **≸ RESPONSE**

Psalm 72.18 – 19 DUNDEE

Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel, For He alone doth wondrous works in glory that excel. And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity: The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be. Amen.

### POSTLUDE

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### **Morning Sermon Notes**

James 1.16 "Do Not Be Deceived"

YOU can be deceived!

People Christians Good Christians Good Christian friends and family

### A. FORCES AT WORK IN DECEPTION

- 1. Devil
- 2. World
- 3. Flesh

### **B. CONTRIBUTING FACTORS IN DECEPTION**

- 1. James 1.2-15
- 2. James 1.17-26

### C. HOW TO ESCAPE DECEPTION

- 1. Watch out
- 2. God's Word
- 3. Wisdom



If you are not able to put a shoebox together before Wednesday November 18<sup>th</sup> but still want to do something to help a child in need this Christmas, you can participate in the Lowcountry Orphan Relief's Stocking Drive.

LOR distributes Care Kits (2-weeks-worth of clothing, necessities and comfort items) to children identified as at-risk or suffering from abuse and/or neglect. The Stocking Drive helps us keep our shelves full all year long. If you want to learn more about Lowcountry Orphan Relief, check out their website at: *http://lowcountryorphanrelief.org/* 

FAQs about what to include and not include are listed below. Stockings will be available for pickup on Sunday, November 22nd in the Narthex. *Return your Stocking items to the church by Thursday, December 10th* or drop them off at LOR yourself at the address shown below.

### LOR STOCKING DRIVE FAQs

- 1. You do not have to purchase everything on your list. Buy whatever you feel comfortable with!
- 2. Please do not wrap the presents.
- 3. Don't get stressed out about the sizes. If you end up buying a size bigger/smaller or it gets confusing (different stores have different sizing methods) don't worry about it! We will get the sizes into the right hands.
- 4. NO toys, puzzles or games. If you would like to add a "little extra" to your gift, you can bring: stuffed animals, books, school supplies, backpacks, pajamas, socks, water bottles, small soft blankets, diapers & wipes or journals.

NOTE: LOR does NOT have children on site. LOR packs up Care Kits for children who are referred to us from schools, local agencies/organizations, churches, and group homes. We pack up 2-weeks-worth of necessities so the children have what they need during their transition. Your gifts will be part of the larger Care Kit given to children throughout the year.

Donation drop-off is from 8:30 am – 4:00 pm on December  $7^{th}$  – December  $11^{th}$ 

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