

CPC News and Announcements

September 7, 2025

Discipleship Classes

9:30 am

Worship Service

10:45 am

Announcements

Children's Church and Childcare- Children's Church (ages 4-5) is every week in **room 4**, dismissing just before the sermon, **except the first Sunday of the month**. The infant nursery (6 mo. to 24 Mo.) in **room 2B** and toddler room (20 mo. to 3 years) in **room 6** is open and staffed to serve families during the worship service hour.

Quiet/Overflow Rooms- During the service, the Montgomery Academy Library (room 1B) is for nursing mothers. The adult discipleship room (room 5) is for any parent or guardian who needs to step out and still wants to watch the worship service.

Discipleship Classes and Childcare- Discipleship Classes resumed this week! See Anna McMurry or Corey Boyd to get involved.

Community Groups- CPC desires to be a church not just "with" but "of" community groups. If you are interested in learning more, please contact Preston at (ministries@clarksvillepca.org) or Richard Schwartz (pastor@clarksvillepca.org). **Community Group signups are live on church center!** See Preston or Richard for more details.

Inquirer Course- Interested in joining CPC? The first step is attending our Inquirer Course. The course meets during the Sunday school hour and after church for lunch on two consecutive Sundays. For more info or to sign up, visit Church Center or email admin@clarksvillepca.org. **Our next course will be held September 14 and 21.**

Giving- Give online at www.clarksvillepca.org/give, on the Church Center app, set up a recurring bank draft, or text any dollar amount to 84321 to give. You can also give using the wooden boxes by the sanctuary doors.

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Email admin@clarksvillepca.org to be included on the Weekly Newsletter mailing list!

Upcoming Events

Loaves and Fishes

September 10 at 8am

Grief Share

Beginning September 11 at 6:30pm

Family Game Night

September 13 from 6-10pm

OWLS Luncheon

September 16 from 12-2pm

See the newsletter, Church Center, or clarksvillepca.org for more details.

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Order of Worship

Notes

Quotes

Prelude

Introduction:

"Paul is pointing out that just as the body has many members, some of which are more important than others, so it is with the church also. But every member is necessary and useful."

- Theodore of Cyr (393-457), *Commentary on the First Epistle to the Corinthians* 246

*Call to Worship

Psalm 150

*Prayer of Approach

*Songs of Praise

All Hail The Power Of Jesus Name
Holy Holy Holy

I. Against the Inferiority Complex

"The unity of the body consists in the fact that its many members supply the things which the other parts lack."

- Ambrosiaster (4th c.), *Commentary on Paul's Epistles*

*Corporate Confession of Faith

The Nicene Creed

A) The temptation

"We are not individual members who elect to join together to form a whole but rather organic members of a wider whole, which is the whole body."

- Severian of Gabala (4th-5th c.),

Pauline Commentary from the Greek Church

Prayer of Confession and Intercession

B) The correction

*Song of Preparation

The Church's One Foundation

"One of the best ways to avoid straying from the Lord is to surround yourself with wise and spiritually mature people who will encourage you to stay on a biblical course, even when the going is tough."

- Ken Sande, *The Peacemaker*

Offerings

1 Timothy 6:6-10
I Set My Hope On Jesus

II. Against the Superiority Complex

A) The temptation

"In each of my friends there is something that only some other friend can fully bring out. By myself I am not large enough to call the whole man into activity; I want other lights than my own to show all his facets. Now that Charles is dead, I shall never again see Ronald's [Tolkien's] reaction to a specifically Charles joke. Far from having more of Ronald, having him 'to myself' now that Charles is away, I have less of Ronald. Hence true Friendship is the least jealous of loves. Two friends delight to be joined by a third, and three by a fourth, if only the newcomer is qualified to become a real friend. They can then say, as the blessed souls say in Dante, 'Here comes one who will augment our loves.'"

- C.S. Lewis (1898-1963), *The Four Loves*

Sermon

"Members of One Body"
1 Corinthians 12:12-26

B) The correction

Prayer of Response

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Behold the Lamb

Conclusion:

*Song of Response

Gloria Patri

*Benediction

*As you are able, please stand.

CPC welcomes all visitors today. 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 reach us at: www.clarksvillepca.org. "Cpcprayers2020" is the password for the prayer requests page.