

CARLISLE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

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WORSHIP SERVICE—PALM SUNDAY

Please remember to put cell phones on silence or turn off electronic devices while in the sanctuary. Thank you.

The Announcements and Words of Welcome

The Prelude: All Glory Laud and Honor
Arranged By Lani Smith

The Responsive Call To Worship: John 12:12-15

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The Invocation

The Gloria Patri #813

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning. It is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen. CCLI 176590

The Hymn: Hosanna, Loud Hosanna #297
(Printed in Bulletin)

The Morning Prayer

The Doxology: 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

The Scripture Lesson: John 18:28-38

The Message: JESUS IS KING

The Closing Hymn: All Hail King Jesus #103
O Worship the King #104
(Stanzas with Arrows)
(Printed In Bulletin)

*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The altar flowers today are presented by Jeff and Nicole Smith in celebration of their 9th wedding anniversary on March 24th.

We thank all of you who have joined us this morning in the parking lot, the sanctuary and in the gym for worship services. If you are visiting, we are glad you joined us and welcome you.

Thank you for the altar flowers given in my honor for my service at the sound system. I am truly blessed, not only to be able to serve in this capacity, but to have a wonderful, caring congregation that loves one another enough to support each other no matter what the circumstances. —
Chris Campbell

Thank You: The family of Phyllis Kistler would like to thank you for the beautiful flowers, and the many prayers and cards for mom and our family! Sincerely, **Diane Barrick and family and Lisa Hoover and family.**

Mission Moment: Praise God for the new opportunity to purchase land at a low price in Nicaragua.

The April/May Newsletter has been placed in your mailbox in the lobby. Please stop by and pick it up today!

The EDGE Crew is having a Yard Sale in Church Parking Lot Saturday April 3 from 8-Noon. All proceeds collected will benefit Community Cares and the homeless of Carlisle.



CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE—10:30 AM

The Announcements and Words of Welcome

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Opening Prayer

*We Sing Praise to the Lord

The Morning Prayer

The Scripture Lesson John 18:28-38

The Message JESUS IS KING

* The Closing Song

* Closing Prayer

The 2021 Flower Chart has been posted on the bulletin board. If you would like to reserve a Sunday for flowers, please sign your name on the chart or contact Mary Jane Wickard and she will reserve the date for you. Once again this year, the cost of both vases will be \$30.00. You may pick them up at the closet at the water fountain following the 9:00 am service.

WEEKLY BUDGET NEEDS: 2021 General Fund \$7,102.58/week

PARKING LOT GOAL: \$148,860.04

CURRENT FUND: \$ 82,023.97

Thank You for your contributions!

The American Red Cross will be holding a Blood drive on April 26 in the gymnasium beginning at 10:00 AM. Please consider donating blood!

To provide information for next Sunday's bulletin, please contact Mary Jane Wickard by 6:30 p.m. Wednesday evening at marwic@comcast.net or by calling her at 717-243-8695.

Health And Safety Reminder

Just a reminder to everyone and even for the parking lot service attendees: if you are not feeling well, or you are experiencing COVID-19 like symptoms, or even cold like symptoms, PLEASE STAY HOME and we will see you again when you are feeling better and no longer displaying any symptoms. Stay home even if you think it is something other than the coronavirus. Thank you for thinking of the safety and health of your brothers and sisters in Christ.

Masks: The following is what church council has decided on masks at the current time. During the 9:00 a.m. service individuals will need to have a mask on when moving around the church; upon entering, exiting or going to the bathroom, etc. While you are seated in this service you may take your mask off or keep it on. We will be seated during the singing and you may keep your mask off.

During the 10:30 a.m. service you may decide to wear a mask or to not wear a mask(you may make the decision).

Attendance: March 21: Sanctuary 69, Parking Lot 10
Contemporary 49
March 24: Awana Kids 11, Awana Adults 15
Adult Bible Study 17

Women's Ministry Project: Bethesda Mission Total Giving was \$800.00.

How Can I Join In Worship?

1. You can come inside the building and join us in worship.
2. For those that are not comfortable coming inside you may listen to the service on your car radio by tuning to 89.9 FM, but you must be in our parking lot to be able to receive the signal.
3. Our first service will be broadcast on [Facebook Live](#) at 9:00 a.m.
4. Later in the day, our first service will be uploaded to [Youtube](#). Please keep checking throughout the day to see if the video has been uploaded. Some days are easier than others to upload the video to Youtube. Thank you for your patience.

Looking Ahead:

March 30 —Edge Youth Group 6:30 PM

March 31 - Awana 6:30 PM

April 1 - Maundy Thursday Communion 6:30 PM
(No Feet Washing)

April 3 —Edge Crew Yard Sale in Church Parking Lot

April 4 — Easter Sunday
Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
Drive In Parking Lot Service 9:00 AM
Contemporary Worship Service 10:30 AM

April 6 —Edge Youth Group 6:30 PM

April 7— Awana 6:30 PM
Adult Bible Study 6:30 PM

April 11— Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
Drive In Parking Lot Service 9:00 AM
Contemporary Worship Service 10:30 AM

April 12 —Sunday School Board Meeting 6:30 PM

April 13 —Edge Youth Group 6:30 PM

April 14 — Awana 6:30 PM
Adult Bible Study 6:30 PM

April 11— Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
Drive In Parking Lot Service 9:00 AM
Contemporary Worship Service 10:30 AM

April 26 - Red Cross Blood Drive 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Jesus Before Pilate

²⁸ Then the Jewish leaders took Jesus from Caiaphas to the palace of the Roman governor. By now it was early morning, and to avoid ceremonial uncleanness they did not enter the palace, because they wanted to be able to eat the Passover. ²⁹ So Pilate came out to them and asked, “What charges are you bringing against this man?”

³⁰ “If he were not a criminal,” they replied, “we would not have handed him over to you.”

³¹ Pilate said, “Take him yourselves and judge him by your own law.” “But we have no right to execute anyone,” they objected. ³² This took place to fulfill what Jesus had said about the kind of death he was going to die.

³³ Pilate then went back inside the palace, summoned Jesus and asked him, “Are you the king of the Jews?”

³⁴ “Is that your own idea,” Jesus asked, “or did others talk to you about me?”

³⁵ “Am I a Jew?” Pilate replied. “Your own people and chief priests handed you over to me. What is it you have done?”

³⁶ Jesus said, “My kingdom is not of this world. If it were, my servants would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jewish leaders. But now my kingdom is from another place.”

³⁷ “You are a king, then!” said Pilate.

Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. In fact, the reason I was born and came into the world is to testify to the truth. Everyone on the side of truth listens to me.”

³⁸ “What is truth?” retorted Pilate. With this he went out again to the Jews gathered there and said, “I find no basis for a charge against him.

