

CARLISLE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

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WORSHIP SERVICE

. *"Please be sure to turn off your cell phones or silence them during the service. Thank you."*

The Announcements and Words of Welcome

The Prelude: Let Us Break Bread Together By Edward Broughton

***The Responsive Call To Worship** -from 1 Thessalonians 4:13-17

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Pastor: After that, we who are still alive and are left will be caught up with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air.

Everyone: And so we will be with the Lord forever.

***The Invocation**

***The Gloria Patri**

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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:** Why Do I Sing About Jesus?

#739

The Morning Prayer

The Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

***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 Offertory Prayer

The Scripture Lesson: John 14:1-6

The Message: I WILL COME BACK AND RECEIVE YOU TO MYSELF

The Ordinance of Communion

The Adult Choir: Behold the Lamb Arranged by Lloyd Larson

The Bread Pastor Mike
The Cup Pastor Greg

***The Closing Hymn:** Jesus is Coming Again

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*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The altar flowers today are presented to the Glory of God.

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.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Jon Brandt in the passing of his mother, Linda Brandt on Monday, September 27, 2021. Memorial services will be held October 9 at Ridge Church of the Brethren in Shippensburg. at 11:30 am.

Please pick up the October/November 2021 Newsletter in your mailbox this morning. If you don't have a mailbox and would like one, please see Mary Jane Wickard. Email newsletter was sent on Thursday, September 30.

Mission Moment: Be in prayer for the people of Mexico, that they would see the living God through Jesus Christ! .

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE—11:15 AM

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Opening Prayer

*** We Sing Praise to the Lord"**

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*** The Closing Song**
*** Closing Prayer**

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.

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.

CHURCH LIBRARY; " Your church library has a large stock of extra books available for your personal use. The books, which are located on the table just inside the library door, are available for your perusal and taking anytime the library is open. Please, "do drop in" and help yourself to an excellent inventory of books and various Christian magazines."



Nursery Attendant Today: Mrs. Nancy Roof
Nursery Attendant Next Sunday: Mrs. Charlotte Horner
Junior Church Director: Mr. Ron Stevens
Assistant Jr Church Director: Mrs. Darlene Greenwalt
Jr. Church Teacher: Mrs. Cindy Stevens
Head Usher: Mr. Jim Heinbaugh
Ushers: Mr. Wally Walters, Mr. John Gross
Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart
Organist/Music Director: Mr. Michael Minnich
Visitor Center: Bill Hench

Attendance: Sept 26 Sanctuary 103, Jr. Church
 Nursery 1, Second Service 29
 Awana Kids 15, Awana Adults 10
 Awana Youth: 5
 Adult Bible Study
 Sunday School: 57

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PARKING LOT GOAL: \$156,303.50
CURRENT FUND: \$113,975.50

MISSION RALLY GOAL: \$8,000.00
CURRENT FUND: \$5,145.79

Thank You for your contributions!

Mission Rally: Sunday October 24, 2021 at 3:00 PM here at Carlisle First. Speakers are: MTI, Mike Walker; Church Multiplication, Chad Chute; and Global Reach, Tavis Helm. **Our goal will be \$8000.00 and we currently have received \$5,070.79 of that goal.** We appreciate and thank you for your contributions.. We will collect money for this project through the morning of October 24.

Junior Church is now open. If you have younger children, and would like them to attend Junior Church, please see one of the ushers and they can direct you to the location.

Attention JOT's: Pisgah Train Ride

Sunday—Today, October 3 –last day to sign and pay for Perry County Bus Tour.

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

Looking Ahead:

Today - Worship with Communion
 Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
 Drive In Parking Lot Service 9:00 AM
 Junior Church 9:00 AM
 Sunday School 10:15 AM
 Contemporary Worship Service 11:15 AM

October 4 - Noon—Ladies Bible Study
 7:00 PM Council Meeting

October 5 - 6:30 PM Sister's of the Heart Baby Shower for CAPC - All women are invited to attend

October 6— Family Night Programming
 Awana Choir 6:00 PM
 Awana Program 6:30 PM
 Adult Bible Study 6:30 PM
 Adult Choir Practice 7:30 PM

October 7—6:00 PM Ladies Bible Study

October 10 - Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
 Drive In Parking Lot Service 9:00 AM
 Junior Church 9:00 AM
 Sunday School 10:15 AM
 Contemporary Worship Service 11:15 AM

October 11- Noon—Ladies Bible Study
 6:30 PM Sunday School Board Meeting

October 13—Family Night

October 24 - "Missions Celebration at Carlisle First"

October 31—Trunk or Treat

November 7- INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS

November 14 -10:15 AM Congregational Meeting
 No Sunday School

Come join us

SCRIPTURE TODAY: John 14:1-6

14" Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God ; trust also in me.

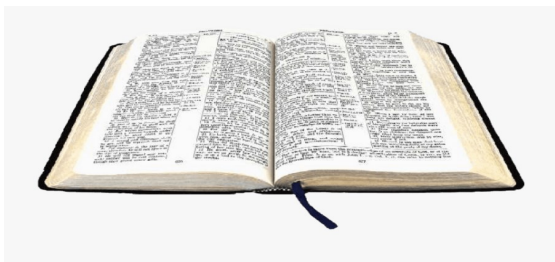
2 In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, I would have told you. I am going there to prepare a place for you.

3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am.

4 You know the way to the place where I am going."

5 Thomas said to him, "Lord, we don't know where you are going, so how can we know the way?"

6 Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.



Let us
WORSHIP
Together

**GOD IS AT WORK
THROUGH**

**OPERATION
CHRISTMAS CHILD**



Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, an international relief organization. Their mission is to provide local partners around the world with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own communities with the Good News of Jesus Christ. They ship these simple gifts outside the United States to children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine, and disease; and to children living on Native American reservations in the U.S.

The program was started in the United Kingdom in 1990 by Dave and Jill Cooke. Three years after this beginning, the Wales-based shoebox gift project merged in a partnership with Samaritan's Purse, allowing them to share 20 years of expertise in relief and aid work with the project, and expand the reach of the shoebox gifts to more than 28,000 children that year. Since 1993, Operation Christmas Child has delivered gift-filled shoeboxes to over 188 million children in more than 170 countries and territories.

Thank you for your participation in this project. Remember—shoeboxes must be returned no later than November 7, 2021.