

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

*The Responsive Call To Worship: Psalm 42:5-11

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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. Is now and ever shall be. World without end. Amen. Amen. CCLI 176590

The Hymns: He Keeps Me Singing
I Will Serve Thee

#746
#660

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 Special Music: Ian Heishman and Janeanne Wantz
Violin Duet
"God of Grace and God of Glory"
"For the Beauty of the Earth"
"For All The Saints"

The Scripture Lesson: Job 1:1-22

The Message: JOB, A SERMON SERIES: WELCOME TO UZ

The Closing Hymn: No, Not One!

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*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The altar flowers today are presented by Randy and Angie Heishman
In celebration of Ian and Ava's birthdays celebrated on August 12.

Visitors: Welcome to Carlisle First Church of God. We are glad you visited with us and would love for you to be a part of our church family. Before you leave our church today, please stop by the "Visitors' Center" in the lobby. We would like to give you a mug and a pen to take home. Also we have information and maps about our church. The staff at the Visitors' Center can answer your questions. Thank you.

Address Change: Cindy Paulus
7802 Wertzville Road
Carlisle, PA 17013

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE—11:15 AM

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We Sing Praise to the Lord

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The Closing Song

- Closing Prayer

The August/September newsletter is in your mailbox. Please stop by and pick it up so we don't have to mail them! Unsure if you have a mailbox, please check to see—they are in alphabetical order. Thank You!

If you would be interested in going on a schedule to go to Thornwald Home and pick up Prudy Sheely and return her to the home following worship services, please contact Nancy Roof. They would like to get a few people to volunteer to do this and then Nancy will make up a schedule. Thank you for considering helping with this ministry.

Thank you to the many church family members who helped me celebrate my 90th birthday with cards, prayers and visits. What a pleasant surprise. God has blessed me with 5 children, 9 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren with one on the way and lots of extended family and friends. God bless you. Don Lehman

Thank you church family for all of the cards, prayers, and support that have been showered upon us. We are strengthened and comforted daily by the knowledge that we are surrounded by prayers and encouragement from the body of Christ. Mike and Jody Minnich

We would like to express our heartfelt THANKS and APPRECIATION to all of you for the many Cards, thoughts, prayers and the expressions of Love as our DAD, grandfather, great grandfather, Elmer W. (MAC) McConnell went to be with His Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and is now reunited with his bride who he longed for—(MOM). Alan & Karen McConnell and family.

We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to Jean Ilgenfritz and all those that prepared the luncheon and set up the tables and all that goes with it. What a terrific ministry!! It is what dad always enjoyed—a time of fellowship but also of EATING!!! Thanks again and God Bless you!! Alan & Karen McConnell and family.

Thank you so much to Pastor(s) Mike and Greg for a beautiful service, and to Mike Minnich for playing the organ, Rodger Horner playing the guitar and singing and to Chris Campbell for taking care of the Audio/Video and streaming of the Celebration of Life Service for Dad. Alan & Karen McConnell & Family.

Please be in prayer for those who are facing various health problems.



Aug 6 Mission Money Received: \$85.00
Current Roof/Fire Upgrade Campaign: \$60,794.00

Attendance: Aug 6 : Traditional Service 146
Junior Church 2 Nursery 5
Contemporary Service 21
Sunday School 66

Those Serving Us Today:

Nursery Attendant: Bev Barger
Junior Church: Nicole Smith, Ron Stevens and Linda Brenize
Head Usher: Jim Heinbaugh
Ushers: Shane McConnell and Marlin Negley
Organist/Music Director: Mr. Michael Minnich
Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart
Visitor Center: Linda Brenize and Grace Smith

Those Serving Us Aug 20, 2023

Nursery Attendant: Melissa Brandt
Junior Church: Ron Stevens, Rick Greenwalt and Linda Brenize
Head Usher: Jim Heinbaugh
Ushers: Shane Britcher and Gary Prosser
Organist/Music Director: Mr. Michael Minnich
Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart
Visitor Center: Pam Sherman and Trudy Strine

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

Hearing Assisted Devices: These devices are available for your use while worshiping in the Sanctuary. If you have such a need to assist you in hearing the Service, please contact sound technician Chris Campbell or head usher Jim Heinbaugh.

Today: Morning Worship
Traditional Worship Service 9:00 AM
Sunday School: 10:15 AM
Contemporary Service 11:15 AM

Looking Ahead:

Aug 17 -Fitness & Friends 9:30-10:30 AM

Aug 20 -Morning Worship

Aug 24 -Fitness & Friends 9:30-10:30 AM

Aug 27 -Morning Worship

Aug 28 - Blood Drive 10:00—6:15
Patches 6:00 PM

Sept 3 - Morning Worship

Sept 6 -Family Night Programming
Awana Choir 6:00 PM
Awana Program 6:30 PM
Adult Bible Study 6:30 pm
Adult Choir 7:30 PM

Sept 10 - Morning Worship

Sept 11 - 7:00 PM Council Meeting

Sept 17 - Morning Worship

Sept 18—6:30 PM Budget Meeting

Sept 21 - JOT Pisgah Central Railroad/Hot Dog Roast

Sept 24 - Morning Worship

Sept 25 - 6:00 Patches

Oct 7th - 4:00 PM (Saturday) Sunday School/Church Picnic
to be held at the church

Come join us

Scripture Today: Job 1:1-22



1 In the land of Uz there lived a man whose name was Job. This man was blameless and upright; he feared God and shunned evil. 2 He had seven sons and three daughters, 3 and he owned seven thousand sheep, three thousand camels, five hundred yoke of oxen and five hundred donkeys, and had a large number of servants. He was the greatest man among all the people of the East. 4 His sons used to take turns holding feasts in their homes, and they would invite their three sisters to eat and drink with them. 5 When a period of feasting had run its course, Job would send and have them purified. Early in the morning he would sacrifice a burnt offering for each of them, thinking, "Perhaps my children have sinned and cursed God in their hearts." This was Job's regular custom. 6 One day the angels came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan also came with them. 7 The Lord said to Satan, "Where have you come from?" Satan answered the Lord, "From roaming through the earth and going back and forth in it." 8 Then the Lord said to Satan, "Have you considered my servant Job? There is no one on earth like him; he is blameless and upright, a man who fears God and shuns evil." 9 "Does Job fear God for nothing?" Satan replied. 10 "Have you not put a hedge around him and his household and everything he has? You have blessed the work of his hands, so that his flocks and herds are spread throughout the land. 11 But stretch out your hand and strike everything he has, and he will surely curse you to your face." 12 The Lord said to Satan, "Very well, then, everything he has is in your hands, but on the man himself do not lay a finger." Then Satan went out from the presence of the Lord. 13 One day when Job's sons and daughters were feasting and drinking wine at the oldest brother's house, 14 a messenger came to Job and said, "The oxen were plowing and the donkeys were grazing nearby, 15 and the Sabeans attacked and carried them off. They put the servants to the sword, and I am the only one who has escaped to tell you!" 16 While he was still speaking, another messenger came and said, "The fire of God fell from the sky and burned up the sheep and the servants, and I am the only one who has escaped to tell you!" 17 While he was still speaking, another messenger came and said, "The Chaldeans formed three raiding parties and swept down on your camels and carried them off. They put the servants to the sword, and I am the only one who has escaped to tell you!" 18 While he was still speaking, yet another messenger came and said, "Your sons and daughters were feasting and drinking wine at the oldest brother's house, 19 when suddenly a mighty wind swept in from the desert and struck the four corners of the house. It collapsed on them and they are dead, and I am the only one who has escaped to tell you!" 20 At this, Job got up and tore his robe and shaved his head. Then he fell to the ground in worship 21 and said: "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked I will depart. The Lord gave and the Lord has taken away; may the name of the Lord be praised." 22 In all this, Job did not sin by charging God with wrongdoing.