

CARLISLE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

Serving the Lord Together For 130 Years

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"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: O God, Thou Art The Father By David Paxton

*Responsive Call to Worship: Psalm 37:1-6

Do not fret because of evil men or be envious of those who do wrong; for like the grass they will soon wither, like green plants they will soon die away.

Pastor: Trust in the Lord and do good;

Congregation: Dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture.

Pastor: Delight yourself in the Lord

Congregation: And he will give you the desires of your heart.

Pastor: Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this:

Congregation: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun.

*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: All That Thrills My Soul #511
Beneath the Cross of Jesus #320

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 Adult Choir: Just As I Am

The Scripture Lesson: 1 Peter 3:13-17

The Message: TEMPORARY RESIDENTS:
SUFFERING FOR DOING GOOD

*The Closing Hymn The Comforter Has Come #386

*The Benediction

*The Postlude

The altar flowers this morning are presented in honor of all Mothers and in memory of Joanne W. Minnich and Joan M. Wickard by Mike and Jody Minnich

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Ruth Snyder who passed away Saturday, May 4. Services will be held at Carlisle First on Friday, May 17 at 11:00 AM with a viewing on Thursday, May 16 at Hoffman Roth Funeral Home from 6:00-8:00 PM or Friday at the church one hour prior to the service.

Thank You: To all my Church Family for all the many cards, prayers and additional thoughts while I am traveling through this broken road. There is light at the end of the tunnelSpecial Thanks to Pastor Greg. Sincerely, Connie Calaman

Thank You: Thank you to Michael and the choir for the wonderful gift and the very kind words. Helping last year was a labor of love and I will miss singing with all of you. Diana Ciucci

Thank You: Thank you to everyone for all your prayers, cards, and words of encouragement during my bout with Kidney Stones, God Bless you all. Bev Britcher

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE—11:15 AM

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The Call to Worship: Psalm 37:1-6

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Opening Prayer

We Sing Praise to the Lord

The Morning Prayer

The Scripture Lesson: 1 Peter 3:13-17

The Message: **TEMPORARY RESIDENTS:
SUFFERING FOR DOING GOOD**

The Closing Song

* Closing Prayer

Mission Moment: Pray for Pastor Matt Ginter and University of Findlay Campus Ministries. Ask the Lord to raise up more student leaders who will reach out to fellow students.

Newsletter Articles for the June/July newsletter are due no later than May 23rd.

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.

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE:

1 Peter 3:13-17



**13 Who is going to harm you if you are eager to do good?
14 But even if you should suffer for what is right, you are blessed. "Do not fear what they fear ; do not be frightened."
15 But in your hearts set apart Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,
16 keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.
17 It is better, if it is God's will, to suffer for doing good than for doing evil.**

YARD SALE: Dates have changed. Will let you know the new dates soon.

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.

Roof Campaign: Thank you for your many contributions to this campaign. We are happy to tell you the campaign has ended. The roof is paid at a cost of \$127,258.50 and the Fire System Upgrade was completed at a cost of \$25,715.00. These two projects totaled \$152,973.50. You generously have given to these projects a total of \$124,674.40. We only had to take \$28,274.10 out of our undesignated account! What a generous congregation - Thank You So Much!

Jolly Olde Timers will travel to the Northern Central Railway of York in New Freedom, PA on Thursday, September 19, 2024. We will enjoy a 1 hour train ride through the scenic Heritage Rail Trail County Park, pulled by a Diesel Locomotive built in 1959. We have 25 seats reserved. Cost will be \$32. Sign up on JOT bulletin board. See Betty Barrick or Dennis Smith for payment to reserve your seat.

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



May 5: Mission Money Received: \$620.00

Attendance: May 5: Traditional Worship Service 137
Nursery 2 Jr. Church 6
Contemporary Service 24
Sunday School 65

Those Serving Us Today:

Nursery Attendant: Becky Barclay
Junior Church: : Nicole Smith, Darlene Greenwalt and Linda Brenize
Head Usher: Jim Heinbaugh
Ushers: Shane McConnell and Gary Prosser
Organist/Music Director: Mr. Michael Minnich
Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart
Music Accompanist: Janeanne Wantz
Visitor Center: Linda Brenize and Grace Smith

Those Serving Us May 19, 2024

Nursery Attendant: Melissa Brandt
Junior Church: Dalene Greenwalt, Phyllis Noggle and Linda Brenize
Head Usher: Jim Heinbaugh
Ushers: Larry Bigham and Marlin Negley
Organist/Music Director: Mr. Michael Minnich
Pianist: Mrs. Elaine Shughart
Music Accompanist: Janeanne Wantz
Visitor Center: Pam Sherman and Trudy Strine

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

May 12 - Morning Worship
Mother's Day

May 14 - 4F Group 9:30-10:45 AM
6:00 PM Edge

May 15- 5:30 PM Adult Choir

May 19 - Morning Worship

May 21 - 4F Group 9:30-10:45 AM
6:00 PM Edge

May 22 - 5:30 PM Adult Choir

May 23 - Newsletter Articles Due Date

May 26 - Morning Worship
Coffee Connection

May 29 - 5:30 PM Adult Choir

June 2 - Morning Worship with Communion

June 3 - 7:00 PM Council Meeting

June 4 - 4F Group 9:30-10:45 AM
6:00 PM Edge

June 9- Morning Worship

June 16 - Morning Worship

June 23 - Morning Worship

June 30 - Morning Worship

July 28-August 1 - VBS Wanted By God

Come join us