

WE GATHER IN GRATEFUL WORSHIP

Song of Gathering

Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

Welcome and Opening Prayer\*

One: When we find ourselves wondering why loss has come, we can remember Jesus’ words as he faced death:  
All: “I am the Resurrection and the Life. Live in me.”  
One: When we are tempted to give in to the lie that life will never change for us, Jesus says,  
All: “I am the Resurrection and the Life. Live in me.”  
One: When life’s disappointments cause us to stumble, Jesus reminds us,  
All: “I am the Resurrection and the Life. Live in me.”  
One: When we ask God to give us back something we’ve lost, Jesus reminds us to look forward, saying,  
All: “I am the Resurrection and the Life. Live in me.”  
One: God works on both sides of the grave, giving us life now and life yet to come, through Jesus who said,  
All: “I am the Resurrection and the Life. Live in me.”

Songs and Hymns of Praise

Come People of the Risen King  
Forever (We Sing Hallelujah)

Prayer of Confession\*\*

Julie Whitlock

Almighty God, in raising Jesus from the grave, you shattered the power of sin and death. We confess that we remain captive to doubt and fear, bound by the ways that lead to death. We overlook the poor and the hungry, and pass by those who mourn; we are deaf to the cries of the oppressed, and indifferent to calls for peace; we despise the weak, and abuse the earth you made. Forgive us, God of mercy. Help us to trust your power to change our lives and make us new, that we may know the joy of life abundant given in Jesus Christ, the risen Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Response

Forever (We Sing Hallelujah)

Passing the Peace of Christ

(Take a few moments to greet old and new friends)

A TIME FOR FAMILY CELEBRATION

Time with Children

The Story in Animation  
(No Sunday School today)

News of the Church Family

(Please sign and pass the welcome pads)

Giving Generously of our Tithes and Offerings

(Electronic giving instructions are on the back bottom of this bulletin)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer

(Forgive us our sins)

WE GROW BY LISTENING FOR GOD’S WORD

Choir Anthem

W. A. Mozart

Ave Verum Corpus

First Reading

Acts 10:34-43

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String Quartet

W. A. Mozart

Divertimento in D

Second Reading

1 Corinthians 15:19-26

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Oratorio

G. F. Handel

The Trumpet Shall Sound

Gospel Reading

Luke 24:1-12

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Time for Reflection and Study

Rev. Ben Pascal

Surprised by Hope

WE GO TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN GOD’S WORLD

Closing Song

G. F. Handel

The Hallelujah Chorus

The Benediction

Fellowship in the Lobby

(Please enjoy food and fellowship after the service)

Musicians: Jesse O'Connor, baritone

Mimi Smith, violin

Ed Melander, violin

Kathy Mellander, viola

Vince Gutwein, cello

Dean Scofield, trumpet

Laura Huckin, piano

Keith Phillips, piano

\*Easter Litany from The God We Can Know by Rob Fuquay

\*\*Presbyterian Book of Common Worship

WELCOME VISITORS!

If you are new to PCJH we want to welcome you and let you know we are glad you are here! We hope you feel at home here and experience God’s presence and grace today. We would love to get to know you, so please leave your information on a **welcome pad** located in each row. **Nametags** are also available at the welcome table and help us all greet one another.

Children on Sunday

Today is a special service, and children are encouraged to worship with their families. There is no Sunday School, but there is Nursery available for children 0-2 years old during the entire service.

Want to know more about PCJH?

Please stop by our welcome table in the lobby.

Our next **Church Information Class** with Pastor Ben will be on Sunday, April 24<sup>th</sup> from 11:30am to 2:00pm. Lunch and childcare provided.

Please RSVP with Cindy at cdahlin@pcjh.org

HOW TO STAY CONNECTED

Website

www.pcjh.org

Facebook

Weekly Email

Let us know if you would like your email added, office@pcjh.org

Monthly Newsletter

Available for pick-up in the Lobby, view online, or by mail upon request

Sermons Online

pcjh.org/online-sermons/

Prayer Requests

pcjh.org/prayer-requests/

PRAYER

If there is anything you would like our prayer team to be praying about or you would like to be added to the prayer chain email list, please let us know, office@pcjh.org. We are committed to standing in faith with you.

“Be joyful always: pray continually: give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” – 1 Thessonians 5:16-18

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

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WORSHIP

Sunday Worship Services:

8:00am – Traditional Worship Service

10:15am – Contemporary Worship Service

FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday Fellowship Dinners – As a church we are intentional about gathering as a community during the week. Our Wednesday dinners are 6:00–6:40pm weekly. Following dinner there are great programs and classes for all ages, 6:45-7:45pm. We hope you will join us!

Dinner Groups – If you would like to join a monthly fellowship dinner group, please contact Debbie Schlinger, debbieschlinger@gmail.com.

MISSION & OUTREACH

Good Samaritan Mission – PCJH prepares a meal at the local mission monthly, the second Thursday of every month, 5:00-6:15pm. Anyone is welcome to provide a dish for this meal and groups are encouraged! Please contact Katie-Chloe Stock with questions, katiechloe1@gmail.com.

Wednesday Dinner Help – Serve your community by helping prepare our weekly fellowship dinner. Kitchen prep starts at 2:30pm, setup starts at 5:00pm. Please contact Christine Goodman, 307.690.1199.

Rummage Sale – PCJH puts on an annual oversized garage sale to serve those in need. This year the sale will be Saturday, June 11<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Irene Lund for more details or to volunteer, irene.lund13@gmail.com.

Agros International - PCJH has partnered with a village in Nicaragua called Tierra Nueva (New Earth). Service Teams from PCJH go down to Nicaragua one to two times per year.

Stephen Ministry – PCJH provides trained Stephen Ministers who are available to meet with you one-on-one to provide regular support and care for you during a difficult time or season in life. Please contact Pastor Ben if you would like to meet with a Stephen Minister.

SMALL GROUPS

Tuesday, 6:45am – Men’s group at the Virginian

12:00pm – Women’s group w/ Pastor Ben at PCJH, resumes April 12<sup>th</sup>

Thursday, 12:00pm – Men’s group at the Whole Grocer with Pastor Ben, resumes April 14<sup>th</sup>

Saturday, 8:00am – Men’s study at PCJH

CLASSES

- Parenting Book Group, Parents of children of all ages are invited to join this book group on Wednesday nights at 5:00pm. Led by Mandy Hadden, mandyhhorne@gmail.com.

- THE STORY, a church wide reading of a concise and chronological journey through the Bible. Wednesday, 6:45pm or Sunday, 9:00am.

- The Meaning of Marriage, a class for singles and couples based on Tim Keller’s bestselling book. Wednesdays at 6:45pm. Led by Cindy and Pastor Steve Weber.

- Financial Peace University, led by Alli & Colter Lane, alli.lane603@gmail.com. The next session starts April 17<sup>th</sup>, Sundays 4:30-6:30pm. Childcare available.