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### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Epiphany

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January 26, 2014

Liturgist: Ross King

10:00 AM

\*Those who are able, please stand

***Golden Rule Living is the great simplifier. It places us in another soul's shoes, taking what can appear to be a complex decision that involves another and streamlining it to a one-step process of deciding, "If I wouldn't like this done to me, then I shall not do it to another."  
Molly Friedenfeld, *The Book of Simple Human Truths****

***"If you contemplate the Golden Rule, it turns out to be an injunction to live by grace rather than by what you think other people deserve."  
Deepak Chopra, *The Third Jesus: The Christ We Cannot Ignore****

### Our Church in Worship

**Welcome**

**Joys And Concerns/Time Of Greeting**

**WE WELCOME GOD'S SABBATH WITH PRAISE**

**Prelude**

"Larghetto"

W. A. Mozart

**Call to Worship**

Come from wandering; come into worship! Remember: God is here!

**In Christ, the God of heaven has made a home on earth.**

In God's presence, we find the community we seek.

**Christ dwells among us and is one with us.**

The community is gathered. Come! Let us worship God!

**\*Hymn of Praise #1**

"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

**\*Prayer of Confession**

**God of goodness and love, you asked for our hands that you might use them for your purpose. We gave them for a moment, but then withdrew them, for the work was hard. You asked for our mouths to speak out against injustice. We gave you a whisper for we were afraid of being judged by others. You asked for our lives, that you might work through us; we gave a small part, for we didn't want to get too involved. God, forgive our calculated efforts to serve your people, only when it is convenient, safe and easy to do. Forgive us when we keep the Gospel as just letters on a page. Forgive us; renew us. Hear our prayer...**

**\*Silent Prayers**

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

Because we are human, we make mistakes. But Christ forgives us and encourages us to live with the best intentions and the highest hopes.

**God's mercy is from everlasting to everlasting. Thanks be to God!**

**\*Response #583**

"Gloria Gloria"

**Gloria, Gloria, in excelsis Deo!  
Gloria, Gloria, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Prayer of Illumination**

**First Scripture Reading**

Psalm 35: 1-5

This is the Word of God for the People of God  
***Thanks be to God***

**Anthem**

"God is My Rock"

John Horman

**WE WELCOME GOD'S CHILDREN WITH JOY**

**Time With Young Christians**

**The Lord's Prayer**

## WE WELCOME GOD'S WORD WITH HOPE

**Second Scripture Reading**

Matthew 7: 12, 21, 24-29

This is the Word of God for the People of God

***Thanks be to God***

**Sermon**

"Doing Unto Others....and Then Some"

Nancy Howard

**\*Hymn of Reflection #463**

"How Firm a Foundation"

## WE WELCOME GOD'S SPIRIT WITH FAITH

**Prayers Of The People**

**The Offering**

**Offertory**

"My Jesus, I Love Thee"

Van Denman Thompson

**\*Response Of Thanksgiving**

**\*Prayer Of Dedication**

**\*Sending Hymn #450**

"Be Thou My Vision"

## WE ENGAGE WITH GOD'S WORLD WITH LOVE

**\*Blessing**

Do not be amazed at the responsibility God gives you. God sends you into this week with faith that can move mountains.

**May we never stop praising God with our lives.**

**\*Benediction Response**

"As We Leave This Friendly Place"



As we leave this friend-ly place, Love give light to ev-ery face;  
May the kind-ness which we learn Light our hearts till we re-turn.

**\*Postlude**

"Maestoso"

Everett Titcomb

***Please remain for our Annual Meeting of the Congregation  
Immediately following worship today.***

# ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 26, 2014

Today      Congregational Meeting—  
                 following worship  
                 1 PM Japanese Dance  
                 Group—MP Room

Monday     6 PM Cub Scouts  
                 7 PM Boy Scouts Court of  
                 Honor—MP Room

Tuesday    7 PM Crystal Pointe HOA  
                 Meeting—MP  
                 Room

Wednesday 7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal  
                 — Sanctuary

Sunday      1 PM Japanese Dance  
                 Group—MP Room



## Sunday, February 2, 2014

**Liturgist:** Jamie Strebing

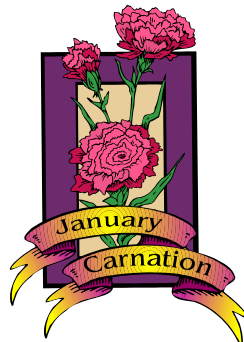
**Ushers:** Tony DeSimone, Joe & Jeanette  
Abramo, Sylvia Schofield

**Soundboard/Video:** Kyle Floetker /  
Miles Floetker

**Fellowship:** Fleshoods & Mary Ann  
Shearrow

**Communion:** Team #4, Ross King,  
Leader

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*The Sanctuary  
flowers are  
provided today  
by  
Maxine Mundell  
In celebration of  
my dear family!*

**Congregational Meeting**

**TODAY**

**Following worship**

**Visit us at  
[www.christpresby.org](http://www.christpresby.org)**

OUR CHURCH'S  
**FINANCIAL HEALTH**

January 19, 2014:

**\$1,047**

Year to Date:

**\$8,837**



**ATTENDANCE**

**January 19, 2014**

**50**

**Per Capita for 2014**

The annual per capita payment covers basic operational expenses of the denomination. The amount is based on the number of members in the congregation.

**For 2014, the figure per member is \$35.75.** Payment to PC USA for \$4,182.75 will be made on January 31st.

A special envelope for the per capita payment is included with the weekly offering envelopes. If you do not use envelopes, please indicate on your check that the payment is for the per capita.

**Given to date:**

**\$500**

**Thank You!**

**Souper Bowl Sunday**

**February 2, 2014**

**Who will it be?**

**Broncos**

or the

**Seahawks**



**Sign up sheets are in the narthex.**

Need volunteers for Liturgist, purchasing the sanctuary flowers to honor, remember or show appreciation for someone or set up, serve and clean up coffee fellowship after service.



**Like us on Facebook**



## February

Kelly DeSimone 2/2  
 Steven Cook 2/10  
 Bill Robbins 2/11  
 Harper Perez 2/12  
 Wayne Brodhecker 2/14  
 Amy Abramo 2/16  
 Arlene Wheeler 2/16  
 Savanna Edwards 2/17  
 Ann McFate 2/20  
 Andy Watt 2/22  
 Shawn Gilliland 2/24  
 Martha Dawson 2/25  
 Joel Floetker 2/25



### **REMEMBER IN PRAYERS**

#### At Home:

Christie Waggoner  
 Dodie Urias  
 Alice Dandridge



#### In Hospital, Nursing Home & Assisted Living Centers:

##### **Myrtle Fields**

@ Clearwater Commons

##### **Martha King**

@ Berkshire of Castleton, Indpls., IN

##### **Clara Nicholson**

@ Mill Run Assisted Living,  
Columbus, OH

##### **Ann McFate**

@ Berkshire of Castleton, Indpls., IN

## **PREPARING TO LAUNCH ON-LINE GIVING**

We are excited to inform you that we will be offering **Online Giving AND registrations** at [www.christpresby.org](http://www.christpresby.org)! As a church that seeks to serve, we wanted to provide you the convenience of being able to give the way you want, whenever you want.

Online Giving offers you the opportunity to make secure, automatic contributions from your bank [*or credit/debit card*] account to the church. Online Giving costs you nothing and provides many advantages to you and the church:

### **Benefits for You**

- No check writing or ATM stops before church
- Safe, secure, and confidential transactions
- Use your checking/savings account or credit/debit card
- Schedule recurring or one-time donations
- Change a gift or account anytime you like
- Choose offertory, special funds, pledges
- View your giving history anytime

### **Benefits for the Church**

- Reduces check processing fees
- Creates peace in knowing your data and auto-deposited gifts are secure
- Accommodates special funds
- Provides giving history for tax statements
- Reaches a wider demographic of givers

However you choose to give your time, talent, and treasure, we thank you! Our church ministries thrive only with your help.

# Welcome to CPC CONNECT WITH US

Please let us know who you are and how we can help you. Please tear off this sheet, fill it in and place in the offering basket.

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about us: \_\_\_\_\_

First Visit    Address change    Connect Me:

Please circle:

I'd like to speak to the pastor

I'd like more information about programs for children & youth

I'm interested in joining a small group

I'd like to receive the newsletter

I'd like to be on the church's mailing list

I'd like to help; please have someone contact me to learn about my passions and skills

I'd like to attend the next membership class

Other (please tell us):

We will keep this information in confidence.