



CHRIST  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH



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April 3, 2026

**April 12, 2026**



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## 2nd Sunday of Easter

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April 12, 2026

**Liturgist: Bill Wheeler**

10:00 AM

\*Those who are able, may stand

\***Song: #399**

God Welcomes All

### Welcome and Announcements

#### Prelude

*The Prelude is the Opening of Worship and a time of reflection for all  
Please mute or turn off all electronic devices.*

#### Call to Worship

Christ is risen! He greets us with a word of peace.

**We welcome the risen Christ! We are here to worship and follow him!**

#### Prayer of the Day

\***Hymn #233**

The Day of Resurrection

#### Invitation to Confession

#### Prayer of Confession

**Saving God, forgive our doubts. Overlook disbelief. You show up in our lives and we fail to notice you. We expect proof when you have already given us enough. Forgive our lack of faith. Forgive our lack of gratitude. Redeem us. Restore us. Resurrect us for life in Christ, and make us a people worthy to be called your own. Amen.** (We continue in silent prayer) **Amen.**

#### Assurance of Forgiveness

Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." Be at peace with God and with all God's people.

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

\***Response #71**

Surely It Is God Who Saves Me

refrain only

**Peace**

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**And also with you!**

Let us share God's love.

**Response No. 591**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

**Minute for Mission**

**Prayer for Illumination**

**New Testament**

John 20:19-31

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

**Our hearts are open.**

**Sermon**

**"Wounds"**

Rev. Dr. Wally Wilson

**Hymn # 236**

The Strife Is O'er

**Sharing Joys and Concerns**

**Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer**

**Worship in Giving**

**Invitation to Offer Gifts**

**Offertory**

**Response #609**

Doxology

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Redeeming God, please accept our offerings of time, talent, and praise as signs of our gratitude. Bless these gifts and the ministries of our congregation. Bless the ministries we undertake as part of the Presbyterian Church U.S.A. May what we offer spread blessings to others in the name of Jesus Christ, our Risen Lord. Amen.**

**\*Hymn #275**

A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

**\*Benediction**

**\*Congregational Response # 80** You Shall Go Out with Joy!  
(From Isaiah 55:12)

**Postlude**

## Calendar for Week of April 12

Sunday 4/12      10 AM Worship  
                      11:15 AM Deacon Meeting —  
    Education Room  
                      2 PM Scout Band — MP RM

Tuesday 4/14    10:30 AM Hope Circle —  
    Education Room  
                      12 PM Stewardship — The  
    Grill  
                      6 PM Cub Scout Den Meetings  
    — MP Room

Sunday 4/19      10 AM Worship  
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Christ Presbyterian Church wants God to be a vital part of our lives as we reach out to our community and we embrace the following Vision Statement:  
**We believe that God is calling us to be the open arms, the healing hands, and the loving hearts of the body of Christ in our community.**

## EUCHRE NIGHT April 23 7 PM



Everyone is welcome to participate in our Euchre Night. Don't forget your snacks, soft drinks or water. If you have any questions, call Arlene Wheeler at 317-727-1575.

Join us **Tuesday, April 21 at 11:30 AM** in the **Multi Purpose Room**. Lunch will be catered by The Grill [sign up sheet in narthex]. The program will be presented by a Goodwill Representative and the services they provide.  
 See you there.



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## Knit & Natters

The **Knit & Natters** will meet at **1 PM on Tuesday, April 28** in the Education room.

If you are interested in joining this fun bunch of ladies, see Diana Chastain during fellowship or call 317-626-0681.



## F.A.R.M. Needs These Items F. A. R. M. (Fortville Area Resource Mission)

F. A. R. M. is open every Tuesday from 12:30-2:30 for food pickup. On Thursdays they take food to a low income apartment complex on the north side of Fortville. They have 125 families at the pantry on Tuesdays and around 25 families in the apartments. They also sponsor snack bags for around 45 students in the Mt. Vernon school system to take home for the weekends.

**F.A.R.M.** is currently in need of the following items to add to their shelves.

- Boxed potatoes, pasta, rice
- Canned meats [chicken, tuna, sausage]
- Canned soups and vegetables
- Canned or dried fruits
- Cereal
- Dessert mixes
- Oatmeal

These items can be left in the grocery cart in the narthex. Thank You!

**NO MORE PLASTIC BAGS PLEASE!**



## Worship Schedule

**Sunday April 19**

**Usher:** Deacons

**Liturgist:** Jeanette Abramo

**Flowers:**

**Fellowship:** Hope Circle



## Fellowship

A Commission or group will be assigned the responsibility to provide fellowship. Here are the groups for the next few weeks:

**April 19** — Hope Circle

**April 26** — PW Co-Team

**May 3** — Men of Christ

**May 10** — Session



## At Home:

Shirley Sheeks

Dick Abdon

Ellen Gill



**Need to talk to the Pastor?**  
Pastor Wally can be reached at  
765-278-3749 (call or text), or at  
[revwwilson@gmail.com](mailto:revwwilson@gmail.com)

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

**Ann McFate** @ Wyndmoor of Castleton,  
Indpls., IN 46250

**Shirley Tichenor** @ Westminster Village  
10050 Presbyterian Dr.; 3386 Juniper  
Commons 46236 phone 317-823-6841

**Martha Dawson** @ 10050 Presbyterian  
Drive; ATTN: 4315 Laurel Commons;  
ZIP 46236



## ATTENDANCE

**April 5**

**In person — 54**

**Virtual — 115**

OUR CHURCH'S  
**FINANCIAL HEALTH**

**April 5**

**\$2,432**

**Year to Date**

**\$76,546**



**Thanks to all who participated in the Spring Clean Up Day!**

We had good weather last Saturday and the Stewardship Commission THANKS everyone who turned out to help. The grounds are now ready to greet everyone this spring and summer with a fresh Appearance!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

April

Ron Fleshood 4/17

Ross King 4/23

Sylvia Schofield 4/27

## **Reminder — Per Capita for 2026**

The per capita rate for 2026 is \$46.02 per member. Please indicate on your check or envelope that you are paying your per capita. Thank you.

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Mar 29	30	31	Apr 1	2	3	4
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**Joys and Concerns ~ April 12, 2026**

- We pray for our members and friends in the Armed Services, especially Curtis Call-Bridgewater, Scott Kelley, Amy [Abramo] Allgood, Nate Henry, Chase Bilyou
  - Prayers for the people of Ukraine.
- Prayers for an end to violence in Indianapolis
- Prayers for the people of Israel and Ukraine
  - The people of Jamaica

*We Pray for God's Healing for:*

*Ann McFate  
Diana Chastain  
Cheryl Embrey  
Shirley Sheeks  
Mary Jane Smock  
Richard Perry  
Marilyn Juhlin  
Dick Abdon  
Coleson Correll  
Jim Imel  
Ellen Gill  
Joe Schofield*

*Shirley Tichenor  
Roy Bilyou  
Martha Dawson  
Tildan "Bud" Blanton  
Carol Fleshood  
Dennis Wasitis  
Linda Abdon  
Emily Grelle  
Hollis Bassler  
Susie Burney*

*Prayers of Thanksgiving for **Russell & Kathleen Adams** and **Bill & Arlene Wheeler** for their presence and gifts to our family of faith.*

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

City / ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

First Visit    Address change    Connect Me