

Welcome to Christ Presbyterian Church of New Haven!

We are delighted that you have chosen to join us in worship this Lord's Day. It is our sincere hope and prayer that you will know the saving presence, power, love and authority of our King and Savior Jesus Christ as a result of our time spent together in worship.

We would also like to get more acquainted with you, so please take the time to **fill out the register** as it comes down your row during the announcements. Please use the prayer card located in the inside pocket of the register or the back of pews to communicate your prayer requests or other concerns and place it in the basket on the back table as you leave the worship service. Your requests are prayed for during the week.

As a church, we value family worship, and therefore children of all ages are welcome to join us in the worship service at their parents' discretion. However, **childcare** is available (off of the foyer area - Children's Education Wing) for parents who wish to take advantage of it (there is no age restriction). Please do not hesitate to ask a greeter for assistance.

Introduction and Welcome to CPC - please pick up your free copy on the table located at the foyer entrance.

Our Offices are adjacent to the sanctuary. Core office hours at CPC are from 8:30 am to 1:30 pm Monday-Friday. Should you need to use our facilities, please call our Administrator to make arrangements. We are currently building a unique library and reading room containing various selections of books, journals, children's literature and tapes (library is located in our balcony area). Selections may be checked out or you are welcome to drop by for a reading break from your busy schedule.

Parking - On Sundays, please reserve the on-site parking lot for our visitors & parents with small children. In courtesy to our neighbors, please do not park in front of Bradley St. homes, but use the RIS parking lot located next door. **During the week**, please contact our administrator for parking information as most of our spaces are rented out during the week. And, for safety reasons, exit the lot on the Bradley Street side only. Thank you.

Log onto: christpresnewhaven.org for more information or calendar events.
You may also call 777-6960 and press 5 to hear weekly events.

Sermon MP3's are downloadable at no cost online or are available upon request for \$3 per CD. To order a copy, please fill out a request sheet (located in the foyer) and place your payment into the container labeled Media Payments. Only orders accompanied by payment will be filled.

As a church committed to Greater New Haven, we meet in the middle of the region we hope to serve and reach, which consists of both downtown New Haven and the surrounding edge towns. We believe that the gospel transcends all ethnic, social, and demographic boundaries. We are ambitious for the glory of God and aim to extend a Christ-centered gospel throughout Greater New Haven.

We reuse bulletin covers - if you do not need one - please place covers on the foyer table as you leave.

May 18, 2008

10:30 AM

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Service Order 4

Prelude & Pre-Worship Meditation

*Call to Worship: Isaiah 40:9

Leader: Get you up to a high mountain,
O Zion, herald of good news; lift up your voice with
strength, O Jerusalem, herald of good news; lift it up,
fear not; say to the cities of Judah, "Behold your God!"

Liturgical Definitions:

Prelude & Pre-Worship Meditation:

A time to quiet your heart and mind in preparation to enter into the life-giving presence of God.

"Be still, and know that I am God! I am exalted among the nations, I am exalted in the earth." Psalms 46:10

Call to Worship

And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, "Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this." At once I was in the spirit, and there in heaven stood a throne, with one seated on the throne!
Revelation 4:2

** Congregation Standing
wherever indicated throughout
bulletin.*

*Note: Trinity Hymnal can be
found in pews for hymns
indicated with numbers*

Opening Songs of Praise and Worship

***One Church**

*Your hand, O God, has guided
Your church from age to age.
The tale of love is written
For us on ev'ry page.*

*Our fathers knew Your goodness
And we Your works record,
And each of these bear witness
One church, one faith, one Lord*

Chorus:

*One church, one faith, one Lord of life
One Father, one Spirit, one Christ
One church, one faith, one Lord of life
One heavenly King, Lord of all*

*Your mercy never fails us
Or leaves Your work undone.
With Your right hand to help us
The victory shall be won.*

*And then with heaven's angels
Your name shall be adored.*

*And they shall praise You singing
One church, one faith, one Lord
Chorus*

*Invitational Songs of Prayers
for God's Presence
And I looked, and there in
heaven a door stood open.
Revelation 4:1*

***Hymn of Praise: Holy, Holy, Holy!**

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*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

*Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore thee,
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.*

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.*

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!*

WORSHIP THROUGH INVOCATION AND ADORATION

*Invocation and Prayer of Adoration

*Doxology (#733)

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below, Alleluia, Alleluia!
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost;
O Praise Him! O Praise Him! Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!*

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 40:12-26

New Testament Reading: John 14:8-31

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God!

Instrumental Meditation

Invocation and Praise
Day and night without
ceasing they sing,
“Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord
God the Almighty, who was and
is and is to come.”
Revelation 4:8

Hearing God's Word
A time to hear God's holy
Word, ultimately unveiled to
us in Christ by the Holy
Spirit.

*Then I saw in the right hand of
the one seated on the throne a
scroll written on the inside and
on the back, sealed with seven
seals. Revelation 5:1*

Meditation on God's Word
In stillness and meditation,
please take a moment to
reflect on the power and
privilege of hearing God's
Word.

WORSHIP THROUGH CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Corporate Confession:

[Participants may kneel or lean forward]

Leader: Let us confess our sins to God, our Father.

People: Lord, we have sinned, without regard to your holiness or considering how much you love us. You see our sins more clearly than we can ourselves, as we are more sinful than we know ourselves to be.

Leader: Lord, forgive us and make us clean.

People: Lord, you know when we are indifferent to your Word, the Bible; how often we forget to pray; the times we come unwillingly to worship; and yet we turn to you when we are in trouble.

Leader: Lord, forgive us and make us clean.

People: Lord, you know when we are untruthful and when we think evil of others. You see our anger and unfairness to our friends. You know how hard it is for us to forgive.

All: Forgive us and make us clean, so that we can obey your call to take up your cross and follow you. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Private Confession

Absolution

Leader: Hear now God's assurance of pardon:

“For just as by the one man's disobedience the many were made sinners, so by the one man's obedience the many will be made righteous.” Romans 5:19

Confession of Sin

Because sin is so pervasive in both our corporate and individual lives, we are invited to come before God with honesty and transparency, confessing our brokenness and moral failures, asking for both forgiveness and healing through Jesus Christ. We confess corporately to show our unity even in our brokenness. We confess honestly because in Christ, we are safe to confess our sins without fear of condemnation and no longer in need of hiding in defensiveness and blame shifting.

*And I saw a mighty angel
proclaiming with a loud voice,
“Who is worthy to open the
scroll and break its seals?” And
no one in heaven or on earth or
under the earth was able to open
the scroll or to look into it. And
I began to weep bitterly because
no one was found worthy to
open the scroll or to look into it.
Revelation 2-4*

Absolution

Christ has given the Church authority to declare the forgiveness of sins in his Name. This promise is for all who have been joined to Christ by faith as mediated through any gospel-believing church.

*“I will give you the keys of the
kingdom of heaven, and
whatever you bind on earth will
be bound in heaven, and
whatever you loose on earth will
be loosed in heaven.”
Matthew 16:19*

Communal Prayer

[Participants may be seated]

Special Needs:

Prayer for our Members: Sheila, Patrick & Sierra Tarantino

Mission to the World: (Manila) Philippines

America-friendly culture in which Western values are “en vogue.” Many residents of Manila speak English well and enjoy having relationships with Americans. However, learning the Filipino language is strongly urged for greater cultural and ministerial impact. The stress of Manila’s heavy traffic is balanced by visits to the beautiful beaches. The tropical climate also provides a hot spot for scuba diving and snorkeling.

Current Ministries: Church planting and development, church-based residential centers for street children, medical ministries, and theological education and vocational training.

The missionaries active in this area are as follows:

Steve & Deborah Scott (team leader); Cheryl Crocker; Sandra Hart; Dr. Dale & Nancy Knutson; Lindsey Scott; Jeff & Heather Vaughn and family (itinerating)

Pastoral Prayers

Our prayers are ultimately “in the name of Jesus Christ,” which means that our trust is not in the power of our prayers, but in the power of Christ’s prayers who prays for us as our “great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God... For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Hebrews 4:14-16

The four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell before the Lamb, each holding a harp and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. Revelation 5:8

*Song of Response: **By Grace Alone**

[A good time for children to leave for childcare - if so desired.]

***Out of the depths I cry to You, Lord, hear my voice of pleading;
Bend down Your gracious ear, I pray, Your humble servant heeding.
If You remember each misdeed, And of each thought and word take heed,
Who can remain before You? Only by grace, by grace alone.***

***Your pardon is a gift of love, Your grace alone must save us,
Our works will not remove our guilt, The strictest life would fail us.
Let none in deeds or merits boast, But let us own the Holy Ghost
For He alone can change us: Only by grace, by grace alone.***

***Though great our sins and sore our woes His grace much more aboundeth;
His helping love no limit knows, Our utmost need it soundeth.
Our kind and faithful Shepherd He, Who will set all His people free
From all their sin and sorrow: Only by grace, by grace alone.***

WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

Sermon: *Neural Buddhism or Christian Spirituality?*

Rev. Preston Graham

[Sermon notes located on page 16]

[8] Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." [9] Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? [10] Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. [11] Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves. [12]"Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. [13] Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. [14] If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.[15] "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. [16] And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, [17] even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

[18]"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you. [19] Yet a little while and the world will see me no more, but you will see me. Because I live, you also will live. [20] In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. [21] Whoever has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me. And he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him." [22] Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, "Lord, how is it that you will manifest yourself to us, and not to the world?" [23] Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. [24] Whoever does not love me does not keep my words. And the word that you hear is not mine but the Father's who sent me. [25]"These things I have spoken to you while I am still with you. [26] But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. [27] Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. [28] You heard me say to you, 'I am going away, and I will come to you.' If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I. [29] And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place you may believe. [30] I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no claim on me, [31] but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go from here.

John 14:8-31 (ESV)

Sermon

A sermon is not just teaching for living a moral life; it is mainly a time when the living Christ Himself encounters His people through His Word bringing to us the full truth and grace of the gospel. Therefore, as you listen, pray to encounter the life-changing Christ.

Then I saw in the right hand of the one seated on the throne a scroll written on the inside and on the back, sealed with seven seals, They sing a new song: "You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slaughtered and by your blood you ransomed for God saints from every tribe and language and people and nation; you have made them to be a kingdom and priests serving our God, and they will reign on earth."

Revelation 5: 1,9-10

WORSHIP THROUGH SACRAMENT

Introduction to the Lord's Table

The Collection of the Communion of the Saints

"For you know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich."

2 Corinthians 8:9

Collection Hymn: *Be Thou My Vision*

***Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart;
Naught be all else to me, save that thou art.
Thou my best thought by day or by night,
Waking or sleeping, thy presence my light.***

***Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,
Thou mine inheritance, now and always:
Thou and thou only, first in my heart,
High King of heaven, my treasure thou art.***

***High King of heaven, my victory won,
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun!
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
Still be my vision, O Ruler of all.***

At this time children will rejoin their parents for worship, escorted by nursery facilitators.

People were bringing even infants to him that he might touch them; and when the disciples saw it, they sternly ordered them not to do it. But Jesus called for them and said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not stop them; for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs.

Luke 18:15-16

***Presentation of Gifts**

[Please stand as we present our lives and gifts to Christ at His banquet table.]

...and they cast their crowns before the throne, singing, "You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for You created all things, and by Your will they existed and were created."

Revelation 4:10-11

***Processional Hymn: All People That on Earth Do Dwell (vs.1) #1**

*All people that on earth do dwell,
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;
Him serve with fear, His praise forth-tell,
Come ye before Him and rejoice.*

Communion Gifts

We give not as a payment for a service rendered nor out of compulsion to gain God's favor. The communion offering is symbolic of offering our whole lives and weekly vocations in consecration to God in spiritual service of worship! It is as if we join the holy procession of saints throughout history in offering ourselves as a living and holy sacrifice made acceptable to God by Christ who completes us by faith.

Please give as an act of worship and only if you can give cheerfully as unto the Lord.

The twenty-four elders fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives forever and ever; they cast their crowns before the throne, singing, "You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created."

Revelation 4:10-11

***Confession of Faith**

Leader: Christians, what do you believe?

Congregation: We believe that Jesus Christ has presented Himself in our behalf before the Father, to appease His wrath, by offering Himself on the tree of the cross, and pouring out His precious blood to purge away our sins. And therefore we always ascribe all the glory to God, humbling ourselves before Him, without presuming to trust in any merit of ours, relying and resting upon the obedience of Christ crucified alone, which becomes ours when we believe in Him. This is sufficient to cover all our iniquities, and to give us confidence in approaching to God; freeing our conscience of fear, terror, and dread. Wherefore we justly say with the apostle Paul that we know nothing save Jesus Christ, and Him crucified; we count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus our Lord, in whose wounds we find all manner of consolation.

[Adapted from the Belgic Confession, 1561, Articles XX-XXII]

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

All: We lift them up to the Lord!

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

The Eucharistic Sacrament of the Lord's Supper:

Eucharist means "the good grace" and "communion" implies a real participation in that grace. Therefore, the Lord's Supper is both a thankful memorial service to remember Christ's sacrificial death on the cross and a life giving participation in that grace as we are being united to Christ in heaven by the Holy Spirit and received by faith. In short, Christ is really present in, with and through the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, even if not bodily but spiritually being united to the body of Christ in the church.

Then I looked, and I heard the voice of many angels surrounding the throne and the living creatures and the elders; they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands, singing with full voice, "Worthy is the Lamb that was slaughtered to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!"

Revelation 5:11-12

Note concerning the elements of the Lord's Supper

We serve wine in the Lord's Supper, believing it to be the biblical element used. We provide grape juice for those who, out of conscience or reasons of health, do not partake of wine. Grape juice is in the outer rim.

Prayer of Consecration

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Prayers for those not communing:

~Prayer for those searching

Oh God, I am discovering that the more I have, the more I need to have, the more I am loved, the more I need to be loved, the more I achieve, the more I need to achieve. Nothing seems to satisfy me. "Nothing tastes." Could it be, as someone once said, that "Our hearts are restless until they find their rest in thee." Dear God, if this is true, and if as the Bible teaches there is life and life eternal in Christ alone, please guide me to Him. Open me to the reality of the One who alone can satisfy my restless heart. Give me the courage to believe that which I cannot see but can understand, feel and touch through the Word, sacraments and church family. Lord I want to believe, please help me in my unbelief! Amen.

~Prayer of belief

Lord God, I now see that I am weaker and more flawed than I ever before believed, but in Christ, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. Even as I have not loved You or my neighbor with all of my heart, You have shown Your love for me in that while I am still sinning, Christ died for me and took upon Himself the condemnation that I deserve. I now know that You owe me nothing for my efforts, but You offer acceptance, love and blessing into all eternity because of Christ's efforts on my behalf. I therefore ask that You would enable me to turn away from trusting in my own efforts to gain Your acceptance and forgiveness, and trust in the perfectly righteous efforts of Christ on my behalf in order to be accepted by You and entered into Your holy family. And just as You raised Christ from the dead, so too I ask that You would give me a new life in Christ, one that will lead eventually to Heaven itself. Thank you for Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit to believe in Him alone for my salvation. And as You have called us to follow You in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in Your church, grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with Your people, and live in the fullness of Your Spirit. Amen.

*Prayers for those not
communing*

Those who have genuinely confessed their own brokenness in sin, received Christ by faith and have joined to Christ by means of joining any gospel believing church are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper. If you are not yet prepared to participate in the sacrament, please know that we are glad that you are here, even as we respect your sincerity for not participating at this time. We want CPC to be a safe place for you to be "in journey" and would not want you to feel any compulsion to partake until it is the right time as noted above. With you in mind, we have included some prayers if you would desire some aid in praying to God during this time.

*Closing Hymn: *Crown Him With Many Crowns*

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*Hymns of Coronation and
Praise*

"Then I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing, "To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!" And the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the elders fell down and worshiped." Revelation 5:13-14

*Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own:
Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.*

*Crown him the Lord of love; behold his hands and side,
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified:
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.*

*Crown him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scepter sways
From pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and
praise:*

*His reign shall know no end; and round his pierced feet
Fair flow'rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.*

*Crown him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time;
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime;
All hail, Redeemer, hail! For thou hast died for me:
Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.*

Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Gloria Patri (#735)

***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!***

*Benediction

Leader: "Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word." Amen.

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

People: Thanks be to God! Hallelujah!

Postlude

Sermon Notes

Neural Buddhism or Christian Spirituality?

John 14:8-31

Exposition:

Main Point:

Inferences:

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If you are visiting or you regularly attend CPC, we invite you to pick up our Welcome Booklet and Ministry Guide which can be found on the greeting table in the foyer.

THIS WEEK:

TODAY CPC Café is open immediately following worship service (\$4.00 for adults, \$2.00 for children, visitors are free)

* If you are leaving the church due to graduation and/or moving away, please contact the administrator at cpc.ad@snet.net and let us know so that we may pray for you on your last Sunday with us.

Special Announcements:

Due to our assistant pastor candidate, Kevin Nelson's visit on May 25th, we will be having a special adult Sunday studies to hear from him. Consequently we are moving our inter-semester Sunday studies break to June 1st and 8th. Our summer worship schedule will begin on June 1st.

Our schedule will be the following:

- May 25th - 9:00 Special Sunday studies, 10:30 worship service, 12pm CPC cafe
- June 1st - 9:30 worship service, no Sunday School, no cafe, 11:15 missions meeting
- June 8th - 9:30 worship service, no Sunday School, no cafe
- June 15th - 9:30 worship service, 11:15 Sunday studies, 12pm CPC cafe

Teachers, please take note of the changed Sunday schedule in order to adjust your lesson plans accordingly.

For more summer dates, consult the google calendar, Christ Presbyterian Church New Haven, or check out the summer schedule flyer!

CPC at play: For those of you interested in things to do and ways to support your CPC friends, check out the google calendar CPC at play. It has listings of upcoming recitals, concerts, games and shows. If you have an event you would like to see on the calendar, please call the church or send an email to rebekahcaldwell@mac.com or cpc.ad@snet.net. How to access the calendar: while in google calendar, simply type "CPC at play" into the search box and click "search public calendars."

CPC Summer Missions Project: 2008

It's that time again! We are gearing up for our annual 'Lovin the Hill Soccer Camp' and 'Lovin our CPC building', which will take place **July 5th--11th**. We are anticipating a great response from the folks in the Hill and are going to be needing all the help we can get to make this gospel opportunity a reality. Want to get involved? Want to experience the joy that everyone talked about last summer? **Then join us on June 1st, following the worship service, so you can hear of the various ways you can participate in what God is doing on the CPC building and 'in the Hill' community.** If you have any questions, please contact Tolivar Wills cpctolivar@snet.net or Rebekah Caldwell rebekee@gmail.com.

Hope for New Haven - "Celebration of Mothers"

Come celebrate for a worthy cause
Luncheon, Silent Auction of Great Gifts, Fellowship, Fundraiser
Saturday, May 24th – Water's Edge, Westbrook 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Tickets:\$35

Tickets available after worship service or call Chris Prokop at 203-865-4673. If you can't attend, please consider sponsoring one of our mothers by purchasing a ticket for her. We also need people to help contact potential donors for silent auction and gift basket items. Please contact theprokovs@comcast.net or 777-1404.

Lawn Engineers needed: Can you help out by mowing the church lawn once or twice over the summer? This would be a great service to the church. Please email Gary Winingar (garywiningar@hotmail.com) to signup or use the signup sheet in the foyer. Thank you.

CPC Café Hosts:

The CPC Café is looking for hosts! We are looking to keep the Café running through the summer months and are in need of several new Host team members. Please consider joining us in this ministry. For more information please contact Patty Gantenbein at patty.gantenbein@comcast.net.

Where He May Be Found:

I'm looking for your snapshots of Christ at work here at CPC. I know you've seen Him and I am looking forward to hearing about it from you. Please send your 1 page stories to Rebekah Caldwell at rebekahcaldwell@mac.com.

GOT ANNOUNCEMENTS? WILL POST!

Communicate with the congregation: events, job opportunities, housing, other non-sponsored church activities, etc. E-mail your information to cpc.ad@snet.net. Look for these announcements in the weekly email and on the Parlor bulletin board.
(Postings must be received by noon on Wednesday to be guaranteed in the next Weekly.)

Get Connected at CPC

CPC Mom's Study Group

Meets every Tuesday morning in the Parlor from 10:30 -11:30. For more information contact Heather Woolbert at heather@woolbert.com or 203-375-1414.

CPC Prayer Groups

- 1) Women's prayer group meets every Thursday morning from 9:00 to 9:45 am at Peggy Kebabian's home in Guilford. For more information contact Peggy Kebabian at 453-6965 or Jennifer Cheng at 457-9825.
- 2) Coffee and prayer with the pastors in the Fellowship Hall 7:00 to 8:00 am every Tuesday morning.
- 3) Weekly prayer request email – sent out every week. If you would like to receive our weekly prayer requests and participate in CPC's concert of prayer just email the administrator at cpc.ad@snet.net and we will add you to our prayer email list.

CPC Community Groups

Groups meet throughout the month - if you would be interested in joining a community group or for more information, please contact Tolivar Wills at cpctolivar@snet.net or call 777-6960.

CPC Sunday Nursery Schedule

Please contact Abby Hodges at abby.hodges@yale.edu for Sunday scheduling.

5/18 SS: Steve and Heather Woolbert

Worship: Hailey Wills, Hannah Chen, Keri Cocchiola, Jim Thomas

5/25 SS: Special Sunday School

Worship: Yvonne Lempke, Scott Wilhelm, Tim and Molly Gribble

6/1 SS: NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Worship: Arijana Lempke, Paul Wildey, Karen Peck, Valerie Rogotzke

6/8 SS: NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Worship: Lizzy Olson, Peggy Kebabian, Kristy Lamb, Nancy Shields

6/15 SS: Julie Bruce, Katherine Routenberg

Worship: Anna Graham, Sam Wills, Stephanie Lim, Laura Derksen

6/22 SS: Keri Cocchiola, Heidi Shimp

Worship: Nathan Graham, Joanne Donovan, Lei Chen, Bennie Finch

6/29 SS: Sandy Casella, Karen Peck

Worship: Catherine, Lizzy, and Martha Olson, Hannah Chen

7/6 SS: Evan Finch, Nancy Shields

Worship: Russel Bogue, Jim Thomas, Valerie Rogotzke, Peggy Kebabian

7/13 SS: Julie Bruce, Paul Wildey

Worship: Katherine Bogue, Heather Woolbert, Tim and Molly Gribble

7/20 SS: Megan Paek, Heidi Shimp

Worship: Ellen Kebabian, Leah Kelley, Kristy Lamb, Sam Wills

7/27 SS: Joanne Donovan, Steve Woolbert

Worship: Gwen Hawkes, Lei Chen, Stephanie Lim, Laura Derksen
