



SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP
A WEEKLY CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION

IN PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

“The Lord has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations. He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God.” Psalm 98:2-3

The Welcome and Announcements

The American Heritage Girl Announcement Julie Kerr
(Please sign the register pad, passing it down the row, then back to center aisle.)

The Prelude

“Great Are You, Lord”

“Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for Him.” Psalm 37:7

(If you have a prayer request, please fill out a green prayer card and pass it to the center aisle as they will be collected during the first hymn.)

The Call to Worship

WE WORSHIP IN PRAISE

*A Hymn #1 **“How Great Thou Art”**

WE WORSHIP IN PRAYER

*The Call to Confession

*The Unison Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, in Your gracious presence we confess our sin and the sin of this world. Although Christ is among us as our peace, we are a people divided against ourselves as we cling to the values of a broken world. The profits and pleasures we pursue waste the land and pollute the seas. The fears and jealousies we harbor set neighbor against neighbor, and nation against nation. We abuse Your good gifts of imagination and freedom, of intellect and reason, and have turned them into bonds of oppression. Lord have mercy upon us; heal and forgive us. Set us free to serve You in the world as agents of Your reconciling love in Jesus Christ.

*The Assurance of Forgiveness

*Glorifying God **“We Will Glorify”**

*We will glorify the King of kings, we will glorify the Lamb.
We will glorify the Lord of lords, who is the great I AM.*

THIS WEEK AT CCUPC

Sunday	5/6	American Heritage Girls Sunday	
		<i>Pray for Qatar</i>	
9:00 am		Sunday School	Both Levels
10:00 am		Worship	Sanctuary
11:00 am		Coffee Social	Greeting Area
		Village A	
11:10 am		Deacon’s Meeting	
		Session meeting with Confirmands	Rm. 110
Tuesday	5/8		
8:30 am		Men’s Breakfast/Bible Study	Conference Rm.
Wednesday	5/9		
6:15 pm		Last Children’s Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
Thursday	5/10		
11:30 am		Ladies Lunch & Learn	Greeting Area
Sunday	5/13	Mother’s Day	
		<i>Pray for Re`union</i>	
9:00 am		Sunday School	Both Levels
10:00 am		Worship	Sanctuary
11:00 am		Coffee Social	Greeting Area
		Village B	

A LOOK AHEAD AT OUR UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

- The **Confirmation Class** will meet with the Session today after worship to go over their Statements of Faith.
- The **Men’s Breakfast/Bible Study** will meet this Tuesday, May 8th at 8:30 AM.
- We will celebrate **Communion** on Pentecost Sunday, May 20th. This is also **Confirmation Sunday** and we will be receiving **New Members**. This will also be the **last day of Sunday School**.
- The **Ladies Lunch & Learn** are planning to meet at a restaurant (to be determined) on Thursday, June 7th to wrap up the program year.
- **Graduation Sunday** will be June 3rd. If you have or know of a graduate in our church family, please contact the church office.
- **Registration for Vacation Bible School** has begun!! The dates for VBS are June 18th - 22nd!!! This year’s theme is: **“Rolling River Rampage”!** Sign up as soon as possible as we fill up fast!!

Visitors...Please Help!

If you are a **visitor** worshipping with us today, we’d like to ask you to do us a big favor. Help us discover which of our advertising dollars are doing the most good by telling us how you found our church. When the register pad is passed to you, please fill out not only your contact information, but also check the appropriate box that tells us how you heard of us. It will be a big help.

On **Sunday, May 20th** the Mission Committee will be hosting a **Salad and Sandwich lunch** following our worship service. On this day we will welcome our newest members and our Confirmation Class, so we hope that you will plan to stay after worship to welcome and congratulate them. You may support our Mission Projects in two different ways through this lunch. First, you can plan to attend and give a free-will offering. Second, you can donate a salad of your choice to be used for the lunch. We are looking to have a wide variety, so we’ll be grateful for anything that falls within the salad category - leafy salads such as spinach/tossed, side salads such as potato/coleslaw, entrée salads such as chicken/ham, fruit salads, and dessert salads such as Jello. If you call it a salad, we’ll take it! Sandwiches will be provided by our own Sherri Kelly. A sign-up is available on the bulletin board in the Greeting Area. If you have question, please see Dara Marner, Jo Goddard, or Pastor Dena.

American Heritage Girl Mascara Wand Drive. . . the AHG troop that meets at our church is collecting used mascara wands, but not so they can do their make up! The girls will be collecting the wands, cleaning them up, and then sending them to a wildlife rescue for use in helping to care for baby animals brought in for rescue or care. The wands are the perfect size and shape to remove dirt, larva, and other yucky stuff from delicate fur without hurting the animals. Drop your used wands in the box on the mission table. Questions can be addressed to Julie Kerr. How great an opportunity we have to up-cycle and support the girls of our troop!

Are you Spring Cleaning?? The trailer is here for all of your usable and sellable flea market items and is open every Sunday!! Please remember to pack items in boxes. All boxes should be stacked at the far end of the trailer. If you are donating linens, please place them in a plastic bag and label them with the size; sheet sets can also be placed in the pillow case but they need labeled with a size. **DO NOT WRAP LINENS WITH PACKING TAPE!** The large bulky items should be placed to the left when you enter the trailer. We are **NOT** accepting any televisions, computer monitors, exercise equipment, or large appliances. Clothing, books, CD’s and DVD’s still go to the table at the lower lobby entrance. Feel free to call Dara Marner (724-316-3475), Jo Goddard (724-776-5987), or Kelly Stebor (724-831-1107) with any questions.

Planning a home improvement project this Spring? Why not purchase gift cards from Scrip? We have Lowes, Home Depot, Best Buy and many others in stock. If you need more than what we have in stock, they can be ordered. If you need them right away, let us know. We can usually get them within 3 days. Or, purchase Giant Eagle cards from Scrip and get the gift cards for your project at Giant Eagle. You get your fuel perks, and the church gets a percentage too! It’s a win-win!

The Mission Committee is looking for help on **Saturday, June 2nd**. Dutilh United Methodist Church graciously gives us leftovers from their flea market that we may then sell at ours in August. If you are available to help pick up the these special “left-overs,” please contact Dara Marner.

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

The Joys, Concerns, and Prayers of God’s People

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE WORSHIP IN GIVING

Our Invitation to Give

The Offertory

Adult Choir

“How Great is Our God”

‘Praising God #556 **“Praise God From Whom All Blessings”**

***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 Prayer of Dedication

WE WORSHIP IN PROCLAMATION

The Greeting *(Please share words of peace, encouragement, and hope.)*

The Children’s Lesson and Prayer *(The children may come forward.)*

Children 3 years old - Kindergarten may now leave for TLC out the back doors of the Sanctuary with Miss Gynni.)

Children in 1st - 3rd grades may now leave for KFC out the back doors of the Sanctuary.)

The Scripture Lesson

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John 15:9-17

The Sermon

Pastor Nadine L. Roy

“WON’T YOU BE MY NEIGHBOR”

GOING IN GOD’S NAME

‘The Closing Hymn #17 **“O Worship the King”**

‘The Benediction

The Postlude

“Sing to the King”

‘Please stand as you are able.

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Please keep these family members and friends in your prayers:

Tom Batykefer (Christina Taylor), Rich Bushee (the Stebor family), Dad/Grandpa, Elinor Dixon (Debbie Rossi), Dick & Lillian Grundler, Joseph Justus (Linda & Dave Schuman), Ryan King (Cindy Miller), Jim Miller (CCUPC member), Harriet Murray (Bill Murray), the Owen family (Julie Kerr), Steven Popson (Peggy Wetzel), Cecil & Phyllis Pugh (Gary & Kim Pugh), Karen Raman (CCUPC member), David & Vera Rubinosky, Lois Saleone (Peggy Wetzel), Chris Souza and family (Debbie Rossi), and Tim (Shirl & Roy Lonie).

The SYMPATHY of our congregation is extended to Nancy and Jeff Hodges and family on the recent passing of Nancy’s mother, Dee.

Carolyn Lancas shares her THANKSGIVING for her husband, Mike, as he celebrates the 51st anniversary of his 26th birthday (4/30).

Gynni Gorman shares her JOY that her daughter, Brit, married Pat Mannella in the Dominican Republic a week ago in front of their families and friends.

The SYMPATHY of our congregation is extended to Brandy and Brian Householder on the passing of Brandy’s grandfather, Eugene T. Brannon, Sr.

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VBS registration has been open for just less than one week, and some of our classes are already nearly full! So, what does this mean? It means a few things!

1. Make sure you register soon. We don’t want any of our CCUPC families to miss out!
2. Please consider volunteering! We need a lot of help to make this week a success. Even just a day or two could make a huge difference. Sign up in the Greeting Area on the bulletin board. (Telling Pastor Dena is somewhat silly. She won’t remember!)
3. We need a lot of materials to make VBS what it is! Decorations, snacks, crafts, supplies for games, they all add up. While the registration cost covers a lot of our needs, we will also gladly accept monetary donations to help with needed supplies. Donations also make it possible for us to provide scholarships to children who need it.

If you have questions, please contact Pastor Dena at denaroy@ccupc.org. This is a great way for those who cannot be involved in other ways, to still support our Vacation Bible School Program.

Save the date! Once again CCUPC will be participating in **Cranberry Community Days** from July 12-14. We will be asking for help with set-up on Thursday during the day and teardown on Sunday morning. We will also need some members and families to help staff the booth during the event. There will be a game for youth and a game for adults, and you will be on hand to answer any questions that someone may have about our church. All of the materials will be provided for you. Please consider helping our Outreach Committee in this way. Community Days is an important way for our church to show that we care about and are involved in the wider community.

I WAS JUST THINKING ... by Pastor Dena

In the fall of 2016, CCUPC entered into covenant relationship with the American Heritage Girls, and in doing so formed a troop serving girls in the Cranberry Area. As described on their website, the American Heritage Girls is a Christ-centered leadership and character development ministry. This is their statement of faith:

“We believe that there is one Triune God – Father; Jesus Christ, His one and only Son; and the Holy Spirit – Creator of the universe and eternally existent. We believe the Holy Scriptures (Old and New Testaments) to be the inspired and authoritative Word of God. We believe each person is created in His image for the purpose of communing with and worshipping God. We believe in the ministry of the Holy Spirit, Who enables us to live godly lives. We believe that each of us as an individual is called to love the Lord our God with all our heart, mind, soul, and strength; and collectively to love our neighbors as ourselves. We believe God calls us to lives of purity, service, stewardship, and integrity.”

AHG helps girls acquire skills that will assist them in all areas of life. These skills may include how to use a computer, sew on a button, protect themselves, learn about their ancestors, or what it takes to be an astronaut. The Badge program provides opportunities for older girls to teach younger girls. As a girl ages through the program, her leadership opportunities and responsibilities increase accordingly; these lessons carry through to all areas of a girl’s life: in her home, as a citizen of our country, as a member of her church, and even as a student in school!

Our troop gives girls from ages 5-18 a place to come together to learn and grow and CCUPC has been blessed by our relationship. Currently about 40 girls meet on the first and third Thursday of each month. A few are members of our church, but many are not. Together they are seeking to know God more. Please keep our troop in your prayers, and consider whether God is calling you to partner with them in some way, or to help a girl in your life get involved.

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DID YOU KNOW.... that we have a staffed infant and toddler nursery available for you to use during worship? Children through age 2 are welcome to come and play. There is also a curtained off corner in the nursery for those who may need some privacy which can be used for nursing or for soothing your child. Additionally, we have ministries for those who are 3 years old through those who are finishing 3rd grade (TLC & KFC) where children may go after the Children’s Lesson. Older children can find worksheets and coloring pages on a table in the sanctuary near the side entrance. Any of our ushers or nursery workers will be glad to show you how to locate our nursery or children’s ministries and supplies. We love having so many growing families in church!

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