

Welcome to Worship Today!

Sunday, May 8, 2022



Worship Schedule

Sunday:

10:00 am: Echo Hill & Calvin-Sinclair
Combined Worship-Sanctuary

Wednesday:

7:00 pm: Worship on Wednesday
(held virtually via Zoom)

Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday: 8:00 am – Noon

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• Church Life Snapshot •

Happy Mother's Day! You're invited to stick around after worship for a Mother's Day lunch catered by Zio Johnno's. The meal will include lasagna, garlic bread, and salad.

Worship is...

Joyful. Spirit-filled. Thoughtful. Welcoming.

Restrooms: Located next to the church office as you come in from the parking lot on the west end of the building.

Large Print Hymnals (words only): Available on the back table.

Hand Sanitizer & Wipes: Available for those who need them.

Questions? Please feel free to ask an usher for assistance!

Connection Card

In your bulletin is a green connection card. We ask that you complete the card and drop it in the offering plate. If you have a specific person, group, or event for which you'd like us to join with you in prayer, place this prayer request on the back of the connection card. This can be for a concern in your life or your health, or for a concern you have for someone else, or for a joyous event.

Welcome to Worship! Connection Card

Name:	_____
Address:	_____
City:	_____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Best Contact Phone:	_____
Email:	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if changes in contact information	
If 1st- or 2nd-time guest, how did you hear about the church?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Church website <input type="checkbox"/> Church member <input type="checkbox"/> Event <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	
Are you a: <input type="checkbox"/> 1st-time guest <input type="checkbox"/> 2nd-time guest <input type="checkbox"/> Member/regular attendee	

Order of Worship – May 8, 2022

Echo Hill & Calvin-Sinclair Presbyterian Churches

Gather for Worship -----

Prelude

“All in All” (with Pachabel Canon)

Welcome

Leader: The Lord has risen!

All: He has risen indeed!

*(*We invite you to please stand if you are able.)*

***Hymn #664**

“Morning Has Broken”

***Pass the Peace**

Prepare for Worship -----

Unison Call to Worship

Psalm 23 (Old Testament – Page 501 in the Pew Bible)

Unison Prayer of Confession

All: O Great Shepherd, you have loved us and cared for us even in the valley and the shadow of death. We bow before you in grateful worship. Even though you continually work for our welfare, trying to keep us close to yourself, we often stray from you and find ourselves lonely, depressed, and without hope. We know you constantly call us back to yourself. You will not rest until your flock is safe. Give us wisdom to hear your voice and help us to choose to follow you. There is no other path that leads to the life you have in mind. Thank you for your determination to love us. We offer our prayers in the name of Jesus. Hear our personal prayers of confession as we continue in silence...

(moment of silence for personal confession)

Words of Assurance (Isaiah 55:7)

Leader: Let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; and let them return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon them; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

***Response #581**

“Glory Be to the Father”

All: 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.

Proclaiming God's Word -----

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

John 10:11-30 (*page 115*)

Message

"My Sheep Hear My Voice" – Rev. Dr. Dennis Morey

The Response #187

"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

Responding to God's Word -----

Announcements

Call to Dedication

Leader: Today, we bring our tithes and offerings for the work God is doing among us.

All: With grateful hearts we dedicate our offerings to God.

Offering

Offertory

"In the Valley He Restoreth My Soul" – Margaret Morey

*Congregational Response #606

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

**All: 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.**

*Prayer of Dedication

All: Listening for your voice, responding to your sacrifice, we bring tithes and offerings to worship you, O God. Use these offerings to strengthen the church so others may hear your voice through the ministry that happens here among us, as we continue to work for your kingdom. We give in the name of Jesus Christ, the Good Shepherd. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

All: 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Leave to Serve God's People -----

*Closing Hymn #824

"Near to the Heart of God"

Closing Prayer and Benediction

Postlude

"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"

Announcements for the Week of May 8

Ushers: Bess Naujoks & Joann Ingels

The June/July/August issue of *Our Daily Bread* (daily devotional) is now available. Free copies are located on the table just outside the church office.

Happy birthday to the following people who are celebrating their special day this week!

Jackie Barton	May 9
Noah Foege	May 13
Nick Barton	May 14

Gleanings from Jim White

“That place that does contain my books, the best companions, is to me a glorious court, where hourly I converse with the old sages and philosophers; and sometimes, for variety, I confer with kings and emperors, and weigh their counsels.” – *John Fletcher*

Weekly Calendar

Members from both congregations are welcome to attend any event/meeting.

Sunday: *Mother's Day*

9:00 AM: Bible Studies

10:00 AM: Worship-Sanctuary

11:00 AM: Mother's Day Zio Johnno's Lunch

12:30 PM: Church of Pentecost

Monday: *Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm*

9:00 AM-12:00 PM: Sewing Group-Fellowship Hall

Tuesday: *Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm*

9:30 AM: Coffee & Conversation-Fellowship Hall

10:00 AM: Echo Hill Finance Team Meeting

5:30 PM: Echo Hill Deacons Meeting-Room #1

7:00 PM: Cedar Sounds Chorus of Sweet Adelines

Wednesday: *Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm*

7:00 PM: Worship on Wednesday (Via Zoom)

Thursday: *Office Hours: 8:30 am-4:30 pm*

1:00 PM: Just Friends-Fellowship Hall

6:00 PM: Worker Bees

Friday: *Office Hours: 8:00 am-12:00 pm*

Saturday: *No Events Scheduled*

Pickin' for a Mission – June 16-17

The Caring Team is planning a sale on Thursday, June 16 and Friday, June 17, but we need your help. Start collecting items (no clothing) that you can donate to our sale. All proceeds will go to Olivet Neighborhood Mission. Keep reading here for more details. Also, flyers are now available for you to invite your friends and family!

You're Invited to Bible Study

You're invited to two new Bible studies that began last week. Both are held on Sunday morning at 9:00 am. A study by Andy Stanley and led by Don and Darlene Worden is called "The Reason God Became One of Us." This study group meets in the conference room.

Pastor Dennis Morey started a new Bible study for those who feel they are at the beginning stages of Bible study, but would like to learn more about the Scriptures. The first study will be the Gospel of John. Come and join us at 9:00 am. Coffee will be available. The class will be in the room nearest the coffee pot.

Any questions, please contact the Wordens or Pastor Dennis about their respective studies.

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