

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Proclamation Orchestra

We welcome our Orchestra leading worship music this morning. If you play an orchestral instrument (or have in past decades), we'd love to include you once a month on Sunday mornings; for more information, contact Caleb Thompson (caleb@proclamation.org). Pre-high school instrumental musicians are invited to play for Mr. Thompson to potentially play for a future Sunday evening worship service.

Concert: Levente Kuzma, *organ* • Friday, November 14

As part of our annual concert series, hear Proclamation's 44-rank Casavant Frères pipe organ played by internationally acclaimed Hungarian organist Levente Kuzma. He will perform exciting classical and modern works for organ, including J. S. Bach's Chromatic Fantasy and Fugue, selections from Alexandre Guilmant's and Felix Mendelssohn's first organ sonatas, as well as Henri Muler's showstopping spectacular Carillon Sortie. The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and is free.

Pie Making Contest & Turkey Bowl • Saturday, November 15

All junior and high schoolers are welcome to come to our annual Pie Making Contest and Turkey Bowl on Nov. 15th at 10:00 a.m. here at the church. After the flag football is played and the pie making champion is crowned, we'll have lunch together here at the church. For a head count for the lunch, please RSVP to Antonio, antonio@proclamation.org.

Thanksgiving Eve Service • Wednesday, November 26

Join us for our annual Thanksgiving Eve service on Wednesday, Nov. 26 at 7 p.m. We will sing and pray thanksgivings to God, meditate on his Word, and share verbal testimonies of his faithfulness to us, our families, and our church.

Women's Christmas Tea • Saturday, December 6

Come & See...Just as the shepherds were invited by the angel to come see baby Jesus, we are invited to come and see the good news of Jesus, our Savior! The Women's Christmas Tea is Saturday, Dec. 6th at 2 p.m. All women and young ladies ages 8+ are welcome. Our special speaker this year is Cay Evans. Sign up to attend in the narthex or online at <https://bit.ly/2025ppcregister4christmastea>.



Intern Directory

Proclamation has played an important part in helping to prepare young men and women to serve the Lord both near and far. We have had 22 interns (4 currently) over the past 13 years. They have been a part of our body - training, serving, worshiping and becoming our friends. It has been a blessing to the church as well to them, which they attest to. Those who moved on are now missionaries, senior pastors, assistant pastors, church planters, and teachers. Many are husbands and wives; moms and dads raising up a new generation to know and love the Lord. We have compiled a history of interns with updated bios, pictures and contact information. Copies are available in the narthex.

Church Update

The Session has approved job descriptions for two new pastoral positions as part of our continued vision for ministry growth. These positions have been posted on the church website and submitted to the PCA job board. Please join us in praying that God would lead the right candidates to serve our church faithfully.

THIS WEEK AT PROCLAMATION

Sunday:

- 8:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. Korean Worship in the Beechwood Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School in the Education Building
- 9:45 a.m. ESL (English as a Second Language) class
- 10:30 a.m. English Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Japanese Worship in room 044/046
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Tuesday:

- 7:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Call

Wednesday:

- 7:00 a.m. Zoom Prayer Meeting
- 9:15 a.m. Women's Bible Study
- 4:45-6:45 p.m. Dinner
- 5:00-7:00 p.m. Children's and youth music rehearsal
- 5:45-6:45 p.m. Soli Deo Gloria handbells rehearsal
- 7:00-8:30 p.m. Trail Life and Girls of Grace (K-5th grade)
- Youth Group (6th-12th grade)
- Chancel Choir rehearsal
- Men's and Women's Bible Studies
- ESL (English as a Second Language) class

Friday:

- 9:00 a.m. Women's Prayer Call
- 7:30 p.m. Levente Kuzma Organ Concert

Saturday:

- 7:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study: *Lead Where You're Called*
- 9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study: *A Study in the Psalms*
- 10:00 a.m. Youth Event

For more information contact info@proclamation.org or visit our website: www.proclamation.org

Proclamation desires, by the grace of God, to see disciples multiplied, matured, and mobilized in this generation and the next, to live for Christ in the church, in families, and in the world, and to lead for Christ in the vocation to which he calls them, all to the glory of God.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Sunday, November 9th, 2025



MORNING WORSHIP

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 9th, 2025

10:30 a.m.

Rev. Dr. John Currie, *preaching*
Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *assisting*

PRELUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*

WELCOME Rev. Dr. John Currie, *senior pastor*

MISSIONS MOMENT

CHORAL INTROIT Chancel Choir
Gary Foster and Jeremy Eekhoff, *trumpet*

This Is the Day
Albin C. Whitworth

This is the day the Lord hath made; he calls the hours his own. Let heaven
rejoice, let earth be glad, and praise surround the throne. – *Issac Watts*

CALL TO WORSHIP* 1 Chronicles 29:10-13

INVOCATION*

HYMN N^o 53* Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

DECLARATION OF FAITH* *Nicene Creed*

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of
all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of
his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very
God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom
all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from
heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was
made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered
and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures,
and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and
he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose
kingdom shall have no end.

* Please stand.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds
from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is
worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one
holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the
remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life
of the world to come. Amen.

HYMN N^o 111* This Is My Father's World

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul,
mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen
within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left
undone.

Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous
in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your
salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to
our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us, and let your word abide
with us until it has wrought in us your holy will. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON 2 Corinthians 5:21

OFFERTORY Chancel Choir and Orchestra

Grace
arr. Mark Hayes

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch, a wretch like me! I
once was lost, but now am found; I once was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and that same grace my fears relieved;
how precious did that grace appear the hour when I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already safely come. This grace
hath brought me safe thus far, and surely grace will lead me home. I shall go
home.

When we've been there ten-thousand years, bright shining as the glorious sun,
we've no less days to sing God's praise than since the day we first begun.
– *John Newton, adpt.*

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

*Anna Clark, Anna Sylvestrie, Chiedu Nwozo, Grace and Lily McGowen,
Linda Wilkey, Mark and Nathalie Wilson, Matt Rieke and Sara Slattery,
Bryn Rieke, Nathan Willcox, Patty Long, Peter Hubert,
Rhonda Currie, Ruthie Hill, Zoe Batzel*

- Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly
deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
- Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of
sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is
offered in the Gospel?
- Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the
Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?

- Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of
your ability?
- Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Church,
and promise to study its purity and peace?

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Chiedu Nwozo
Juliet Hollis

- Do you acknowledge your child's need of the cleansing blood of Jesus
Christ, and the renewing grace of the Holy Spirit?
- Do you claim God's covenant promises on their behalf, and do you look
in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation, as you do for your
own?
- Do you now unreservedly dedicate them to God, and promise, in humble
reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before them a
godly example, that you will pray with and for them that you will teach
them the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all
the means of God's appointment, to bring them up in the nurture and
admonition of the Lord?
- Do you as a congregation undertake the responsibility of assisting the
parents in the Christian nurture of these children?

SCRIPTURE READING* David Josephson, *elder*
Isaiah 46:3-13, *pg. 607*

HYMN N^o 668* Who Trusts in God, a Strong Abode

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Dr. John Currie, *senior pastor*
In Conclusion...
Ezra 6:13-18, *pg. 393*

HYMN N^o 369* Shout, for the Blessed Jesus Reigns

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



David Josephson will be available to pray with you
at the front right of the sanctuary.

Joyce Wik and Betsy Kotanchik will be available to pray with women
at the front left of the sanctuary.