

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Evening Worship • Tonight

Join us tonight at 5:00 p.m. We will close the service in prayer for the DR and Family Retreat Team members.

### CityTeam Back-to-School

CityTeam provides school supplies to over 1800 underprivileged children in Chester, PA, and surrounding communities annually. Proclamation has supported CityTeam for 23.5 years. Your donations, of any amount, are greatly appreciated. A contribution of \$35 will equip one child with a backpack filled with age-appropriate supplies. Please make checks payable to CityTeam with “Back to School” in the memo. Do not address checks to Proclamation. You can place them in the offering plate or give them to Dominic Mattioni or Rich Conte. Dominic has a mailbox in the Deacon’s Nook. The back-to-school fair is scheduled for August 15th. All donations must be received by August 6th. If you would like to give backpacks or school supplies, put them in the donation room.

Volunteers are also needed to pack backpacks and assist at the fair. For more information, please contact Dominic or Rich.

### ESL

To prepare for the upcoming ministry year, all ESL teachers and volunteers will attend an ESL Teacher Training at Church of the Savior in Wayne, PA, on August 8-9. Talk with Lynne Frey if you want more information or are interested in serving with ESL. Register for the training online at <https://bit.ly/ppc2025esl>

### Women’s Summer Study

Proclamation women are invited to an online study of 1 John on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Pick up a Bible Study guide in the narthex. Email [kristen@proclamation.org](mailto:kristen@proclamation.org) for more information.

### Tabletalk

August issues of *Tabletalk* have arrived. Pick up a free copy in the narthex today!

### Meal Ministry

Proclamation’s Meal Ministry provides meals for church members who experience a major life event. To participate in the Meal Ministry by providing meals, contact Betsy Brubaker ([meals@proclamation.org](mailto:meals@proclamation.org)). Volunteers receive an e-mail when a meal need is identified and may then sign up to deliver a meal or to provide a restaurant gift card via e-mail.

# THIS WEEK AT PROCLAMATION

### Sunday:

- 8:30 a.m. Prayer Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. Sunday School
- 9:00 a.m. Korean Worship in the Beechwood Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. English Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Japanese Worship in room 243/245
- 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship
- Joni & Friends Family Retreat Begins

### Tuesday:

- 7:00 a.m. Women’s Prayer Call
- DR Trip Begins

### Wednesday:

- 7:30 p.m. Women’s Summer Bible Study (online)

### Friday:

- 9:00 a.m. Women’s Prayer Call

### Saturday:

For more information contact [info@proclamation.org](mailto:info@proclamation.org) or visit our website: [proclamation.org](http://proclamation.org)



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Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025



MORNING WORSHIP  
SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
10:30 a.m.

Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *preaching*  
Antonio Ayala, *assisting*

PRELUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*

WELCOME Antonio Ayala, *director of youth ministry*

CALL TO WORSHIP\* Isaiah 12:6

INVOCATION\*

HYMN N° 103\* Holy God, We Praise Your Name

DECLARATION OF FAITH\* Heidelberg Catechism, q. 1

Leader: What is your only comfort in life and in death?  
Congregation: That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior, Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven; in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

CONFESSION OF SIN 1 Peter 1:14-16

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Colossians 1:21-22

HYMN N° 465\* Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord

OFFERTORY Hiro Nakagawa, *bassoon*  
Asaki Nakaqawa, *piano*

*A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*  
arr. Larry Shackley

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM Joshua Schonewald  
Ethan, Emmanuel, & Elijah Pan

- 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 his behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?
- Do you now unreservedly dedicate him to God, and promise, in humble reliance upon divine grace, that you will endeavor to set before him a godly example, that you will pray with and for him, that you will teach him the doctrines of our holy religion, and that you will strive, by all the means of God’s appointment, to bring him 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 this child?

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

*Dan Richwine, Caleb Thompson, Ruth Thompson, Leif Zetterberg, Karen Zetterberg*

- 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?

SCRIPTURE READING\* Robert Null, *elder*  
Leviticus 19:1-18, *pg. 97*

HYMN N° 150\* The Law of God Is Good and Wise

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *executive pastor*  
*A Framework for Repentance*  
Psalm 51, pg. 474

HYMN N° 455\* And Can It Be That I Should Gain

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



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Robert Null will be available to pray with you  
at the front right of the sanctuary.

Brenda Sbraccia and Kathy Gates will be available to pray with women  
at the front left of the sanctuary.

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Join us tonight at 5:00 p.m. for our Evening Service  
Tomasz Otremba preaching  
*Overcoming Our Ill-will Toward Others*  
1 John 3:11-24

\* Please stand.