

# 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.

### Sunday Schedule Change

This morning was the final class of our summer Sunday School. Next week prayer meeting will be at 8:30 a.m. followed by our Ministry Fair at 9:00 a.m. On August 31<sup>st</sup> prayer meeting will be at 9:30 a.m. Sunday School resumes September 7.

### Women's Fall Bible Study

Please join the women of Proclamation in our study of Titus. This study aims to lead us to put into practice what we learned from Acts; that in everything we will adorn the gospel of God our savior. Women's studies begin on September 10 from 9:15-11:00 a.m. and PM 7-8:30 p.m. Please contact Brenda Sbraccia or Minda Garner if you have any questions.

### Nursery and Childcare Workers Needed

We are looking for childcare workers to help watch the children during Wednesday morning Women's Bible Study and Wednesday evening ESL, starting this September. Women's Bible Study meets from 9:15-10:45 a.m. every Wednesday morning, and is attended by many mothers with small children, childcare gives them the ability to fully engage in fellowship and study. ESL meets on Wednesday Evenings from 7-8:30 p.m. and offers childcare to families with children who can play independently, while they focus in classes! Childcare Workers are paid roles, and as such, must complete background checks as well as have been a member for at least six months. If you are interested, please reach out to kethryn@proclamation.org or antonio@proclamtion.org for more information.

### Youth Group Kick Off • September 6th

All families of youth group students (6th-12th grade) are invited to our Youth Group Kick-Off on September 6th, at 5:00 p.m. here at the church. It will be a time of food, fun, and fellowship as we reconnect and gear up for the new ministry season. Main entree and drinks will be provided. RSVP link includes a sign-up to bring a side, salad, or dessert. RSVP here: <https://bit.ly/2025PPCyouthkickoff>

### Safety Training

This year we have partnered with Ministry Safe for some of our required safety trainings. Ministry Safe allows us to offer this training virtually, and allows you to complete it at your convenience. All trainings must be completed by August 31.

- Volunteers who work with children and youth have received a link to watch the training and complete the questionnaire.
- All staff, officers, and ministry leaders have received a link to watch and complete an anti-sexual harassment training.

If you have not received a link, reach out to kerrick@proclamation.org.

### Directory Updates

We plan to print new PPC Directories for September. If you need to update your contact information, please complete an information update card, found on the Narthex tables, and place them in the offering plate or give them to a deacon. We also invite you to update your individual or family photo. Email photos to kristen@proclamation.org.

# 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

### Monday:

### Tuesday:

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

### Wednesday:

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

### Thursday:

5:30 p.m. Women's Summer Fellowship Gathering

### 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: [www.proclamation.org](http://www.proclamation.org)

## INSTALLATION OF REV. DR. JOHN CURRIE

Make plans to worship and celebrate with us at 5:00 p.m. on September 7<sup>th</sup> as we install Rev. Dr. John Currie as our new senior pastor. A light reception will follow in the fellowship hall downstairs. Reception sign up: <https://bit.ly/PPCcurriereception>.

*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.*

## PROCLAMATION PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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PROCLAMATION  
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*A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America*

*Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025*



MORNING WORSHIP  
TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025  
10:30 a.m.

Rev. Dr. Dave Garner, *preaching*  
Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *assisting*

PRELUDE Ann Ellis, guest *musician*

WELCOME Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *executive pastor*

CALL TO WORSHIP\* Psalm 27:6

INVOCATION\*

HYMN N<sup>o</sup> 181\* We Come, O Christ, to You

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.

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<sup>o</sup> 140\* O Word of God Incarnate

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN from Psalm 5

All: Give ear to our words and our groanings, O Lord. Give attention to the sound of our cry as we pray to you, our King and God.

Minister: You are not a God who delights in wickedness and evil may not dwell with you. The boastful shall not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers. You destroy liars and abhor the bloodthirsty and deceitful.

All: But we have been boastful. We have done evil. We have spoken lies, been bloodthirsty, and deceitful.

Minister: Yet through your abundant, steadfast love we may enter your house.

All: In your mercy, for the sake of your Son, forgive our sins that we may take refuge in you. Cover us, O Lord, with favor as with a shield, that we might forever sing for joy and exult in you. We pray humbly in the name of our Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Romans 10:12-13

OFFERTORY Ann Ellis, *guest musician*

All to Jesus  
arr. Charity B. Putnam

SCRIPTURE READING\* Sean Ellsworth, *elder*  
Psalm 115, *pg. 510*

HYMN N<sup>o</sup> 703\* Loved with Everlasting Love

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Dr. Dave Garner, *guest preacher*  
Behold, Your God  
1 Corinthians 1:30-31, pg. 952

HYMN N<sup>o</sup> 170\* Fairest Lord Jesus

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE Ann Ellis, *guest musician*



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Sean Ellsworth will be available to pray with you at the front right of the sanctuary.

Janyi Josephson and Susan Wambua 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  
Rev. Jeremy Johnson preaching  
God is Love  
1 John 4:7-21

Thank you to Rev. Dr. Dave Garner for preaching the remainder of August. Dave is the Chief Academic Officer, Vice President of Global Ministries, and Charles Krahe Professor of Systematic Theology at Westminster Theological Seminary.

\* Please stand.