



• ADVENT 2025 •

# THIS

— changes —

# EVERYTHING

## TODAY'S SERMON

### Christmas Changes How We View Eternity

*(and that changes everything because we are what we expect)*

Tom Kenney - Pastor Emeritus

*He presented himself alive to them after his suffering  
by many proofs, appearing to them during forty days  
and speaking about the kingdom of God.*

Acts 1:3

## TODAY'S SCHEDULE

**8:30AM**

Prayer for Sundays (201)

**9:00AM**

Worship Service (Gym)

**10:45AM**

Worship Service (Gym)

**Global Ministry Prayer:**  
Europe / Papua New Guinea /  
Americas (201)

### REMINDER:

*No Discipleship Classes  
or PSM today or 12/28*

## INFORMATION



### CONNECT TO Wi-Fi

**Network:** "Guest of PCC"

**Password:** "Making Disciples"



### HAVE KIDS?

Stop by our KidzMin desk  
to find out about children's  
classes (infants - 5th grade)



### CONNECT WITH US

**Download the Church  
Center App:**

- Watch Sunday Services
- See the Calendar
- Register for Events
- Check In Your Family
- Give Online



## NEW TO THE CHAPEL?

# Welcome!

### Communication Card

We want to get to know you! Please fill out the attached card and place it in a drop box by the exit.



**Garrett Spitz** - Lead Pastor

### Preschool, Children, Students & Adults

We've got something for everyone! From Bible studies to small groups to programs for kids. To learn more, visit [pccyorktown.com](http://pccyorktown.com).

### Café / Nursing Area

If you find it more comfortable, we have a video feed of the service in the Café. Nursing moms find the Nursery (Room 107) conducive for feedings - also with a service video feed.



## ORDER OF SERVICE

### Call to Worship

Katie Highfield - *Student Ministry (PSM)*  
*High School Coordinator*

### Worship Through Music

*(congregation standing)*  
*Please feel free to sit down during*  
*this time if needed*

### Advent Candle Lighting: Peace

### Ministry Report

**Christmas Gift** - Sponsoring a  
Room at the Peninsula Rescue  
Mission Women's Home

hosted by Garrett Spitz (*Lead Pastor*)  
*We invite kids, K-5th grade, to KidzMin*  
*after the Ministry Report*

### Worship Through Giving & Music

*(congregation standing)*  
*Please deposit donations in the drop boxes*  
*by the exits or give online: [bit.ly/giveatpcc](http://bit.ly/giveatpcc)*

### Sermon

**Christmas Changes How**  
**We View Eternity**

Tom Kenney - *Pastor Emeritus*

### Song of Response

*(congregation standing)*

## NEXT SUNDAY

**Unhurried: Living Finite**  
**Before an Infinite God (Psalm 90:1-17)**  
Chris Chappell - *Associate Pastor*

## PRAYER OF BELIEF

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. Thank you for paying my debt on the cross and offering me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and embrace you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### DECEMBER

- 24** Christmas Eve Services  
2PM & 4PM | PCC
- 28** Un-Deck the PCC Halls | 10:45AM

### DECEMBER 25 - JANUARY 1

PCC Offices Closed

### JANUARY

- 4** New Discipleship Classes Begin
- 7** Day of Prayer & Fasting
- 11** WinterFest & Ministry Expo
- 18** Men's Ministry Luncheon
- 25** Membership Meeting | 5:30PM
- 30-31** Women's Retreat

## NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

DEC  
24

### **Christmas Eve Services** - Wednesday, December 24 | 2PM & 4PM | PCC

Gather with us for a time of worship and celebration of Christ's birth. This hour-long, family friendly event will include Christmas Carols, readings and end with singing by candlelight. We will have creative activities for the children to do while in service. Seasonal refreshments available after each service.

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### **PCC Offices Closed** - Thursday, December 25 - Thursday, January 1

PCC's offices will be closed for the Christmas & New Year Holidays.

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### **Un-Deck the PCC Halls** - Sunday, December 28 | 10:45AM

Help us take down the decorations at PCC in preparation for the New Year during the second service. If you have questions, please email [office@pccyorktown.com](mailto:office@pccyorktown.com).

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### **New Discipleship Classes** - beginning Sunday, January 4

**Redeeming Your Time** | 9AM | through 2/15 | The new year is a good time to think about time. This study will draw principles of time management from the life of Jesus to help us order our lives for His glory.

**Understanding Global Ministry** | 10:45AM | through 2/15 | Why is global ministry at the heart of all that PCC does? This 7-week study will take us on a journey to explain why and how we do global ministry.

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### **WinterFest & Ministry Expo** - Sunday, January 11 | after both services

Join us for our annual WinterFest & Ministry Expo - a fun time of fellowship and connection with our whole church body! Learn from representatives about different PCC ministries, and how to get involved or support them. We will have activities for kids and lunch available.

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### **Women's Retreat** - Friday, January 30 - Saturday, January 31

Ladies, step away from the busyness of life and enjoy a weekend of refreshment, fellowship, and worship. This year's retreat will be held at the Kingsmill Resort in Williamsburg. Register now: [bit.ly/pccwr26](https://bit.ly/pccwr26).

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### **PSM Wintergreen Retreat** - Registration now open

High schoolers-join PSM for a weekend retreat in the mountains for winter activities and gospel teaching, February 6-8! You can choose from activities such as tubing, skiing, snowboarding, or hiking. Register at [bit.ly/hswgr26](https://bit.ly/hswgr26).

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### **Christmas Gift 2025: Celebrating Our Gift-Giving God** - We invite you this

Christmas to join us in giving to initiatives that are on God's heart. Ask God to increase your faith in Him this Christmas season as we engage in worshipful giving. Learn more: [pccyorktown.com/christmas-gift](https://pccyorktown.com/christmas-gift).

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### **Children's Christmas Eve Choir** - During our Christmas Eve Services, we

will be inviting children (ages 4 to 5th grade) on stage to sing a selected song children are learning in KidzMin. To learn more or sign up, visit [bit.ly/kmchoir25](https://bit.ly/kmchoir25).

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### **Operation Christmas Child** - Thank you to everyone that participated in this

year's Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Collection! Your contributions helped send out 304 shoeboxes this year (our goal was 300). We appreciate your support!

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### **2026 Short-Term Trips** - Join us on one of our global ministry trips this summer

for a chance to expand your understanding of God's heart for the world and open your eyes in new ways to the hope and restoration the Gospel brings. Trips include: **NYC Seed Week**: early July (adults, high school with parents); **NYC Jews for Jesus**: Dates TBA (adults, high school with parents); **Japan College Trip**: Dates TBA. More details to come! Questions? Contact [wissmannhe@gmail.com](mailto:wissmannhe@gmail.com).

## PRAY THIS WEEK FOR

PCC GLOBAL PARTNERS:

**KIM & ANNIE COLICH**

serving in **PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

Email: [kim\\_colich@sil.org](mailto:kim_colich@sil.org)

Advocates: Dale & Amy Bell  
[ma.pa.bell@pm.me](mailto:ma.pa.bell@pm.me)

## NOTES

### DECEMBER 2025 RESOURCES Prayer & Action Goals 2025-26

**WORD:** Go deeper into my union with Christ by hearing and studying the second half of the Gospel of John (Chpts 11-21).

**WORSHIP:** Experience more peace when feeling anxious or fearful by abiding in God's Word.

**EQUIP:** Transform my schedule so that my daily routines of work and rest better reflect the work and rest of the Savior I abide in.

**ENGAGE-LOCAL:** Abide in Jesus so that my love for God will flow into the everyday interactions I have with the people that he puts in my path.

**ENGAGE-GLOBAL:** Take practical steps to help raise up the next generation of Global Ministry Partners who will abide in Christ as they go into the world.

This month is a great opportunity to take a step in the **Engage-Local** goal by using Christmas as an opportunity to initiate spiritual conversations with others. Invite friends and neighbors with children to join you at Jingle Jam on Friday, December 12. Register at [bit.ly/jinglejamccc](https://bit.ly/jinglejamccc). You can also invite others to join you for the Christmas Eve services on Wednesday, December 24. Many who do not usually attend church are much more open to attending around Christmas.

## Local Ministry Fund Income

December Actual:

As of Dec. 14

**\$88,354**

December Goal: **\$134,357**

November Actual: **\$132,415**

November Goal: **\$134,357**

Difference: **-\$1,942**

YTD: **+\$15,241**

**Expenses vs. Giving**  
through 11/30/25

**YTD Giving:** \$1,493,098

**YTD Expenses:** \$1,442,527

**Difference:** +\$50,571

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