

# CPCC's News & Notes — Sunday, September 6, 2009 AD

## Welcome!

It's a joy to welcome you to worship this Sunday morning. We worship the God of the Bible, with our heart's affections and mind's attention focused on His glory and His grace. Please preview the order of worship in the bulletin. We're glad you're here, and we pray that God's grace would be upon you!

## Today's Worship

Many of us, like the prophet Isaiah, have raised our eyes and voice heavenward and cried out for God to come down in power to do glorious things in our midst. Today's sermon expounds just such a cry from [Isaiah 64:1](#). May we be humbled by the Lord as HE is revealed in the Word — and may we be ready for Him to do work powerfully in us and through us — *Soli Deo gloria!*

*If the Spirit of God is working in you, calling you to repent of sin, believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, or otherwise respond to the Word of God, then please take a moment to speak with an elder (in the front of the room) after the service.*

## Children in worship

All children ages 4-5 & older are encouraged to be in worship where parents can train them to praise the Lord and to listen to God's Word. Readers may have their own bulletin, while pre-readers can use the simpler *Children's Worship Folder*.

*\*A NURSERY is downstairs for infants & toddlers.*

## Visiting Today?

We're glad you're here! Please sign our *Friendship Form* as it is passed during the offertory, and then join us after the service for refreshments downstairs. See the [round table](#) for church info.

## CPCC Sunday School news....

- (1) Our summer Family Class has ended, and all classes are in recess this weekend — there are no classes today.
- (2) Next Sunday a new term begins with an **All-church Assembly** during the Sunday School hour. At this exciting gathering we will give an overview of our educational ministries, introduce teachers, and award Bibles to a couple of students.
- (3) Please be in prayer for our Sunday school ministry needs. And if you've thought about helping teach a class, but have not been asked to help, please speak with one of the Elders.

## Evening Worship

Due to the Monday Labor Day holiday, there is no evening service at CPCC tonight. You are encouraged to make fellowship plans with others from the church. The evening service resumes next week, September 13th, with a great time of singing, sharing and study of the Word.

*PS: We now offer [childcare](#) on Sunday evenings, using the toddler play room near the main church entrance.*

## Sermons & Website

Previous sermons from CPCC are available free on audio cd's in the adult classroom (Fireside Room), or online. CPCC's [web site](#) also has information about services, ministries, and current news & event announcements. Check it out here:

[www.cliftonparkcommunitychurch.org](http://www.cliftonparkcommunitychurch.org)

## This week....

Monday	2:30–5:30 PM	ALPHA Office is open (?)
Tuesday	6:30–8:30 PM	ALPHA Office is open
<b>Wednesday</b>	2:30–5:30 PM	ALPHA Office is open
	7:00 PM	Jr/Sr High <b>Youth Group</b>
	7:00 PM	<b>Mid-Week Prayer Meeting</b>
	7:00 PM	<b>Wed. Women's Bible Study begins</b>
Thursday	7:00 PM	Elders meeting
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	9:15 AM	Sunday Prayer Meeting
	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP</b> <i>with the Lord's Supper observed</i>
	10:45 AM	Fellowship & Coffee Time
	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>Special Sunday School Assembly</b>
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship & Bible study

## Volunteers\* scheduled.....for next Sunday, Sept. 13th:

Sunday AM Nursery: *Tracey Kucerak & Victoria Kucerak*  
Coffee Time Host: *The Allers Family*  
Sunday PM Nursery: \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

*\*If you cannot work your turn, please exchange with another.*

## “Covenant Sunday” next Sunday

The kick-off to our new Sunday School year and our fall programs is the first Sunday after Labor Day, **September 13th**. Our morning worship will include the Lord's Supper, and a public reading of our *Church Covenant* (on the back of every bulletin). We will also have an *All-Church Sunday School Assembly* to give an overview of our Sunday School classes, award Bibles and introduce our teachers. Please be praying for the Lord's blessings upon our fall ministries.

## Luncheon Next Sunday

A simple fellowship luncheon (soup, bread, salad, etc.) will be held at noon next Sunday. Volunteers are needed to help — see JoAnn Frick.

## Women's Wednesday Bible Study Group

A Wednesday night Bible study for women, begins this Wednesday, **Sept. 9th at 7:00 PM** at CPCC. They will study 1st Thessalonians and its theme *“your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ.”* RSVP to Laurel Bissett 383-8633.

## New “Picture Church Directory” planned

It is important to get to know everyone here at church! So we are up-dating and redesigning our Church Directory. The new format will feature one page per family (or couple or single adult), with a picture as well as contact information. A form to collect some data, as well as a “sample page” are in your CPCC mailbox. Please return these to the Pastor's mailbox as soon as you can. We'd like to publish the new Picture Directory by the end of the month.

## Upcoming Calendar items...

- ★ Wed., Sept. 9th — Women's Wed. night Bible study begins, 7:00 PM
- ★ Sunday, **Sept. 13th** — **Covenant Sunday** & new Sunday School Term
- ★ Saturday, **Sept. 19th** — **Annual Youth Group KICK-OFF Event (AM)**
- ★ Monday, Sept. 28th — Serve hot meal at Schenectady City Mission
- ★ Saturday, October 3rd — 7:30 AM, **Iron Man Fellowship Breakfast**
- ★ October 9th-12th — Annual Father & Son retreat at Good Tidings Camp