



CHAPIN

PRESBYTERIAN

Newsletter

August 2023

NOTE FROM OUR ASSISTANT PASTOR

Dear CPC,

Colossians 1:28-29 – Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

Our family is excited to be a part of the CPC family! Thank you for the warm welcome we have already received.

Paul's words in Colossians provide an important perspective on discipleship in the church. As pastor of discipleship, I want to serve, proclaiming Christ with His wisdom in order to present everyone mature in Christ. I want to labor alongside you all, with all of God's 'energy' working in me—for the glory of Christ.

My role will include: providing oversight for Sunday school and to our small groups (Bible studies and Community Groups), preaching, teaching, and helping with corporate prayer. I look forward to getting to know you all in the coming months. In particular, my wife and I plan on visiting the different Community Groups this fall in order to get to know you all better.

It is my heart to not just be busy with church activities, but to be about making disciples who are maturing in Christ. Please pray with me to that end for CPC, using Col 1:28-29 as our guide. As Matthew Henry said, "God's word must be the guide of your desires and the ground of your expectations in prayer."

In Christ,
Pastor Hunt

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Office Hours

Monday - Thursday
9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Address

600 Old Lexington Hwy.
Chapin, SC 29036

Sunday Services

Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:45 a.m.

Connect With Us For Updates!





SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSONS

August 6: Jesus Calmed a Storm (Matthew 8; Mark 4; Luke 8)
August 13: Jesus Healed and Forgave (Matt 9; Mark 2; Luke 5)
August 20: Jesus Healed Sickness (Matt 9; Mark 2; Luke 5)
August 27: Jesus Fed Many People (Matthew 14; Mark 8)

PROMOTION SUNDAY

Promotion Sunday is August 13, the day that our children in K-6th grade will officially “move up” to their new classroom. We are so excited to begin another year growing in Jesus together. Please let Kayce know if you have any questions.

When our 5 year olds move up to Kindergarten, they will begin to join us in the Sunday morning service!! We are excited to welcome them as they will be “New to the Pew.”

To celebrate this, the 5K Sunday School class will tour the sanctuary on Sunday, July 30th, and get a sneak peek into what it is like to worship with multiple generations on Sundays. We hope your children will be able to join us then!

MEMORY VERSE SONG

Here's the link to the memory verse song:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CpvSHVcC6V8>

MEMORY VERSE

Our memory verse for the month is John 1:18 “No one has ever seen God; the only God, who is at the Father's side, he has made him known.”

The preschool version is “Jesus is God’s Son.”

GOOD NEWS CLUB

As the new school year begins, we are excited to be back in Chapin Elementary with our Good News Club! If you are interested in serving with the GNC this year, please contact Lori Williams at cpcgoodnewsclub@chapinpres.com.



GRAVITY G-TIME

Our last GRAVITY G-Time with our current 5th and 6th graders is August 6. We will begin meeting weekly with our new GRAVITY group on August 20 at CPC from 5-7pm.

GRAVITY UPDATE

In Sunday School, our GRAVITY group will review a brief history of the kings of Israel before diving into the book of Genesis later in the month with Mrs. Anna Mary Forrest. We hope to see all of our 5th-6th graders on Sunday mornings!

G-TIME SCHEDULE

August 6 - Fun Fellowship 4:45 - 6:45 PM
August 13 - Promotion Sunday
August 20 - First G-TIME with our new group at CPC from 5 - 7 pm
August 27 - G-TIME at CPC ROM 5 - 7 PM

CHAPIN SCHOOLS PRAYER WALK

The Chapin Schools Prayer Walk is scheduled for 9 a.m., Saturday, August 19th. Various churches will be assigned to each elementary and secondary school. CPC has been assigned to gather at Piney Woods Elementary School, 814 Amicks Ferry Road at 9 a.m.

Afterward, we will all gather at 10:15 a.m. at Chapin High School.

REFORMED STUDENT MINISTRY

REFORMED COMMUNITY NIGHT

Our student ministry (7th-12 grade) meets on Sundays from 5-7 p.m. at CPC to share a meal, play games, and dig deeper into the Word. We are continuing the Summer Games competition.

Come join us for competition, dinner, and encouragement as we continue learning what it means to be a disciple.

Women's Ministry

FALL RETREAT 2023 at CPC

Due to limited space availability at Ridge Haven with the Palmetto Presbytery this year, we are shifting gears and will be offering a retreat at home option for CPC women in 2023.

So please still plan to join us Oct. 6th & 7th for a meaningful time of connecting with one another over God's Word.

Specific details to follow as the time approaches but tentatively plan to gather with us on Friday evening and again Saturday morning through Saturday late-afternoon at CPC.

TUESDAYS POOLSIDE

Plan to join us this summer as we gather at the pool for fellowship. Tuesdays from 9:30 am - 1:30 pm, drop-ins welcome. Pack a picnic and join us August 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29 — all at the Butler's home.

COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY

This fall, Women of the Word (W.O.W.) community Bible study will return to CPC. We will be studying a program created by Jen Wilkin titled, "God of Creation" on Genesis. Genesis 1-11 will be covered in the fall and chapters 12-52 in the spring. This is a 10 week course, starting September 13th through November 15th from 9:30 - 11:00 am. Childcare is available.

For more information or to register, contact Judy McMillan at (803) 413-0064 or judymcmillan@sc.rr.com.



Our CPC Men have been gathering together in fellowship opportunities like the recent Fish Fry and the Father's Day Pancake Breakfast. As a result, many have expressed an interest in joining a small group. We need men to lead new groups. If you are interested, contact Gary Butler at 803-600-5071.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Friday, August 18th at 6:30 p.m. the Saintly Seniors will host their next event. It will be an Ice Cream Social! There is no charge but registration is still required. You may register on Aug. 6th and 13th in the narthex.

We are still in need of one more ice cream churn. If you have one you can loan, please text or call Debbie Truluck at (803) 397-4582.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

We hope you'll get plugged in to one of these classes,

meeting at 8:30 am:

Angels & Demons - Family Center

meeting at 10:45 am:

College & Young Professionals - Room 211

Westminster Confession of Faith - Worship Center

New classes beginning August 13!

WE CARE ITEMS NEEDED

We Care is currently most in need of peanut butter, jelly, chili, soup, dried beans, grits, rice, mac & cheese, canned tuna/salmon, pork & beans, spam, canned chicken, pasta, spaghetti sauce, turnip/collard greens, toothbrushes and toothpaste. Laundry detergent, toiletries, and paper products are always needed.

COMMUNION SUNDAY

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed during the worship service on Sunday, August 13. This is one of the most significant events in our church life and we encourage you to take time and ask God to search your heart in preparation for communion.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Chapin Presbyterian Church will host a Red Cross blood drive on Monday, August 7, from 12 - 4 p.m. Use sponsor code CHAPIN when you make an appointment at www.RedCrossBlood.org.



COMMUNITY GROUPS

Sign-ups for Community Groups are happening now and there is still space in some groups. CPC Community Groups include participants of all ages and stages of life and usually meet in homes, generally 2-3 times per month. If you have questions or are interested in leading a Community Group, please contact Pate Cooper (patecooper@msn.com) for more information.

AUGUST GREETER MINISTRY SCHEDULE

DOOR GREETER (9:30 a.m.)

- 1st Sunday — Bill & Gail Calhoun
- 2nd Sunday — Weston & Beth Curtis
- 3rd Sunday — John & Frances Derrick
- 4th Sunday — The Bonnett Family

RECEPTION DESK (9:30 a.m.)

- 1st Sunday — Sheila Sargent
- 2nd Sunday — Steve & Retta Yandle
- 3rd Sunday — Chuck & Jan Staples
- 4th Sunday — Judy Weathersbee

FILL THE CRADLE

The Saintly Seniors are having a Fill the Cradle event for the Perricelli baby, Micaela Noelle, born April 23, 2023.



Wish list is as follows:

- Diapers Size 3 or 4
- Amazon Gift Cards
- Clothes Size 3 Mos. To 12 Mos.

You can bring your items to the church on Sunday, August 13th and August 20th.

AUGUST DUTY DEACONS

Andrew Bemis &
Joey Kleckley

ALL IN THE FAMILY

Oh wow, August is just about here and school is starting and soon Christmas is coming and so much to do! Enjoy these last days of a very hot summer. Chapin is very happy to have to a new Assistant Pastor. For a long time we have been praying for just the right person and now he is here and we welcome him.

This little chickie took a wrong step and ended flat on her derrie're and ended in the Emergency Room

and got glued back together. I extend greatest gratitude to Joey Kleckley and Jan Staples for their sweet help. I thank you for your many foods, cards, and calls you have been a great joy to my heart. Thank you so very much! Now this is important for you to remember: August 22 is Eat a Peach Day! Mark it on your calendar!

Love and gratitude to each of you!
Helen



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

AUG 1	Judy Weathersbee Dan Zbytovsky Todd Howell Dianna Kubacz	AUG 5	Isabella Oseman Beth Rich	AUG 13	Nate Sherrard Susan Harrington	AUG 19	Doug Roberts
AUG 2	TJ Jennings William Kay Jason Hunt	AUG 7	Jim Wilkins Dawn Weathersbee	AUG 14	Sutton Vick	AUG 24	Debbie Truluck
AUG 3	Susan Bowers Evan Oseman Lindsay Vance	AUG 9	Sue Starke Andrew Bemis	AUG 15	Lauren Dunn Beth Gierhart Jan Staples	AUG 26	Lisa Parker Cade Hein Andy Steele Makenna Zbytovsky Bree Baker
AUG 4	Allen Jones	AUG 10	Brent Silman Maryella Kay Bradford Kay	AUG 16	Joe Jeffcoat	AUG 28	Andrew Oseman Louise Todd
		AUG 12	Terry Bartman Mason Harlow	AUG 17	Mitch Stephens	AUG 30	Beth Curtis Mike Stauffer
				AUG 18	Conner Weathersbee Jillian Vick Van Lovelace Oscar Lovelace	AUG 31	Peggy Alexander

THANK YOU



Chapin Presbyterian Church,

Thank you for all the wonderful gifts for our sweet baby boy! He made his appearance on June 22, 2023. We are both very thankful for all the support, thoughts and prayers!

Thank you,
Derrick & Courtney Evans

FLOWER DATES AVAILABLE

There are still dates available on the 2023 calendar for you to choose your special flower date in memory, honor or celebration of your loved one. Please call the church office (345-0500) to reserve your date. Cost of the arrangement is \$45.00.

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Realm Connect on your phone,
or by texting 73256 and entering chapinpres.



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AUGUST CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 2

6:30 PM Choir Practice
6:30 PM Reformed Summer Connect

SUNDAY - AUGUST 6

9:30 AM Worship Service
10:45 AM Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 PM Reformed

MONDAY - AUGUST 7

12:00 PM - 4:00 PM Blood Drive

TUESDAY - AUGUST 8

5:30 PM Administrative Group Meeting

WEDNESDAY - AUGUST 9

6:30 PM Reformed Summer Connect

SUNDAY - AUGUST 13

COMMUNION SUNDAY

9:30 AM Worship Service
10:45 AM Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 PM Reformed
New Sunday School Classes Begin

MONDAY - AUGUST 14

6:00 PM Joint Officer Meeting

TUESDAY - AUGUST 15

5:00 PM Chapin Academy Open House

THURSDAY - AUGUST 17

Chapin Academy 1st day back to school

FRIDAY - AUGUST 18

6:30 PM Sainly Seniors Ice Cream Social

SATURDAY - AUGUST 19

9:00 AM Prayer Walk

SUNDAY - AUGUST 20

9:30 AM Worship Service
10:45 AM Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 PM Reformed

MONDAY - AUGUST 21

7:00 pm Missions Meeting

SUNDAY - AUGUST 27

9:30 AM Worship Service
10:45 AM Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 PM Reformed

TUESDAY - AUGUST 29

6:30 PM Facilities Committee Meeting

CHURCH STAFF INFORMATION

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