

The logo for 'Summer Chimes 2011' features a bright yellow sun with rays in the background. In the foreground, there is a glass of orange juice with a pink straw and a slice of lime on the rim. The word 'Summer' is written in a red, cursive font, and 'Chimes' is in a larger, red, cursive font with a slight shadow. The year '2011' is written in a smaller, red, sans-serif font between the two words.

Summer 2011 Chimes

A monthly publication for the members and friends of Christ Presbyterian Church

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**We worship together at
9:30am every Sunday.**

**Church office hours:
9:00 am-2:00 pm
Mondays -Thursdays.**

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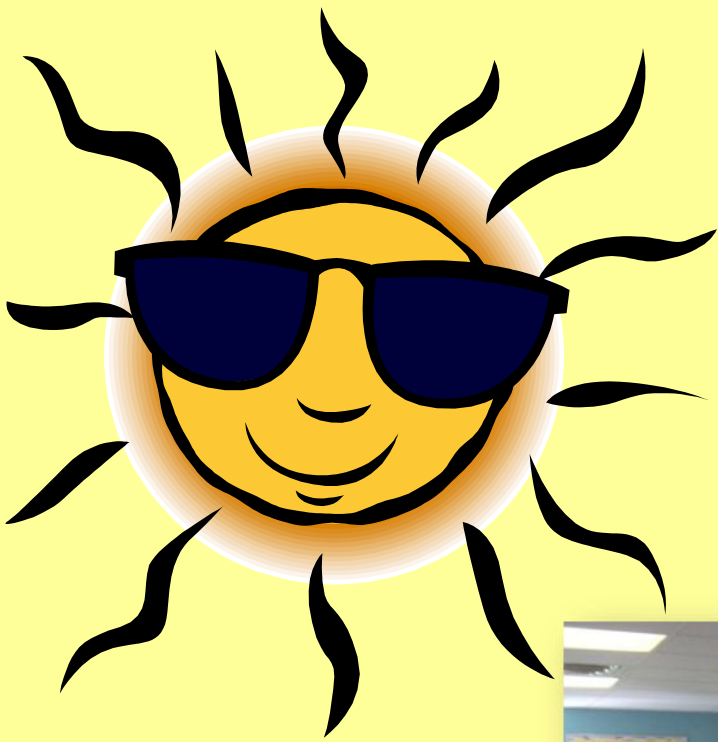
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**Any Emergency Pastoral Care Needs
should be directed to:**

**Pioneer Memorial Presbyterian Church
Pastor, Jeff Peterson-Davis
#440-248-5260**



Where did children's moment go????

It's moved downstairs to children's church. Summer is a great opportunity for the children to get a break from the typical routine of Sunday school. Children, ages pre-k through grade 5 meet downstairs and are taught from the same Scripture-theme as the adults are learning in the sanctuary. Below are some of the highlights thus far.

Children's Church



Carson is the "liturgist" for Children's church



Carson learns the lesson that even when bad things happen to us (lemons) God uses it for good (later we made fresh squeezed lemonade!...mmm good)

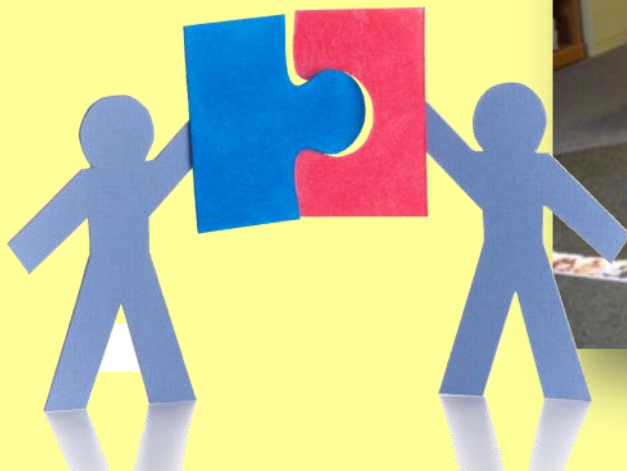


With her brother's help, Kelly tries the sour lemon.

Puzzle races!



Winning teams



Join Us for Summer playgroups

The playgroups are held
on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of the summer
from 10:00am-11:30pm

July 22

10:00am-11:00am-play/bikes/playground
11:00-12:00-make your own pizza/Movie
12:00-ice cream outside

August 5 & 26

10:00am-11:00am Summer Fun!
Play on our playground, ride you
bikes, enjoy summer!



FREE SPIRIT

**You don't even have to be able
to sing in the shower,
But if the SPIRIT moves you,
you can sing with us!**

**Periodically, when our beautiful CPC
choir is "ON TOUR", consider singing
with Free Spirit. It's a no-obligation,
practice-that-morning music group. The
songs chosen will always be easy
enough to learn for that day's
"performance". Contact the church
office if you're interested in learning
more: 440-729-1688**

Come hang out with CPC Youth, 6th through 12th grade, on...

A River Walk & Picnic

At Sulphur Springs in South Chagrin Reservation

Saturday, July 23

1:00-5:00pm

Meet at CPC, dress for WET!

**Lindsay Russell &
Andrea Milnar**

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Focus on the Cross August 13 at Cornerstone Community Church,
Mayfield Hts. 2:00pm-8:00pm

Mark your calendars! This is a spiritual conference for all students. We will provide transportation to and from the event. Reserve your spot soon!

Thank you so much for all of your prayers and support this past year. We work best when we have student participation and parents volunteering their time. Feel free to contact me anytime.

My Home # 729-0809, my cell 440-487-7950, e-mail crogcpc@sbcglobal.net or office Mondays 9:00am-1:00pm. -Andrea





Digital Scavenger Hunt & Bonfire

September 17, 2011 6:00pm – 9:30pm

This hunt will take place throughout the community. Please bring a camera and Bible for each vehicle. Sign up in Fellowship Hall by 9/11

Upcoming Fellowship Events 2011-2012

Chili Cook-Off Nov. 19
Mardi Gras Feb. 17
Progressive Dinner May 19

The Fellowship Committee strives to create events that all ages will enjoy, including special activities for children, youth and adults within each event. We need your help now for events like our Mardi Gras. We are hoping to have the first ever CPC Funniest Home Videos. Submit videos of your family or friends now! Capture funny still pictures or take humorous videos from CPC events. The earlier we get them, the easier it will be to compile and create a show. You may e-mail or submit entries to Mike Maclellan at Maclellan56@gmail.com or call (440)688-4053

Deacons

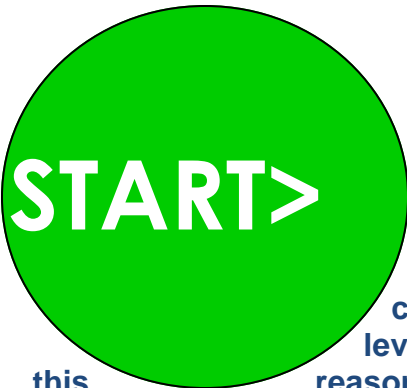
Deacons met for their last summer meeting. Our interim Deacons treasurer for the month of July will be Carol Hong. If you have a money question please contact her or Jim Kule. Chair Jim K. opened with prayer and a devotion from Psalm 139, the Lord knows you. We received correspondence and thank you notes from the City Mission and Kelli Lupas. Kelli will be living in or near New Amsterdam. We have seven graduates and two students with birthdays; they will be sent cards from our Deacons. Congratulations! Our Deacons helped set up for the funeral luncheon of young Christopher Thibodeau of Chesterland who was recently killed while serving our country. God bless him and his family. Our deacons also hosted and served a hot dog luncheon after service Sunday to raise money for our youth mission trip. Thank you all who generously contributed to this very worthy cause. Our outreach committee has a huge box ready to take out to WomenSafe for the Hope Tote project. Again, thank you members and friends for the wonderful generosity and care you show for our causes and projects!! Please say a special prayer for beloved past pastor Knight (and Mary Jane) Washburn for a successful surgery and recovery, and keep all those ill or suffering in your prayers. Have a wonderful safe summer and we will write again in the Fall.FYI - REV. KNIGHT WASHBURN

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Barb Albrecht, Secretary



As we enjoy summer, we know that Fall is not far behind. With that, comes a new school year and opportunities to learn at all age levels. Now is the time to begin focusing on where we are headed. For this reason, please prayerfully consider whether you would like to be a part of the Adult Ministries Committee. We are a committee that is planning to grow and develop into something new and vital for the life and growth of CPC. If you have an interest, regardless of the amount of time you can devote to the Committee's work, please see me after Sunday worship or give me a call at (440)-285-2850. Together, with God's help, we can help make CPC all it has been called to be.

Sam Martillotta
Elder, Adult Ministries

Summer Dates at CPC

Sundays:

9:30am Worship Service
9:30am Children's Church

Mondays:

10:00am Staff Meeting (2nd & 4th Mon. of Month)
7:30pm Men's Discussion Group

Tuesdays:

9:00am Prayer Group @ Ethel Rex's Home
7:00pm Praise Team Rehearsal in Sanctuary
7:00pm August 16 Joint Session/Deacon Meeting

Wednesdays:

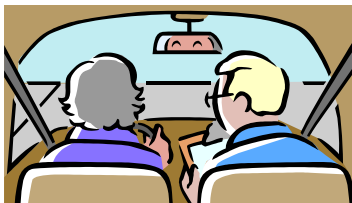
6:30am Men's Bible Study @ Arabica
6:30pm Bootcamp Fitness Class in Pavilion

Fridays:

10:00am Children's Ministries Pizza/Playgroup (1st & 4th Fridays of Month)

Saturdays:

8:00am Men's Bible Study @ CPC
1:00pm July 23, Youth River Walk & Picnic
August 13 Youth- Focus on the Cross



Driver needed! Contact the church office if you are interested in driving the elderly to church on Sunday mornings. #440-729-1688

PRAYER REQUEST

"For the eyes of the LORD are
on the righteous,
and His ears are
open to their prayers..."
1Peter 3:12

Randy Working and his family
Josh Chenoweth and his Father
Nancy Cintron
Larry Van Santen
Glenn and Ethel Rex
Hal and Irene Clyde
Linda Kemp's Father

Mim Gripp
Dee Eichele
Kim Welch
Elmer Balogh
Rev. Knight Washburn
and Our DPNC

That they continue to Know God's comfort and peace.

PRAYER SHAWLS...

...symbolic of an inclusive, unconditionally loving God. Those who receive them have been uplifted and affirmed during troubled times.

Prayer Shawl Workshop
(making shawls together)

September 2011

Call: Sheila McKenzie 440-729-9620

Snow Birds



As you know, to continue conserving costs at Christ Presbyterian Church, we no longer send the Chimes Newsletter through the US mail.

Each month, your personal paper copy is available for pick-up at the church.

HOWEVER, if you head to warmer climates for the winter months, you can request to have your copy sent to your temporary winter address. Fill out the form below and place it in Karen Perko/ CHIMES mailbox, in Fellowship Hall.

Many members have opted for the more timely, full-color version that is sent to a personal e-mail address. If you are interested in this option, please contact Karen at cpceditor@sbcglobal.net

As always, monthly issues of Chimes are published on the CPC web-site. Check www.christpcusa.org for them, and the many other events and goings-on at Christ Presbyterian Church.

Name/Winter 2011-2012 Address:

Beginning month (no earlier than September): _____

Returning month (no later than April): _____

Sunday Morning Greeters

Sign up Today in Fellowship Hall to welcome Friends and Family in to worship Sunday mornings. Openings in August.

Contact: Joanne Graham 440-729-3867

What is Christ Presbyterian Church?

We are a family called to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. We do this through calling others to personal faith in Christ, equipping them as His disciples, and inviting them into loving relationships. In all we say and do, we seek to demonstrate the love of God.

Find out more about us

We warmly invite you to join our church family and hope you will let us know how we can support you. Please call the church office, or indicate your desire on the blue attendance pad on Sundays.

Church office hours

9:00am-2:00pm

Mondays -Thursdays.

Do you want your committee highlighted in CHIMES?
opportunity to get to know you or your committee on any page, in any size!

cpceditor@sbcglobal.net.

If you have no internet access,
use Karen Perko's mailbox in Fellowship Hall.

Do you have a Praise you'd like to share?
If so...feel free to contact Karen Perko at cpceditor@sbcglobal.net
on, or before August 20th for the September Issue.

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CPC Financial Update 2011 Operating Budget

<u>Month</u>	<u>Actual Income</u>	<u>Actual Expenses</u>	<u>(Income – Expenses)</u>
Jan-June	\$116,421.20	\$123,292.03	(\$6,870.83)

Reserve as of Jan 1 \$5,953.59
Operating Fund Balance (\$ 917.24)



