

# Welcome to Christ Presbyterian Church of New Haven!

**As a church committed** to Greater New Haven, we hope to serve and reach both downtown New Haven and the surrounding edge towns. We believe that the gospel transcends all ethnic, social, and demographic boundaries. We are ambitious for the glory of God and aim to extend a Christ-centered gospel throughout Greater New Haven.



**We want to connect with you** so please take the time to fill out a Welcome Card located in the pews and place it in the offering basket or return it to the Welcome Table. You may also include a prayer request on the reverse side. Your requests are prayed for during the week. Also, visit the Welcome Table for a Welcome Brochure!



**We value families worshipping together** and welcome children of all ages to join us in worship at their parents' discretion (see the booklet "Together in God's Presence" at the children's ministry table). Childcare is available for parents who wish to take advantage of it. Look for this icon in the bulletin to know when to drop off and pick up your children. Supplementary children's sermon material is available in the foyer.



**When parking on Sundays** please reserve our parking lot for visitors, parents with small children, and those who need to park closer. Two Yale parking lots north of the church on Whitney Ave. are available to us also. Lot 16: Gibbs Lab at Whitney Ave. and Humphrey St., and the Whitney Ave. Garage located behind 221 Whitney Ave. For safety, exit our lot on the Bradley St. side only.



**We highly recommend that you participate** bodily in worship, however, when necessity or mercy requires, you may access a live stream video of our full service at [cpcnewhaven.org/live](http://cpcnewhaven.org/live). You may also view a recorded version or listen to our sermons at [podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org](http://podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org). We do believe that there is a mystical communion of Christ in heaven with the body of Christ on earth by the Holy Spirit when you participate in person in worship.

# *Drawing Near To God*

As we enter into a service carefully patterned after the logic of the gospel and the ancient temple worship, we are invited into communion with God in Christ through his Holy Spirit. We will participate in the movements of worship—which are illustrated in Revelation 4-5—as we praise God for who he is, fall to our knees as unworthy to be in his presence, receive the free reconciliation accomplished in Christ, and sing a “new” song. We are all personally invited to meet him as the Savior of sinners and gracious King of heaven and earth.

*After this I looked, and behold, a door standing open in heaven! Revelation 4:1*

# I. Rediscovering God's Glory

God's desire initiates an invitation into his presence. Through worship, we rediscover the holy otherness of God in his glory revealed through creation and salvation.

*And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, "Come up here...At once I was in the Spirit, and behold, a throne stood in heaven, with one seated on the throne....And around the throne, on each side of the throne, are four living creatures...and day and night they never cease to say, "Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!"*  
Revelation 4:1-2, 6-8

## A PRAYER OF GOD'S PRESENCE

### CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 47:1-7

Leader: Clap your hands, all you peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy!

**People: For the Lord Most High, is to be feared, a great king over all the earth.**

Leader: He subdued the peoples under us, and the nations under our feet.

**People: He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom He loves.**

Leader: God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.

**People: Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises!**

Leader: For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!

## **HOLY, HOLY, HOLY (#100)**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!  
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.  
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! All the saints adore thee,  
Casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,  
Who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Though the darkness hide thee,  
Though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,  
Only thou art holy; there is none beside thee  
Perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.**

**Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!  
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.  
Holy, Holy, Holy! Merciful and mighty!  
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!**

*In a word or a phrase, lift up praises to the living God.*

# II. Rediscovering God's Grace

Entering God's presence naturally leads us to face our sin, yet in Christ we do so both mournfully and courageously, with the knowledge that his abundant mercy awaits. God makes it safe to be honest, real, and transparent about our moral failures and brokenness because we have nothing to prove or hide in Christ.

*Then I saw in the right hand of him who was seated on the throne a scroll written within and on the back, sealed with seven seals... "Who is worthy to open the scroll and break its seals?" And no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth was able to open the scroll or to look into it, and I began to weep loudly because no one was found worthy to open the scroll or to look into it. And one of the elders said to me, "Weep no more; behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has conquered, so that he can open the scroll and its seven seals." Revelation 5:1-5*

## **JESUS, I COME**

**Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.  
Into Thy freedom, gladness, and light, Jesus, I come to thee,  
Out of my sickness into Thy health,  
Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth,  
Out of my sin and into Thyself, Jesus, I come to Thee.**

**Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.  
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross, Jesus, I come to Thee.  
Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm,  
Out of life's storms and into Thy calm,  
Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to Thee.**

**Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.  
Into Thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to Thee.  
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love,  
Out of despair into raptures above,  
Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to Thee.**

**Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come.  
Into the joy and light of Thy home, Jesus, I come to Thee.  
Out of the depths of ruin untold,  
Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold,  
Ever Thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to Thee.**

## CONFESSION OF SIN

*Participants may kneel or lean forward.*

Leader: Let us confess our sins to God, our Father.

**People: Our Covenant-keeping Lord, we sadly confess that we have not faithfully obeyed your voice, nor have we been careful to do all your commandments that you command us. We confess that because of our sin against you as our Creator we rightly deserve death. We even confess that whatever miseries we endure in this life are but the foreshadowing of even greater miseries that await those who reject Christ. Oh God, we beg your mercy, we plead for your forgiveness as is offered to us in the obedience of Christ in our place and received by faith alone!** (Adapted from Deuteronomy 28)

*In a word or short phrase, you may share a confession to God quietly or out loud, as directed.*

## ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

"Then I called on the name of the Lord: O Lord, I pray, save my life. Gracious is the Lord, and righteous, our God is merciful." (Psalm 116:4-5)

## **THERE IS A FOUNTAIN FILLED WITH BLOOD**

**There is a fountain filled with blood drawn from Immanuel's veins.  
And sinners plunged beneath that flood lose all their guilty stains.**

**Lose all their guilty stains, lose all their guilty stains.  
And sinners plunged beneath that flood,  
Lose all their guilty stains.**

**The dying thief rejoiced to see that fountain in his day.  
And there may I though vile as he wash all my sins away.**

**Wash all my sins away, wash all my sins away.  
And there may I though vile as he,  
Wash all my sins away.**

**Dear dying Lamb thy precious blood shall never lose its power.  
Till all the ransomed Church of God be saved to sin no more.**

**Be saved to sin no more, be saved to sin no more.  
Till all the ransomed Church of God,  
Be saved to sin no more.**

**E'er since by faith I saw the stream thy flowing wounds supply.  
Redeeming love has been my theme and shall be till I die.**

**And shall be till I die, and shall be till I die.  
Redeeming love has been my theme,  
And shall be till I die.**

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*If so desired, now is a good time for children to leave for childcare.*

# III. *Renewal in Christ's Word*

The preaching of the Word of God is the Word of God, wherein it becomes the very Word of God proclaimed and received by the illumination of the Holy Spirit to believers. This is not a lecture based on a dead letter, or a self-help talk, but an encounter with the living God in the flesh of his people.

*And between the throne and the four living creatures and among the elders I saw a Lamb standing, as though it had been slain, And he went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who was seated on the throne. And when he had taken the scroll, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb, each holding a harp, and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints. And they sang a new song...*  
Revelation 5:6-9

Old Testament: Deuteronomy 24:17-22

New Testament: John 8:21-36

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

**People: Thanks be to God.**



“Finding the Freedom We All Seek”

Rev. Craig Luekens

John 8:21-36

<sup>21</sup> So he said to them again, “I am going away, and you will seek me, and you will die in your sin. Where I am going, you cannot come.” <sup>22</sup> So the Jews said, “Will he kill himself, since he says, ‘Where I am going, you cannot come?’” <sup>23</sup> He said to them, “You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world. <sup>24</sup> I told you that you would die in your sins, for unless you believe that I am he you will die in your sins.” <sup>25</sup> So they said to him, “Who are you?” Jesus said to them, “Just what I have been telling you from the beginning. <sup>26</sup> I have much to say about you and much to judge, but he who sent me is true, and I declare to the world what I have heard from him.” <sup>27</sup> They did not understand that he had been speaking to them about the Father. <sup>28</sup> So Jesus said to them, “When you have lifted up the Son of Man, then you will know that I am he, and that I do nothing on my own authority, but speak just as the Father taught me. <sup>29</sup> And he who sent me is with me. He has not left me alone, for I always do the things that are pleasing to him.” <sup>30</sup> As he was saying these things, many believed in him.

<sup>31</sup> So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, <sup>32</sup> and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” <sup>33</sup> They answered him, “We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, ‘You will become free?’”

<sup>34</sup> Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who practices sin is a slave to sin. <sup>35</sup> The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. <sup>36</sup> So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

## SERMON NOTES

Text SERMONQUESTION to 860-467-0010 and follow the prompts to submit your question, then the pastor will be in touch this week and will have a chance to engage with it during our weekly Sermon Discussion. You may also view a recorded version of the service or subscribe to our podcasts at [podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org](https://podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org).

For families worshipping with young children, supplementary children's sermon material is available in the pews and in the foyer.

## MEDITATION

# IV. *Renewal in Christ's Presence*

In the Covenant Meal, we both remember the sacrificial life of Christ's atonement and partake of Christ's ascended presence by the Holy Spirit, wherein no extent of space separates us from the life-giving power of God. All Christians being united to Christ are united to each other in love and have communion in each other's gifts and graces.

*...for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God  
from every tribe and language and people and nation.  
Revelation 5:9b*



*During this time parents may retrieve their children to join them for worship. You may proceed directly to your seat from the nursery.*

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers and sisters dwell in unity!  
(Psalm 133:1)

## COLLECTION AND PRAYERS:

*If you have a personal prayer request that you would like to be shared with the congregation in a weekly email, please submit them using the prayer request cards and place them in the offering basket as it is passed, or the basket located in the back of the sanctuary.*

*You may virtually submit a prayer request or give toward the collection at [cpcnewhaven.org/live](http://cpcnewhaven.org/live). Or text GIVE or PRAY to 860-467-0010.*

## INTERCESSORY PRAYER

### GLORIA PATRI

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost  
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be  
World without end  
Amen. Amen.**

## CONFESSION OF FAITH

Leader: Christians, what do you believe?

**People: I believe that God, because of Christ's atonement, will never hold against me any of my sins nor my sinful nature which I need to struggle against all my life. Rather in his grace God grants me the righteousness of Christ to free me forever from judgment. I am a member of Christ by faith, and thus partake of his anointing. He is ordained of God the Father, and anointed with the Holy Ghost, to be our chief Prophet and Teacher, who has fully revealed to us the secret counsel and will of God concerning our redemption; and to be our only High Priest, who by the one sacrifice of his body, has redeemed us, and makes continual intercession with the Father for us; and also to be our eternal King, who governs us by his word and Spirit, and who defends and preserves us in that salvation, he has purchased for us.** (Heidelberg Catechism Questions 56, 31, 32)

## PARTAKING OF THE ELEMENTS TOGETHER

Leader: Christ our Passover has been sacrificed for us.

**People: Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

## COMING FORWARD TO RECEIVE COMMUNION

*All Christians are invited to come forward to receive Christ's presence of bread and wine.*

*We serve wine in the Lord's Supper, believing it to be the Biblical element used. We provide grape juice for those who, out of conscience or reasons of health, do not partake of wine. Grape juice is in the outer rim. The communion bread is gluten free. (Pre-sealed elements of juice and wafer are also available.)*

## PRAYERS FOR THOSE NOT COMMUNING

Prayer for those searching: Oh God, I am discovering that the more I have, the more I need to have, the more I am loved, the more I need to be loved, the more I achieve, the more I need to achieve. Nothing seems to satisfy me. "Nothing tastes." Could it be, as someone once said, that "Our hearts are restless until they find their rest in thee." Dear God, if this is true, and if as the Bible teaches there is life and life eternal in Christ alone, please guide me to Him. Open me to the reality of the One who alone can satisfy my restless heart. Give me the courage to believe that which I cannot see but can understand, feel and touch through the Word, sacraments and church family. Lord I want to believe, please help me in my unbelief! Amen.

Prayer for belief: Lord God, I now see that I am weaker and more flawed than I ever before believed, but in Christ, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. Even as I have not loved You or my neighbor with all of my heart, You have shown Your love for me in that while I am still sinning, Christ died for me and took upon Himself the condemnation that I deserve. I now know that You owe me nothing for my efforts, but You offer acceptance, love and blessing into all eternity because

of Christ's efforts on my behalf. I therefore ask that You would enable me to turn away from trusting in my own efforts to gain Your acceptance and forgiveness, and trust in the perfectly righteous efforts of Christ on my behalf in order to be accepted by You and entered into Your holy family. And just as You raised Christ from the dead, so too I ask that You would give me a new life in Christ, one that will lead eventually to Heaven itself. Thank you for Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit to believe in Him alone for my salvation. And as You have called us to follow You in baptism and in a life of committed discipleship in Your church, grant that I may take the necessary steps to be one with Your people, and live in the fullness of Your Spirit. Amen.

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: "I urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace."  
(Ephesians 4:1-3)

The peace of the Lord be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

# V. Restored In Christ's Supremacy

From the throne of heaven, God's power and grace is with us. In reverence and awe, we worship an exalted King and receive a kingdom that cannot be shaken, going forth in his immeasurable power working within us.

*...and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God, and they shall reign on the earth. Then I looked, and I heard around the throne and the living creatures... numbering myriads of myriads... saying with a loud voice, "Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying, "To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"*

*Revelation 5:10-13*

## **ALL GLORY BE TO CHRIST**

**Should nothing of our efforts stand, no legacy survive  
Unless the Lord does raise the house in vain its builders strive  
To you who boast tomorrow's gain, tell me what is your life  
A mist that vanishes at dawn, all glory be to Christ  
All glory be to Christ our king  
All glory be to Christ  
His rule and reign we'll ever sing  
All glory be to Christ**

**His will be done His kingdom come, on earth as is above  
Who is Himself our daily bread, praise Him the Lord of love  
Let living water satisfy the thirsty without price  
We'll take a cup of kindness yet, all glory be to Christ  
Chorus**

**When on the day the great I Am  
The faithful and the true  
The Lamb who was for sinners slain  
Is making all things new  
Behold our God shall live with us  
And be our steadfast light  
And we shall e're his people be  
All glory be to Christ  
Chorus**

## BENEDICTION

“Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in you that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever.” Amen.

(Hebrews 13:20-21)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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# HIGHLIGHTS

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## **HAPPY NEW YEAR**

We wish you all a Happy New Year - enjoy the Lord's day!

## **NEW HERE?**

**Say hi!** We'd love to get to know you. Fill out a Welcome Card from the pew and return it to the Welcome Bar in the foyer, and pick up a gift just for you!

## **NEXT WEEKEND**

- **Decor Take-Down | Saturday 1/7 | 9am:** Come help take down our holiday decor; if you missed the setup this is a great opportunity to contribute this season.
- **Full Sunday Schedule Resumes | Sunday 1/8:**
  - 8:30am | **Prayer** | Meets in the Parlor.
  - 9:30am | **Sunday Studies and Sunday School** | Children meet in their classrooms. Adults meet in the Fellowship Hall for a two week convocation on fasting, which will launch a season of prayer and fasting for our senior pastor search.
  - 12:00pm | **Fellowship Lunch** | Meets in the Fellowship Hall.

## **UPDATE TO NURSERY AND MOTHER'S NURSING ROOM**

On Sundays during worship we're excited to announce that we now have a live audio stream to the nursery for our volunteers and kids to listen along. The Parlor, utilized as our private mother's nursing room, is also available during worship with a live video stream of the service. Please make use of this room as you'd like!



# GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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**HOMELESS DRIVE:** This Sunday is the last to bring in items for our homeless drive. Items needed include: blankets, sleeping bags, hats, gloves, coats, socks, boots, tents, backpacks/duffle bags, toiletries, non non-perishable food items. Please wash any used items and leave them in the box labeled "Homeless Drive" in the coat closet or foyer. All items will be delivered to the Cornell Scott - Hill Health Center Homeless team who will distribute them to those in need. "Is it not to share your bread with the hungry and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover him, and not to hide yourself from your own flesh? Then shall your light break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up speedily; your righteousness shall go before you; the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard" Isaiah 58:7-8. Contact Anna with any questions (asgraham07@gmail.com).

**CONNECT BOARD:** This holiday season go to [connect.cpcnewhaven.org](http://connect.cpcnewhaven.org) to share an event or invitation with the whole congregation, and/or post it on the physical board in the foyer. Click the "Get Notified" button to join the group via CCB (Church Community Builder) and receive weekly email notifications and to send new event details out in real time. Questions? Email Colleen (c.mccormack418@gmail.com).



**LIFE GROUPS:** If you haven't found one yet, text LIFEGROUPS to 860-467-0010 or see a list in the foyer. Life groups are authentic and small gatherings where we experience and share Christ.

## BRIDGES OF HOPE SERVING OPPORTUNITIES

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**MENTORS NEEDED:** BOH could use a few more mentors on Thursday evenings to serve with the mentoring program. If you are interested, please email [kathy.jennings@bridgesnewhaven.org](mailto:kathy.jennings@bridgesnewhaven.org) or fill out an initial application on the website ([bridgesnewhaven.org/mentoring](http://bridgesnewhaven.org/mentoring)).

**WARMING CENTER:** Varick Memorial AME Zion Church is hosting a warming center this winter and could use meals for about 20-30 people (a pot of chili, a pasta dish, a hearty soup, or even something like a sandwich platter from Subway or a pan of mac & cheese) to be dropped off at 242 Dixwell Ave. around 7:30/8pm nightly from 12/11 - 1/21. Sign up by contacting Charmain Yun at [charmain.yun@yale.edu](mailto:charmain.yun@yale.edu) or with the link in the CPC weekly email.

# NEW HERE?

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1. **Text NEWHERE to 860-467-0010 or Submit a Welcome Card!** We would love to connect with you, please take the time to fill out a Welcome Card located in the pews and place it in the offering basket (at the back of the Sanctuary or when it's passed) or return it to the Welcome Bar in the foyer. Or you can text NEWHERE to 860-467-0010 to connect.
2. **Check Out a Life Group!** See the inside front cover of this bulletin for a list of all of our Life Groups. If you would like help discerning which group may be a good fit, contact Pastor Craig Luekens ([craig.luekens@cpcnewhaven.org](mailto:craig.luekens@cpcnewhaven.org)). Or you can text LIFEGROUPS to 860-467-0010
3. **Learn about Membership!** We consider the church an essential element of the gospel, so joining CPC as a member is a way to truly join the body of Christ, in all its blessings and with all its flaws! Before joining, you'll listen to an online membership seminar, meet with a pastor, and discuss how you've come to know Christ with the Shepherd Leaders. Contact Annie McHugh ([annie.mchugh@cpcnewhaven.org](mailto:annie.mchugh@cpcnewhaven.org)) to begin the process.

# ONGOING WEEKLY

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**RESUMES 1/8/23 | Sundays at 8:30am | Prayer:** Come at 8:30am and join us for prayer in the Parlor before Sunday School starts at 9:30am. All are welcome to join!

**RESUMES 1/8/23 | Sundays at 9:30am | Sunday School:** 9:30am before worship, adults meet in the Fellowship Hall for a two week convocation on fasting, children in assigned classrooms.

**RESUMES 1/8/23 | Sundays at 12:00pm | Fellowship Lunch:** Join us weekly for a meal!

**Various Times | Pastoral Counseling Available:** Would you like to speak one-on-one with a CPC pastor? We desire to connect the truths of scripture to the realities of life, whether you are going through suffering or just need wisdom. Sign-up confidentially at [cpcnewhaven.org/pastoral-counseling](http://cpcnewhaven.org/pastoral-counseling) or text PASTORCONSULT to 860-467-0010.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

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*All 2022-2023 events can be found at [cpcnewhaven.org/events](http://cpcnewhaven.org/events).*

January 7 | **Decor Take Down** | 9am | CPC Building and Grounds

Come help take down our holiday decor; if you missed the setup this is a great opportunity to contribute this season.

January 8 | **Full Sunday Schedule Resumes** | See the “Ongoing Weekly” Section for Details

June 16-18 2023 | **CPC’s 30th Anniversary Celebration Weekend** | Save the Date!

June 26-30 2023 | **Impact Week** | Save the Date! | Join CPC for a week of service to our city.

## CPC ONLINE

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**Subscribe to CPC Podcasts:** Listen to our School of Discipleship classes, the Sunday Sermon, Compline Homilies, Smokin’ Theologians, and other inspiring conversations with our pastors. Visit [podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org](http://podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org) or subscribe wherever you listen.



**Receive Our Weekly Newsletter:** Go to [cpcnewhaven.org](http://cpcnewhaven.org) and select “Newsletter Sign-Up” on the home page. Our weekly newsletter goes out on Friday mornings with Sunday Service information, highlights, upcoming events, and useful links.



**Sing at Home with Our YouTube Playlist:** Enjoy the songs we regularly sing at CPC from home with our YouTube playlist. Visit [youtube.com/c/CPCNewHaven](https://youtube.com/c/CPCNewHaven) and select “Playlists” to find it (it’s called “CPC Sunday Morning Music”).



## KEYWORDS TO TEXT CPC AT: 860-467-0010

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- **PRAY** | Submit prayers to be prayed for weekly by staff and sent out to the congregation.
- **PASTORCONSULT** | Meet with a pastor for anything from spiritual issues to membership.
- **SERMONQUESTION** | Send the pastors your sermon questions and they’ll respond.
- **GIVE** | Set up an account to be able to give solely through interactions in your text app.
- **NEWHERE** | Send us your info to join our mailing lists and get connected.
- **LIFEGROUPS** | Find a group and reach out to join.

# MINISTRY GROUPS

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**Youth | Sunday School and One-on-One Discipleship:** Youth ministry at CPC takes place primarily through our Sunday School lessons and one-on-one discipleship with youth pastor Jerry Ornelas. Special events and seasonal activities will also happen throughout the year. Contact: [Jerry.Ornelas@cpcnewhaven.org](mailto:Jerry.Ornelas@cpcnewhaven.org)

**College Students |** Our weekly group has wrapped for the first semester. To get involved and connect, contact Pastor Craig ([Craig.Luekens@cpcnewhaven.org](mailto:Craig.Luekens@cpcnewhaven.org))

**Graduate Students |** We've changed our weekly plan to several different options. If interested in Graduate student ministry, please contact Pastor Craig ([Craig.Luekens@cpcnewhaven.org](mailto:Craig.Luekens@cpcnewhaven.org)).

# LIFE GROUPS

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## **Downtown New Haven Life Group**

Contact: Tyler Rice | [tylerarice@gmail.com](mailto:tylerarice@gmail.com)

Meets: Weekly on Thursdays at 7:30pm, location varies from week to week.

## **Hamden Cheshire Life Group**

Contact: Julie Walker | [walkerfj@comcast.net](mailto:walkerfj@comcast.net)

Meets: 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 2pm at different members' homes.

## **East Rock Life Group**

Contact: Kaitlyn Jessee | [kaijessee@gmail.com](mailto:kaijessee@gmail.com)

Meets: 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month, either mid or late afternoon.

## **Shoreline Saturday Life Group (Madison)**

Contact: Lisa Tweed | [blueprintlearns@gmail.com](mailto:blueprintlearns@gmail.com)

Meets: 2nd Saturday of each month from 4:30pm-7:30pm.

## **Shoreline Sunday Life Group (Guilford)**

Contact: Peggy Kebabian | [kebabianp@gmail.com](mailto:kebabianp@gmail.com)

Meets: Twice monthly, 2nd Wed. at 7:30pm via Zoom, and the 4th Sun. at 1pm in person.

## **Trumbull Life Group**

Contact: Stacy Roney | [mrsprofdoc@icloud.com](mailto:mrsprofdoc@icloud.com)

Meets: Twice monthly, once on the 2nd Saturday at 6pm, and another time for a joint activity.

## **West Side Life Group (Woodbridge/Westville)**

Contact: Miranda Healy | [mirandajrtn8@gmail.com](mailto:mirandajrtn8@gmail.com)

Meets: 2nd Sunday of each month at 4pm