# 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 worshiping 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. Handicap parking signs are posted at the first two spots on the side parking lot closest to our front entrance. Two Yale parking lots north of the church on Whitney Ave. are also available to us - 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. You may also view a recorded version or listen to our sermons at 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

# 1. 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 66:1-5

Leader: Shout for joy to God, all the earth;

People: Sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!

Leader: Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that

your enemies come cringing to you.

People: All the earth worships you and sings praises to you; they sing praises

to your name."

Leader: Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward

the children of man.

People: Shout for joy to God, all the earth.

#### ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING (#115)

All creatures of our God and King, lift up your voice and with us sing, alleluia, alleluia! Thou burning sun with golden beam, thou silver moon with softer gleam,

O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Thou rushing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in heav'n along, O praise him, alleluia!
Thou rising moon in praise rejoice, ye lights of evening, find a voice,

O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia,

Thou flowing water, pure and clear, make music for thy Lord to hear, alleluia, alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright,
That givest man both warmth and light,

Refrain

And all ye men of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part,
O sing ye, alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
praise God and on him cast your care,

Refrain

Let all things their Creator bless, and worship him in humbleness, O praise him, alleluia! Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son, and praise the Spirit, three in one,

Refrain

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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

GIVE PEACE, O GOD, GIVE PEACE

O God of love, O King of peace, make wars throughout the world to cease; the wrath of sinful man restrain; give peace, O God, give peace again.

Remember, Lord, your works of old, the wonders that our fathers told; remember not our sin's dark stain; give peace, O God, give peace again.

Whom shall we trust, but you, O Lord? Where rest but on your faithful Word? None ever called on you in vain; give peace, O God, give peace again.

Where saints and angels dwell above, all hearts are knit in holy love;
O bind us in that heav'nly chain;
give peace, O God, give peace again.

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#### COME TO ME

Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. (repeat)

Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart.

Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, you will find rest for your souls.

You will find rest for your souls.

(repeat)

For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light. (repeat)

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#### **CONFESSION OF SIN**

Participants may kneel or lean forward.

Leader: Father, forgive our sins. Forgive the sins that we remember, and the sins

we have forgotten.

People: Forgive our many failures in the face of temptation, and those times

when we have been stubborn in the face of correction.

Leader: Forgive the times we have been boastful of our own achievements and

those when we have failed to boast in your works.

People: Forgive the harsh judgments we have made of others, and the

leniency we have shown ourselves.

Leader: Forgive the lies we have told to others, and the truths we have avoided.

People: Forgive us the pain we have caused others and the indulgence we

have shown ourselves. Have mercy on us and make us whole in

Christ who is our only hope. Amen.

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

#### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

"But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life." (Titus 3:4-7)

#### IN CHRIST ALONE

In Christ alone my hope is found, he is my light, my strength, my song; this cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease!

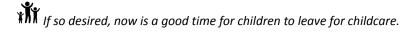
My Comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe. This gift of love and righteousness, scorned by the ones he came to save. 'Till on that cross, as Jesus died, the wrath of God was satisfied; for every sin on him was laid, here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay, light of the world by darkness slain; then bursting forth in glorious day up from the grave he rose again! And as he stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me, for I am his and he is mine, bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me; from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man, can ever pluck me from his hand; till he returns or calls me home, here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

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### 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: Psalm 110:1-4
New Testament: Ephesians 1:15-23

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord!

People: Thanks be to God.

**MFDITATION** 

"Do You Experience the Power of God?
Prayer, the Church, and God's Immeasurable Greatness"
Rev. Craig Luekens
Ephesians 1:15-23

<sup>15</sup> For this reason, because I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, <sup>16</sup> I do not cease to give thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers, <sup>17</sup> that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and of revelation in the knowledge of him, <sup>18</sup> having the eyes of your hearts enlightened, that you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance in the saints, <sup>19</sup> and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe, according to the working of his great might <sup>20</sup> that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, <sup>21</sup> far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come. <sup>22</sup> And he put all things under his feet and gave him as head over all things to the church, <sup>23</sup> which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

SERMON NOTES
Text SERMONQUESTION to 860-467-0010 and follow the prompts to submit your question. The pastor will be in touch this week and will have a chance to engage with it during our weekly podcast "Beyond the Sunday Sermon." You may also view a recorded version of the service or subscribe to our podcasts at podcasts.cpcnewhaven.org.
For families worshiping 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. Or text GIVE or PRAY to 860-467-0010.

#### INTERCESSORY PRAYER

#### GLORIA PATRI (#735)

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 the eternal Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who out of nothing created heaven and earth and everything in them, who still upholds and rules them by his eternal counsel and providence, is

my God and Father because of Christ his Son.

I believe that Jesus is the Son of God and saves us from our sins even as salvation cannot be found in anyone else; it is futile to look for any salvation elsewhere.

I believe that the Holy Spirit is eternal God and that he has been given to me personally, so that, by true faith, he makes me share in Christ and all his blessings, comforts me, and remains with me forever.

(Selections from Heidelberg Catechism)

#### 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 baptized Christians who have professed faith are invited to come forward to receive Christ's body and blood by the Holy Spirit.

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

<u>Prayer for those searching:</u> 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. <u>Prayer for belief:</u> 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.

#### BREAD OF THE WORLD IN MERCY BROKEN

Bread of the world, in mercy broken, wine of the soul in mercy shed by whom the words of life were spoken, and in whose death our sins are dead.

Look on the heart by sorrow broken, look on the tears by sinners shed; and be thy feast to us the token, that by thy grace our souls are fed.

Have mercy, have mercy, have mercy on us. (repeat)
Here is mercy, here is mercy, here is mercy for us. (repeat)

So let us come to the feast of Jesus, let us eat of the Bread of Life.
Let us drink of the wine, his blood.
To talk and dine with Jesus Christ. (repeat)

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#### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

#### 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 gentleness, with 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

#### RISING SUN

Praise him all you sinners; sing, oh sing, you weary; oh, praise him all you children of God.

We lift high his glory shown throughout our stories; we praise him as the children of God.

Our great Redeemer, glorious Savior, your name is higher than the rising sun; Light of the morning, you shine forever; your name is higher than the rising sun; your name is higher than the rising sun.

Praise his name forever; speak it loud and clear now; oh praise him all you children of God.

Chorus

Hallelujah, name above all, simply to speak your name is praise. Hallelujah, now and always, forever we lift your name in praise. Hallelujah, our God you reign, simply to speak your name is praise, oh.

Chorus

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#### **BENEDICTION**

"Now may our God and Father himself, and our Lord Jesus, make you increase and abound in love for one another and for all, as we do for you, so that he may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints." (I Thessalonians 3:11-13)

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

#### **NEWCOMER LUNCH TODAY**

After worship, join us in the Lecture Room to learn more about CPC, meet some of our leadership teams, and give us a chance to get to know YOU! Lunch will be available in the Lecture Room.

#### BREAKFAST TAILGATE HOSTED BY 20/30s (YALE vs. HARVARD) 11/18

All are welcome to join us for a breakfast tailgate at 10AM at 52 Roger Road, New Haven, followed by the Yale/Harvard football game. Feel free to tailgate longer if you don't wish to attend the game. Tickets are available online. Contact Josh S. with any questions: joshuatsanders@yahoo.com.

#### **THANKSGIVING**

**IN-HOME FELLOWSHIP MEALS:** Staying local for Thanksgiving? Come celebrate with your brothers and sisters in Christ! As we've done in the past, we're coordinating Hosts & Guests to have a Thanksgiving meal together on November 23. If you're interested, please email admin@cpcnewhaven.org or fill out at the form via the QR code to the right.



**BOH THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE:** Help us collect non-perishable foods (ex., cornbread mix, canned yams, stuffing mix) for families in our communities this Thanksgiving. Place your non-perishable food donations in the labeled collection bin next to the homeless drive bin in the foyer by **November 16**, after which they will be distributed by Bridges of Hope to local families.

#### **CHRISTMAS**

HILL CHRISTMAS STORE - DONATE BY 12/3: Please join us in sharing our 11th year of Christmas joy with some wonderful families from New Haven's Hill community. Take an ornament from the Christmas tree in the CPC foyer and return it with an unwrapped gift valued at \$15 or more for a child in the designated category (e.g., "Girl, 9-14"). In the spirit of empowerment, your gift will in turn be bought at a very reduced price by families in the Hill at the store on Dec. 9.

**LESSONS & CAROLS - Friday Dec. 8, 6pm**: Save the Date for our annual service as we anticipate and celebrate the coming of Christ.

#### NEW HERE?

**Text NEWHERE to 860-467-0010 or Submit a Welcome Card!** We would love to connect with you. Please 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.

**Check Out a Small Group!** Our Life Groups and Discipleship Groups are listed at the end of this bulletin. If you would like help discerning which group may be a good fit, contact Pastor Craig Luekens (craig.luekens@cpcnewhaven.org). Or text SMALLGROUPS to 860-467-0010.

**Learn about Membership!** We consider the church an essential element of the gospel and membership as a way to truly join the body of Christ, in all its blessings and with all its flaws! Before joining, you'll meet one-on-one with a pastor and discuss how you've come to know Christ with the Shepherd Leaders. Contact admin@cpcnewhaven.org to start the process.

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

- 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.
- SMALLGROUPS | Find a group and reach out to join.
- CONNECT | Visit our online Connect Board to host/share events or join one!

#### FVFNTS - SAVE THE DATE

All 2022-2023 events can be found at cpcnewhaven.org/events.

- 19 November | **YOUTH GATHERING** | 1-4PM | Adrenaline Rush, 709 Foxon Rd., East Haven Contact Jerry Ornelas: jerry.ornelas@cpcnewhaven.org.
- 2 December | WORK DAY AND DECOR SET UP | 9AM-12PM | CPC Grounds and Building
- 8 December | LESSONS & CAROLS | 6PM | CPC Sanctuary
- 09-10 February 2024 | **MEN'S RETREAT** | Silver Lake Sharon, CT All men are invited for an overnight retreat of fellowship, teaching, fun, and prayer.

#### GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **NEXT SUNDAY FULL SUNDAY SCHEDULE CONTINUES**

8:30am: Prayer in the Parlor

• 9:30am: Children's Sunday School

9:30am: Adults in Fellowship Hall, "What We Believe: Knowing & Loving our Doctrines"

10:30am: Worship Service12:00pm: Fellowship Lunch

**HYMN SING:** Join us next Sunday, November 19th, during lunch for a good old fashioned hymn sing - pick up a hymnal and call out a favorite to sing! Singing begins at approximately 12:15pm.

WANTED: VOICES AND HANDS (and maybe feet): The music team would love to have you join us up front to help support the body of Christ in song on Sunday mornings and /or other special services throughout the year! If you are interested in a no-pressure opportunity to try it out and come make music with us please consider joining us at one of our monthly prep sessions on a Saturday afternoon (next one coming up THIS WEEK on Nov. 11) or just sit-in for a Sunday morning rehearsal, anytime. Contact Jennifer at the piano (or jennifer@cpcnewhaven.org) with any questions or if you are interested. (Anonymously volunteering other people you know is also acceptable!)

**HOMELESS DRIVE NOW THROUGH JAN 2024:** We will be collecting items for those experiencing homelessness in the greater New Haven area through January 2024. Items needed: blankets, sleeping bags, hats, gloves, coats, socks, boots, tents, backpacks/duffle bags, toiletries, underwear, hand warmers. *Please wash any used items and leave them in the "Homeless Drive" bin in the foyer.* All items will be delivered to the CSHHC Homeless team and distributed to those in need. Contact Anna: asgraham07@gmail.com.

DROP-IN TIME WITH PASTOR CRAIG: Fridays from 7am-10am, anyone is invited to come to Craig's office, 2nd floor of the old building (you may ring the Bradley St. doorbell), for a casual time of discussion, Q&A, prayer, coffee, tea, really whatever you want to make it! Wondering what God is doing in a certain part of your life? Let's wonder together! Are you reading *Emotionally Healthy Spirituality*? Let's discuss! Have a tricky situation at home or work? Let's discern best steps! Want to just chat about nothing in particular? Come on in! If you have a more private or formal need, you're always welcome to set up a separate time with Pastor Craig (craig.luekens@cpcnewhaven.org), but this is meant to be a space where anyone can drop in. Confirm that Craig is there on any given week on the calendar: cpcnewhaven.org/events.

#### CPC ONLINE

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**Receive Our Weekly Newsletter:** Go to **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. Visit **youtube.com/c/CPCNewHaven** and select "Playlists" to find our "CPC Sunday Morning Music" playlist.



#### MINISTRY GROUPS

**Youth** | Youth ministry takes place through our Sunday School and one-on-one discipleship with Pastor Jerry (Jerry.Ornelas@cpcnewhaven.org), along with seasonal activities.

College Students | We love students! Contact Pastor Jerry (jerry.ornelas@cpcnewhaven.org).

**Graduate Students** | We have several different weekly options. If interested in Graduate student ministry, please contact Pastor Craig (Craig.Luekens@cpcnewhaven.org).

#### DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS

**Discipleship Groups** focus on living and sharing the truth of the gospel through mutual accountability, study, and prayer. The very gospel that sets us free from the fear of divine and human condemnation is the same power that transforms our relationships, work, and worship.

- Men's TBD Schedule | David Taylor: david.taylor.finance@gmail.com
- Women's 1st and 3rd Mon. 7:30pm | Diane Miller: auntie.diane@comcast.net
- Mom's 2023 meetings: 11/29 and 12/12. 7PM-9PM. Contact Meg Bogue for location: mhbogue@yahoo.com
- Young at Heart (60+) 2nd and 4th Tue. 10:30am | Stacy Roney: mrsprofdoc@icloud.com

#### LIFE GROUPS

**Life Groups** are our way of doing church in the small with all sorts of people engaged in prayer, teaching, fellowship and care. They are the vehicle that we use to help its participants continue to experience Christ outside of our worship gatherings and to impart the pastoral care that Christ provides through the love of His people. Thus, the worship, teaching, fellowship, and care for one another supply a more intimate and hands-on encounter with the living Christ.

#### **Downtown New Haven Wednesday**

Contact: Colleen Rice | colleenmmrice@gmail.com

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

#### **Downtown New Haven Thursday**

Contact: Alicia Kebabian | akebabian@gmail.com

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

#### **Shoreline Saturday**

Contact: Cliff Bogue | clifford.bogue@me.com

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

#### **Trumbull Saturday**

Contact: Stacy Roney | mrsprofdoc@icloud.com

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

#### **East Rock Sunday**

Contact: Kaitlyn Jessee | kaijessee@gmail.com

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

#### **Hamden Cheshire Sunday**

Contact: Julie Walker | walkerfj@comcast.net

Meets: 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 2pm at different members' homes.

#### West Side (Woodbridge/Westville) Sunday

Contact: Miranda Healy | mirandajrdn8@gmail.com

Meets: 1st and 3rd Sundays of each month at 4:30pm at different members' homes.