

GEORGETOWN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

GEORGETOWN, DE 19947

November 22, 2026

10 a.m.

IN RESPONSIVE READINGS, THE LEADER READS LIGHT PRINT, WHILE THE ***CONGREGATION READS THE BOLD PRINT.***
****INDICATES THAT THE CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND IN BODY AND/OR SPIRIT.***

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS *REV. BARBARA MACFIE*

PRELUDE ***"IN CHRIST ALONE"***

***CALL TO WORSHIP** *THEO LAWRENCE, WORSHIP LEADER*

O come, let us sing to the Lord;

Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
For the Lord is a great God;
a great ruler over heaven and earth!

OPENING HYMN** ***"MAJESTY" *#43*

***CALL TO CONFESSION**

***PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord Jesus, Judge of the nations: We confess that we have not seen your face among our neighbors in need. We have not shared our food with the hungry; we have not offered clothes to the destitute or shelter to the homeless. We have not welcomed the stranger, nor have we visited prisoners. We have not paid attention to these, your sisters and brothers, and in our neglect we have failed to serve you. Lord, forgive us; open our eyes to recognize your beloved family, and give us the blessing of sincere repentance that we may know the joy of eternal life with you and all the saints in this world and in the world come. Amen.

***ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

PRAYER RESPONSE** ***"ILLUMINATION HYMN" *ON SCREEN*

FAITH SHARING WITH CHILDREN & YOUTH

HYMN ***"ALLELUIA, SING TO JESUS!"*** *#320*

SCRIPTURE READING ***PSALM 100*** *OT P. 522*

SCRIPTURE READING ***EPHESIANS 1:15-23*** *NT, P. 181*

SERMON *REV. BARBARA MACFIE*

"POWER OF PRAYER"

HYMN ***"BLESSED ASSURANCE"*** *#426*

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *OUR WORLD BELONGS TO GOD*

As followers of Jesus Christ, living in this world—which some seek to control, but which others view with despair—we declare with joy and trust: Our world belongs to God! From the beginning, through all the crises of our times, until his kingdom fully comes, God keeps covenant forever. Our world belongs to him! God is King! Let the earth be glad! Christ is Victor; his rule has begun. Hallelujah! The Spirit is at work, renewing creation. Praise the Lord! We rejoice in the goodness of God, renounce the works of darkness, and dedicate ourselves to holy living. As covenant partners, called to faithful obedience, and set free for joyful praise, we offer our hearts and lives to do God's work in his world. With tempered impatience, eager to see injustice ended, we expect the Day of the Lord. And we are confident that the light which shines in the present darkness will fill the earth when Christ appears. Come, Lord Jesus! Our world belongs to you.

JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

CALL FOR THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY ***"I SURRENDER ALL"***

OFFERTORY RESPONSE ***"ALLELUIA NO. 1"*** *#291*

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

***CLOSING HYMN** *#317*

"CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS"

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE ***"THE SOLID ROCK"***

Join us for Coffee with Friends after worship.

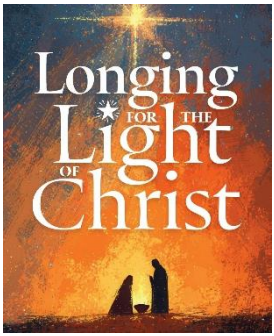
Thank you Sophia Allan for sharing your talent with us this morning!

White paraments with cross and crown symbol mark the celebration of Christ the King. At the conclusion of the Christian year, the church gives thanks and praise for the sovereignty of Christ, who is Lord of all creation and is coming again in glory to reign.

The Worship Team invites the Congregation to help decorate the Sanctuary for Advent after worship TODAY!

Please return your commitment cards as soon as you are able.

Advent Devotionals are available on the Welcome Table!



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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE LIFE OF OUR CONGREGATION?

Nov 22	Worship @ 10 a.m. *(Christ the King)* Thanksgiving Sunday *Coffee with Friends* after worship Committees Meet after worship ***Decorate Sanctuary for Advent***
Nov 29	Advent 1 -- Witnesses to the Light Worship @ 10 a.m. *Coffee with Friends* after worship
Dec 1	Shelter Opens through March 15
Dec 3	Chime Practice @ 10 a.m.
Dec 6	Advent 2 -- Witnesses to the Light Worship @ 10 a.m. *Coffee with Friends* after worship Session Meeting after worship
Dec 9	BCD Meets in Manse @ 2:30 p.m.
Dec 9	Carols of Many Nations @ 3:30 p.m. Princeton, New Jersey
Dec 10	Chime Practice @ 10 a.m.
Dec 13	Advent 3 -- Witnesses to the Light Worship @ 10 a.m. Minute for Mission Fellowship Hour after worship
Dec 17	Chime Practice @ 10 a.m.
Dec 20	Advent 4 -- Witnesses to the Light Worship @ 10 a.m. Minute for Mission *Coffee with Friends* after worship Session Meeting after worship
Dec 24	*Christmas Eve* 5 p.m. Children's Service 7:30 p.m. Candlelight & Communion Worship

Opportunities to WORSHIP

Continue your prayers for Georgetown Presbyterian Church, its leadership and the community at large.

11/22 *Reign of Christ* *Christ the King*	*Thanksgiving Worship at 10 a.m.* Sunday School/Nursery *Coffee with Friends* ***Decorate Sanctuary for Advent***
11/29	*First Sunday in Advent -- Witnesses to the Light* Worship @ 10 a.m. *Coffee with Friends* after worship
12/6	*Second Sunday in Advent -- Witnesses to the Light* Worship @ 10 a.m. – *Praise Sunday* *Coffee with Friends* after worship
12/13	*Third Sunday in Advent -- Witnesses to the Light* Worship @ 10 a.m. *Coffee with Friends* after worship
12/20	*Fourth Sunday in Advent -- Witnesses to the Light* Worship @ 10 a.m. *Coffee with Friends* after worship



Opportunities to SERVE

Food Cart

The following items are requested for the month of *November*:
Canned mixed vegetables, green beans, and fruit; beef or chicken ramen noodles and instant oatmeal

Redner's Save-A-Tape Program

Shoppers, place your Save-A-Tape receipts in the basket on the table in the entranceway. Remember, you must have a Redner's Reward Card to participate!

How Can I Help?

- Change message on outdoor sign
- Help change and update a Bulletin Board in hallways
- Bake or bring a small treat for *"Coffee with Friends"* one week – see Vicki Moore
- Sign up to be a:
    - Worship Leader
    - Greeter



Opportunities to GROW

Sunday School & Nursery

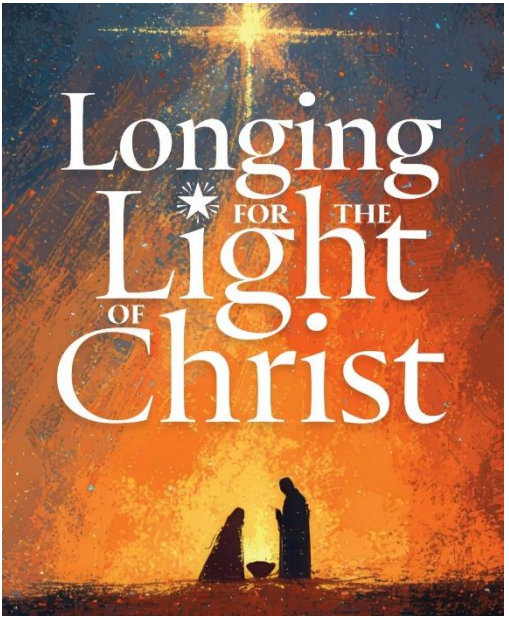
Sunday School & Nursery are available.

The Fruits of the Spirit



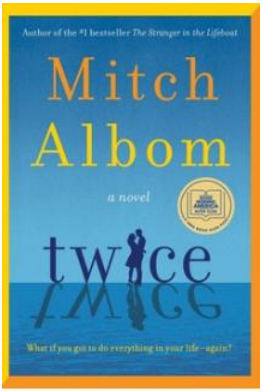
Advent Devotionals

The devotional "Longing for the Light of Christ" by Janet Schaeffler is now available on the Welcome Table!!



Opportunities to CONNECT

Books, Conversation & Dessert



Our Books, Conversation, and Dessert group meets the second Wednesday of each month. Our next gathering is December 9 from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the manse. We are reading "Twice" by Mitch Albom. Join us for Book Conversations and of course Dessert!



Nov 26	Diana Snyder Ethan Gulab		Nov 28	Xander Proseus Carolyn Green
Nov 27	Joseph Booth Kelley Short		Nov 29	Emil Schneider Nathan Wise



Dec 14	Ashley Joyner & Ted Proseus		Dec 14	Earnest & Jamila Gulab

JOIN THE SOUTHERN DELAWARE CHORALE AS WE CELEBRATE THE SEASON!



THE WOMEN'S CLUB OF MILTON DELAWARE PRESENTS . . .



If you are visiting with us– we are glad you're here!

We invite you to join us each Sunday morning at 10:00 for worship.

For information about opportunities to worship, connect, grow, and serve, or for joining our fellowship, please call the church office at (302) 856-6842.

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