



Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Morning Service: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.

Calaveras Presbyterian Church is currently meeting at the theater of Bret Harte High School, 323 S. Main St., Angels Camp, California. CPC is a congregation of the Reformed Presbyterian Church – Hanover Presbytery.

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HYMN OF THE MONTH: CHRIST, THE SURE AND STEADY ANCHOR

Christ, the sure and steady anchor, In the fury of the storm;
When the winds of doubt blow through me, And my sails have all been torn.
In the suffering, in the sorrow, When my sinking hopes are few;
I will hold fast to the anchor, It will never be removed.

REFRAIN: Christ, the shore of our salvation, Ever faithful, ever true!
We will hold fast to the anchor, It shall never be removed.

Christ, the sure and steady anchor, While the tempest rages on;
When temptation claims the battle, And it seems the night has won.
Deeper still then goes the anchor, Though I justly stand accused;
I will hold fast to the anchor, It shall never be removed. **(Refrain)**

Christ, the sure and steady anchor, Through the floods of unbelief;
Hopeless somehow, O my soul, now, Lift your eyes to Calvary.
This my ballast of assurance, See his love forever proved.
I will hold fast to the anchor, It will never be removed. **(Refrain)**

Christ, the sure and steady anchor, As we face the wave of death;
When these trials give way to glory, As we draw our final breath.
We will cross that great horizon, Clouds behind and life secure;
And the calm will be the better, For the storms that we endure. **(Refrain)**

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Calaveras Presbyterian Church



The Lord's Day, January 1, 2023 New Year's Day

To equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ....” — Ephesians 4:12-13

THE MORNING LITURGY

Announcements

Hymns of the Month: “Christ, the Sure and Steady Anchor” (see back page)

*God’s Call to Worship: Psalm 148

*Prayer of Invocation

*God’s Greeting: Isaiah 59:21

*Hymn of Praise: “Psalm 146” (see next page)

Reading and Exposition of the Law: Revelation 21:1-4; II Peter 3:1-13

**Corporate and Individual (Silent) Prayers of Confession

*God’s Assurance of Pardon: Revelation 22:17

*Response of the Congregation: “THANKS BE TO GOD.”

*Hymn of Thanksgiving: 81 – “O Love of God, How Strong and True”

Confession of Faith: Apostles Creed, WLC 36-37

Congregational Prayer

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offering Hymn: 432 vss. 1-2 – “We Give Thee but Thine Own”

*Hymn of Preparation: 347 – “The Church’s One Foundation”

Children’s Message

Scripture Lesson: Revelation 19

Prayer of Illumination

Proclamation of God’s Word: “Two Cities, Two Women, Two Feasts”

*Hymn of Response: 420 – “At the Lamb’s High Feast We Sing”

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

Hymn: 359 – “Blest Be the Tie That Binds” (Diaconal Offering)

*Charge to the Congregation

*God’s Benediction

*Doxology: 731 – “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**CONGREGATION STANDING **IF ABLE AND SO INCLINED, WORSHIPERS MAY KNEEL*

EVENING BIBLE STUDY – 6:30 p.m.

Invitation to Worship and Study: Psalm 53 (TH 796)

Hymn: 670 – “If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee”

Opening Prayer

Study: Systematic Theology, Part 53 (Pastor Moes)

Singspiration: Favorite Hymns

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to worship on this first day of the Year of Our Lord 2023. May God’s presence never leave your heart. To each new chapter of your life, may the Lord grant you His grace and strength. A new year is an excellent opportunity to seek God’s blessings and guidance. Resolve to put on the whole armor of God by your faithful attendance at all of our church gatherings, services, classes, studies, and group meetings. Happy New Year!

Please be prepared to stay for a few moments after the morning service today for a special **quarterly presentation by our Sunday school children** of their memory work and lessons.

There will be no first-Sunday **Family Fellowship Meal** today. Instead, the church potluck for this month will be **next Sunday, Jan. 8**. All are welcome!

SNACKS NEXT SUNDAY: Karlinda Moes. **Jan.15:** Carol Benning.

Our annual **Congregational Meeting** will be held **January 29** following the morning service. We will be voting on the church budget for 2023 and on possible candidates for church offices. Only professing communicant members may vote, but everyone is invited to attend to receive updates on church matters.

PRAISE THE LORD, O MY SOUL PRAISE HIM!

Praise the Lord, O my soul praise Him! I will praise Him while I live!

In my being, I sing praises To the One Who being gives!

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!

Put not trust in worldly princes, Trust not men who cannot save!

When he dies to dust, he passes, Gone his plans that very day.

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!

Blessed the man helped by Jehovah! Jacob's God - we hope in Him!

He keeps faith with all creation, Food to the faint and justice gives.

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!

Prisoners freed from pits of darkness; Blind eyes are opened by our Lord!

Christ lifts up heads that are bowed down, Righteousness His love's reward!

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!

Watching over all sojourners, God beholds their every need.

Fatherless and widows Champion, He strikes the wicked to their knees!

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!

Praise the Lord, O my soul praise Him! I will praise Him while I live!

Zion's God will reign forever, All generations will praise Him!

Praise him! Praise Him! My soul Praise Him! Praise Him with your every breath!