



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 Chalcedon Chapel, 3900 Hwy. 4, Vallecito. CPC is a congregation of the Reformed Presbyterian Church – Hanover Presbytery.

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### WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM MEMORY WORK

**Q. 95** To whom is baptism to be administered?

**A.** Baptism is not to be administered to any that are out of the visible church, till they profess their faith in Christ, and obedience to him; but the infants of such as are members of the visible church are to be baptized.

### HYMN OF THE MONTH: HOLY CHILD

Holy Child who chose the hearts of men, to be His favored home  
Leaving heaven's gates for Bethlehem, God came to call His own  
Now to us the highest King is born, Behold the Royal Son  
Glory kneels to mend all that is torn, the promised Child has come.

Joy and pain as man He knew on earth, No place to lay His head  
As a servant He embraced this world, and on a cross He bled  
Having borne the deepest grief of man, He rose to heaven's throne  
Now I'm sheltered in the Father's hand, I stand by grace alone.

May the gift of God amaze us still, the triumph of all time  
As His child I kneel to Heaven's will, to make His purpose mine  
Though this road be scarred with trial and pain, it's paved with lavish grace  
Knowing Him will be my greatest gain, my hope the Savior's face.

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# Calaveras Presbyterian Church



**The Lord's Day, December 5, 2021**

**Second Sunday in Advent**

*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

### Hymn of the Month: "Holy Child" (see back page)

\*God's Call to Worship: Psalm 34:8-18

\*Prayer of Invocation

\*God's Greeting: Romans 12:10

\*Hymn of Praise: 218 – "Angels From the Realms of Glory"

Reading of the Law: Deuteronomy 11:22-32; 1 Peter 1:8

\*\*Corporate and Individual (Silent) Prayers of Confession

\*God's Assurance of Pardon: Acts 5:31

\*Response of the Congregation: "THANKS BE TO GOD."

\*Hymn of Thanksgiving: 207 – "Good Christian Men Rejoice"

Confession of Faith: The Nicene Creed (TH 846)

Congregational Prayer

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offering Hymn: 729 – "All Things are Thine"

\*Hymn of Preparation: 226 – "As with Gladness Men of Old"

Children's Message

Scripture Lesson: Isaiah 7:10-14; 11:1-13

Prayer of Illumination

Teaching from God's Word: "In the House of Isaiah for Christmas, Part 2"

\*Hymn of Response: 196 – "Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus"

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Hymn: 219 – "All Praise to Thee, Eternal Lord" (Deacons' Offering Received)

\*God's Benediction: Numbers 6:24-26

\*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 4 (TH 786)

Hymn: 205 – "Away in a Manger"

Opening Prayer

Study: Systematic Theology, Part 18 (Pastor Moes)

Singspiration: 220 & Favorite Hymns

## NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today we celebrate **The Lord's Supper**, a meal signifying and sealing our union with Christ in His death and atonement for our sins. This is a memorial meal, but one with spiritual graces and significance. An offering will be received for the **Deacons' Benevolent Fund** at the end of the communion service.

Our monthly **Family Fellowship lunch** will follow the morning service.



Today is our first day of meeting on the **Lord's Day** at our new house of worship at the **Murphys-Angels Lions Club meeting house**. We rejoice in this provision for a meeting place where we can all gather indoors. May God sanctify this place. **Parking is in the public lot adjacent to the Old Murphys Schoolhouse on Jones Street (see photo). Enter from Jones Street.** If you did not receive the detailed email message about this, contact Elder Garry Moes at [garry@calaveraspres.org](mailto:garry@calaveraspres.org) with your email address to receive a full explanation. **Not on our CPC email list?** Sign up here: [bit.ly/cpcemaillist](http://bit.ly/cpcemaillist)

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Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 each Sunday. In the **Adult Sunday School class**, Elder Mark Rushdoony is sharing a "harmonized" study of the New Testament Gospels. Use this opportunity to further understand the Gospel story.

The annual **Sunday School Christmas Program** with the children of Oak Hill Presbyterian Church will be held at 6 p.m., Friday, Dec. 17, at Oak Hill. Don't miss this wonderful celebration of the Birth of Christ.

**The Annual Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols** presented by Pastor Moes's violin students and other community instrumental and choral musicians will be held **next Sunday evening, Dec. 12** at Ironstone Vineyards in Murphys. There will be **no CPC evening service** on that day as we celebrate the glories of the Incarnation with strings, singers, and scriptures.

**CHURCH CLEANING: All hands will be needed to clean up after the evening service every week at our new location beginning today.** During most weeks, we will be setting up for the Sunday morning service on Saturday nights. Please commit to taking your turn at helping with this task.

**SNACKS NEXT SUNDAY:** Denise Dashiell. **December 19:** Rebecca Smith.