

Today's Announcements:

Sunday School for all ages is at 9:00 am. It is Communion Sunday. We welcome our brothers and sisters from Mt. Airy Presbyterian who are worshipping with us. Pastor Peter Gregory is here. Hilary Orlando is our Accompanist. There will be Care & Share after the service. The Bell Choir will be hosting for the month of January.

Sermons for the month of January:

- 1/12- Phil McCloughan
- 1/19- Don Pidcock
- 1/26- Russ Topping

Accompanists for January:

- 1/12- George Warner
- 1/19- Lucia Lee
- 1/26- George Warner

The Spanish Ministry will be meeting in the Chapel at 3:00 pm.

The Session Prayer Meeting is tomorrow Monday January 6th at 7:00 pm.

Plan Ahead:

Friends-Giving: Come share a pot-luck meal with the River Community, next Sunday January 12th 1:00 pm, at Titusville Presbyterian Church. 12 River Drive, Titusville, NJ
We are requesting Walmart gift cards or monetary donations. These gift cards will be donated to local families in need.

The next Soup Sale for January is Saturday the 18th. From 9:00am-4:00 pm (or until sold out.)

The Annual Reports for 2024 are due to the Church Office during the month of January. If you have done a report in the past, please send in one in. If you have any questions, please reach out to Sue. Thank you!

January 20th - 7:00 pm Session Business Meeting at Westminster House.

January 21st 7:00pm Deacon Meeting at Westminster House.

The week of January 20th the February Newsletter Items are due to the Church Office.

Ministries This Week:

MONDAY

5-7:00 pm LBL
7:00 pm Session Prayer Meeting
7:00 pm Boy Scouts

TUESDAY

5-8:00 pm LBL
9:00 pm AA

WEDNESDAY

Ladies' Bible Study will resume 1/15/25
5-9:00 pm LBL

THURSDAY

5-9:00 pm LBL

FRIDAY

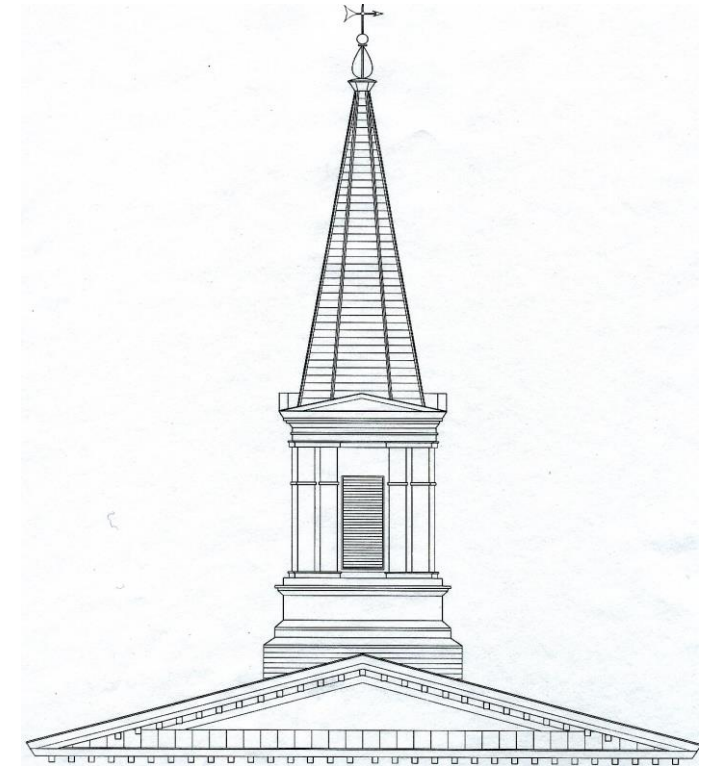
6:00 pm Roller Skating for Youth up to 6th Grade

SATURDAY

7:00 am- 4:00 PM LBL

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 am Sunday School for all ages
10:00 am Worship
Phil McCloughan is giving the Sermon
George Warner is our Accompanist



The Community Church of Lambertville

A House of Prayer for All People

Since 1816

Our Mission and Calling:

Lead by the Holy Spirit we will,

Celebrate our Lord through vibrant worship

Witness by the example of a Christ centered life

Prepare God's people for service

Proclaim the Good News of Salvation through our Lord

and Savior Jesus Christ

Hymn Time:

"There is a Redeemer"
Melody Green (1946-)

Melody was born in Hollywood California, but grew up in Venice, CA., with the beach being her playground. She realized at a young age, that there must be a "creator", because of all the beauty she saw around her.

Melody's grandparents emigrated into the United States from Russia during WWI, but Melody's mom was born in this country. Melody was raised in the Orthodox Jewish Faith, but called herself a "Jewish Christian" after attending a bible study which changed her life in 1975. Her future husband Keith, she met while working in a production company. He was an up-and-coming musician with a similiar path.

She wrote "There is a Redeemer" in 1977, but it wasn't released until 1982 as a hymn by Keith. However, after he had released the song, tragedy struck and Keith lost his life in a plane crash. In the fall of 1982, Melody traveled across the country with the *Keith Green Memorial Concert*, in which this hymn was sung.

Melody has written many hymns. Today, this hymn is found in many hymnals around the world, and has been described as a "classic."

Our Elders:

Joanne DiBlasi

215-862-9832

Pat Durborow

609-651-7388

Phil McCloughan

609-947-3520

Heather McIntyre

610-438-1392

Don Pidcock

609-397-3560

Karen Thatcher

609-397-8430

Our Deacons:

Jen Chernoski

609-234-1216

Heidi Danberry

609-865-7254

LaNelle Gallagher

609-306-1479

Dana Garrenger

609-575-3129

Terry Peck

908-500-5486

Heather Pursell

609-610-8483

Our Missions Team:

Addie Andino

215-862-9832

Gail Armitage

215-862-9385

Russ Topping

609-397-4856

Donna Zambella

609-397-1814

January 5, 2025
10:00 AM

Communion Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Choral Call to Worship:

As We Gather

+Praise Band/Congregation

There is None Like You

Blessed Be the Name of the Lord

(See Insert)

+Passing of the Peace

+Glory Be to the Father #813

In the Presence of the Lord

Prayers of Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

Offering/+Doxology #815

Special Music: Praise Band

There is a Fountain

Under the Authority of Christ, the Savior

Young Adult Time

Scripture:

Deuteronomy 31:7-8

Message:

Do You Really Believe All of That?

At the Table of the Lord

Words of Institution

Distribution of the Elements

Statement of Unity

Depart to Serve the Lord

+Hymn: #308

There is a Redeemer

Charge & Benediction

+ Please stand if you are able

Welcome to the Community Church!



A warm and sincere welcome to one and all!

It is a privilege to gather as God's people to open ourselves to the presence of God and to praise God with loving hearts.

Church Office Phone Number: 609-397-0650

Website: www.lambpres.org

Participating in Today's Service:

Elder: Communion/Joanne DiBlasi

Deacon: Communion/Jen Chernoski

Greeter: Carol Griffiths

Worship Assisting for January:

Elder Schedule

Jan. 12- Pat Durborow

Jan. 19- Phil McCloughan

Jan. 26- Don Pidcock

Deacon Schedule

Jan. 12- Heather Pursell

Jan. 19- LaNelle Gallagher

Jan. 26- Terry Peck

Greeting Schedule

Jan. 12- Joan Yannarella

Jan. 19- Connie Fisher

Jan. 26- Betsy Brown

Church Office:

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

11:00 am-3:00 pm

Wednesday 1-5:00 pm

The Elder on Call for the Month of January is:

Don Pidcock- 609-397-3560

About the Message:

The Lord God makes many, many, many promises to his people in Scripture. Promises of land, of inheritance, of blessings, of healings, of redemptions. When or if a promise is made to you. You have two obvious choices, to believe or not, the author of such promises. And whether such who makes the promises keeps their word. In faith there is a third question to ask. Has God ever not kept a promise He has made to you? And what is our obligations, the receiver of a promise. As the old saying goes, the promises of God are not a free lunch. There is our end of the bargain as well.

Confession of Faith

This is what we confess as a Body of Christ. The Bible is the inerrant Word of God. The sole authority in all matters of life and faith. We confess that Jesus Christ alone is the only name of Salvation. We confess that the Holy Spirit alone brings New Life and holiness to the Church. Guided by such, we affirm, and we as a Body of Christ stand upon the solid rock of our Lord Jesus Christ, and we will not be moved.

