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IN YOUR FAITH
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IN LOVE
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IN GOD'S MISSION

THE CHURCH AT LITCHFIELD PARK

A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL PEOPLE

October 18, 2026 - 8:30am

Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome | Announcements

Prelude It Was His Love Soloist - Myra Curtis

Opening Prayer Liturgist

Choral Call Welcome One and All

***Call to Worship**

L: You are the Lord; let the peoples tremble! You sit enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

P: You are exalted over all the peoples. Hear us as we praise your great and awesome name. You indeed are holy!

L: Lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

P: We will extol you, O Lord our God, and worship at your footstool.

L: Let us worship God!

All: Amen!!!

CLP Kids Dismissed

***Hymn** We Will Glorify #105 vs 1-4

Anthem Journey of Faith



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Sermon Scripture

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 (ESV)

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: Grace to you and peace. We give thanks to God always for all of you, constantly mentioning you in our prayers, remembering before our God and Father your work of faith and labor of love and steadfastness of hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. For we know, brothers loved by God, that he has chosen you, because our gospel came to you not only in word, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction. You know what kind of men we proved to be among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, for you received the word in much affliction, with the joy of the Holy Spirit, so that you became an example to all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For not only has the word of the Lord sounded forth from you in Macedonia and Achaia, but your faith in God has gone forth everywhere, so that we need not say anything. For they themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

Sermon

In Word and Power

Rev. Kristofer McCoy

Prayer of the Christian Community | Lord's Prayer

(See 10:00am service)

***Hymn**

Tell Me the Story of Jesus

#295 vs 1&3

***Short Scripture**

John 15: 9-10 (ESV)

As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love.

***Hymn**

In My Heart There Rings a Melody

#502 vs 1&3

***Invitation to Give | Doxology**

***Benediction | Blessing**

***Postlude**

O Mighty Cross

10:00AM - CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Welcome | Announcements

***Song** Your Love Never Fails

*Opening Prayer

CLP Kids Dismissed

***Song** Fall Afresh

Scripture 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10(ESV)

Sermon In Word and Power

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Prayer of the Christian Community | Lord's Prayer

All of our lives are full of your mercy, O God; wherever we turn you are sure to be there. If we are found in the depths of depression, you lift up our spirits with the hope of new life. When we bound to the heights of ecstasy, you rejoice with us and make our feet light. You surround us with your Spirit who knows our needs before we announce them. We give you all praise, O God of all life, as we lift up the prayer that Jesus taught us to pray...

*Song	It Is Well
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***Song** What an *Awesome* God

*Benediction | Invitation

*New Doxology

*The Blessing

***Postlude** O Mighty Cross

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VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT

The Church at Litchfield Park is a house of prayer for all people, called to be as inclusive as the love of God. Together, we grow in our faith, serve in Christ's love, and engage in God's mission.

OUR PASTORS AND WORSHIP LEADERS

Rev. Kristofer McCoy | Senior Pastor

Rev. Brenda Houlihan | Associate Pastor

Beverly Griggs | Choir Director

Kathy Drake | Organist and Pianist

Sue Kujawski | Bell Choir Director

Molly Alward | 8:30am Lead Deacon

Shelly Hill, Brenda Greene, Ted Greene | Ushers

Christa Denofsky | 8:30am Liturgist

Diane Piehl | 10:00am Lead Deacon

Betty Martello, Margaret McHenry, Charlotte Montanus | Ushers

LIFE@CLP

Men@CLP Weekly Study | Unbreakable Courage

Tuesday at 10:00am and Thursday at 5:00pm

Women@CLP Weekly Study | Abide

Tuesday at 10:00am and Thursday at 5:00pm

Coffee Fellowship | Fireside Rooms | Every Sunday 8:15-11:30am

Midweek@CLP Dinners | Souers Community Hall | Wednesday at 5:15pm

The Fall Festival@CLP | November 8 | 11-1pm

2027 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Nursery | Sundays (all services)

CLP Kids Church | Sundays (all services)

Rise Up, Youth! | 9:45-11am Sundays

GIVE



THE MINISTERS OF THIS CHURCH ARE ITS MEMBERS.
ASSISTING THEM ARE THEIR PASTORS AND STAFF.

CONNECT

