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THE CHURCH AT LITCHFIELD PARK

A HOUSE OF PRAYER FOR ALL PEOPLE

November 15, 2026 - **8:30am**

Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome | Announcements

Prelude — How Great Thou Art

Opening Prayer — Liturgist

Baptism — Thomas Alexander Dimon

New Members

Choral Call — Come With Thanksgiving

***Call to Worship** — Based on 1 Corinthians 12:12-20

L: For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ.

P: For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.

L: For the body does not consist of one member but of many. If the foot should say, "Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body,"

P: that would not make it any less a part of the body.

L: And if the ear should say, "Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body,"

P: that would not make it any less a part of the body.

L: If the whole body were an eye,

P: where would be the sense of hearing?

L: If the whole body were an ear,

P: where would be the sense of smell?

L: But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member,

P: where would the body be?

ALL: As it is, there are many parts, yet one body. Amen!!!

CLP Kids Dismissed

***Hymn** Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah #682 vs 1-3

Anthem How Firm a Foundation

Scripture Reading 1 Timothy 4:6-16 (ESV) Jason Butler

Charge to the Pastor Rev. Brenda Houlihan

Charge to the Congregation Rev. Brenda Houlihan

Sermon Scripture 1 Peter 5:1-5 (ESV)

So I exhort the elders among you, as a fellow elder and a witness of the sufferings of Christ, as well as a partaker in the glory that is going to be revealed: shepherd the flock of God that is among you, exercising oversight, not under compulsion, but willingly, as God would have you; not for shameful gain, but eagerly; not domineering over those in your charge, but being examples to the flock. And when the chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the unfading crown of glory. Likewise, you who are younger, be subject to the elders. Clothe yourselves, all of you, with humility toward one another, for "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble."

Sermon Shepherd the Flock Rev. Kristofer McCoy

Prayer of the Christian Community | Lord's Prayer (See 10:00am service)

***Hymn** O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee #665 vs 1, 3, & 4

***Short Scripture** 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 (ESV)

For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will always be with the Lord.

***Hymn** I'll Fly Away #779 vs 1-3

***Invitation to Give | Doxology**

***Benediction | Blessing**

***Postlude** Make Me a Servant

10:00AM - CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

Welcome | Announcements | New Members

***Song** How Great Thou Art

***Song** From the Inside Out

***Opening Prayer**

CLP Kids Dismissed

Call to Worship (See 8:30am Service)

Charge to Congregation and Pastor

Scripture 1 Peter 5:1-5 (ESV)

Sermon Shepherd the Flock

Rev. Kristofer McCoy

Prayer of the Christian Community | Lord's Prayer

With many voices we praise you, O God; in different ways we serve you. Take our diversity and mold it into a common theme of thanksgiving. Weave these gifts that we bring into a whole cloth of service that will blanket the world with your love as we announce with one accord your truth which sets us free. We now lift up with one voice the prayer that Jesus taught us to pray...

***Song** Great Are You Lord

***Song** Banner of Love

***Benediction | Invitation to Give**

***New Doxology**

***The Blessing**

***Postlude** Make Me a Servant

Notes:

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
Betsy Sitch | 8:30am Lead Deacon
Fred Cochrane, Mary Coles, Nancy Montgomery| Ushers
Carolann Sachs | 8:30am Liturgist
Danelle Farris |10:00am Lead Deacon
Ruth Kester, Nancy Oreshack, Gene Walker | Ushers

LIFE@CLP

Annual Congregational Meeting | Today | 11:15am

St. Mary's Food Bank November Food Drive | November 1-25

Women@CLP Weekly Study | Abide (1, 2, 3 John)
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
This week: Friendsgiving - Bring a side or dessert to share

2027 STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

NEW MEMBERS

Kelly Castillo
Joe Hauglie and Janine DuBach-Hauglie
Kristofer, Terri, Dylan, Megyn, and Kaitlyn McCoy
Tim and Marian Rockwell

GIVE

Nursery | Sundays (all services)
CLP Kids Church | Sundays (all services)
Rise Up, Youth! | 9:45-11am Sundays

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

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