



ENGAGING EACH OTHER...  
DISCOVERING OUR GIFTS...  
GLORIFYING GOD.

# CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

8:30 AM AND 11:00 AM - SEPTEMBER 5, 2010  
23<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

614 Griffis Street, Cary, NC 27511  
(919) 467-8700  
[www.carypresbyterian.org](http://www.carypresbyterian.org)

ORDER OF WORSHIP

**GATHERING TO WORSHIP AND PRAISE GOD**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Joys and Concerns of the Church Family**

**Prelude** *Intermezzo* Renner

**A Time for Prayer and Personal Meditation**

I sought the Lord, and afterward I knew he moved my soul  
to seek Him, seeking me.  
It was not I that found, O Saviour true.  
No, I was found of Thee.

**\*Call to Worship**

Leader: God said, Let there be light; and there was light.  
**People: And God saw that the light was good.**  
Leader: God is light.  
**People: In God there is no darkness at all . . .**  
Leader: Praise the Lord.  
**People: The Lord's name be praised!**

**\*Hymn** *Let All Things Now Living* No. 554

**\*Litany of Confession**

Leader: Almighty God, you alone are holy. Purify our hearts  
and make us brave disciples, so that we may walk in  
the way to which you have called us. From lack of  
reverence for truth and beauty, from going along with  
mean and ugly things,  
**All: Good Lord, deliver us.**  
**Women:** From cowardice that dares not face truth  
or arrogance that thinks it knows it all,  
**All: Good Lord, deliver us.**

*\*those who are able are invited to stand*

**Men:** From being dull or pompous or rude, from putting down neighbors, from cynicism, intolerance or cruel indifference,

**All:** *Good Lord, deliver us.*

**Women:** From being satisfied with things as they are, in the church or in the world, from failing to share your indignation at injustice,

**All:** *Good Lord, deliver us.*

**Men:** From token concern for the poor, from confusing faith with good feeling,

**All:** *Good Lord, deliver us.*

**Leader:** For everything in us that may hide your light,

**All:** *O God, light of life, forgive us. Amen.*

### \*Kyrie

*You are the Lord, Giver of Mercy;  
You are the Christ, Giver of Mercy;  
You are the Lord, Giver of Mercy.*

### \*Assurance of Pardon and Declaration of Forgiveness

**Leader:** Friends, believe the good news; in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Let all God's people joyfully say:

**People:** **Alleluia! Amen!**

### \*Response

*Seek Ye First (v. 1)*

No. 333

*Seek ye first the kingdom of God  
And His righteousness,  
And all these things shall be added unto you.  
Allelu, alleluia!*

### \*Passing of the Peace

**Leader:** The peace of Christ be with you.

**People:** **And also with you.**

**Leader:** Share that peace with one another.

## HEARING GOD'S WORD

### Children's Sermon

New Testament Reading     *I John 4:16–20*     NT, p. 241  
Old Testament Reading     *Psalms 139*     OT, p. 577

Leader:     This is the Word of the Lord.

People:     **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon     *Ultimate Hide and Seek*     Dr. David Voss

## RESPONDING IN FAITH

### Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Offertory Anthem     *In Remembrance*     Red  
Open Chancel Choir

\*Hymn of Preparation     *You Are Before Me, Lord*     No. 248

### Celebration of the Lord's Supper

#### Invitation to the Table

#### Great Thanksgiving

Leader:     The Lord be with you.

People:     **And also with you.**

Leader:     Lift up your hearts.

People:     **We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader:     Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People:     **It is right to give our thanks and praise...**

*Holy, Holy, Holy, God of power and majesty,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory,  
O God most high.*

Leader:     Great is the mystery of faith:

People:     **Christ has died. Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again. Amen.**



**Welcome to Cary Presbyterian Church!** We are delighted you are here! If you are looking for a new church home and wanting to know more about CPC, please introduce yourselves to one of our pastors, visit our Welcome Center in the narthex, and check out our website at [carypresbyterian.org](http://carypresbyterian.org).

**Nurseries for children from birth to 6 years old** are available during the worship service, including an infant nursery in Room 209 (down the hall from the sanctuary). If you are visiting or need assistance, please ask an usher to help you.

**Fragrance-Free:** The CPC Session has designated the chancel area as a whole, and the first four pews on the pulpit side of the sanctuary, as fragrance-free zones.

### **Cary Presbyterian Planned Giving Commitments**

2010 Budgeted Planned Giving Commitments	<u>\$772,928</u>
Total Planned Giving Commitments as of 8/29/10	\$520,240
Total Planned Giving Commitments received as of 8/29/10	<u>\$490,421</u>
Excess/(Shortfall)	<u>(\$ 29,819)</u>

### **Where are the rest of the Bulletin Announcements?**

Copies of *The Link*, our church newsletter, are available at the Newcomer's Table in the narthex. For important information about coming events during the week of September 5–11, please refer to that document or visit our website at [www.carypresbyterian.org](http://www.carypresbyterian.org).

**THIS WEEK AT CARY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

<b>Sunday, September 5</b>	<b>8:30 a.m.</b> 9:45 a.m. <b>11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Worship Service</b> Sunday School <b>Worship Service</b>
<b>Monday, September 6</b>	6:30 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	<b>Holiday — Church Office Closed</b> Brownie Troop 1452 (101) Women's AA Meeting (100) Cub Scout Pack 232 Pack Meeting (Upper Level Ed Bldg) Search Team (102)
<b>Tuesday, September 7</b>	11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.	Adult Literacy (103) Girl Scout Junior Troop 418 (Upper Level Ed Bldg) Adult Literacy (L) Prayer Shawl Knitting (P)
<b>Wednesday, September 8</b>	9:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Preschool Parent Meeting (106) Ruth Circle (102) Girl Scout Junior Troop 31 (101) Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Choir Rm)
<b>Thursday, September 9</b>	9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 5:30 p.m.	Centering Prayer (105) Preschool Parent Meeting (106) Remedial Disciples (102) Adult Literacy (103) Deborah Circle (P) Personnel Team (P)
<b>Friday, September 10</b>	5:00 p.m.	Leslie Wedding Rehearsal
<b>Saturday, September 11</b>	5:00 p.m.	Leslie Wedding



### **Church Staff**

The Rev. Dr. D. Kyle Allen, Pastor/Head of Staff

The Rev. Dr. David V. Voss, Parish Associate

The Rev. Carrie R. Tuttle, Temporary Youth Consultant

Deborah A. Bundesen, Office Manager

Barbara S. Carew, Finance Manager

Carolyn R. Clark, Director of Childcare Ministries

Christopher M. D'Alessio, Buildings & Grounds Manager

Medora B. Hix, Director of Christian Education

Janet K. Robinette, Parish Nurse

Edward T. Yasick, Director of Music