Announcements





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we desire to see people..

entering new life in Christ, embracing life-principles of Christ, and empowered for life service by Christ

August 31, 2025

Elders

Pastor Norman Carlisle Lead Pastor

Rev. Mike Henderson Associate Pastor

Martin Rosario

Jamie Sumner

Enoch Whipple

Youth Director/

Assistant to the Pastor

Tim Corbett

Deacons

James Odinyo Lead Deacon

Hannah Boyard

Tim Corbett

Kriss Olivo

Kathy Pedri

Michele Schneck

Ministers: ALL BELIEVERS



Current Series:

The Book of Romans In Fellowship Hall Lifeinary

Theology learned and lived!

9:30am

for all ages

Current Series:

Grasping God's Word

In Youth Room

Worship Service

10:30am

• Fellowship (in Fellowship hall)

• Welcome & Announcements Ben Bovard

• Opening Song Music Team

• Scripture Reading & Prayer Caleb Gross

• Message Tim Corbett

• Praise & Ministry Music Team

• Closing Prayer Hannah Bovard

*additional overflow seating available down in Fellowship Hall

Children's Info

Infants & Nursing Mothers

Nursery Downstairs under Foyer

Children's Church (18mo - 6th grade)

Check-in available in Classrooms Upstairs

Offering

If you would like to give an **Offering** today, please place it in one of the boxes in the **Sanctuary** with your name clearly printed on your envelope. You can also give **Online** through the church **Website** or **App**.

The Week Ahead...



Sunday, August 31st

Sunday School - 9:30am in Fellowship Hall Sunday Morning Service - 10:30am Awana Meeting - 12pm in Fellowship Hall

Monday, September 1st
Staff Meeting - 3pm in Pastor's Study

Tuesday, September 2nd
Home Group - 7pm at the Schneck's

Wednesday, September 3rd NO LICC EVENTS

Thursday, September 4th

Manna Women's Launch Event - 7pm in Fellowship Hall

Friday, September 5th

Youth For Christ Launch Night - 6pm in Fellowship Hall

Saturday, September 6th

Church Work Day - 8am throughout church **Music Practice - 6pm** in Sanctuary

Matthew 11:28-29 (NASB)

²⁸"Come to Me, all who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. ²⁹Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

Discussion Guide

Date: August 31, 2025

Sermon Title: "A Word To The Wise"





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More about Home Groups...

We encourage everyone to be a part of a small group community to deepen your relationship with Christ and His church. If you're interested in knowing more, please check the website or contact the Church Office.

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES (NASB unless otherwise noted)

Matthew 11:20-30

²⁰ Then He began to reprimand the cities in which most of His miracles were done, because they did not repent. ²¹ "Woe to you, Chorazin! Woe to you, Bethsaida! For if the miracles that occurred in you had occurred in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago in sackcloth and ashes. ²² Nevertheless I say to you, it will be more tolerable for Tyre and Sidon on the day of judgment than for you. ²³ And you, Capernaum, will not be exalted to heaven, will you? You will be brought down to Hades! For if the miracles that occurred in you had occurred in Sodom, it would have remained to this day. ²⁴ Nevertheless I say to you that it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom on the day of judgment, than for you." ²⁵ At that time Jesus said, "I praise You, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that You have hidden these things from the wise and intelligent, and have revealed them to infants. ²⁶ Yes, Father, for this way was well pleasing in Your sight. 27 All things have been handed over to Me by My Father; and no one knows the Son except the Father; nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and anyone to whom the Son determines to reveal Him. 28 "Come to Me, all who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and YOU WILL FIND REST FOR YOUR SOULS. 30 For My yoke is comfortable, and My burden is light."

☐ Jeremiah 6:16

This is what the Lord says: "Stand by the ways and see and ask for the ancient paths, where the good way is, and walk in it; then you will find a resting place for your souls. But they said, 'We sill not walk in it.'

OPENING DISCUSSION

- 1. What was the main thing you learned from the sermon?
- What questions do you have about anything that was raised during the message?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- 1. Why does Jesus present such a drastic comparison (to places like Sodom) to these people who witnessed his ministry firsthand?
- 2. Have you ever been tempted to follow your own knowledge and rationale over God's? How so?
- 3. Is there a difference between child-like faith and childish faith? Why might this be an important distinction?
- 4. Are there particular areas in your own life that you tend to resist wisdom or correction in?
- 5. Where in the modern church might we struggle with the propensity to build up our own understanding and judgements about how things should be?
- 6. What practical steps can you take to submit to the "yoke" of Jesus and learn from Him? What prevents you from walking submissively?
- 7. How can the community of believers help one another retain a teachable heart under Christ?
- 8. Where do you turn to in times of weariness and burden? Why might the promised rest here be different than we expect or anticipate?



WOMEN'S FALL KICK OFF THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2025 7:00PM - 9:00PM

> AN EVENING OF QUEST, QUESO, AND QUERY

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JILL.D.GROSS@GMAIL.COM

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- Start at: www.camporchardhill.com/womens-retreat/
- Click REGISTER ONLINE and log in or create an account
- Select your name as the attendee and proceed through registration
- Select "Women Life in Christ Church" from the dropdown menu
- Complete registration with a \$50 minimum deposit and receive a confirmation email! (total cost Is \$200)
- Registration closes and your final payment will be due by Sunday, September 21, 2025

ONLINE REGISTRATION QUESTIONS?

Contact the camp office! (570) 333-4098 x 105 or leisa@camporchardhill.com



WEEKEND CHECKLIST:

- ☐ Arrive on Friday night at 7pm @ Welcome Center
- ☐ Pack twin bedding plus towel, toiletries, comfortable clothes & warm layers
- □ Don't forget your Bible, notebook and pen!
- □ Departure on Sunday at 11am

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE RETREAT? Contact our Group Leader: Michele Schneck 610-442-1785 or micheleschneck1@gmail.com



September 9, 2025 @ 6:00-8:15PM

The Global A.W.A.N.A. (Approved Workman Are Not Ashamed) Ministry teaches students Bible stories and promotes the memorization of Scripture.

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