

# Welcome to Cascade Christian Church

**Prayer Requests:** You will find Prayer Update cards in the attendance pads and on the information table. If you have a Prayer Request for the morning service, please fill out a card and hand it to Pastor Jill Forton or Associate Pastor Steve Carigon before the service.

**Sunday School:** There is Children's Sunday School for Preschool - 5th grades during the 10:30 service. Children are to go to worship with their parents and will be dismissed to Sunday School following the opening set of Jubal Brass. There will be NO Middle School Sunday School this morning. The Adult Class that meets in the office Conference Room at 9:30 am with Jane VomSteege has started a new study called "The Twelve Disciples" by Douglas Connelly. They will NOT meet this Sunday because of the Jubal Brass Service and Brunch, but you are invited to join them next week.

<u>FINANCIAL UPDATE</u>			<u>November 26, 2017</u>
	<u>Last Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Budgeted	\$10,327	\$227,194	8:00 Service - 52
Given	\$8,225	\$217,577	9:30 Service - 163
	-\$2,102	-\$9,617	11:00 Service - 45
			Total - 260

**Please Pray For:** Martha Irwin and her family as her mother, Desma, remains in hospice care for cancer in Indianapolis; Scott Alexander - battling cancer.

**Birthday:** We have a brand new nonagenarian in our church family. Mary Lou Scott will be 90 years old on December 6. Happy Birthday Mary Lou!

**Prayer Joys:** Thank you for making my birthday very memorable. The party was so much fun, and I am very grateful for all the card, good wishes, and gifts. The church has been so generous and both Steve and I appreciate all the October Pastor Appreciation Month cards and gifts as well. You are a loving church and I feel very blessed to be able to minister among people like all of you. Thank you and God bless you. Pastor Jill Forton Pat Carew came forward at the 8:00 service last Sunday to reaffirm her faith.

Jeff and Sarah Noordyke are the proud parents of Silas Kenneth Noordyke.

## Information

### Worship Services

8:00 Traditional (Chapel)  
9:30 Contemporary (Sanctuary)  
11:00 Traditional (Chapel)

### Sunday School

Crib Room (infants-3 year olds) - 9:15 - 12:15  
Located in Room 109A in the Education Building

#### Preschool-5th Grade

Upstairs in the Education Building at 9:30 & 11:00

#### Middle School (6th-8th grades)

In the Lodge (#207) after communion at 9:30

#### Adult Classes

Conference Room at 9:30

### Church Staff

Pastor: Jill Forton

Associate Pastor of Young Adult Ministries:  
Steve Carigon

Children: Hannah Schneider

Middle School: Adam Homan

Office Manager: Holly Brandsma

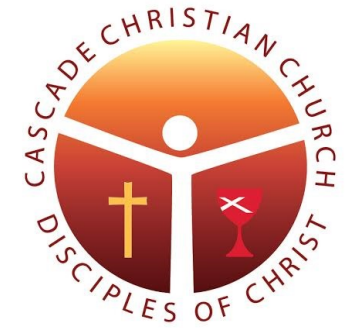
Business Managers: Chuck Snow & Lois Slack

Director of Maintenance: Mel Behm II

Maintenance: Mel Behm and Jane VomSteege

### Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:00-12:00 & 1:00-4:00  
Closed on Friday



Christ • Communion • Community

December 3, 2017

8:00 Chapel Service  
Pastor Jill Forton

**"Together in Advent - Be Present"**

10:30 Sanctuary Service  
**Jubal Brass**



8:00 and 11:00 Chapel Services  
9:30 Sanctuary Service

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**8:00 a.m. Chapel  
Order of Worship  
Sunday, December 3, 2017**

Welcome and Announcements

Greeting Time

Opening Hymns

#255 *Lo! How a Rose E're Blooming*

#245 *O Come, O Come, Emmanuel*

\*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer

\**Glory Be to the Father* #813

Morning Prayer

Communion Invitation - Katie Pirog

Communion Prayer

Communion Hymn #243

*Emmanuel*

Words of Institution

Communion - Communion is open to all believers and is gluten free. Please partake as the trays are passed.

Offering Invitation - Brian Pirog

Offering (Please pass the Friendship Pads.)

\*Doxology (#815)

\*Offering Prayer

Scripture: Isaiah 40:1-5

Message: Together in Advent - Be Present

\*Hymn of Invitation #244

*Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus*

\*Benediction

\*Closing Hymn #232

*God Be With You*

\*Postlude

\*Please Stand

Organist: Nancy Gaskell

**10:30 a.m. Sanctuary Service  
Order of Worship  
Sunday, December 3, 2017**

Brass Prelude: *O Magnum Mysterium*

\*Call to Worship

\*Jubal Brass: *Christmas Celebration with Infant Holy*

\*Lighting of the Advent Candle - Kris Anderson

\*Opening Carol: *O Come, All Ye Faithful*

Advent Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Jubal Brass: *The Seasons of Christmastide*

*I. Advent: Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence*

*II. Christmas: I Saw Three Ships*

Children Dismissed to Sunday School

Communion Invitation and Prayer

Audrey Dirksen

Communion by Intinction

Come forward and dip the bread in the cup.

Roamer trays have gluten free wafers.

Offering Invitation and Prayer

Jubal Brass Offertory: *Sussex Mummers' Carol*

Offering (Please pass the Friendship Pads.)

Steve Dirksen

Meditation: Isaiah 40:1-5

"Together in Advent - Be Present"

Jubal Brass: *Carol of the Bells*

*The Wexford Carol*

Invitation Carol: *Joy to the World*

Postlude: *Sleigh Ride*



Join us for worship next  
Sunday at 9:30 to see the  
children present the  
nativity story!

