

prayer

Let us pray with you! Share your prayer needs at chpc.org/prayer or write your prayer request below and leave it at the Welcome Desk

- Please share on prayer email
- Contact me (include contact info on other side)

jesus: the original influencer

THE GOSPEL OF MARK



April 12, 2026

God Prepares
Mark 1:1-20

Rev. Dr. Drew Smith, Senior Pastor

Prayer of Confession

All: Heavenly Father, you have called us to step outside the church and into your world to carry out your kingdom work. We are to love our neighbors, serve those who may call us enemies, and pray for those who persecute us. Yet we need your wisdom to guide us in these steps. In our desire to serve, we can seek merely to please our enemies. Rather than follow your ways of love, we follow after the ways of the world, confusing that with love. Help us to know when to speak boldly, when to listen humbly, and how to best love like you have loved us. Fill us with your Holy Spirit so that all we do is born of your will. And may all we do be for you and your glory.

(Silence for personal confession)

Leader: Lord, please forgive us.

All: Create in us clean hearts, God. Renew us by Your Spirit. Restore to us the joy of Your salvation, so that we may boldly proclaim Your wonders and glorify You in everything we say and do. Amen.

GROWING A
DIVERSE
COMMUNITY
OF
JESUS
FOLLOWERS

CHPC.ORG

College Hill Presbyterian Church
5742 Hamilton Ave Cincinnati, OH 45224

get involved

To submit announcements or register: www.chpc.org/events

general information

welcome

Thank you for being our guest this weekend. We are glad you're here! Help yourself to some coffee and wifi (CHPC Guest) PW: chpcwifi03

happening this week



SUNDAY FUNDAY PRAYER WALK
Make sure you stick around after service today for a community prayer walk, drive or prayer in the Sanctuary, and join us for lunch!



CHPC SAFE
Earn your Adult & Pediatric American Red Cross CPR/AED certification **April 18, 12-4 pm**. \$50 suggested donation for 2-yr certification. All donations will benefit CHPC Family Ministries. Please visit chpc.org/cpr to learn more and register!

family ministries



BOX DONATIONS NEEDED!
We need 20-25 cardboard boxes to make movie night special! K-6th grade students will transform them into "drive-in cars." Donate a medium to large box (big enough for a child to sit in) & drop off at the FM Check-In Station **4/19, 4/26, & 5/2!** Save the Date for **May 22, 6:30-9** at CHPC for our Family Movie Night featuring *David*.



SUMMER AT CHPC
CHPC Family Ministries is excited to share all that we have going on this summer! Get planning early and grab spots at Connections Camp, weekly summer fun, a movie night, and more! Check out chpc.org/summer to see all the possibilities!



JESUS UNIVERSITY CLOTHING SWAP
Jesus University will be hosting a clothing swap for its students on May 9th. Please consider donating girls clothing & shoes (ages 4-18) for spring/summer to the bins in the Atrium **now through May 8th**.



SUMMER SUNDAY FM TEAM
Help create a welcoming place for kids to engage this summer on Sundays! Volunteer with Family Ministries! Check out the opportunities by scanning to the left!

info



SWIM MINISTRY
Register now for this summer's Swim Ministry program by visiting chpc.org/swim.



WOVEN WOMEN'S MINISTRY
Our Women's Ministry, *Woven*, is being revived! We hope to provide opportunities for fellowship and fun, where we can grow deeper in relationship with God and one another! Women of CHPC, please take our survey online by scanning the QR code (chpc.org/woven)



LEADERSHIP NOMINATIONS
Do you know or are you a great leader? The CNC is now accepting nominations for Elder, Deacon, Trustee Administrator or CNC. Submit nominations online at chpc.org/nominate or pick up a paper form (in literature racks) and return to front desk.



PARTNERSHIP COURSE
Join us for our Partnership Class on **April 22nd, 6-8:30 pm** or **May 3rd 12-2:30pm**. Partnership class gives you a snapshot of who we are at CHPC. You will leave with clarity on what we believe, our vision, resources, and opportunities for growth. This is NOT a commitment to partner, but an opportunity to see if it's the right thing for you! Please register at chpc.org/partnership

outreach & missions



REPAIR AFFAIR 2026
We are excited to participate as a CHPC Team again in this year's Repair Affair with People Working Cooperatively on **May 16th**. More info to come! Consider joining the team at chpc.org/repair.

GLOBAL PRAYER CHANGE
*Due to combined service today, Global Prayer will be held between services on **Sunday 4/19**.*

weekly prayer

Sundays from 8-8:30am in the Prayer Room.
Thursdays from 9-10am in the Fireside Room.

monthly prayer

1st Wednesday @7-8:30pm - for church and the world- Parlor
2nd Sunday @10:05 - 10:25am - World Missions - Prayer Room. Come pray for God's work in the world.
3rd Tuesday - Prayer Canopy - gcprayercanopy.net
4th Saturday - Outdoor Prayer & Coffee will return in the Spring!

facilities

Need to reserve a room, report a facility issue, or get a key fob? Please complete the Facility Request Form.



download our app

Watch sermons, register for events, give, use the directory, calendar of church events, and more! Enter Firstname.Lastname as username and select "I Forgot My Password" to receive a code to register. www.chpc.org/app



give to CHPC

Your tax-deductible donations allow us to expand all of the ministries of CHPC! SCAN here to give, text GIVE to 513-854-1604, or drop a check in the offering box. Thank you for your generosity!



Name(s) _____

Preferred Phone Mobile Home _____

Email _____

Address _____

Children & Ages _____

Today's Date _____

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We want to meet you! Fill out your information above and bring this card to the Welcome Desk or scan the code to the left. We'll give you a free swag bag!

