

LIVING HOPE

A SERIES IN 1ST PETER



Welcome to Christ Community Church

February 22, 2026

Moments for meditation

We use this time to worship and prepare for worship

We worship in song, prayer, and giving

Call to worship

Songs of praise

"Holy, Holy Holy"

"You Are Holy"

"Revelation Song"

Opportunities at CCC

Song of preparation - *"Lord I Need You"*

Intercessory & pastoral prayer

Worship through giving

Special music - *"My Tribute/Bless His Holy Name"*

We worship by hearing and heeding God's word

Scripture 1 Peter 2:1-3

Sermon – *"Maturing Hope"*

Song of response *"All I Have is Christ"*

Benediction and Postlude

CHECK OUT OUR EVENTS PAGE AT CCZION.ORG/EVENTS

Spanish Service Today the Spanish Service is in the Lloyd Chapel. There will not be Spanish translation of the English Service.

Hoy el servicio de español es en la capilla. No hay traducción al español del servicio de inglés.



Threads of Grace is a Christ-centered academic-based homeschooling co-op that meets on Tuesdays at CCC to provide enrichment for both moms and student(s). A visitor day is coming up on March 10 from 8:45-11:30am (also invited to bring and stay for lunch). All homeschool families are welcome to visit with an RSVP. We accept families with the oldest child being 1st grade or above. For those who have questions or would like to visit, please contact Amy Litewski at 847-785-9005 or amylitewski@togfellowship.org. Pictured is the TOG leadership team.

Visitation If you or someone you know are in need of a visit from the diaconate, please let the office know.

Illinois Family Voter Guides are available at the welcome center.

CCL Classes Pastor Mike will be offering training for anyone interested in obtaining an Illinois CCL or a Wisconsin CCW beginning on Saturday, March 21. Please contact Pastor Mike for details on how to sign up for the training. 847-217-2143.

YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY



TBD Young Adults is a community of young adults seeking to grow a community as well as deepen our faith. We have large events, bible study, small group and one on one discipleship. Text: "TBDYA" to 847-310-7600 for more information.

This Saturday: Paint Night | February 28 | 6:30pm | Pinot's Palette
We will paint a "Kelly Original". Register by scanning the QR code.



Help us create our 2026

CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH COOKBOOK

➔ Recipe Collection:
March 1st-April 5th ➔

We are looking for delicious recipes from our CCC family around the world to publish in our very own CCC cookbook! You can submit up to **5** recipes that will be printed with your name with space for a note about what makes your recipe special to you. The sales will help fund our short term mission trips to Guyana and Japan this summer!

There are 2 ways to submit recipes:

- Complete one physical form per recipe, available in the lobby or Office
- Submit your recipe(s) online at typensave.com using this login info:
 - Username: CCCZion
 - Password: eggs447



Questions? Contact Donna McDowell at 847-217-0610.

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES (FOR ALL LADIES 18 AND OVER)

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CHECK OUT OUR WEBPAGE
AT WWW.CCCZION.ORG/ADULTS/GROUPS

Ladies' Friday Morning Bible Study | 9:00am | Parlor We will be using Lisa Harper's "So Much More" - Discovering God's Love in Unexpected Places.

Women's Apologetics Book Club Looking for ways to help people overcome objections they have to Christianity? Join this group of like-minded women as we tackle challenging topics that impact the eternal destiny of future generations!



On Wednesday, March 18, from 6:30-8:45pm, we will enjoy refreshments and discuss, *Toxic Empathy: How Progressives Exploit Christian Compassion* by Allie Beth Stuckey. Meetings are held in the Humphrey home and hosted by Melissa Humphrey and Erica Millar, please reach out to Melissa Humphrey at melissahumphry@yahoo.com for more information or to RSVP.

"Praying Through Psalms and New Testament" Women's Bible Study
Thursday mornings in the Parlor from 9:00-11:00am. Starting March 5 through April 30. Bring Bible, pen, and notebook.

MEN'S MINISTRIES

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Thursday Night Men's Bible Study | Youth Room | 6:30-8:30pm The Thursday Men's Bible study is examining the life of Jesus as described in the Gospel of Luke. We invite all men of any age to join us; all you need is a Bible and a hunger for deeper understanding of God's Word.

Wednesday Night Men's Bible Study | Parlor | 7-8:30pm Men, join us as we study of the Book of Philippians, Paul's Epistle of joy and encouragement to the Philippian Church, written while Paul was in prison in Rome.

CAMP ZION

Registration for Summer Camp 2026 open now! Visit campzion.com for dates and to register.



The **Camp Zion Spaghetti Dinner & Auction** is just around the corner! Join us on Saturday, March 7 to celebrate Camp's 80th Birthday and fundraise for the next 80! Tickets will be for sale in the Lobby following the service on February 22 and March 1, or in person at the event. \$15 for adults and \$10 for youth ages 5-12. Doors open at 5:00pm. Be sure to follow the Camp Zion Facebook page for a sneak peek of the auction. If you plan to donate an auction item or would like to sign up to bring a dessert, email Anna at annaewillkomm@gmail.com.

CAMP ZION SPAGHETTI DINNER AND AUCTION

Saturday, March 7 @ 5PM
Christ Community Church

\$15 Adults / \$10 Ages 5-12



YOUTH MINISTRY (7TH - 12TH GRADE)

lbarnes@ccczion.org FOR SIGN-UP OR MORE INFO

New Testament Survey In YBF - Our senior high Sunday morning class recently began our study of the New Testament. In this course, we are going through every book of the NT using the visual overview videos and posters created by the Bible Project as well additional materials. Most Christian adults, let alone teens, do not have even a basis understanding of these 27 books. Our aim is to provide teens with the resources to gain functional familiarity with the NT in order to provide a foundation for lifelong growth.

Camp Zion Spaghetti Supper Servers - Every year, students give back to Camp Zion by serving tables at this annual fundraiser. This year's dinner is on Saturday, March 7. All junior and senior high students are welcome to assist and should arrive by 4:15pm (so you can eat before you serve!) and plan to stay until 7:15pm. Attire is black pants with a Camp Zion T-shirt. Sign up with Pastor Leo.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (BIRTH THROUGH 6TH GRADE)

TALLEN@CCCZION.ORG FOR SIGN-UP OR MORE INFO



AWANA Tomorrow's theme is Camp Zion. We'll see you at 6:15pm.

MomCo | Wednesday | 9am Topic: Creating Intentional Time with Your Kids.

VBS | June 15-19, 2026 VBS is a fun, week-long program that centers around Bible stories, exciting games and activities to keep children engaged, creating lasting memories that can be life-changing. Theme Reveal next Sunday!



SUNDAY SCHOOL AND ABF 9:00AM - 10:10AM

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30AM

GET CONNECTED

Adult Bible Fellowships (ABFs)

Credo - Room E (Quilting Room)
The Merge - Fellowship Hall
Elevate - Llyod Chapel
Touchpoint - Seminar Area
Unidad en Cristo - Darms Chapel
Women's - Parlor
Youth

High School - YBF - Youth Room
Junior High - Room 5

Children

Classes meet in Children's Wing

Baby Nursery
1 Year Olds
2 Year Olds
3 Year Olds
4 Year Olds Through K
1st & 2nd Grade
3rd & 4th Grade
5th & 6th Grade

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“The purpose of Christ Community Church
is to glorify God in obedience
to the Great Commission and the
Great Commandments.”