

Today's Announcements:

The Worship Service is at 10:00 am. Dan Serlenga is giving the Sermon and George Warner is our Accompanist. There is Care & Share after the Worship Service. The Spanish Ministry will be meeting at 3:00 pm.

Sermons for the month of August:

8/24- Russ Topping
8/31- Phil McCloughan

Our Accompanists:

8/24- George Warner
8/31- Stephen McCloughan

The September Newsletter Items are due to the Church Office the week of August 18th.

Plan Ahead:

There is No Ladies' Bible Study on Wednesday August 20th.

The ISI-Garage Giveaway is Saturday August 23rd from 8:00 am-12:00 pm in Princeton. Bicycles in good working order are always needed. Monetary donations are always appreciated. You can contact anyone on the Missions Team with any questions. Please refer to the flyer in the bulletin.

The new Schedule for Care & Share, for the 2025-2026 season will be posted in the kitchen at the end of August. Thank you to all the individuals and groups who have participated!

Ministries This Week:

MONDAY

TUESDAY
9:00 pm AA

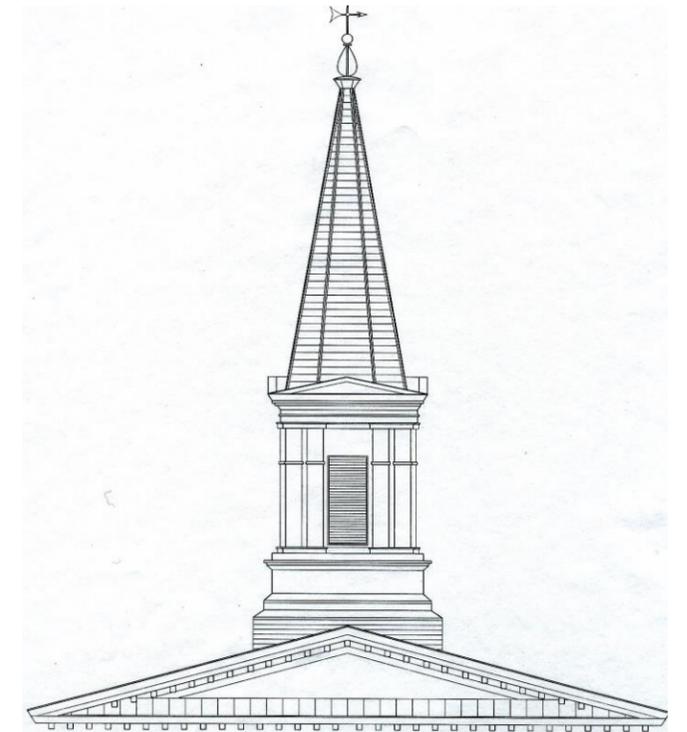
WEDNESDAY
No Ladies' Bible Study today

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY
8:00 am-12:00 pm
ISI Garage Giveaway

NEXT SUNDAY
10:00 am Worship
Russ Topping will be giving the Sermon
George Warner is our Accompanist
3:00 pm Spanish Ministry



The Community Church of Lambertville

A House of Prayer for All People

Since 1816

Our Mission and Calling:

Lead by the Holy Spirit we will,

Celebrate our Lord through vibrant worship

Witness by the example of a Christ centered life

Prepare God's people for service

***Proclaim the Good News of Salvation through our Lord
and Savior Jesus Christ***

Hymn Time:

"Spirit of God Descend Upon My Heart"
George Croly (1780-1860)

George was born in Dublin, Ireland. He was ordained in 1804 and became an Anglican minister. After going through a difficult experience at a church in Ireland, George moved to London in 1810. For the next 25 years he was involved in literature, writing poems, novels, and theological works. In 1835 George once again tried the ministry. He opened a church in the slums of London that had been closed for over 100 years. George was known as a fundamentalist in theology, a fierce conservative in politics, and intensely opposed to all forms of liberalism.

If Jesus had never sent the Holy Spirit to indwell and guide us, our relationship with God would be incomplete. Take time this morning or this week to pray the first verse of this hymn. Ask God to change the focus of your life from things temporal to things spiritual.

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August 17, 2025
10:00 AM

The Gathering to Praise and Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

+Call to Worship: #652 Reading-Red Hymnal

Create In Me A Pure Heart

+Hymns:

#653 *Whiter than Snow (vs. 1 & 4)*

#654 *Change My Heart, O God*

+Passing of the Peace

+Glory Be to the Father #813

In the Presence of the Lord

Prayers of Confession/Assurance of Pardon

Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer

Offering/+Doxology #815

Special Music: Ladies' Ensemble

Who Am I

Under the Authority of Christ, the Savior

+Hymn: #390

Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart

Scriptures:

Psalm 51:1-17

Galatians 5:1-6

Message:

Faith By Law or Faith By Love

Depart to Serve the Lord

+Hymn: #548

As the Deer

+Benediction

+ Please stand if you are able

Welcme to the Community Church!



A warm and sincere welcome to one and all!

It is a privilege to gather as God's people to open ourselves to the presence of God and to praise God with loving hearts.

Church Office Phone Number: 609-397-0650

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Participating in Today's Service:

Elder: Russ Topping

Deacon: Stephen McCloughan

Greeter: Joan Yannarella

Worship Assisting for August:

Elder Schedule

8/24- Phil McCloughan

8/31- Phil McCloughan

Deacon Schedule

8/24- Gail Armitage

8/31- LaNelle Gallagher

Greeting Schedule

8/24- Sue McCloughan

8/31- Donna Zambella

Church Office:

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

11 am-3 pm

Wednesday 2-5 pm

The Elder on Call for the Month of

August is:

Karen Thatcher 609-397-8430

About the Message:

Are the struggles we face a sign of failure? When we feel the tension (God's will or my will), do we heed the Spirit at work in us or do we work harder to overcome our failure. You can never overcome sin with harder work or more laws or willpower. Our help is only found in Jesus Christ. Paul more than any other Apostle, knew what it was like to struggle. The struggle IS NOT a sign of failure; it's the Holy Spirit at work in you.

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

