



Silver Spring Presbyterian Church

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Sunday, November 1, 2026

All Saints' Day, 9:00 am

Please silence your cell phone.

GATHERING IN GOD'S PRESENCE

+WELCOME

Rev. Dr. Don Wahlig

REFLECTION ON COMMITMENT: Loving and Serving Neighbors

Barb Wiggin

MUSIC FOR ADORATION

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

arr. Larson

+*CALL TO WORSHIP

Scott Pepperman

L: We gather here this day to praise the God of love and justice.

P: In love, God made us; in love, the Lord redeems us.

L: What does the Lord require of us?

P: God calls us to do justice, love mercy, and to walk humbly with our Lord.

L: In the name of the Father, Son, and Spirit,

ALL: Let us worship God!

+*HYMN #12

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Scott Pepperman

Merciful God, you are the maker of justice and the source of righteousness. You hear the cries of the suffering, and you call us to fill their needs. Forgive us, O God, when we fail to reflect your love and justice. Forgive us when we have food enough and food leftover, yet we do not share with those in need. Forgive us when we have power for good and power for change but use it only for our own benefit. Forgive us when you speak to us through the words of your prophets, but we cover our ears because they make us uncomfortable. O Lord, teach us to follow in your way by walking in the path of Jesus. In his name, we pray.
(Continue in Silent Reflection & Confession)

KYRIE—HYMN # 551

"Lord, Have Mercy"

Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy upon us.

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*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Scott Pepperman

L: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. As far as the East is from the West, so has God removed our transgressions from us. I declare to you then, in the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

P: Amen! Thanks be to God!

+*RESPONSE TO PARDON #435

There's a wideness in God's mercy, like the wideness of the sea;
there's a kindness in His justice which is more than liberty.
There is no place where earth's sorrows are more felt than up in heaven.
There is no place where earth's failings have such kindly judgment given.

* PASSING THE PEACE

Scott Pepperman

L: Now, as those who know God's peace in Jesus Christ, let us share his peace with one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

P: And also with you!

L: Please greet one another with signs of Christ's peace.

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

TIME WITH CHILDREN

Austin Shoop

FIRST READING

Amos 8:4-10

Scott Pepperman

SECOND READING

Matthew 19:16-26

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

SERMON

Financial Advice from God, Part 2:

"God's Call to Faithful Philanthropy"

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

ANTHEM

"Shall We Gather at the River?"

arr. John Carter

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

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...Our Savior invites all who trust in him to share this feast which he has prepared.

HYMN #507

“Come to the Table of Grace” verse 1

Capo 3: (D) (A) (Bm) (D7/A) (G)
F C Dm F7/C B^b

1 Come to the ta - ble of grace. Come to the

(A) (D) (A) (D) (Em)
C F C F Gm

ta - ble of grace. This is God's ta - ble; it's

(D/A) (G) (D/A) (A7) (D) (G) (D)
F/A B^b F/C C7 F B^b F

not yours or mine. Come to the ta - ble of grace.

THE INVITATION

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Great is the mystery of faith:

553 Christ Has Died; Christ Is Risen

Capo 3: (D) (A) (D) (G)(A) (D) (A) (D/F#)(F#m)
F C F B^b C F C F/A Am

Christ has died; Christ is ris-en; Christ will come a - gain.

(G) (A)(Bm) (G) (D) (A)(Bm) (Em7) (A)(Dsus)(D)
B^b C Dm B^b F C Dm Gm7 C Fsus F

Christ has died; Christ is ris-en; Christ will come a - gain.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE ELEMENTS

CLOSING PRAYER

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Amen



TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Rev. Lisa Chase

*Doxology, Hymnal #606 “Doxology”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SENDING IN THE SPIRIT

*HYMN #749

[“Come! Live in the Light! \(We Are Called\)”](#)

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Wahlig

*MUSICAL RESPONSE #541, v.1

**God be with you till we meet again; Loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd’s care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again.**

*POSTLUDE

“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken” arr. Hughes

**Please rise in body and/or spirit*

+Latecomers will be seated

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The twenty-nine white roses remind us of the members and friends of Silver Spring congregation who died this past year:

Dianne Arbogast, Lew Atkinson, Bob Babiarz, Michael Butler, Louise Chase, John Cuthbertson, Ruth Norma Libby Dagino, Leanna Hall, Dorothy Jean Henry, Curt Hudson, Lynne Jackson, Mary Lou Karkuff, Emma J. Kazor, Ron Kutz, Bruce McLain, Ken Miller, Helen L. Moore, Rich Morelli, Richard Moyer, Jim Shoop, Ada Sloane, Donald Spangler, Ruth Stoll, Gertrude Taylor, Nancy Thomas, Peggy Toms, Doris “Tina” Trayer, Deborah Wiggin Wohlstadter

The extra rose is to remind you of someone special in your life whom you have loved and lost.

The chancel flowers are given by Dr. Thomas E. Strong and the Chase family to the Glory of God, and in loving memory of Peggy Strong, whose birthday was November 2nd, and in honor of Rev. Lisa S. Chase, whose birthday is November 3rd.

Hearing-assist devices are located at each entrance of the Meeting House.

To assist those who for some reason must leave the sanctuary during the worship service, a video-camera link broadcasts the service to the Chapel.

WE THANK THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE FOR THEIR SERVICE THIS WEEK

Ushers: Jenny Jillson and John Brown **Liturgist:** Scott Pepperman

Deacon Servers: Megan Crompton and Judy La Pointe

Downtown Daily Bread November 6th: Steve and Mary Poague Rexford

WEEKLY SSPC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR NOVEMBER 1, 2026

Reformed Theology Class this Sunday at 10:10 am - Room 204

Join us for the fifth class in a 6-part seminar on “What Makes us Reformed Christians, and How Did We Get this Way?” This week, Josiah Montgomery will lead dialogue concerning how Reformed Christianity interacted with and responded to the Great Awakening, the American Revolution, and Darwinism. Many Christians often struggle with how they should study or address these topics, so it is important to keep sight of our heritage and our beliefs when discussing them. Bring your coffee!

Upcoming Christian Education opportunities:

- Adult Forum and Sunday School – none today due to Theology class.
- High School/Middle School youth – none today.
- Intergenerational Choir – today in Room 112 at 10:00 am
- Youth Church and Pre-K/K Youth Church – today in Room 112 at 10:00 am.
- Monday Afternoon Bible Study –November 2nd, Room 204, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
- Men's Bible Study – Monday, November 9th, Room 204, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
- Wednesday Afternoon Bible Study – 1:00 pm -3:00 pm in the Parlor.

Thank You: A big thank you to our small but mighty sticky bun crew. We had 77-1/2 dozen for sale this year. Those who helped were: Beth Winters, Ken Harm, Don Winning, Roy McLain, John Brown, BJ Lopez, Nancy and Mike Gawlas, Jane Bishop, Fred Shatto, and Kim Spradley (non-church member). I apologize if I missed anyone. Much appreciated, Kathy Yinger

Meal with a Mission – November 18th

Following a simple supper in the fellowship hall, we will be assembling emergency food boxes for New Hope Ministries. Collection bins are in the Gathering Place and near the Preschool. The following items are needed for each emergency food box:

- 5 canned fruits
- 8 canned vegetables
- 6 grains--including cereal, pasta, rice, instant oatmeal, etc.
- 4 proteins--including beans, peanut butter, canned tuna, canned chicken, etc.
- 6 meals---including canned soup, can of Chef Boyardee, box of mac n cheese, pasta sauce, hamburger helper, box of granola bars, etc.

Please sign up ahead for the simple supper at 5:30 in the fellowship hall. You can register through Realm, or sign up on the sheet in the Gathering Place.

Save the Date for Carlisle Truck Stop Ministry Cookie Baking!

We will be baking cookies at the church on Monday morning, November 30th for the Carlisle Truck Stop Ministry. Please save the date.

November Dining Out Opportunities

Join us for a meal and fellowship on these dates. All are welcome!

- Lunch Group on November 2nd at noon at the Pizza Grill in Camp Hill.
- Dining Out Group on November 9th at 5:30 pm at the Ever Grain Brewing Company on the Carlisle Pike.

Signup sheet in the Gathering Place, or contact Susan Roquemore at 717-645-1220.

Christmas Cantata Rehearsals

Choir rehearsals for the Christmas Cantata are Wednesday evenings from approximately 7:45 pm to 8:15 pm. Please email Tracy at tracy@silverspring.org if you would like to be part of the choir for the Cantata.

New Hope Ministries

Our next Meal with a Mission on November 18th will be for packing emergency food boxes for New Hope Ministries. Please see the announcement above for the food items that are needed. Bins are located in the Gathering Place and in the Preschool.

CORE Youth

No CORE tonight

Earth Care Tip

FYI: 4 things that thrift stores will not take:

1. Worn out/damaged clothing
2. Used mattresses and pillow
3. Underwear and socks
4. Opened or expired personal care items

Young Adults Christian Education Group, the Pathfinders!

CE and young leaders from SSPC have begun a new group for young adults over 18 called the "Pathfinders." For further information, contact Ty Headley. Currently, the group is studying from the Book of Matthew. Come and discuss, come and learn!

Giant Gift Cards - Help CE Raise Money for our Christian Education programs!

For many years, Cindy Corbin has administered the Giant food gift card program. We thank Cindy, as she will soon be handing it off to another member of the congregation. If you shop at Giant and sign up for gift cards, there's no added cost. For every dollar, Christian Education gets five cents, so on a monthly basis, it's \$75 maybe \$100. Christian Education appreciates your faith and trust in our programs and your support as always. Blessings

Prayers of healing and comfort:

John Clegg, Ken Engle, Bob Gaffney, Carol Gebert, Margaret Glockner, Tony Kren, Judy LaPointe, Gil and Joyce Longwell, Pat Miller, Eliza Myers, Betsy Neilson, Chris Sebring, Bill Spoon, Millie Swatt, Tanya Wagner

Prayers for sympathy: Family of Lew Atkinson, Carol Cuthbertson and family, Harriet Shoop and family

Prayers for our Military Members & First Responders: Olivia Chase, Jacob Flenner, Wyatt La Pointe, Justin Ledvina, Josiah Scandle, Chloe Scott

John Clegg's address for cards:

509 Hickory Ridge Road, Newport, PA 17110

Memorial Services at SSPC:

Service for Lew Atkinson on Friday, November 6th at 1 pm.

Service for John Cuthbertson on Saturday, November 7th at 11 am

ATTENDANCE

October 18	October 25
9 am Traditional – 110 YouTube – 65	9 am Traditional – 105 YouTube – 75
11 am Gathering – 42 YouTube – 25	11 am Gathering – 45 YouTube – 41
Christian Education – 48	Christian Education – 45

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Dr. Donald B. Wahlig	Senior Pastor/Head of Staff
Rev. Lisa S. Chase	Associate Pastor
Tracy Wieseman	Director of Music
Erica Ickes	Organist
Ryan Edwards	Worship Tech Specialist
Emily Cocores	Preschool Director
Austin Shoop	Youth Director
Diane G. Rabold	Business Manager
Priscilla Biller	Office Manager
John Clegg	Sexton

We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.

Our Mission is to love and praise God, love and nurture our church family, and love and serve our neighbors,

through worship, prayer, fellowship, education, hands-on work, financial support and compassionate care,

in order to follow Jesus and make known the Kingdom of Heaven.

Our Vision is to be a grace-filled family of faith sharing Christ's love with all.

Our Values:

Glorify God: Glorify and praise God through discipling, sharing faith and serving with love

Show Compassion: Compassion expressed as care and concern for all

Share Hospitality: Inclusive hospitality through welcome, acceptance and fellowship

Nurture Relationships: Nurture relationships through respect, support and communication

Steward God's gifts: Faithful stewardship of all God's gifts



Soli Deo Gloria

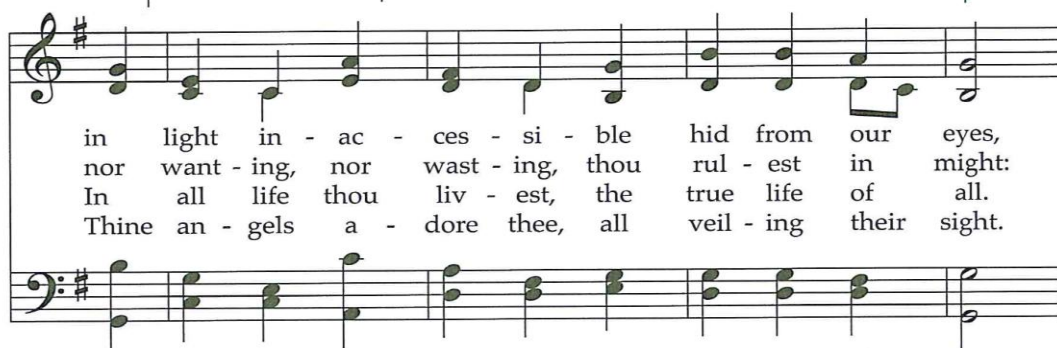
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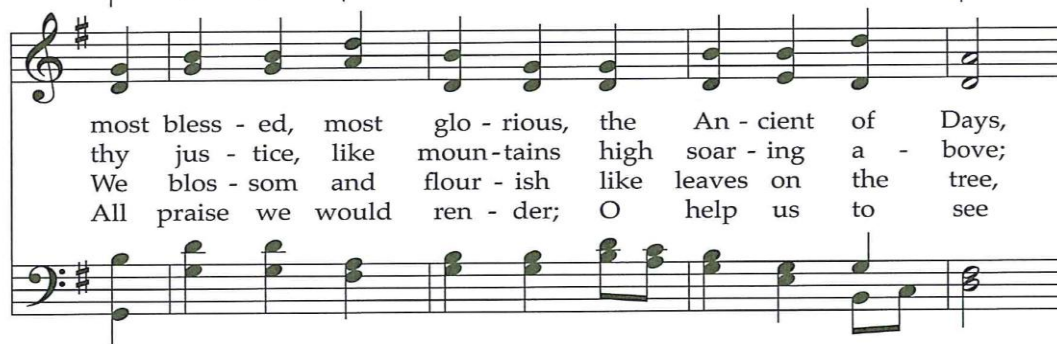
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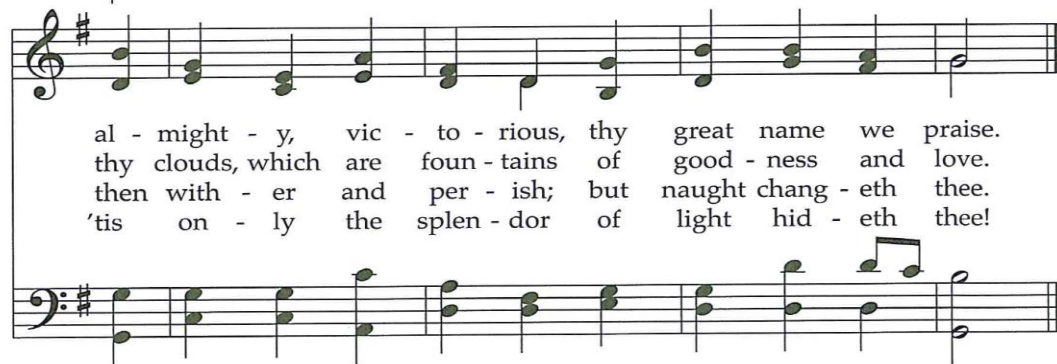
1 Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,
 2 Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing, and si - lent as light,
 3 To all, life thou giv - est, to both great and small.
 4 Thou reign - est in glo - ry; thou dwell - est in light.



in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,
 nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might:
 In all life thou liv - est, the true life of all.
 Thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight.



most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,
 thy jus - tice, like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove;
 We blos - som and flour - ish like leaves on the tree,
 All praise we would ren - der; O help us to see



al - might - y, vic - to - rious, thy great name we praise.
 thy clouds, which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.
 then with - er and per - ish; but naught chang - eth thee.
 'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee!

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Come! Live in the Light!

We Are Called

G C D G

1 Come! Live in the light! Shine with the
 2 Come! O - pen your heart! Show your
 3 Sing! Sing a new song! Sing of that

C D Em

joy and the love of the Lord! We are called
 mer - cy to all those in fear! We are called
 great day when all will be one! God will reign,

Em7 C G Am7

to be light for the king - dom, to live in the
 to be hope for the hope - less so ha - tred and
 and we'll walk with each oth - er as sis - ters and

G C Dsus D

free - dom of the cit - y of God.
 vio - lence will be no more.
 broth - ers u - nit - ed in love.

Refrain

G C D C D G C

We are called to act with jus - tice; we are called to

D Em Em7 C D

love ten - der - ly; we are called to serve one an -

C D G C D C G

oth - er, to walk hum - bly with God.