

STAY CONNECTED AT CCC...

NO YOUTH GROUP, NOVEMBER 6

There is no youth group this Sunday. The next HS meeting is 11/13 and the next MS meeting is 11/20.

PRAYER FOR CCC LEADERS

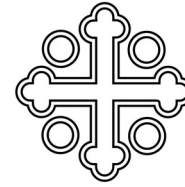
Pray for **Cameron** as he will be away on a **prayer and pastoral cohort retreat Thursday, 11/3, through Friday, 11/11.**

NEXT LORD'S TABLE SERVED, NOVEMBER 13

We will celebrate communion together on **Sunday, November 13th.** Please read the preparatory letter that will come out during the week prior so as to joyfully receive this means of grace as a reminder of your redemption in Christ.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR KINDERGARTEN - 1ST GRADE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children's ministry is need of several volunteers to serve on a **monthly rotation** in our **Kindergarten-1st grade** Sunday School class which will meet **before worship.** If you are interested in serving or would like more information please contact Bonnie at bonnie@christcommunitycobb.org.



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OUR VISION:

TO SEE THE GOSPEL CHANGE HEARTS, LIVES, AND COMMUNITY
BY MULTIPLYING DISCIPLES IN NORTHWEST ATLANTA AND BEYOND
CHANGED HEARTS, CHANGED LIVES, CHANGED COMMUNITY

OUR WORSHIP CELEBRATION

NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Prelude

~The instrumental cue to gather and prepare for worship

Welcome

***Call to Worship - Psalm 100**

~God's invitation for us to engage in worship in the Holy Spirit

***Weekly Congregational Response**

~Our humble response to God's call to worship

***Prayer of Invocation**

~The giving of thanks for God's promised presence and work among us

Song of Preparation and Praise - *Goodness of God

~Our celebration of God as our good and faithful Abba Father

***Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon - 1 John 3:1-3**

~Our admission of our failures and need for Christ as Savior

***Congregational Response: Amen!**

Song of Comfort - *The Church's One Foundation

~Our praise of Jesus as our Savior

Pastoral Prayer - Byron Johnson with Vision 938 and Ross Ritter, Cherokee Presbyterian, Canton

~Our prayer for the church gathered near and far

Sermon - The Family of God Matthew 12:46-50

Song of Response - *For All The Saints

~Our commitment to apply God's Word in and through our lives

***Announcements**

~Weekly opportunities to live out the Word read, confessed, prayed, sung, and preached

***Benediction - Ephesians 3:14-19**

~God's parting blessing as we are sent out on His redemptive mission

***Congregational Response: Amen!**

*Stand

"THE FAMILY OF GOD"

MATTHEW 12:46-50

ROBBY BAXTER

Key Truth: Jesus has made us not merely His followers, but His family.

Introduction:

Q: *What does it take to make a church a family?*

Matthew 12:46-50: Mothers and Brothers and Sisters of Jesus

"The way for us to be as close to Jesus as His nearest and dearest is to do the will of His Father...[Note carefully that] we do not *make ourselves* Jesus' close relatives by doing the will of His heavenly Father. Rather, doing the Father's will *identifies* us as His mother and sisters and brothers. The doing of that will turns on obedience to Jesus and His teachings, according to Matthew, for it was Jesus who preeminently revealed the will of the Father."

D.A. Carson, *The Expositor's Bible Commentary on Matthew*

Q: *In what ways have you experienced CCC as family? In what ways have you engaged with others at CCC as family?*

"Individual and corporate spiritual vitality are coinherent; it is impossible to grow to full stature as an individual while separated from smaller and larger groups in the church, nor can the body grow without the renewing of its members."

Richard Lovelace, *Dynamics of Spiritual Life*

Application:

Matthew 12:46-50 teaches us that:

-Jesus has made us not merely His followers, but His family.

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