



## Camp Springs Community Church

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*Welcome to Camp Springs Community Church. I trust that you will be blessed today as we study God's Word together. The foundational teaching of the Bible is the Gospel of Jesus Christ, which simply teaches that every person is a sinner (thinks and does wrong things) and is permanently separated from God and Heaven. However, Jesus Christ (God's Son), became a man who died by being nailed to a cross to pay for the sins of the world, and then rose from the grave. Whoever puts his faith in Jesus Christ for salvation will have his sins forgiven and will gain entry into heaven (John 3:16). Please ask us if you have questions.*

10 AM Message      MAKING OF THE SAMARITANS      2 KINGS 17:24-41

### MORNING SERVICE

Prelude:

Greetings and Announcements

Scripture Reading      ACTS 7:17-25      LEE FOLTZ

Prayer

Special Music

11 AM Message      PALACE OR PROMISE?      HEBREWS 11:23-29

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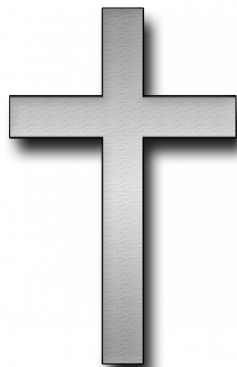
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### SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Sunday School for all Ages..... 10:00 AM  
Sunday Morning..... 11:00 AM  
Wednesday –AWANA ..... 7:00 PM  
Wednesday – Adult Bible Study..... 7:00 PM

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Mornings, from 9:45 AM to 12:15 PM, YouTube Live on the CSCC Channel will be open, all are welcome to connect.

Wednesday Evenings: Adult Bible Study, and AWANA 7 pm.

### ATTENDANCE

Mar	10 am Sunday School	11 am Worship	WED
3	16	31	21
10	LEE FOLTZ		
17			
24			
31			

### UPCOMING IN THE CHURCH:

OPEN GYM: (TODAY) MARCH 10<sup>TH</sup>: BASKETBALL  
DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME: MARCH 10<sup>TH</sup>. SPRING FORWARD!!  
OPEN GYM: MARCH 24<sup>TH</sup> KICKBALL  
EASTER: MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>  
CHURCH WORK DAY: APRIL  
LADIES TEA: MAY 18<sup>TH</sup>  
MEMORIAL DAY PICNIC: MAY 27<sup>TH</sup>

On the Ngubane front, we would appreciate prayer for a few documents! If the Lord wills, we would love to return in July-January for our first furlough together!

Last year we realized our Marriage Certificate had an incorrect date for my date of birth. I(Abbie) submitted the request to amend it on Oct 5th, 2023, and it has still not been processed. So, every two weeks I make a trip to the city to check on it since Home Affairs doesn't receive incoming phone calls or emails.

Since I have resided in South Africa this long my visa also requires a South African Police Clearance. Which also takes 3-4 months to process. It has been sitting in the queue for 2 months now.

**The prayer is to receive both documents before returning to the US, so I can apply for a Spousal Visa.**

Mthoko has just completed his US Visa application for the third time. We spoke to an immigration lawyer and they said that he only has a 10% chance of being approved.

The more sure route is applying for a green card, which is a much longer and more expensive process.

In short, **we need divine intervention.** We desire to come back and visit you all, together and not be separated for months as I apply and wait for my new visa. Pray for our hearts as we prepare and wait. We trust the Lord is good in all his ways, and desire for his will to become ours, even in tough and unknown circumstances.

Well, many of you have probably wondered what is going on with that old project, "Harrity House"?

After lots of prayer and many conversations, we decided to not build on the 7 Rivers Farm Property. Mthoko's Khulu(Mother's mother) had a large portion of her land unused and graciously sold it to us. It is a 1.25-acre plot that is in great need of development. There isn't a single flat piece on it! Mthoko has been working tirelessly to clear a space for a house, and he has done a wonderful job! There is now a nice space cleared and a road. Early this month, we hired three local guys to start putting in a fence. Digging the holes, mixing cement, placing poles, and stringing wire. We are hoping for them to finish it this week!

Pray with us as we seek to hire more men to build the structure, and for Mthoko that opportunities to share Christ arise.

We are encouraged that the reality of living where we work and serve is developing before our eyes! We were delighted to welcome our new teammate, Katie Haskell, in the middle of January! She came for a month-long vision trip and stayed with me(Abbie) in 2021. Three years later she is here on the ground. We spent the first week trying to collect some things to help settle her in. We are grateful to now have a nurse and a doctor as 7 Rivers Staff! Please pray for her as she continues to adjust, and find her rhythm within the team. She will be starting language lessons with Bongeka the first week in March.

As always, we are thankful for your prayers for protection, wisdom, and gospel-impact as we ask the Lord to work through us to build his church.

***For His Glory,  
Mthoko & Abbie***

### **UPDATE:**

Hi friends, it is with a heavy heart I write, to update you that Mthoko and I made a quick decision on Monday, March 4th. As soon as I woke, I received word that my father had suddenly passed. Within 4hrs of receiving the call I jumped on the soonest flight and landed in Pittsburgh early Tuesday morning. It is a blessing to be close to my family at this time. We trust that our Lord's ways are higher, and are for our good and His glory. We can rest that my daddy is with the Lord and no longer in the pain of this sin-cursed world. When I looked at his phone, He had pulled up two Psalms, Psalm 34, and Psalm 116. He is at peace now, because He is home.

Prayers are appreciated as we grieve and process. Prayers for Mthoko and I are appreciated as well, as he is not able to be with us during this time. My father's service will be held on Sat, March 9th, in North Huntingdon, PA. We will keep you posted on my traveling dates as we know them.