Peninsula Community Chapel

MAKING DISCIPLES WHO *KNOW* HIS JOY & *CHANGE* HIS WORLD

NOVEMBER 8, 2026



TODAY'S SERMON

The Danger of Success - Lessons from the Rise and Fall of Gideon

Garrett Spitz – *Lead Pastor*

22 Then the men of Israel said to Gideon, "Rule over us, you and your son and your grandson also, for you have saved us from the hand of Midian." 23 Gideon said to them, "I will not rule over you, and my son will not rule over you; the Lord will rule over you."

Judges 8:22-23

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

8:30AM **Prayer for Sundays** (Conference Room A)

9:00AM **Worship Service** (Gym)

Discipleship Class: *Making Sense of Us* (201)

High School (301) **& Middle School** (302) **Bible Studies**

College Breakfast & Bible Study (208)

10:45AM **Worship Service** (Gym)

Discipleship Class: *Are You Listening?* (201)

Global Ministry Prayer: *Africa* (Room 208)

6:00PM **No PSM** *(due to Camp Eagle trip)*

INFORMATION

CONNECT TO Wi-Fi

Network: Guest of PCC

Password: Making Disciples

CONNECT WITH US

Download the Church Center App:

- Watch Sunday Services
- See the Calendar
- Register for Events
- Check In Your Family
- Give Online

CONNECT TO TRANSLATION APP

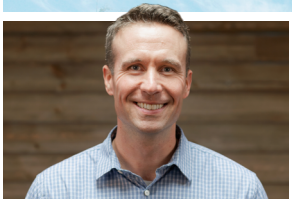
Access real-time language translation during our worship services with Kaleo AI

NEW TO THE CHAPEL?

Welcome!

Communication Card

We want to get to know you! Please fill out the attached card and place it in a drop box by the exit.



Garrett Spitz - *Lead Pastor*

Preschool, Children, Students & Adults

We've got something for everyone! From Bible studies to small groups to programs for kids. To learn more, visit pccyorktown.com.

Mothers' Rooms

Room 107 and Conference Room B are set aside for feeding / pumping and are quiet places for moms. Both rooms have a live service video feed and comfortable seating available.



ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship
Mel Seaton

Worship Through Music
(congregation standing)
Please feel free to sit down during this time if needed

Ministry Report
Summit Christian Academy
Justin Throupe & Kristen Spitz
We invite kids, K-5th grade, to KidzMin after the Ministry Report

Worship Through Giving & Music
(congregation standing)
Please deposit donations in the drop boxes by the exits or give online: bit.ly/giveatpcc

Sermon
The Danger of Success:
Lessons from the Rise and Fall of Gideon
(Judges 7:1-25)
Garrett Spitz - *Lead Pastor*

Song of Response
(congregation standing)

NEXT SUNDAY

Judges: The Search for a Better Savior & Renewal that Lasts (Judges 8)
Chris Chappell - *Associate Pastor*

PRAYER OF BELIEF

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. Thank you for paying my debt on the cross and offering me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and embrace you as my Savior and Lord. *Amen.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

NOVEMBER

- **12** 60+ Potluck | 6-8 PM | Café
- **14** Serve the City: Big Volunteer Day
- **15** Baptisms | Both Services
- **16** Red Cross Blood Drive 1-6 PM | PCC
- **22** Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes Due
- **22** Thanksgiving Service 5:30 PM | PCC
- **23-24** Deck the (PCC) Halls

DECEMBER

- **2** Day of Prayer & Fasting
- **5-6** PORT | 5:30 PM | HBC, NN
- **11** KidzMin Christmas Carnival | 6-8PM | PCC

NEWS & OPPORTUNITIES

NOV 12 **60+ Potluck** - *Thursday, November 12 | 6-8 PM | Café*
Bring a grateful heart, a dish to share, and ears to hear encouragement from Mark Shaw on our continued growth in the Lord. RSVP at bit.ly/60gratitude26 and sign up for a dish to share at bit.ly/60foodsignup26.

NOV 14 **Serve the City: Big Volunteer Day** - *Saturday, November 14*
Serve your community alongside volunteers from across the Peninsula for a morning of hands-on service. Invite a friend and sign up today: bit.ly/justvolunteer.

NOV 16 **Red Cross Blood Drive** - *Monday, November 16 | 1-6 PM | Halls B & C*
Join us in giving blood to help others live. Register at redcrossblood.org and enter sponsor code PCCYT.

NOV 22 **Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Drive** - *Return by Sunday, November 22*
Give the hope of Jesus, and bless a child somewhere in the world this Christmas! Pick up a shoebox in the foyer, then fill it with gifts. Our goal is 300 boxes!

NOV 22 **Thanksgiving Service** - *Sunday, November 22 | 5:30PM*
Join us for a special time of worship and sharing as we give thanks for the many blessings the Lord has given us this year. Limited childcare available (3 months to 5th Grade). Register at bit.ly/thanks26cc.

NOV 23 **Deck the (PCC) Halls** - *Monday, November 23 – Tuesday, November 24*
Help us Deck the PCC Halls for this Christmas season! We need helpers of all ages from 9 AM to 3 PM both days! Sign up: bit.ly/pccdth26.

DEC 5 **PORT** - *December 5 - 6 | 5:30PM | Hilton Baptist Church, Newport News*
During the cold months of the year, churches and organizations on the Peninsula work together to provide meals and shelter for the homeless in our community. PCC is providing dinner and breakfast. More info: suzanne.epperley@gmail.com

DEC 11 **KidzMin Christmas Carnival** - *Friday, December 11 | 6-8PM | PCC*
Bring the whole family for an evening full of Christmas cheer, laughter, and fun! Enjoy carnival games, inflatable mazes, festive crafts, face painting, delicious treats, and more. Families will also have the opportunity to experience the story of Jesus' birth through a special Bethlehem Walk! Register at bit.ly/kmcarnival26.

FEB 19 **Women's Ministry Conference** - *REGISTRATION NOW OPEN:* bit.ly/pccwmc27
He Is Worthy | *February 19-20, 2027* | *Kingsmill Resort, Williamsburg* | A weekend for women to draw near to God together— exploring what it means to worship Him fully, personally and corporately, as we discover afresh that He alone is worthy. Early bird pricing available through January, 4, 2027.

i **Perspectives on the World Christian Movement** - *coming January 2027 | PCC*
Discover God's global purpose and your unique role in it with this 15-week course (offered Mondays, 6–9PM from Jan. 25 to May 3, 2027). Come expand your vision, strengthen your faith, and join the work of making disciples of all peoples. Register: bit.ly/pccperspectives27.

i **Prayer for Global Ministry** - *Sundays | 10:45AM | Room 208*
Prayer is what supports Global Ministry at PCC. We gather to pray every Sunday to lift up the needs of our workers and UPGs. Join us!

PRAY THIS WEEK FOR

PCC GLOBAL PARTNERS:

KIM & ANNIE COLICH

serving in **PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

Email: kim_colich@sil.org

Advocates: Dale & Amy Bell
ma.pa.bell@pm.me

NOTES

NOVEMBER 2026 RESOURCES
Prayer & Action Goals 2026-27

Our Year of Renewal

This would be a great month to revive your soul through our **Worship** Goal. The Prayer & Action Goal brochure has specific suggestions on how to do this. They include going on a prayer walk, inviting others to a meal where you put phones away and talk about what you're thankful for, and incorporating prayer into parts of your daily routine.

WORD: Renew my walk with God in a challenging world and my role in being part of God's renewal by reading and applying Judges and 2 Timothy.

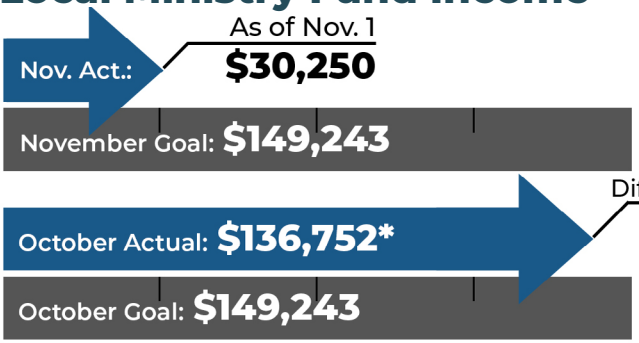
WORSHIP: Revive my soul by replacing disembodied experiences (using technology to disengage from the world) with embodied spiritual activities (Christian spiritual disciplines with a physical component to them).

EQUIP: Reinvigorate my role in Jesus' mission to make disciples by taking new steps to establish or strengthen spiritually intentional friendships.

ENGAGE-LOCAL: Restore my heart for others by opening my eyes to the spiritual and physical needs of those around me and taking steps to help in Jesus' name.

ENGAGE-GLOBAL: Reproduce and revitalize churches in some of the world's hardest places by taking a new step of engagement in PCC Global Ministry.

Local Ministry Fund Income



Expenses vs. Giving
through 10/31/26
YTD Giving: $1,392,516*
YTD Expenses: $1,420,735*
Difference: -$28,219*

Questions? Contact David Taylor at dtaylor@pccyorktown.com