

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT MEMORIAL PARK CHURCH

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: Where are you located?

A: Memorial Park Church is located conveniently at the intersection of Peebles Road and Duncan Avenue in Allison Park. Our address is 8800 Peebles Road, Allison Park, PA 15101.

Q: Where do I park?

A: Memorial Park has two entrances to the parking lot: one on Peebles Road and one on Duncan Avenue. The parking lot is marked with directional arrows to guide you as our parking lanes are directional. Parking attendants will also be nearby if you need assistance with parking.

Q: What is the dress code?

A: We do not have a dress code at Memorial Park. We simply ask that you come as you are! Whether you wear your Christmas best or your warmest sweater, you are welcome however you feel most comfortable.

Q: What do I do with my children?

A: We have a variety of childcare options available for children during our worship services and during Discipleship Hour.

During Sunday Services:

Newborns to 1 Year-Olds: Care in the Nursery

1 Year-Old Walkers to Kindergarteners: Care in the Children's Wing

Grades 1 to 5: Worship with parents for beginning of service, dismissed for age-appropriate worship before message (9:00); worship with parents for entire service (11:15)

Grades 6-12: Worship with parents for entire service

During Discipleship Hour:

Newborns to 1 Year-Olds: Care in the Nursery

1 Year-Old Walkers to Kindergarteners: Care in the Children's Wing

Grades 1 to 5: Age-appropriate classes held in the Children's Wing

Grades 6-12: Age-appropriate classes held in the Clayton Center

During our Christmas Eve services, we will only be offering childcare in our Nursery for newborns to Kindergarteners

Q: What are your service times?

A: Our normal weekend services are on Saturdays at 6:00 PM in the Clayton Center and Sundays at 9:00 & 11:15 AM in the Sanctuary.

Christmas Eve Services are Saturday, December 22 at 6:00 PM (Contemporary Candlelight); Sunday, December 23 at 9:15 & 11:00 AM (fourth week of Advent services); and Monday, December 24 at 5:00 PM (Family Candlelight Service), 7:00 & 9:00 PM (Traditional Candlelight Services).

Q: What are the differences between services?

A: We gather every Saturday night at our Clayton Community Youth Center to sing God's praises, pray for one another, and seek to apply the Word of God to our lives. A full band leads us in a wide variety of worship songs and hymns; and the service features a time of community prayer and the same biblical message you'll hear on Sunday morning. The atmosphere is casual and laid back, including a meal after the service on the first Saturday of each month.

On Sunday mornings, we gather in Memorial Park's Sanctuary as the whole family of God to worship and grow as His disciples. At both services, you will experience an uplifting mixture of music that may include both rich hymns and powerful worship songs. Our deepest desire is to glorify God in worship, and we love to utilize the many gifts of our members and all instruments including our organ, piano, instrumental ensembles, worship band, vocalists, and choir.

Q: Will services ever be cancelled due to weather?

A: If weather issues are a concern, check the Memorial Park website or the local news stations for any cancellations.

Q: As a first-time visitor, am I expected to give during the offering?

A: No. An offering is generally taken during the services and if you are so moved to give towards the ministry of Memorial Park Church. We also offer online giving options for your convenience at mpcepc.org/give.