

Frequently Asked Questions about Advent & Christmas

Q: Where are you located?

A: Memorial Park Church is located conveniently near McCandless Crossing 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 childcare options & Sunday School classes available for children during our 9:00 AM worship service, and 10:10 AM Discipleship Hour, and childcare only during the 11:15 AM worship service. Classroom information is located at the welcome area. An attendant will help direct you to the proper classroom.

During our Christmas Eve services, we will only be offering childcare in our Nursery for newborns to 3-year-olds at the 3:00, 5:00, & 7:00 PM services. During all other services, children are invited to worship together with their parents as a family.

Q: What are your service times?

A: Our normal weekend services are on Saturdays at 6:00 PM, and Sundays at 9:00 & 11:15 AM in the Sanctuary. Christmas Eve Candlelight Services are Saturday, December 18 (Contemporary Candlelight), Friday, December 24 at 3:00 (Traditional Candlelight), 5:00 (Family Candlelight Service), 7:00, & 9:00 PM (Traditional Candlelight).

We offer Live Stream services on our website, Facebook, and YouTube every Sunday at 11:15 AM. The Christmas Eve services at 5:00 & 7:00 PM on December 24 will also be Live Streamed.

Q: What are the differences between services?

A: We gather every Saturday night 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.

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: What safety protocols are in place to mitigate the spread of COVID-19?

A: Masks are required when utilizing the facilities for children under 18. Hand sanitizing stations are available throughout the facilities. You can find [CDC recommendations and guidelines here](#).

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 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.

