

Welcome to **River Community Church**

Sunday Morning Worship

Order of Worship

November 24th at 10:30am

Rev. JM Owens III - Pastor | Rev. Steve Rhodes - Pastor Emeritus

Kevin Raske - Music Director

Prelude

Bring Praises

Boswell, Papa

Welcome & Announcements

God Calls Us to Worship

*Call to Worship

Psalm 100

*Psalm 100: All People that on Earth Do Dwell

Kethe (1561); Arr. Raske

*Prayer of Adoration

We Give Thanks to God

*Call to Thanksgiving

Psalm 118:26–29

Leader: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

All: **The Lord is God, and he has made his light to shine upon us. Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar!**

Leader: You are my God, and I will give thanks to you. You are my God; I will extol you.

All: **Oh give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever.**

*10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Redman, Merker, Myrin

Season of Thanksgiving

We invite those who wish to give public testimonies of thanksgiving to do so at this time.

Please be considerate and brief.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Giving of Tithes & Offerings

Children ages 3–5 may be taken to the nursery during the offering.

*Please Stand

How Sweet and Awesome is the Place

*Doxology

Watts (1707); Arr. K. Smith

Ken (1709)

God Speaks to Us

*Prayer of Illumination

The Word of God Read

1 Timothy 4:11–16

The Word of God Proclaimed

Rev. JM Owens III

“Confidence in Ministry”

1 Timothy: Building a Biblical Church

Responding to God’s Word in Prayer *concluding with the Lord’s Prayer*

God Feeds Us

Invitation & Exhortation

Prayer of Consecration

The Bread & the Cup

Prayer of Dedication

We Rejoice in God’s Blessing

*My Worth is Not in What I Own

Ke. Getty, Kr. Getty, Kendrick; Arr. K. Smith

*Benediction

*Respond with Song

O Church, Arise

So Spirit come, put strength in every stride,

Give grace for every hurdle,

That we may run with faith to win the prize

Of a servant good and faithful.

Elder Office Hours

2nd & 4th Thursday: 6:00–7:30pm

The Elders are available at the church twice a month to provide encouragement, counsel, and prayer. No reservation is necessary.

Weekly Announcements

November 24th–December 1st, 2024

Thanksgiving Potluck

Join us following worship!

Our next church potluck is close at hand. Make plans to join us the Sunday before Thanksgiving, November 24, and bring a favorite Thanksgiving-style dish. Sign-up on the bulletin board today, and please bring an item as suggested by last name.

Sunday Night Youth Fellowship

No Youth Group this Evening

Youth group is postponed this evening for early Thanksgiving gatherings with family. We will resume next weekend.

Food Pantry Needs

Please contribute for the holidays.

The holiday season often increases demand for our Food Pantry Ministry, as it brings many kids home from school and many people are trying to save as much as they can for Christmas. If at all possible, please consider increasing your contribution to the food pantry this month.

Disaster Response for Hurricanes Helene & Milton

Needs are ongoing

Disaster relief efforts are ongoing in the areas affected by hurricanes Helene and Milton. We encourage all gifts made towards hurricane relief go through our denominational agency, MNA Disaster Response. 100% of resources donated are directed through PCA churches serving in the affected areas. See pcamna.org/hurricane-helene or [/hurricane-milton](https://hurricane-milton) for more info.



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