

The Morning Service, eleven o'clock

To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood – Revelation 1:5
 † indicates the congregation standing if able • indicates seating for those detained
 The prelude is a time set aside for quieting our hearts before God in preparation for worship. Please silence cell phones and other electronic devices, and respectfully refrain from unnecessary conversation.

The Welcome Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Prelude – Old Hundredth Piet Post
 Ken Courtney, Organ

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 103:1–5, 22b
¹Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name! ²Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits, ³who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, ⁴who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, ⁵who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. ^{22b}Bless the LORD, O my soul!

The Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 1) OLD HUNDREDTH
 All People That On Earth Do Dwell

† The Confession of Faith The Apostles' Creed
 I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;
 And in Jesus Christ, His only Son our Lord;
 Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
 born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell;
 the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven,
 and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
 from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
 I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic* Church;
 the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
 the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen. (*universal)

† The Gloria Patri – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 735) GREATOREX
 Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

The Morning Prayer Mr. Glynn Dyer, Ruling Elder

The Lord's Prayer
 Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.
 Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:
 For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

• The Offertory Anthem Georg Philipp Telemann
 Ayre

(Please record your attendance in the green Friendship Register.)

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 646) QUEBEC

Jesus, Thou Joy of Loving Hearts

(On the final verse, children K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children's Church.)

The New Testament Reading Ephesians 2:8–10 (Page 976)

Leader: The grass withers, the flower fades,

Congregation: But the Word of our God shall stand forever. Isaiah 40:8

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon Rev. Hendrick

THE KINDNESS OF GOD

I. God's Sovereignty

- A.) Positive statement (v. 5, 7, 8)
- B.) Negative statement (v. 8, 9)

II. Our Responsibility

- A.) Walk in humility (v. 8, 9, 7)
- B.) Do good works (v. 10)
 - 1. Universal works
 Micah 6:8; Rom. 12:2; Heb. 13:21
 - a.) Prohibitions – Exodus 10
 - b.) Commands – Gal. 6:10
 - c.) Permissions
 - d.) Counsel – marriage
 - e.) Precedent
 - f.) Commendation
 - 2. Individual works (1 Cor. 12:15)
 - 3. Practical definition of works
 - a.) Bears fruit – evidence of a true faith (James 2:18)
 - b.) Manifest thankfulness to God
 - c.) Strengthens assurance (1 John 2:3, 5)
 - d.) Edifies the brothers (Matt. 5:16)
 - e.) Professes the gospel
 - f.) Stop the mouths of the adversaries (1 Peter 2:15)
 - g.) Glorify God (John 15:8)

† The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 77) ANDREWS

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

The Benediction Rev. Hendrick

The Postlude – Lancashire Michael Helman

Ken Courtney, Organ

The flowers are given today to the glory of God by Dick & Dottie Geiselman in celebration of their 65th wedding anniversary.

The Evening Service, six o'clock

You also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit – Ephesians 2:22

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The Prelude – Near My God to Thee Hayes
 Billy Hatcher, Piano

The Welcome Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 130:7, 8

⁷O Israel, hope in the LORD! For with the LORD there is steadfast love, and with Him is plentiful redemption. ⁸And He will redeem Israel from all His iniquities.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 7) DUKE STREET
 From All That Dwell Below the Skies

The Evening Prayer Rev. Bigham

The Offering & The Offertory Burger
 In the Sweet By and By

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 679) TRUST IN JESUS
 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

(On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for Children's Choir.)

The New Testament Reading Romans 11:33–36 (Page 947)
 Leader: Faith comes from hearing
 Congregation: And hearing through the word of Christ. Romans 10:17

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon Rev. Ryan Bigham
 OH THE DEPTHS!

† The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 465) MOODY
 Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord

† The Benediction Rev. Bigham

The Postlude – To God Be the Glory Burger
 Billy Hatcher, Piano

All of this and more can be found at myccp.faith
Announcements

Men's Bible Study – Please join us on Saturday, August 3, at 7:00 a.m. as we continue a study of Proverbs. Breakfast will be provided. Please RSVP on the website at <https://www.christchurchpres.org/events> and on the mobile app under the button "Connect-> RSVP".

Wednesday Night Schedule – Please plan on joining us for our Wednesday night fellowship and Bible study starting on August 7 at 5:30 p.m.

Officer Nominations – Beginning on August 4 and continuing through the month of August we will be receiving nominations for the offices of elder and deacon. Nomination forms will be made available to you each week.

WOCC Ladies Paint Morning – Mark your calendars for Saturday, August 10th from 9 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. (approximate) for a guided art project in Covenant Hall! A local artist will be showing us how to paint a beautiful sunrise with three crosses on a hill. We will be using acrylic paint on canvas. All art supplies will be provided. Total cost is \$35 with \$5 of that paid in advance to reserve a spot in class. Please RSVP on the church website by August 5th. The class minimum is 10 individuals. If you have questions text Francesca De Rienzo (831-718-7639).

Trail Life Join the Trail Night – Trail Life troop GA-2215 will have a Join the Trail Night on Monday, August 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Come find out about the Trail Life program and GA-2215 at Christ Church, Presbyterian. Parents will find out about the program and our planned activities for 2024-2025. Boys will experience a regular troop meeting with all its activities.

Trail Life USA is a Church-Based, Christ-Centered, boy-focused mentoring and discipleship journey that speaks to the heart of a boy. Established on timeless values derived from the Bible and set in the context of outdoor adventure, boys from kindergarten through 12th grade are engaged in a Troop setting by male mentors where they are challenged to grow in character, understand their purpose, serve their community, and develop practical leadership skills to carry out the mission for which they were created.

American Heritage Girls Registration is now open for girls ages 5-18 for our 2024-2025 AHG Season! Join us for a hot dog picnic to kick things off on Saturday, Aug 17 from 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in Covenant Hall. This will also serve as a registration/informational meeting for families. Our regular weekly Monday evening meetings will begin on Sept. 9th from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Children's Building. We have an exciting year planned full of faith, service and fun as we strive to fulfill the AHG mission of building women of integrity through service to God, family, community, and country. If you are interested in joining our troop or volunteering, please contact Jen Zamora at ahg@christchurchpres.org or 954-478-2611.

Apologetics Conference (August 24-25) – Join us for our annual Apologetics Conference with guest speaker, Dr. Derek Thomas, a teaching fellow with Ligonier Ministries and professor of Systematic Theology at Reformed Theological Seminary. Dr. Thomas will be speaking on the theme, "The Road to Calvary", exploring three significant events in the life of Christ, which preceded his work on the cross. The conference will begin with a catered dinner on August 24th at 5:30 p.m. with the first session beginning at 6:30 p.m. The conference will continue Sunday the 25th with Dr. Thomas preaching during our morning and evening worship services. If you plan to join us for dinner, please RSVP on our website or by sending an email to the church office.

Good News Club – Training for workers in the Good News Club will be August 24. If you would consider being on our team, please contact Charlotte Jewett. We would love to have more workers.

Mark Your Calendar...

- ◊ Children's Sunday School Promotion – August 4
- ◊ WOCC Ladies Paint Morning – August 10
- ◊ Apologetics Conference with Speaker, Dr. Derek W. H. Thomas – August 24 & 25
This year's Conference Title is "The Road To Calvary"

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 74. What is required in the eighth commandment?
A. The eighth commandment requires lawfully procuring and furthering the wealth and outward state of ourselves and others.

This Week at Christ Church

Week of July 28 – August 3

SUNDAY, July 28	
6:00 a.m.	WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts
7:00 a.m.	WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts
9:00 a.m.	Donuts & Coffee Covenant Hall
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School Nursery I (Birth-23 mos.) Nursery I Nursery II (24-47 mos.) Children's Building K4 through Grade 5 Children's Building Grades 6-12 Youth Building Adult Covenant Hall
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship Sanctuary
4:00 p.m.	Ladies Online Prayer Group Diane Dunsmore (ddunsmore777@gmail.com ; 706-401-4146) Maria Russell (edmarman@gmail.com ; 706-726-1703)
6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Sanctuary
MONDAY, July 29	
6:00 p.m.	Young Adult Bible Study Bigham Home
THURSDAY, January 18	
7:30 p.m.	Ladies Online Prayer Group
FRIDAY, August 2	
7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Church Office
10:00 a.m.	Ladies Bible Study Covenant Hall
SATURDAY, August 3	
7:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study Covenant Hall

Assisting in the Services

The elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are Johan Hubenthal & John Clark.

Ushers are Lee Carter & Stephen Dyer.

The Deacon on Duty is Ed Russell (wearing a red rose).

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord's Day will be Mel Jewett & John Dunsmore.

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Ed Russell, Hank Gautreaux & Joe Beasley.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Eddie Zamora.

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Do this in remembrance of Me. Luke 22:19

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is a means of grace instituted by our Lord to commemorate His death and to commune with Him for the nourishment of our souls and the strengthening of His body. We will observe the sacrament during morning worship on Sunday, August 4. The Leaders of Christ Church strongly encourage Christ Church, Presbyterian members to make plans and preparation to be present and partake of this wonderful means of grace.

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Augusta Care Pregnancy Center

Pray for the Bible study held each week and for the parenting classes held twice each week and for the workers there that minister to these young parents.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

Mel Jewett (2024)
Charles McClure (2024)
Derrick Smits (2024)
Mike Boyd (2025)
Glynn Dyer (2025)
John Dunsmore (2026)
Johan Hubenthal (2026)
John Norkus (2026)

Deacons

Dan Campbell (2024)
Marino De Rienzo (2024)
Rich Fishell (2024)
Gene Gojda (2024)
Ed Russell (2024)
Joe Beasley (2025)
Marion Butler (2025)

Gary Cowart (2025)
Matt Linton (2025)
Eddie Zamora (2025)
Lee Carter (2026)
Hank Gautreaux (2026)
Davis Mellick (2026)

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord's Day, July 28, 2024



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

Ephesians 2:8-10

Welcome

We are delighted that you have joined us in worship today. It is our desire that, as prayers are raised, hymns and anthems are sung, and God's Word is proclaimed, our worship will bring glory to God and gladness to His people. Indeed, we pray that you will personally be blessed by the corporate worship of the Triune God and return to worship with us next Lord's Day. If you would like to know more about Christ Church, how to become a member, or, most importantly, how to have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ, please call the church office.

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor
Rev. Ryan Bigham, Assistant Pastor
Mr. Johan Hubenthal, Interim Director of Youth Ministries
Ms. Laura Doss, Interim Director of Music/Organist
Mrs. Frances Gojda, Director of Children's Ministries
Mr. Scott Doss, AV & Digital Media Director
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