

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. Robbie Hendrick

The Prelude – When I Survey arr. Trapp
Laura Doss, Organ

The Introit Wesley
Another Year Is Dawning

Another year is dawning: dear Father let it be,
In working or in waiting, another year with Thee;
Another year of progress, another year of praise,
Another year of proving Thy presence all the days;
On earth or else in heaven, another year for Thee.

The Scriptural Call to Worship Hebrews 13:15

Through Him then let us continually offer up a sacrifice of praise to God,
that is, the fruit of lips that acknowledge His name.

The Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 2) LYONS
O Worship the King

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

The Offertory Anthem arr. Wyeth
Come, Thou Fount

Come, Thou Fount of ev'ry blessing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise;
Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above;
Praise the mount, I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise mine *Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come:
And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home:
Jesus sought me when a stranger, wand'ring from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

O to grace, how great a debtor, daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to Thee.
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;
Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

*"stone of help"

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 461) LEOMINSTER
Not What My Hands Have Done

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

The New Testament Reading Ephesians 5:8–14 (Page 978)
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 LIFE OF THE SAINTS: PART 2 WHO YOU ARE

- I. Remember Who You Are (v. 8)
Eph. 4:18; Gen. 6:5; Jer. 17:9; Rom. 3:10, 23
- II. Walk as Children of Light (v. 8)
Eph. 4:24
- III. Do What You Were Made To Do (v. 9)
Q4: What is God
A. God is a spirit, infinite, eternal, unchangeable...
In His being, wisdom, power, holiness, justice, goodness, and truth
- IV. Seek What You Want To Be (v. 10)
(v. 10 – try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord)
- V. Expose the Darkness (v. 11)

The Prayer of Confession

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 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 Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Prayer of Consecration
The Distribution of the Elements – *please partake as you are served* *
The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving
*All bread is gluten free

† The Parting Hymn – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 521) SOLID ROCK
My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

† The Benediction Rev. Hendrick

The Postlude – Allegro Maestoso Young

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 – Hallelujah, What a Savior Bliss, arr. Labenske
Cathie McClure

The Welcome Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 147:1
Praise the LORD! For it is good to sing praises to our God; for it is
pleasant, and a song of praise is fitting.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 441) DUKE STREET
Jesus Shall Reign

The Evening Prayer Rev. Bigham

The Offering & The Offertory Jackson, arr. Fox
Breathe on Me, Breath of God

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 606) CAMACHA
Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord

(Children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for Children's Choir.)

The Old Testament Reading Psalm 45 (Page 471)

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. Bigham
THE KING AND HIS QUEEN

† The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 693) ASSURANCE
Blessed Assurance

† The Benediction Rev. Bigham

The Postlude

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

Wednesday Night Fellowship: The menu this week is lasagna, salad, rolls and dessert. Please make a reservation for dinner using the Friendship Register or on the church website, christchurchpres.org under the events tab by, Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. We are also in need of a volunteer to head up our Wednesday night dinners. If you are interested, please call the church office at 706-210-9090.

Fellowship Luncheon — You are invited to join us for our monthly fellowship luncheon on Sunday, January 12 following the morning worship service in Covenant Hall. Fried chicken will be provided. Members are asked to bring a generous side dish, salad, or dessert to share, and visitors are warmly invited to attend. Please RSVP online at myccp.faith or with the insert in the bulletin today.

Men's Bible Study Opportunities: We are pleased to announce a new study, which will meet on the third Friday evening of each month, beginning on January 17th. This will be a topical discussion, guided by J.C. Ryle's book, *Holiness*. If you are interested in learning more about this study, please contact Pastor Ryan at rbigham@christchurchpres.org.

Churchwide Emails — If you are not receiving the "This Week at Christ Church" email and others sent out by the church and you would like to, please call the office at (706)210-9090. You may email the office with your information as well at dsherman@christchurchpres.org.

Sanctuary Flowers — If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary in honor or in memory of a loved one, please visit the Welcome Table in the narthex and sign up on the Flower Calendar form. Close to the date of your flowers, Yvonne Clark will contact you regarding the arrangement and Donna Sherman will contact you for the wording that will be presented in the bulletin.



- ◊ Wednesday Night Fellowship—January 8
- ◊ Fellowship Luncheon—January 12
- ◊ Men's Friday Night Bible Study—January 17 at 6:30 p.m.

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 89. How is the Word made effectual to salvation?

A. The Spirit of God makes the reading of the Word, but especially the preaching of it, an effectual means of convincing and converting sinners and of building them up in holiness and comfort, through faith, to salvation.

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Doug & Amy Nunziato, MATA

Pray for their students and their work at MATA and that they would be a source of encouragement and wise counsel for their students who are missionaries in training.

Pray that Amy and Doug would continually seek to learn and grow personally in skills that can help them better minister to the students.

This Week at Christ Church

Week of January 5 — January 11

SUNDAY, January 5

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 (edmaman@gmail.com ; 706-726-1703)
6:00 p.m.	Evening Worship Sanctuary

MONDAY, January 6

7:00 p.m.	AHG Children's Building
7:00 p.m.	Trail Life Covenant Hall

TUESDAY, January 7

7:00 p.m.	Augusta Bible Study Moncrief Home
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WEDNESDAY, January 8

10:00 a.m.	Ladies Revelation Bible Study Boyd Home
5:30 p.m.	Fellowship Dinner Covenant Hall
6:00 p.m.	Children & Youth Activities Assigned Locations
6:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study Covenant Hall
7:05 p.m.	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

THURSDAY, January 9

11:00 a.m.	WOCC Knitting & Crochet Hammond Home
6:30 p.m.	Diaconate Meeting Church Office
7:30 p.m.	Ladies Online Prayer Group

FRIDAY, January 10

7:00 a.m.	Men's Prayer Church Office
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Assisting in the Services

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

Ushers are Marion Butler, Matt Linton & Gary Cowart.

The Deacon on Duty is Gene Gojda (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 Dan Campbell, Davis Mellick & Stephen Dyer.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Matt Linton.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

Mike Boyd (2025)	John Dunsmore (2026)	Rich Fishel (2027)
Glynn Dyer (2025)	Johan Hubenthal (2026)	Charles McClure (2027)
Billy Hatcher (2025)	John Norkus (2026)	Derrick Smits (2027)

Deacons

Joe Beasley (2025)	Eddie Zamora (2025)	Dan Campbell (2027)
Marion Butler (2025)	Lee Carter (2026)	Gene Gojda (2027)
Gary Cowart (2025)	Hank Gautreaux (2026)	John Kunze (2027)
Matt Linton (2025)	Davis Mellick (2026)	Ken Lynch (2027)

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord's Day, January 5, 2025



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

For at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light.

Ephesians 5:8

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
- Mrs. Donna Sherman, Administrative Assistant
- Mr. Charles Caruso, Sexton

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