

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 WelcomeRev. Robbie Hendrick

The Prelude – Andante..... Henry Heron
Laura Doss, Organ

The Introit..... Camacha
Teach Me Thy Way, O Lord
Teach me Thy way, O Lord; teach me Thy way!
Thy guiding grace afford; teach me Thy way!
Help me to walk aright, more by faith, less by sight;
Lead me with heav'nly light; teach me Thy way!

The Scriptural Call to Worship1 Chronicles 29:12, 13
12 Both riches and honor come from You, and You rule over all. In Your hand are power and might, and in Your hand it is to make great and to give strength to all. 13 And now we thank You, our God, and praise Your glorious name.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 16)..... DUKE STREET
Come, Let Us Sing unto the Lord

† The Confession of FaithThe 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. 734) MEINEKE
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.

The Morning Prayer Mr. Billy Hatcher, 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 AnthemScott
Open My Eyes

Open my eyes and I shall see; incline my heart and I shall desire;
Order my steps and I shall walk in the ways of Your commandments.
O God, be my only Lord, and beside You let there be none else,
No other, none else with You.
Teach me to worship You and serve You in all my undertakings
With truth of spirit, with honor of body,
With blessing of mouth both in public and private.
Open my eyes and I shall see; incline my heart and I shall desire;
Order my steps and I shall walk in the ways of your commandments. Amen.

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

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 390)..... GERMANY
Lord of the Sabbath, Hear Us Pray

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

The New Testament Reading Ephesians 6:10–18 (Page 979)
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
COMMUNION THROUGH PRAYER

- I. Living Armor
 - Belt of truth – Shield of faith
 - Breastplate of righteousness – Helmet of salvation
 - Gospel shoes – Sword of the Spirit
 - A.) Holy Spirit (Romans 8:9; 5:5; 1 Cor. 2:12; John 16:33)
 - B.) Jesus Christ (Eph. 1; 3:17)
- II. Lost Sight
 - A.) Dead orthodoxy (Rigid formality)
 - B.) Emotional extremism
- III. Loving Relationship (v. 18)
 - A.) When? – Frequency (1 Thess. 5:17; Luke 21:36; Acts 6:4; Rom. 12:12; Col. 4:2; Phil. 4:6; Psalm 55:17; Luke 6:12; 1 Tim. 5:5)
 - B.) What kind? – Variety
 - C.) How? – Manner (Mark 14:38; 1 Peter 4:7; Col. 4)
 - D.) Who? – Intercessory
 - All the saints
 - Me

† The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 634).....SWEET HOUR
Sweet Hour of Prayer

† The BenedictionRev. Hendrick

The Postlude – Voluntary in G MajorJohn Bennett

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 – Holy, Holy, Holy arr. l.james
Laura Doss, Piano

The Welcome..... Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Scriptural Call to Worship Exodus 15:2
The LORD is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise Him, my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 111)..... TERRA BEATA
This Is My Father’s World

The Evening Prayer.....Rev. Bigham

The Offering & The Offertory arr. Mohlman
For the Beauty of the Earth

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 32)..... FAITHFULNESS
Great Is Thy Faithfulness

(On the final verse, children K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children’s Church.)

The New Testament ReadingMatthew 8; Luke 8:26–39 (Pages: 813; 865)
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 SermonRev. Robbie Hendrick
THE GREAT RESTORATION

- I. The Investigation – What Happened?
 - A.) Farmers – perplexed
 - B.) People – afraid
 - C.) The demonic – violent
 - D.) Demons – confused
 - E.) Jesus – powerful
- II. Explanation – How do we explain it?
 - A.) Jesus controls nature
 - B.) Jesus commands evil
- III. Declaration – What truth can we declare?
 - A.) Jesus conquers sin
 - B.) Jesus heals
 - C.) Jesus forgives
 - D.) Jesus restores
- IV. Affection

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

† The BenedictionRev. Hendrick

The Postlude

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

Christian sympathy is extended to Frances Gojda and family in the home-going of her father, David Baughn. David went home to be with the Lord on May 6.

Christian sympathy is extended to the Frances Loughran family. Frances went home to be with the Lord on May 6.

Fellowship Luncheon — You are invited to join us for our monthly fellowship luncheon next Sunday, May 18, following the morning worship service in Covenant Hall. 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.

Staff Announcement — Jonathan McKenzie will join us as Director of Youth starting May 15. Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Jonathan and his wife, Bethany, as they relocate to Augusta this week. We ask that you keep them in your prayers for safe travels and a smooth transition.

Men’s Bible Study — Please join us for our next study this Friday, May 16, at 6:30 p.m. for our Men's Bible Study. This is 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*. Please RSVP at *myccp.faith* under the events tab or call the church office.

Nursery Workers Needed — We’re looking for volunteers to serve as nursery workers on a rotating basis during Sunday services. Your help is vital to support our children’s ministry! If you’re interested, please contact Frances at *childrensministry@christchurchpres.org* or call the church office at 706-210-9090.

Memorial Day Picnic — Mark your calendars and make plans to join us for a Memorial Day Picnic at the Lake on May 26! We’ll be out at Pavillion 5 at Pointes West Army Resort in Appling beginning at 10:00 a.m., and we’ll enjoy food, fellowship, and fun for the day! Come and go as you would like. Lunch will be served at 1:00 p.m. Hot dogs, hamburgers, paper products, and ice will be provided.

Please bring the following to help out according to your last name:

- A–J bring sides,
- K–S bring desserts,
- T–Z bring drinks.

Please RSVP online at *myccp.faith*.

Vacation Bible School — Dates for this year are June 23–27. Welcome to Wonder Junction! There’s no greater joy than to praise the name of the Lord all day long. We will walk through a different aspect of the life of Christ each day. We hope you can be a part of this marvelous week of fun and growth. To register your student for VBS, go to the VBS menu on *myccp.faith*. We also

Mark Your Calendars

- ◇ **Fellowship Luncheon** — May 18 at 12:00 p.m.
- ◇ **Memorial Day Picnic** — May 26, 10:00 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.
- ◇ **Sacrament of Holy Communion** — June 1 during the Evening Worship Service
- ◇ **VBS** — June 23–27, 9:00 a.m. — 12:30 p.m.
- ◇ **Ice Cream Social** — July 6 at 7:00 p.m.
- ◇ **Apologetics Conference** — August 23–24, with guest speaker Carlton Wynne

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 101. What do we pray for in the first petition?

A. In the first petition, which is, “May your name be hallowed,” we pray that God would enable us and others to glorify Him in everything by which He makes Himself known, and that He would direct all things to His own glory.

This Week at Christ Church
Week of May 11 — May 16

SUNDAY, May 11
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 SchoolAssigned Locations
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 WorshipSanctuary
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 WorshipSanctuary
MONDAY, May 12
7:00 p.m.AHG..... Children’s Building
7:00 p.m. Trail Life..... Covenant Hall
TUESDAY, May 13
6:30 p.m.Admin Meeting.....Church Office
7:00 p.m. Evans Bible Study Jones Home
WEDNESDAY, May 14
10:00 a.m..... Ladies Bible Study..... Boyd Home
7:00 p.m.Sanctuary Choir RehearsalSanctuary
THURSDAY, May 15
6:30 p.m. Session Prayer & Meeting.....Church Office
7:30 p.m.. Ladies Online Prayer Group
FRIDAY, May 16
7:00 a.m..... Men’s Prayer.....Church Office

Assisting in the Services

The elders greeting at the doors before this morning’s service are Glynn Dyer & John Norkus.

Ushers are Gene Dan Campbell, Rick Rezzelle & Brady Downs.

The Deacon on Duty is Jon Kunze (wearing a red rose).

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord’s Day will be Rich Fishel & Ora Parish.

Ushers next Lord’s Day will be Lee Carter, Allen Richardson & Stu Dawley.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Matt Linton.

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Chris & Cary Drinkard, Campus Outreach

Please pray for wisdom and favor in building bridges of collaboration within the Campus Outreach movement.

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

Christ Church, Presbyterian
The Lord’s Day, May11, 2025



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

Praying at all times in the Spirit, with all prayer and supplication.
To that end, keep alert with all perseverance,
making supplication for all the saints,

Ephesians 6:18

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*
Ms. Laura Doss, *Interim Director of Music/Organist*
Mr. Johan Hubenthal, *Interim Director of Youth Ministries*
Mrs. Frances Gojda, *Director of Children's Ministries*
Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*
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