

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 — Lead Me, Lord arr. Burton

The Introit.....John L. Wilson
The Lord Is in Holy Temple
The Lord is in His Holy Temple,
Come into His presence with a song!
Praise the Lord with organs and trumpets,
Praise ye the Lord!

The Scriptural Call to WorshipPsalm 95:6, 7
⁶Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the LORD,
our Maker! ⁷For He is our God, and we are the people of His pasture,
and the sheep of His hand.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise — (Trinity Hymnal, No. 100)NICAEA
Holy, Holy, Holy!

† 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 PatriGLORIA PATRI
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.....Rev. Robbie Hendrick

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 AnthemEarly American Melody, arr. Dan Forrest

Grace
Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch, a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;
I once was blind, but now I see.

’Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And that same grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour when I first believed.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already safely come;
This grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And surely, surely grace will lead me home, I shall go home.

When we’ve been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun, the glorious sun,
We’ve no less days to sing God’s praise
Than since the day we first begun.

(Please record your attendance in the green Friendship Register.)
• † The Hymn of Preparation — (Trinity Hymnal, No. 689).....FINLANDIA
Be Still, My Soul

(On the final verse, children K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children’s Church.)
The New Testament ReadingHebrews 4 (Page 1002)
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
REST IN PEACE
I. Past Promise (v. 1, 2)
II. Present Enjoyment
A.) Spiritual (v. 3)
B.) Sabbath (v. 4)
III. Future Reality (v. 9, 10)

† The Hymn of Response — (Trinity Hymnal, No. 2).....LYONS
O Worship the King

† The BenedictionRev. Hendrick

The Postlude — Postlude on Duke Street.....arr. Lasky

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 — For the Beauty of the Earth.....arr. Mohlman

The Welcome.....Rev. Robbie Hendrick

The Scriptural Call to WorshipPsalm 113:1–3
¹Praise the LORD! Praise, O servants of the LORD, praise the name of
the LORD! ²Blessed be the name of the LORD from this time forth
and forevermore! ³From the rising of the sun to its setting, the name
of the LORD is to be praised!

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise — (Trinity Hymnal, No. 55).....TO GOD BE THE GLORY
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The Evening Prayer.....Rev. Hendrick

The Offering & The Offertoryarr. l.james
More Love to Thee

• † The Hymn of Preparation — (Trintiy Hymnal, No. 296).....CORONATION
All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!
(Children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for Children’s Choir.)

The New Testament ReadingMatthew 16:5–24 (Page 822)
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. Hendrick
LIFTING HIGH WHAT MATTERS MOST
I. Context (v. 3)
II. Church
A.) Peter’s confession (v. 15, 16; 1 Tim. 3:16)
B.) Foundation (v. 18; Eph. 1:22, 5:23; Col. 1:18)
C.) Revelation (v. 17; 1 Cor. 1:21)
D.) Concentration (v. 21)
1. Cor 1:23, 2:2; Gal. 6:14; 1 Cor. 15:17; Rom. 5:8

† The Hymn of Response — (Trinity Hymnal, No. 263).....CRUCIFER
Lift High the Cross

† The BenedictionRev. Hendrick

The Postlude

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

Wednesday Night Fellowship — The menu this week is vegetable beef soup, salad, rolls, and dessert. Please make a reservation for dinner using the Friendship Register or on the church website, *myccp.faith*, under the events tab, by Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

Installation Service — The service to install TE Ryan Bigham as Associate Pastor of Christ Church, Presbyterian will be held on February 1st at 6:00 p.m. There will be a reception to follow. All are invited to come and celebrate the work that God is doing in our church.

Chili Cook-Off/Dessert Contest — Plan on joining us for a chili cook-off and cake contest on Wednesday, February 4 at 5:30 p.m. We are in need of contestants to sign up to bring a crockpot full of chili or their best cake. Prizes will be awarded! We also need three people to judge chili and three to judge dessert. Please sign up on the sheet in the Narthex or with the form at <https://forms.gle/a64EXcRv7tDHmP6X9>. If competing is not for you, plan now to come and enjoy an evening of various chilis, cakes, fellowship, and the study of God’s Word.

Called Congregational Meeting —The Session has called a congregational meeting on February 8th at 4:30 p.m. for the express purpose of answering the concerns of the petition from December 22, 2025.

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@chirstchurchpres.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.

Mark Your Calendars

- ◇ **Chili Cook-off and Dessert Contest** — February 4 at 5:30 p.m.
- ◇ **Missions Conference** — February 20–22

Community Events

- ◇ **Augusta Youth Choir Festival Concert** — March 22 at 4 p.m.
at First Baptist Church

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Noah and Karleigh Stephens

Noah and Karleigh are in the states and were unable to return to Thailand due to visa issues. Please pray the Lord would provide them direction in their future ministry.

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 24. How doth Christ execute the office of a prophet?

A. Christ executeth the office of a prophet, in revealing to us, by his Word and Spirit, the will of God for our salvation.

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, February 1. 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.

This Week at Christ Church

Week of January 25 — January 31

SUNDAY, January 25

6:00 a.m. WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts

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9:45 a.m.Sunday School.....Assigned 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..... Various Locations

11:00 a.m.Morning Worship Sanctuary

4:00 p.m.AYC Rehearsal 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 26

7:00 p.m. AHGChildren’s Building

7:00 p.m. Trail LifeCovenant Hall

TUESDAY, January 27

6:30 p.m.Grovetown Bible StudyHendrick Home

7:00 p.m.Evans Bible Study Jones Home

WEDNESDAY, January 28

5:30 p.m. Fellowship DinnerCovenant Hall

6:00 p.m.....Children & Youth ActivitiesAssigned Locations

6:00 p.m.....Adult Bible Study.....Covenant Hall

7:00 p.m.....Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

THURSDAY, January 29

7:30 p.m..... Ladies Online Prayer Group

FRIDAY, January 30

7:00 a.m. Men’s PrayerChurch Office

Assisting in the Services

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

Ushers are Stu Dawley, Lee Carter & Michael Carter; security is Jon Kunze.

The Deacon on Duty is Hank Gautreaux (wearing a red rose).

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

Ushers next Lord’s Day will be Rick Rezzelle, Stephen Dyer & Ken Lynch.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Jon Kunze; security will be Stu Dawley.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

John Dunsmore (2026)

Rich Fishel (2027)

Joe Beasley (2028)

Johan Hubenthal (2026)

Charles McClure (2027)

John Norkus (2026)

Derrick Smits (2027)

Deacons

Lee Carter (2026)

Dan Campbell (2027)

Ed Russell (2028)

Hank Gautreaux (2026)

Gene Gojda (2027)

Davis Mellick (2026)

John Kunze (2027)

Ken Lynch (2027)

Richard Turner (2027)

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord’s Day, January 25, 2026



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

So then,
there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God.

Hebrews 4:9

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 talk with an elder standing by the piano after the service.

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, *Pastor*
Rev. Ryan Bigham, *Assistant Pastor*
Dr. John L. Wilson, *Director of Music Ministries*
Mr. Jonathan McKenzie, *Director of Youth Ministries*
Mrs. Frances Gojda, *Director of Children's Ministries*
Ms. Laura Doss, *Organist & Church Hostess*
Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*
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