

The Evening Service, six o'clock

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

- The Piano PreludeMrs. Sarah Moore

The Opening Words of Scripture Dr. John W. P. Oliver, Missioner

- † The Hymn of Praise (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 677*).....ACCLAIM
Praise the Savior, Ye Who Know Him!

† The Prayer of Invocation

† The Hymn (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 630*) – Eternal Father, Strong to Save ..MELITA

† The Hymn (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 675*) – Only Trust Him..... MINERVA

The Evening Prayer Dr. Oliver

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication
(Please record your attendance in the green Friendship Register.)

The Piano Offertory

† The Hymn of Preparation (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 178*).....THE SWEETEST NAME
There Is No Name So Sweet on Earth
On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children's Program.

The New Testament LessonActs 2:22-39 (page 910)

The Response
Minister: This is the Word of God. People: Thanks be to Thee, O God.

The Sermon – THE TRIUNE TRIUMPHDr. Oliver

† The Hymn of Response (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 100*).....NICAEA
Holy, Holy, Holy!

† The Benediction

The Piano Postlude

This Week at Christ Church

Week of June 14 – June 20

SUNDAY, June 14

8:00 a.m.WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and www.wgac.com Broadcasts

9:45 a.m.Sunday School

Nursery (Birth-23 mos.)Nursery 1

Preschool (24-48 mos.).....Nursery 2

K-4 - K-5 Children's House

Grades 1-2 Children's House

Grades 3-4 Children's House

Grades 5-6 Youth House

Grades 7-8 Youth House

Grades 9-12 Youth House

Special Education.....Deacons' Room

Young Adults.....Upper Room

Young Families Church Office

Adult..... Covenant Hall

11:00 a.m.Morning Worship Sanctuary

On the second hymn, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for Catechism.

12:30 p.m.Fellowship Luncheon Covenant Hall

5:00 p.m. Sunday Prayer Meeting.....Covenant Hall

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary

On the fourth hymn, children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children's Program.

7:30 p.m.Youth Gathering.....Moncrief Home

TUESDAY, June 16

8:00 p.m.Augusta Youth Chorale Home Concert..... Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, June 17

7:00 p.m.Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

8:15 p.m.Brass Ensemble Rehearsal..... Sanctuary

THURSDAY, June 18

6:00 p.m. Young Families Bible Study..... Parish Home

FRIDAY, June 19

7:00 a.m.....Men's Prayer Breakfast..... Covenant Hall

9:00 a.m..... VBS Preparation..... Church Campus

SATURDAY, June 20

9:00 a.m..... VBS Preparation..... Church Campus

Assisting in the Services

Elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are Billy Hatcher & Ken Moody.

Ushers are Lanier Adams, Richard Deal, Mark Goodell & Charles Kimbrell.

The Deacon on Duty is John Norkus.

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord's Day will be Ora Parish & Mark Walters.

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Will Boyd, Will Creus, Mark Goodell, William Jewett & Barry Smith.

The Deacon on Duty will be Will Creus.

Staff

The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, Pastor

Dr. Mark Nabholz, Director of Music; Mr. Mark Dickens, Organist

Mrs. Shirley McBride, Secretary/Bookkeeper

Mr. Scott Doss, AV & Digital Media Director; Mr. Charles Caruso, Sexton

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The Lord's Day, June 14, 2015

Seeing the Incomparable Excellency of Jesus

We must see and feel the incomparable excellency of the Son of God. Incomparable because in Him meet infinite glory and lowest humility, infinite majesty and transcendent meekness, deepest reverence toward God and equality with God, infinite worthiness of good and greatest patience to suffer evil, supreme dominion and exceeding obedience, divine self-sufficiency and childlike trust.

– John Piper

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; • 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 Organ Prelude – The Fifers..... Dandrieu

The Choral Call to Worship ELLACOMBE

Come, sing to God, ye living saints, sing praises to His name!

His anger is not permanent, His love will never wane.

Though tears may tarry for the night with sighs of deepest pain,

Yet joy comes with the morning sun, a peace that is not vain.

Come sing, come sing to God!

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 96:1-3

Minister: Oh sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth!

People: Sing to the Lord, bless His name; tell of His salvation from day to day.

Minister: Declare His glory among the nations,

People: His marvelous works among all the peoples!

- † The Hymn of Adoration (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 164*)..... AZMON
O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

† The Prayer of Invocation & Adoration Dr. John W. P. Oliver, Missioner

† **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. 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 Old Testament Lesson Isaiah 61 (*page 620*)

The Response

Pastor: This is the Word of God. **People: Thanks be to Thee, O God.**

The Prayer of Confession, Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer (*using debts and debtors*)

The Response to God’s Grace (*Sung by all*) GREEN

Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names;

Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Hope for sinners slain.

Thank You, O my Father, for giving us Your Son,

And leaving Your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

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

The Offertory Anthem..... EXULTATION, arr. Parker

Come away to the skies, my beloved arise and rejoice in the day thou wast born,

On this festival day come exulting away, and with singing to Zion return.

We have laid up our love and our treasures above, though our bodies continue below;

The redeemed of the Lord shall remember His Word, and with singing to Paradise go.

Hallelujah we sing to our Father and King, and His rapturous praises repeat;

To the Lamb that was slain, Hallelujah again; sing all heaven, and fall at His feet!

† **The Hymn of Preparation** (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 474*).....LENOX

Blow Ye the Trumpet, Blow!

On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for Catechism.

The Gospel LessonSt. Luke 4:14-50 (*page 859*)

The Response

Minister: This is the Gospel of Christ. **People: Praise be to Thee, O Christ**

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – STUNNED BY JESUS.....Dr. Oliver

† **The Hymn of Response** (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 503*)..... JESUS, I COME

Out of My Bondage, Sorrow, and Night

† **The Benediction**

The Organ Postlude – *Rigaudon*Young

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God
and in memory of Dimon Driggers and Henry Lee Dunn by Loulie Driggers.*

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 our pastor or an elder standing by him in the narthex after the service.

Evening Worship

Return this evening for renewal and refreshment in God’s presence through prayer, praise and the proclamation of God’s Word. Dr. John W. P. Oliver will be delivering the message from Acts 2:22-39, “The Triune Triumph.” Come and worship!

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Do this in remembrance of Me. Luke 22:19

We will observe the Sacrament of Holy Communion during the morning worship on June 21. We strongly encourage all communing members of Christ Church to make every effort to be present for this important part of our Christian life together.

Inquirer’s Class

Are you considering membership at Christ Church, Pres (CCP)? Or, are you simply interested in knowing more about CCP? We are now taking registrations for our next class. This class will explore important questions, such as: What does it mean to be a Christian? What do we believe about God, salvation, the church, baptism and other important matters of faith? Further we will consider practical questions: Why do we worship like that? What is our mission as a church? What does membership involve and why is it important? How can I get involved? If you are interested in becoming a member or simply want to know more about CCP, please call the church office (706-210-9090) or sign up at the Welcome Table. Once we know how many are interested in the Inquirer’s Class, we will schedule a class and contact you with the dates and times.

Scripture Memory

This week’s memory verse helps equip us to proclaim Christ by pointing to God’s great provision of salvation in Christ. Let us memorize 1 Peter 3:18, “ For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive in the spirit” (Series B: Proclaiming Christ; Topic: Christ Paid the Penalty).

Other Announcements

Fellowship Luncheon – Today, following the morning worship service, we will enjoy our monthly Fellowship Luncheon in Covenant Hall. Fried chicken will be provided for a donation of any amount. Members are providing a generous side dish, salad or dessert to share, and visitors are warmly invited to attend.

Youth Gathering – Tonight following Evening Worship the Youth of Christ Church will gather for a time of fellowship at the home of Sue and Ron Moncrief located at 2910 Mayfair Road in Augusta.

Young Families Bible Study – All young families are invited and welcome to join us on Thursday, June 18, beginning at 6:00 p.m. with a fellowship dinner followed by a study of David Platt’s book, *Counter Culture*, at 6:45. This study meets in the home of Natalie and Ora Parish located at 609 Woodwalk Lane in Martinez. Feel free to phone the Parish’s at 252-267-2793 should you have questions.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast – Men of Christ Church, join us for good food, fellowship, devotion and time in prayer this Friday, June 19, at 7:00 a.m. in Covenant Hall. For our devotion, we are discussing R. Kent Hughes’ powerful book, *Disciplines of a Godly Man* (We have extra copies!), in which we are both challenged and encouraged as men of God. This week we give focus to the incredibly important subject of “The Discipline of Ministry.” Join us as we explore this vital subject—and approach the throne of grace for help.

VBS Registration – Registration cards for our June 22 through 26 are now available on the Welcome Table. Please completely fill out a card for your child(ren) and return it to the green basket labeled Card Return. You are encouraged to take extra cards for family, friends and neighbors as you invite them to VBS. Please make sure you have registered by Wednesday, June 17th, so we may plan and prepare adequately. Also, join us in praying for many to come and for hearts and eyes to be opened to our Savior as King and returning King!

Please note that the small room in Covenant Hall is being used to store VBS materials and supplies. Please avoid using this room in order to ensure the usefulness of these items for VBS. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

Pray for Our Missionaries

Please remember these missionaries and organizations designated for special prayer in our worship services today and in your daily prayers this week:

Evangelical Reformed Seminary of Ukraine, *Mission to the World (PCA)*

Glenn and Sharlene Grubb, *Wycliffe Bible Translators/Mission to the World (PCA)*

Eliseo and Paula Guadagno, *Operation Mobilization, Italy*

Heritage Academy, *Augusta, Georgia*