

## 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 Prelude – Praeludium from Partita BWV 825..... J. S. Bach  
Mrs. Catharine McClure

The Opening Scripture & Prayer of Invocation.....Hebrews 12:18-29 (page 1009)

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

- † The Hymn – El-Shaddai (Trinity Hymnal, No. 42).....EL-SHADDAI

Ministry to the Persecuted Church.....John Norkus

The Evening Prayer.....John Clark, Ruling Elder

The Offering & the Offertory.....Sheppard, arr. Keveren

This is My Father's World

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

- † The Hymn of Preparation – (Family Songs, No. 48).....SPEAK, O LORD  
Speak, O Lord

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

The Old Testament Lesson .....Exodus 20:18-21 (page 61)

### The Response

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

The Sermon.....The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, Pastor  
TREMBLING BEFORE THE HOLY MOUNT

- † The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 533) ..... I AM THINE  
I Am Thine, O Lord, I Have Heard Thy Voice

- † The Benediction

The Piano Postlude – Allegro.....L. Mozart

## This Week at Christ Church

Week of May 1 – May 7

### SUNDAY, May 1

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

9:45 a.m. ....Sunday School

Nursery I (Birth-23 mos.).....Nursery 1

Nursery II (24-47 mos.).....Nursery 2

Preschool (4 years old).....Covenant Hall

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.....Audio/Visual Room

Adult.....Assigned Campus Locations

11:00 a.m. ....Morning Worship.....Sanctuary

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

12:30 p.m. ....Fellowship Luncheon .....Covenant Hall

4:30 p.m. ....AYC Rehearsal .....Sanctuary

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

6:00 p.m. ....Evening Worship.....Sanctuary

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

7:30 p.m. ....Student Gathering.....Covenant Hall

### MONDAY, May 2

7:00 p.m. ....Trail Life .....Covenant Hall

### TUESDAY, May 3

6:30 p.m. ....Session Meeting.....Church Office

7:00 p.m. ....Adult Bible Study, Evans.....W. Jones Home

7:00 p.m. ....Diaconate Meeting.....Church Office

### WEDNESDAY, May 4

5:45 p.m. ....Midweek Gathering.....Covenant Hall

6:30 p.m. ....Student Gathering.....Covenant Hall

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

7:00 p.m. ....Midweek Prayer.....Upper Room

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

### THURSDAY, May 5

6:00 p.m. ....Young Families Bible Study.....J. Jones Home

7:00 p.m. ....Adult Bible Study, Augusta.....Moncrief Home

### FRIDAY, May 6

6:30 a.m. ....Men's Prayer .....Church Office

### SATURDAY, May 7

9:30 a.m. ....Augusta CPC Walk-For-Life .....Plaza River Walk

### Assisting in the Services

Elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are John Dunsmore & Mark Walters.

Ushers are Will Boyd, Wade Caldwell, Jonathan Kimbrell, Hamilton McDaniel & Ed Russell.

The Deacon on Duty is John Edwards.

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

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Lanier Adams, Richard Deal, Mark Goodell, Charles Kimbrell & John Edwards.

The Deacon on Duty will be Charles Kimbrell.

### Staff

The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, Pastor

Dr. Stan Pylant, Director of Music; Mr. Mark Dickens, Organist

Mr. Landon Gray, Director of Student Ministries

Mrs. Shirley McBride, Secretary/Bookkeeper

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## Christ Church, Presbyterian The Lord's Day, May 1, 2016

### One Nail

I sometimes wonder that you do not get tired of my preaching, because I do nothing but hammer away on this one nail. With me it is, year after year, "None but Jesus!" Oh, you great saints, if you have outgrown the need of a sinner's trust in the Lord Jesus, you have outgrown your sins, but you have also outgrown your grace, and your saintship has ruined you!

– Charles Spurgeon

## 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 – Fugue in G Major ..... J. S. Bach

The Choral Call to Worship ..... Young, adapted Mark Nabholz

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Come, Christians, join to sing. Alleluia! Amen!

Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!

Let all, with heart and voice, before His throne rejoice;

Praise is His gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!

Sanctuary Choir

The Scriptural Call to Worship ..... Psalm 105:1-3

Pastor: Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon His name;

make known His deeds among the peoples!

People: Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works!

Pastor: Glory in His holy name;

People: Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

- † The Hymn of Adoration – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 295)..... DIADEMATA  
Crown Him with Many Crowns

- † The Prayer of Invocation & Adoration .....The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, Pastor

† **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** (page 735 in the Trinity Hymnal) ..... GREATOR EX

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 First New Testament Lesson** .....Acts 16:25–34 (page 925)

**The Response** .....Isaiah 40:8

Pastor: The grass withers, and the flower fades,  
People: But the Word of our God stands forever.

**The Sacrament of Holy Baptism**.....William Bennett Boyd  
Covenant Child of Will & Catie Boyd

**The Response to God’s Grace – Jesus Loves Me**.....JESUS LOVES ME

Jesus loves me, this I know, for the Bible tells me so;  
Little ones to Him belong, they are weak but He is strong.  
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!  
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

**The Congregational Prayer**

**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**

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

**The Offertory Anthem – Before the Throne of God Above** .....arr. Dan Forrest

Before the throne of God above I have a strong and perfect plea:  
A great Hight Priest, Whose name is love, Who ever lives and pleads for me.

My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart;  
I know that while in heaven He stands no tongue can bid me thence depart.

When Satan tempts me to despair, and tells me of the guilt within,  
Upward I look, and see Him there Who made an end to all my sin.

Because the sinless Savior died, my sinful soul is counted free;  
For God the just is satisfied to look on Him and pardon me.

Behold Him there, the Risen Lamb my perfect, spotless righteousness,  
The great unchangeable I Am, the King of glory and of grace!

One with Himself I cannot die, my soul is purchased by His blood;  
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my Savior and my God.

My name is graven on His hands, my name is written on His heart;  
My life is hid with Christ on high, with Christ, my Savior and my God.  
Sanctuary Choir

† **The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 308)**.....ALL TO CHRIST

Jesus Paid It All

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

**The Second New Testament Lesson** .....Romans 8:1 (page 944)

**The Response**

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

**The Prayer for Illumination**

**The Sermon – NO CONDEMNATION** .....The Rev. Jones

† **The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 455)**.....SAGINA

And Can It Be That I Should Gain

† **The Benediction**

**The Organ Postlude – The Rejoicing**.....Handel

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God  
and in honor of our grandson, William Bennett Boyd, by Dr. & Mrs. Michael Boyd.

## 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

Do you fear God? Should you? The biblical answer to the latter question may surprise you! Getting that question right turns out to be incredibly important to a healthy relationship to a great and gracious God. This evening we explore the surprising answer and its profound implications in our study of Exodus 20:18–21. We invite you to join us in worship.

## 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, May 8. 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.

## 2016 Graduates

If you have a student graduating from high school or college this spring, please notify the church office no later than Tuesday, May 17. Please call the office at 706–210–9090 or send an email to [secretary@christchurchpres.org](mailto:secretary@christchurchpres.org), providing the student’s full name, school and degree earned.

## Scripture Memory

Romans 8:12–14

So then, brothers, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live according to the flesh. For if you live according to the flesh you will die, but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live. For all who are led by the Spirit of God are sons of God.

## 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 generous side dishes, salads or desserts to share, and visitors are warmly invited to attend.

**Student Gathering** — Tonight following Evening Worship the Youth of Christ Church will gather for a time of fellowship in Covenant Hall.

**Adult Bible Study, Evans** — The Adult Bible Study, Evans will meet Tuesday, May 3, in the home of Linda and Warren Jones located at 503 Thompkins Lane. Fellowship and refreshments begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by a study on Hebrews at 7:30. Please phone the Jones' at 706–447–2546 with any questions.

**Midweek Gathering** — Following the biblical pattern, we devote ourselves to “the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers” (Acts 2:42) and look with expectation to see God move mightily as we join together on Wednesday evenings. We begin with a meal served from 6 to 7. At 6:45 the pastor joins the choir for a time of prayer and then meets with the rest of the congregation in the Upper Room for a devotion in Acts and prayer from 7 to 8 p.m. **If you would like for us to intercede on your behalf, please submit your prayer request(s) to the church office by noon on Wednesdays (706–210–9090 or email to [secretary@christchurchpres.org](mailto:secretary@christchurchpres.org)).**

**Young Family/Young Couples Small Group Bible Study** — All young families & couples are invited and welcome to join us on Thursday, May 5, starting at 6:00 p.m. with a fellowship dinner followed by a study on resolving marital conflict led by Ora Parish, at 6:45. The study will meet in the home of Jenn and Josiah Jones located at 1062 Conn Drive in Evans.

**Adult Bible Study, Augusta** — The Adult Bible Study, Augusta will meet Thursday, May 5, in the home of Sue and Ron Moncrief located at 2910 Mayfair Road. Refreshments begin at 7:00 p.m. followed by the video teaching series, *Lessons from the Upper Room*, by Sinclair Ferguson at 7:30. The text of this week’s lesson is John 17:6–26 and it is titled “His Deepest Desires Revealed.” Please phone the Moncrief’s at 706–737–5953 with any questions.

**Care Pregnancy Center Walk–for–Life** — The Augusta Care Pregnancy Center helps women who are expecting, as well as mothers in need with formula, diapers, clothing and other baby items. The Center's annual Walk–for–Life will be next Saturday, May 7, at the 9<sup>th</sup> Street Plaza River Walk. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. with the walk beginning at 9:30. If you are interested in walking or putting together a team to walk in order to continue this mission, please contact Linda Jones at 706–231–3758 or via email to [warrenjones 0101@comcast.net](mailto:warrenjones 0101@comcast.net).

**Ministry to the Persecuted Church** — The Diaconate has partnered with Voice of the Martyrs, a ministry dedicated to assisting the persecuted church worldwide. VOM was founded in 1967 by Romanian Pastor Richard Wurmbrand who was imprisoned for 14 years for his faithful preaching of the gospel. We have an opportunity to encourage and assist the persecuted church through the VOM Action Pack Ministry. In the lobby, there is a table with a large map showing the Persecuted church. On the table are prayer commitment cards as well as 20 Action Packs. Each Action Pack is a pre–printed vacuum bag which you will fill with the listed items included with the pack. After you have finished, please return the bag to a collection bin that will be in the church lobby. When all Action Packs are returned, they will be shipped to Voice of the Martyrs who will add a Bible or gospel story book for distribution in places like Sudan, Iraq and Pakistan.

**Long–Term Hospitality Need** — A missionary family from China is coming home for a year and is in need of housing. This is a family of six who will need a three bedroom home, and will be able to pay monthly rent. This is Jeanette Merwin's son and family who are friends with Barbara Volpitto. If you or someone you know might be able to assist with this request, feel free to contact Jeanette at 706–814–0445 or email to [jrm50@icloud.com](mailto:jrm50@icloud.com).

## Missionary Prayer

Please remember this missionary organization designated for special prayer in our worship services today and in your daily prayers this week:

Bob and Andrea Burnham, *Mission to the World (PCA), Ukraine*  
Pray for their Home Mission Assignment this summer: visiting supporting churches and individuals throughout America, sharing more about the next phase of ministry and gaining new supporters.