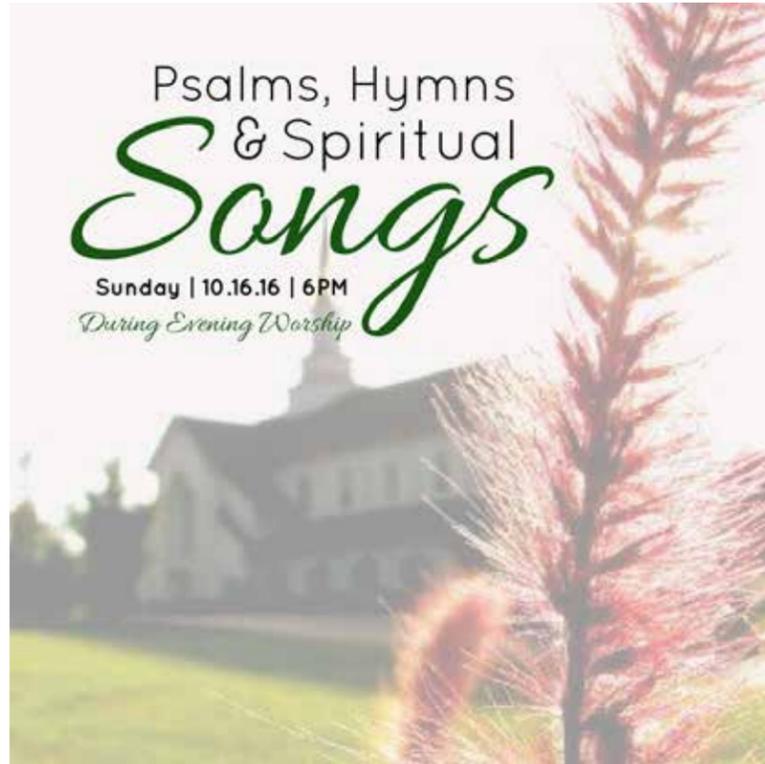


## The Evening Service, six o'clock

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



You are cordially invited to join us for an evening of celebrated worship through the spoken word by our very own Rev. Rick Hammond, along with songs, hymns, and spiritual songs by our Sanctuary Choir and invited orchestra each being led by Melanie Buckner and Stan Pylant, Director of Music.

Come, let's celebrate together.

### Missionary Prayer

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

Mark and Susan Walters, Mission to the World (PCA), Taipei, Taiwan

Please pray for Rachel's treatment with medical marijuana. Significant improvements are occurring. Pray also for financial partners to be discovered so that God's will for our lives can be achieved.

## This Week at Christ Church

Week of October 16 – October 22

### SUNDAY, October 16

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

K4-5..... 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 Locations

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

*On the final verse of the second hymn, children in K4 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade may exit for Catechism.*

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

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

6:00 p.m. . Evening Worship with Psalms, Hymns, & Spiritual Songs.. Sanctuary

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

### MONDAY, October 17

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

### TUESDAY, October 18

5:30 p.m. .... Family Fair Night ..... Exchange Club Fair

### WEDNESDAY, October 19

6:15 p.m. .... Brass Rehearsal..... Sanctuary

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

### THURSDAY, October 20

7:00 p.m. .... AED/CPR Training ..... Covenant Hall

### FRIDAY, October 21

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

*Please see the Home Bible Study Schedule following the Evening Worship announcement for upcoming opportunities to study God's Word.*

### Assisting in the Services

Elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are George Bowen & McDonald Law.

Ushers are Will Boyd, Will Crews, Whit Foster, William Jewett & Barry Smith.

The Deacon on Duty is Barry Smith.

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord's Day will be John Clark & Billy Hatcher.

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Lanier Adams, Jim Avery, Stephen Dyer, William Jewett & John Norlas.

The Deacon on Duty will be Stephen Dyer.

### Staff

The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, Pastor

Dr. Stan Pylant, Director of Music; Mrs. Laura Doss, Organist

Mr. Chris Nabholz, Interim Director of Student Ministries

Mrs. Shirley McBride, Secretary/Bookkeeper

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

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## Christ Church, Presbyterian The Lord's Day, October 16, 2016

### The Reality of Sin & A Savior

As the salt flavors every drop in the Atlantic, so does sin affect every atom of our nature. It is so sadly there, so abundantly there, that if you cannot detect it, you are deceived.

– Charles H. 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 – All My Hope on God is Founded.....arr. Callahan

The Choral Call to Worship .....Young, arr. 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 34:1-3

Pastor: I will bless the Lord at all times;

His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

People: My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.

Pastor: Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt His name together!

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

† The Prayer of Invocation & Adoration ..... Mark Walters, Ruling Elder

† **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..... Psalm 130 (*page 518*)

**The Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession**

**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 Response to God’s Grace** - Nothing but the Blood ..... PLAINFIELD  
 This is all my hope and peace, nothing but the blood of Jesus;  
 This is all my righteousness, nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
 O precious is the flow that makes me white as snow;  
 No other fount I know, nothing but the blood of Jesus.

The Welcome .....Mark Walters, Ruling Elder

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

**The Offertory Anthem** - When In Our Music God Is Glorified .....Charles Stanford  
 When in our music God is glorified, and adoration leaves no room for pride,  
 it is as though the whole creation cried, Hallelujah!  
 How often, making music, we have found a new dimension in the world of sound,  
 as worship moved us to a more profound Hallelujah!  
 So has the church, in liturgy and song, in faith and love, through centuries of wrong,  
 borne witness to the truth in every tongue: Hallelujah!  
 And did not Jesus sing a Psalm that night when utmost evil strove against the Light?  
 Then let us sing, for whom He won the fight: Hallelujah!  
 Let every instrument be tuned for praise! Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise!  
 And may God give us faith to sing always: Hallelujah! Amen.  
 Sanctuary Choir, Laura Doss, organist

† **The Hymn of Preparation** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 145*).....ORTONVILLE  
 The Spirit Breathes upon the Word  
*On the final verse, children in K4 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade may exit for Catechism.*

**The New Testament Lesson** ..... 1 John 1:1–2:2 (*page 1021*)

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

**The Prayer for Illumination**

**The Sermon** .....The Rev. Hammond, *guest*  
 AVERAGE IS NOT NECESSARILY NORMAL

† **The Hymn of Response** – Amazing Grace! (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 460*) ...AMAZING GRACE

† **The Benediction**  
**The Organ Postlude** – Trumpet Voluntary in D .....Young

**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**

This evening will be filled with the delightful sounds of music and song in praise to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, through the special presentation, *Psalms, Hymns and Spiritual Songs*, as organized and directed by our own Stan Pylant, Director of Music. The Rev. Rick Hammond will supply our word from God as he shares the message, *True Spirituality*, which he has gleaned from Ephesians 5:15–21. Come, join our celebration of true worship!

**Home Bible Studies Schedule**

**TUESDAYS**  
 6:00 p.m. .... Young Couples Connect .....Parish Home  
 October 18 706–504–6274; 609 Woodwalk Lane, Martinez  
 7:00 p.m. .... Adult Bible Study, Evans..... W. Jones Home  
 October 18 706–447–2546; 503 Thompkins Lane  
 10:00 a.m. .... Women's Daytime Bible Study .....J. Jones Home  
 October 25 252–622–8097; 1062 Conn Drive, Evans  
 7:00 p.m. .... Adult Bible Study, Augusta..... Moncrief Home  
 October 25 706–737–5953; 2910 Mayfair Road  
**THURSDAYS**  
 6:45 p.m. .... Women's Evening Bible Study.....Boyd Home  
 October 27 706–736–0004; 9 Summerville Lane, Augusta  
 6:00 p.m. .... Young Family Small Group .....J. Jones Home  
 November 3 706–210–9090; 1062 Conn Drive, Evan

**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, October 23. 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.

**Other Announcements**

**Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs** – Join us this evening at 6:00 for *Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs*. This theme will be celebrated throughout the entire evening worship service by the Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra, with congregational singing, and through the spoken word. Come, let’s celebrate together!

**Christ Church Family Fair Night** – Please join us for a **Christ Church Family Fair Night** on Tuesday, October 18, at 5:30 p.m. The Augusta Exchange Club will be hosting a "Youth Faith Night" at the Georgia–Carolina Fair and will be providing Christ Church with 100 tickets that will cover parking and admission to the Fair. The fair is located at the Exchange Club Fair Grounds at Hale and 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Augusta. Please email Chris Nabholz at [youth@christchurchpres.org](mailto:youth@christchurchpres.org) to reserve your tickets!

**AED/CPR Training** – Mark your calendar and plan to join us for AED/CPR training on Thursday, October 20, at 7:00 p.m. in Covenant Hall. There are no prerequisites for this course. Anyone can attend and all are encouraged to learn these valuable, life-saving skills. Please register at the Welcome Table or by visiting our website at [christchurchpres.org](http://christchurchpres.org).

**Fall Festival** – Join us on Friday, October 28, at 6:00 p.m. for a time of fun at our second annual Fall Festival. There will be kids games with candy prizes, a huge 50’ inflatable obstacle course, an inflatable archery game provided by the Trail Life Troop, costumes, and face painting. You won’t go away hungry either as there will be hotdogs, chips, and drinks. Come on out and enjoy the fun! Also, please remember those less fortunate and bring a non-perishable food donation for our "It's Spooky to Be Hungry" food drive.

**Volunteers Needed** – We are in need of several volunteers to assist with the game stations. These will be very simple games for children of all ages such as ring toss, bubble blowing, fishing with the Trail Life troop, and bean bag toss, along with candy prizes, a huge 50’ inflatable obstacle course, and face painting. If you are willing to volunteer, please contact Ora Parish at [oraandnat@gmail.com](mailto:oraandnat@gmail.com) or 706–504–6274.

**Food Drive** – Christ Church will partner with the Golden Harvest Food Bank in supporting their "It's Spooky to Be Hungry" campaign. We are asking for donations of non-perishable, commercially prepared food (no baby food or formula) now through October 30. Please place your donations in either of the two GHFB canisters located in Covenant Hall.

**Youth Reminder App** – Chris Nabholz will begin using the reminder app, *Remind101*, to develop better communications regarding our youth events. In order to stay informed, youth and parents are encouraged to join the Christ Church Youth Remind101 by texting "ccpyo" to 81010.

**Upcoming Officer Elections** – In the October 10 stated meeting of the session, Mike Boyd, John Dunsmore, and Mel Jewett were examined and approved for nomination to the office of Ruling Elder, and Lanier Adams was examined and approved for nomination to the office of Deacon. One other diaconate candidate, Chris Lammie, will be examined at a later date. A letter containing the personal testimonies of each candidate will be mailed out this week and a congregational meeting will be held after the morning worship service on November 20. Please pray for the Lord’s leading regarding how you are to respond regarding each candidate.

**Scripture Memory Review**

**Romans 8:29–30**

For those whom He foreknew He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, in order that He might be the firstborn among many brothers. And those whom He predestined He also called, and those whom He called He also justified, and those whom He justified He also glorified.