

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 – I Know that My Redeemer LivesHatton, arr. Page
Mrs. Catharine McClure

The Words of Welcome & the Opening Scripture Psalm 19:7
The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure,
making wise the simple.

- † **The Hymn of Praise** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 345*)..... AUSTRIAN HYMN
Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

- † **The Prayer of Invocation**

† **The Hymn** – The Church's One Foundation (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 347*).... AURELIA

The Evening Prayer John Norkus, Ruling Elder

The Offering & the Offertory – O Worship the King..... M. Haydn, arr. Keveren
(*Please record your attendance in the green Friendship Register.*)

† **The Hymn of Preparation** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 103*) GROSSER GOTT
Holy God, We Praise Your Name
On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children's Program.

The New Testament Lesson..... 1 Timothy 1:3–11 (*page 991*)

The Response

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

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor
SIGNS OF A HEALTHY CHURCH: PART 1
Teach True Doctrine

The Sermon Outline

I. Charge Certain Persons to Stop...

- A.) Teaching a Different Doctrine (v. 3)
John 16
- B.) Devoting Themselves to Things that Don't Matter (v. 4)
 - 1.) Myths
 - 2.) Endless genealogies
 - 3.) Speculations
 - 4.) Vain discussions

II. Charge All Persons to ...

- A.) True Understanding of the Law
 - 1.) Reveals sin like a mirror
 - 2.) Restrains our behavior like a locked door
 - 3.) Rules or guides us to the will of God like a GPS
- B.) True Understanding of the Gospel
 - 1.) Pure heart
 - 2.) Good conscience
 - 3.) Sincere faith

† **The Hymn of Response** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 382*) WUNDERBARER KONIG
God Himself Is with Us

† **The Benediction**

The Postlude

This Week at Christ Church

Week of May 6 – May 12

SUNDAY, April 6

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 Covenant Hall

Grades 1–4 Children's House

Grades 5–12 Youth House

Adult..... Assigned Locations

11:00 a.m. **Morning Worship with Holy Communion** Sanctuary

On the second hymn, children in K4 – 3rd Grade may exit for Children's Church.

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

3:45 p.m. AYC Parent's Meeting Upper Room

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.

MONDAY, May 7

7:00 p.m. Trail Life: Flag Retirement Ceremony..... Covenant Hall

WEDNESDAY, May 9

6:15 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

THURSDAY, May 10

7:00 p.m. Diaconate Meeting Church Office

FRIDAY, May 11

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

Please see the Home Bible Study Schedule below for upcoming opportunities to study God's Word.

The Church Office will be open Monday through Thursday until May 14 on a trial basis.

Home Bible Studies Schedule

TUESDAY

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

May 8.....706–231–3758, 503 Thompkins Lane in Evans

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

May 15.....706–737–5953, 2910 Mayfair Road in Augusta

THURSDAY

6:45 p.m. Women's Evening Bible Study..... Boyd Home

May 10.....706–836–4373, 9 Summerville Lane in Augusta

Assisting in the Services

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

Ushers are Jim Avery, Derrick Smits & Noah Stephens.

The Deacon on Duty is Jim Avery (wearing a red carnation).

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

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Richard Deal, John Edwards & William Jewett.

The Deacon on Duty will be Derrick Smits.

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, *Pastor*

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

Mr. Chris Nabholz, *Interim Director of Student Ministries*

Mrs. Fay Deal, *Director of Children's Ministries*

Mrs. Shirley McBride, *Secretary/Bookkeeper*

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

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord's Day, May 6, 2018



Scripture Memory of the Week

But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

– Acts 1:8

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.

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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 – Air.....Tartini

• The Welcome, Announcements & InvocationThe Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor

The Scriptural Call to Worship..... Psalm 51:10-12

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

The Choral Call to Worship.....Coates, arr. Nabholz

God Is Our Strength and Refuge

God is our strength and refuge, our present help in trouble;
And we therefore will not fear, though the earth should change!
Though mountains shake and tremble, though swirling floods are raging,
God the Lord of Hosts is with us ever more!

Sanctuary Choir and Laura Doss, organ

•† The Hymn of Adoration – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 30)..... ST. ANNE
O God, Our Help in Ages Past

† 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 (735 in the Trinity Hymnal)..... GLORIA 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.

The Prayer of Thanksgiving & Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer (using debts and debtors)

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

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

The Offertory Anthem – Hallelujah, Amen.....G. F. Handel

Hallelujah, Amen, Amen, Hallelujah, Amen
O Judah, rejoice.
Rejoice, O Judah, in songs divine,
With cherubim and seraphim harmonious join, Hallelujah, Amen.
Amen, Hallelujah, Amen.

Sanctuary Choir and Laura Doss, organ

† The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 66).....LAUDA ANIMA

God Is Known among His People

On the final verse, children in K4 – 3rd Grade may exit for Children's Church.

The New Testament Lesson.....Acts 1:1-11 (page 909)

The Response

Pastor: This is the Word of God.

People: Thanks be to Thee, O God.

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – "WITNESSES".....The Rev. Hendrick

The Sermon Outline

I. The Apostles of Christ

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| A.) Peter and Andrew were Brothers | F.) Matthew the Tax Collector |
| B.) James and John were Brothers | G.) James the Son of Alphaeus (Less) |
| C.) Philip the Inquisitor | H.) Thaddaeus (Judas not Iscariot) |
| D.) Bartholomew (Nathaniel) the Skeptic | I.) Simon the Zealot |
| E.) Thomas the Doubter | |

II. The Position of Authority (of Christ)

- A.) Came from God (John 1:10; Rom. 13:1)
- B.) To Teach the Word of God (Mt. 7:28; Luke 4:32)
- C.) To Forgive Sins (Mt. 9:8)
- D.) To Execute Justice (John 5:27)
- E.) Over Life (John 10:18)
- F.) Over all Flesh (John 17)
- G.) Over all Things (Luke 4: Mt. 28:18)
- H.) Given to Apostles (Mt. 10:1)

III. The Power of the Holy Spirit (v.8)

† The Communion Hymn (Trinity Hymnal, No. 420).....ST. GEORGE'S, WINDSOR

At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Words of Institution (1 Corinthians 11:23-32)

Pastor: I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when He was betrayed took bread:

All: and when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, This is My body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of Me.

Pastor: In the same way also He took the cup, after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in My blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

All: For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

Pastor: Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of profaning the body and blood of the Lord.

All: Let a man examine himself, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup.

Pastor: Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself.

All: That is why many of you are weak and ill, and some have died.

Pastor: But if we judged ourselves truly, we should not be judged.

All: But when we are judged by the Lord, we are disciplined so that we may not be condemned along with the world.

The Prayer of Consecration

The Distribution of the Elements – Please partake as you are served.

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

† The Parting Hymn – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 561)..... CANONBURY

Lord, Speak to Me that I May Speak

† The Benediction

The Organ Postlude – Allegro 18th Century Anonymous

Please plan to close this Lord's Day by joining us for evening worship.

Adult Sunday School Classes

Christ Church is currently offering the following Sunday school classes to enhance your spiritual growth. All are welcome and encouraged to attend at 9:45 a.m. Sunday mornings:

- Which Is It, One God or Three? – Led by Mark Walters; meeting in Covenant Hall.
- How the Church Grew after the Reformation – Various instructors; meeting in the Church Office Conference Room.
- Young Families – Led by Wade and Helen Caldwell; meeting in the Upper Room (2nd floor of the Sanctuary building).

Beginning Sunday, June 10

- New Members Class – Led by the Rev. Robert Hendrick and will be held in his office within the Church Office. For anyone who is considering membership and wanting to know more about our church? 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? This is a 5-week classing ending on July 8.

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 asked to bring a generous side dish, salad, or dessert to share, and visitors are warmly invited to attend.

VBS – Registration for this year's Vacation Bible School will be held today and next Sunday, May 13. Parents, if you have a child(ren) in kindergarten through the fifth grade, be sure to stop by the VBS table located in the narthex to register your child(ren) for our VBS the week of June 11-15. You may also register using Facebook by clicking the link associated with the VBS ad. For further information, please see Fay Deal or email her at FDeal@christchurchpres.org.

Flag Retirement Ceremony – our Trail Life Troop GA-2215 will conduct a flag retirement ceremony as part of their weekly meeting tomorrow, May 7, at 7:00 p.m. The congregation is invited to attend. If you have a flag that is no longer serviceable, you may place it in the collection box in the Fellowship Hall or see one of the troop's Trail Men.

Missions Prayer Bands – A monthly time of prayer for missions and missionaries held every third Sunday, beginning at 5:00 p.m. in Covenant Hall. We will be inspired through a field missionary's report in person or by video of what God is doing in their area. Make plans to join us for this special time of prayer in obedience to our Lord on Sunday, May 20. For more information, please contact Ken Moody at 706-854-7977 or via an email to ken.cathy.moody@gmail.com.

The King's Brass in Concert – Make plans today to enjoy the delightful music of The King's Brass during a concert on Wednesday, June 13, at 7:00 p.m. in our sanctuary. A love offering will be collected. Also, we are in need of your help with host homes for these eight gentlemen. If you would be willing to host one or two of The King's Brass members in your home, provide breakfast the following morning, along with a ride back to Christ Church, please phone the church office at 706-210-9090, or let us know by clicking the link on the Facebook ad or the recent church-wide email. Your hospitality will be a true blessing.

Missionary Prayer

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

Chris and Cary Drinkard, *Campus Outreach, Manila, Philippines*

Please pray that the Lord would continue to grow our love for Him, each other, and our community; that the LEAD staff in the field would transition well into their new culture and team; and that God would continue to grow the CO Manila leaders to reach other students.