

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** – The Lord’s My Shepherd..... arr. Larson
Mrs. Catharine McClure

The Words of Welcome & the Opening Scripture..... Psalm 99:1-3
The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim;
let the earth quake! The Lord is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples.
Let them praise Your great and awesome name! Holy is He!

- † **The Prayer of Invocation**

- † **The Hymn of Praise** – He Lives (*Family Songs, No. 38*)..... ACKLEY

The Evening Prayer Glynn Dyer, Ruling Elder

- † **The Hymn** – The Lord’s Prayer (*insert*) Alfred Malotte

The Offering & the Offertory – Lord, Speak to Me..... arr. Bonam
(Please record your attendance in the green Friendship Register.)

The Missions Moment..... Don and Jenny Townsend

- † **The Hymn of Preparation** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 528*).....OLIVET
My Faith Looks Up to Thee
On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children’s Program

The Gospel LessonMatthew 6:9 (*page 811*)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor
PETITION #3: YOUR WILL BE DONE

The Sermon Outline
I. Execute Your Decrees

II. Enable Our Hearts to Follow
Isaiah 6; Revelation 4:8, 10, & 19

- † **The Hymn of Response** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 599*)..... SHEPHERD
Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

The Missionary Prayer John Clark, Ruling Elder
Andy and Ilene Sanders to Serbia, Bosnia

- † **The Benediction**

The Postlude – I Sing the Mighty Power of God

Missionary Prayer

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

Eliseo and Paula Guadagno, *Operation Mobilization, Italy*

Please pray that this year’s sports camps brought those involved closer to Christ and that they will now become the voice of God in their home communities. Pray also for continued collaborative efforts among the Guadagno’s and international churches and organizations.

This Week at Christ Church

Week of September 9 – September 15

SUNDAY, September 9

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 Fellowship Hall
Grades 1-4 Children’s House
Grades 5-12 Youth House
Adult..... Assigned Locations

10:30 a.m. **Church-wide Fellowship** Fellowship Hall

11:00 a.m. **Morning Worship with Holy Communion** Sanctuary
On the second hymn, children in K–4 & 3rd Grade may exit for Children’s Church.

12:30 p.m. **Fellowship Meal**..... Fellowship Hall

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

5:00 p.m. **Sunday Prayer** Fellowship 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, September 10

6:30 p.m. **American Heritage Girls** Choir Room

7:00 p.m. **Trail Life** Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, September 11

7:00 p.m. **Adult Bible Study, Evans**503 Thompkins Lane

WEDNESDAY, September 12

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

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

7:00 p.m. **Trail Life Bible Study** Church Office

THURSDAY, September 13

6:45 p.m. **Women’s Evening Bible Study** ...9 Summerville Lane, Aug.

7:00 p.m. **Sons of Jubal Concert** Warren Baptist Church

FRIDAY, September 14

7:00 a.m. **Men’s Prayer** Church Office

SATURDAY, September 15

6:00 p.m. **Bible Conference: Can I Trust My Bible?**..... Sanctuary

6:00 p.m. **Children’s Movie and Pizza Night** Fellowship Hall

Current Officers with Scheduled Roll-Off Year

Elders

John Clark (2018)
Glynn Dyer (2018)
Charles McClure (2018)
Mike Boyd (2019)
John Dunsmore (2019)
Ken Moody (2020)
John Norkus (2020)

Deacons

Stephen Dyer (2018)
Wade Caldwell (2019)
Ed Russell (2019)
Jim Avery (2020)
Derrick Smits (2020)

Assisting in the Services

*Elders greeting at the doors before this morning’s service are Mel Jewett & Mark Walters.
Ushers are Richard Deal & William Jewett.
The Deacon on Duty is Jim Avery (wearing a red carnation).
Elders greeting at the doors next Lord’s Day will be Mike Boyd & Carl Fliermans.
Ushers next Lord’s Day will be Will Boyd, Wade Caldwell, & Andrew Norkus.
The Deacon on Duty will be Derrick Smits.*

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, *Pastor*
Dr. Stan Pylant, *Director of Music*; Mrs. Laura Doss, *Organist*
Mrs. Fay Deal, *Director of Children’s Ministries*
Mrs. Shirley McBride, *Office Manager*
Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*; Mr. Charles Caruso, *Lawn Maintenance*

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord’s Day, September 9, 2018



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

Scripture Memory of the Week

But He was pierced for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities; upon Him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with His wounds we are healed.

– Isaiah 53:5

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 Prelude – Brethren, We Have Met to Worshiparr. James Biery
Brian Moore & Mel Jewett, *trumpets*; Mike Boyd & Mark Goodell, *trombones*;
Kay Lovingood, *tuba*; and Laura Doss, *organ*

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

The Scriptural Call to WorshipPsalm 105:1-2
Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon His name; make know His deeds among the peoples! Sing to Him, sing praises to Him; tell of all His wondrous works!

The Invocation

The Choral Call to Worship -Gieschen, arr. Nabholz
We Sing of Jesus Christ
We sing of Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the first-born from the dead;
And the ruler, and the ruler, and the ruler of the kings of the earth!
To Him be glory! To Him be power! Amen! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Sanctuary Choir, CCP Brass, and Organ

•† **The Hymn of Adoration** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 38*)ST. DENIO
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

† **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. 735*)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 Old Testament Lesson**.....Isaiah 53 (*page 613*)

The Response

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

The Prayer of Thanksgiving & 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 Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

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

The Offertory Anthem – Fairest Lord Jesusarr. Derek Hakes

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nations,
O Thou of God and man of the Son,
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,
Thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands,
Robed in the blooming garb of spring:
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, Who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight,
And all the twinkling starry host;
Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer
Than all the angels heav'n can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations!
Son of God and Son of Man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,
Now and forever more be Thine. Amen.

Sanctuary Choir, and Laura Doss, *piano*

† **The Hymn of Preparation** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 435*) MORESTEAD
Lord of All Good, We Bring Our Gifts to You
On the final verse, children in K4–3rd Grade may exit for Children's Church.

The New Testament Lesson Acts 8:26-40 (*page 917*)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – A FLOWER IN THE DESERTThe Rev. Hendrick

The Sermon Outline

I. Observations

- A.) Ethiopian
1.) Position (v. 27)
2.) Posture (v. 28)
3.) Perplexed (v. 30, 34)
B.) Philip
1.) Embracing the Call of God (v. 26, 29)
2.) Engaging the Ethiopian (v. 30)
3.) Evangelist (v. 34, 35)

II. Presentation

- 1.) OT Reference (Is. 53)
2.) NT Realities (Acts)
Resurrection, repentance, renewal
(1:3; 2:21, 32, 38; 3:19; 4:2, 10, 12; 5:31; 8:22, 12)

III. Salvation (v. 36)

Takeaways:

The New Members ProfessionThe Rev. Hendrick
Ashton Ogletree Tara Ogletree

The Sacrament of Baptism Ashton Ogletree

† **The Hymn of Response** – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 595*)WYE VALLEY
Let Your Heart Be Broken

† **The Benediction**

The Organ Postlude – O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing.....arr. James Biery
CC,P Brass and Organ

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

Bible Conference

Can I Trust My Bible?

September 15 & 16

Saturday at 6:00 p.m. (*note correct time*)

Sunday at 9:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Michael Kruger, President
Reformed Theological Seminary, Charlotte

Guest soloist Scot Cameron Sunday morning and evening.

Bring the whole family. There will be nursery
and special opportunities for our children.

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 and guests are warmly invited to attend.

Inquirer's Class – Led by the Rev. Robert Hendrick will begin on Sunday, September 23, at 9:45 a.m. and will be held in the Church Office. This class is for anyone who is considering membership and/or wanting to know more about our church. We 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 six-week class will end on October 28. Please RSVP at the Welcome Table or by visiting www.christchurchpres.org.

Women's Evening Bible Study – The ladies evening Bible study will meet at 6:45 p.m. in Monica Boyd's home on September 13 which is located at 9 Summerville Lane in Augusta. We will be studying "The Parables and Metaphors of Our Lord." To be added to the roster and to receive study guides, contact Charlotte Jewett via an email to cjjewett@att.net. If you don't have access to email, please join us and pick up a study guide from the Welcome Table the Sunday before each meeting. We encourage you to join us for this wonderful fellowship with each other and our Lord.

Adult Bible Study, Evans – Adults, please make plans to join us this Tuesday, September 11, at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Linda and Warren Jones located at 503 Thompkins Lane. Noah Stephens and John Clark will lead studies during the fall. Please call 706-231-3758 for more information.

Children's Movie & Pizza Night – As an element of the Bible Conference this month, there will be a Missions Movie & Pizza night on Saturday, September 15, at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for children currently in kindergarten through 6th grade. Parent's, please take a moment to RSVP your child by completing the insert in today's bulletin or by visiting www.christchurchpres.org. There will be special treats for those who bring a friend. So, kids, be sure to invite someone!

International Link's Southern Hospitality Banquet – The International LINK is a local ministry to hundreds of internationals who have come here for training at Augusta University, Fort Gordon, etc. Every fall LINK organizes a *Southern Hospitality Banquet* which will be at Fairview Presbyterian Church on September 21 at 6:00 p.m. Volunteers are needed to pay for a meal at \$15, sponsor a table at \$120, host a table, bake a cake, help with parking, etc. You can volunteer on their website, theinternationallink.org, or contact John Clark (706-394-0832). Christ Church is sponsoring two tables and we ask that you pray for this dinner to be used to the glory of God.

Other ways to serve are by teaching English, being a Conversation Partner, donating furniture or money, or by simply attending outreach events and providing fellowship and friendship to international guests. All forms of service are appreciated and needed to fulfill our mission of showing Christ's love to the international community.

Missions Prayer Bands – Everyone is invited to join us for our monthly time of prayer for missions and missionaries next Sunday, September 16, beginning at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Martin Clink, the Interim Director of International Link (IL), Augusta, will be sharing about his call to IL, along with the future plans of this ministry. Make plans to join us for this special time of testimony and prayer. For more information, please contact Ken Moody at 706-951-0943 or via an email to ken.cathy.moody@gmail.com.

Adopt-a-Bed – We have several flower/shrub beds that need a little TLC—weeding. If you and/or your family would be willing to adopt a particular bed to maintain monthly for a year, please call or text Linda Jones at 706-231-3758. This is a wonderful opportunity to be good stewards of God's gracious gifts: Luke 12:42, *And the Lord said, "Who then is that faithful wise steward, whom his Lord shall make ruler over his household, to give them their portion of meat in due season?"*