

The Lord's Day Evening

6:00 p.m.

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

- **The Piano Prelude** – Holy, Holy, HolyDykes, arr. Forrest
Cathie McClure, pianist

The Words of Welcome & Prayer of Invocation.....Dr. Jim Watson, *Pastor*

- † **The Hymn No. 521** – My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less SOLID ROCK

The New Testament Reading Hebrews 2:14-18 (*page 1002*)

The Evening Prayer.....Rev. Jones

The Hymn No. 651– He Lifted Me HE LIFTED ME

The Offering & Prayer of Dedication

The Piano Offertory –O Word of God Incarnate..... arr. Bonam

- † **The Hymn No. 44** – How Great Thou Art.....O STORE GUD
On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 4 may exit for the Children's program.

The Old Testament ReadingPsalm 8:1;3-4 (*page 450*)

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

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – THE INTERSTATE AND PSALM 8 Dr. Watson

- † **The Hymn No. 32** – Great Is Thy FaithfulnessFAITHFULNESS

- † **The Benediction**

The Piano Postlude – Largo Chopin

This Week at Christ Church

Week of February 3 – February 9, 2013

SUNDAY, February 3

8:00 a.m..... WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio Broadcast

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 1-3 Children's House

Grades 4-5 Children's House

Middle & High School Youth Youth House

Special Education..... Deacons' Room

Adult..... Covenant Hall

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

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

12:15 p.m..... Fellowship Luncheon Covenant Hall

4:30 p.m. Augusta Youth Chorale Rehearsal..... Sanctuary

5:15 p.m. Prayer Meeting Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary

On the third hymn, children in K4 through Grade 4 may exit for the Children's Program.

TUESDAY, February 5

10:00 a.m. Women's Morning Bible Study..... Jones Home

7:00 p.m. Joint Session & Diaconate Meeting..... Office

WEDNESDAY, February 6

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

THURSDAY, February 7

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

FRIDAY, February 8

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

SATURDAY, February 9

9:30 a.m. Choir Easter Rehearsal Sanctuary

Assisting in the Services

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

Ushers are Will Boyd, Wade Caldwell, Jonathan Kimbrell, Ed Russell & John Norkus.

The Deacon on Duty is Ed Russell.

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

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Lamier Adams, Mark Goodell, Charles Kimbrell, John Norkus & Mark Walters.

The Deacon on Duty will be Ora Parish.

Staff

Rev. J. Josiah Jones, *Pastor*

Dr. Mark Nabholz, *Director of Music*; Mr. Scott Doss, *Interim Office Manager & A/V Director*;

Mrs. Laura Lowe, *Organist*;

Mrs. Shirley Taylor, *Bookkeeper*; Mr. Charles Caruso, *Custodian*

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The Lord's Day Morning Christ Church, Presbyterian

February 3, 2013 – 11:00 a.m.

To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood. – Revelation 1:5

The Purpose of Jesus' Miracles

“Jesus' miracles are never simply naked displays of power, still less neat conjuring tricks to impress the masses, but signs, significant displays of power that point beyond themselves to the deeper realities that could be perceived with the eyes of faith.”

D. A. Carson (b. 1946)

The Order of Worship

† indicates the congregation standing; • indicates seating for those detained

Please silence all cell phones and pagers.

- **The Organ Prelude** – Humbly, I Adore Thee.....arr. Callahan
The Prelude is a time set aside for quieting our hearts before God in preparation for worship.

The Choral Call to Worship Haydn

Father, we praise Thine endless glory!

Father, we praise Thee, Christ, we praise Thee, for Thine endless glory!

- **The Words of Welcome and Announcements**..... Rev. J. Josiah Jones, *Pastor*

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 99:1-3

Pastor: The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble!

People: He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

Pastor: The Lord is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples.

People: Let them praise Your great and awesome name! Holy is He!

The Prayer of Invocation

- † **The Hymn No. 112** – Praise Ye, Praise Ye the Lord.....COLUMBIA

† **The Confession of Faith** The Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible;

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds; God of God; Light of Light; Very God of Very God; Begotten, not made; Being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven; and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried; And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven; and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; Whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost; The Lord and Giver of Life; Who proceedeth from the Father and the Son; Who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; Who spake by the Prophets. And I believe one holy catholic* and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead; and the life of the world to come. Amen. (*universal)

† **The Doxology** (*Trinity Hymnal No. 731*) OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession Rev. Jones

The Private Confession of Sin

The Scriptural Assurance of Pardon (1 Peter 2:24)
He Himself bore our sins in His body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By His wounds you have been healed.

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 Old Testament Reading Amos 9:11-15 (*page 771*)

The Response Isaiah 40:8

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

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

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

The Offertory Anthem Haydn

Lo, my Shepherd is divine; can I want when He is mine?
By the streams which are so still, through the pastures of His will,
He doth lead me there to rest, still with peace and comfort blest.

adapted from Psalm 23

† **The Hymn No. 628** – Come, My Soul, Thy Suit Prepare HENDON
On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for Catechism.

The New Testament Reading John 2:1-12 (*page 887*)

The Response Revelation 2:29

Pastor: He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says.
People: Grant us ears, O Lord, to hear Your word.

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon Rev. Jones
BEGINNING TO CATCH A GLIMPSE OF JESUS’ GLORY

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

† **The Communion Hymn No. 656** (vss. 1-3) JESU, MEINE FREUDE
Jesus, Priceless Treasure

The Words of Institution
The Prayer of Consecration
The Distribution of the Elements – *Please partake as you are served.*
The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

† **The Parting Hymn No. 656** (vss. 4-5) JESU, MEINE FREUDE
Jesus, Priceless Treasure

† **The Benediction**

† **The Benediction Response** (*sung by all*) SICILIAN MARINERS HYMN
Lord dismiss us with Thy blessing, fill our hearts with joy and peace;
Let us each, Thy love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace.
O refresh us, O refresh us, traveling through this wilderness.

The Organ Postlude – Fugue in D Major W. F. Bach

Welcome

Thank you for joining us in worship today! Our hope is that as the Word is preached, as prayers are lifted up, and as hymns and anthems are sung, you will be blessed by the corporate worship of the triune God and will return to worship with us again soon. One of our Elders will be stationed near the piano following the service should you desire to know more about Christ Church, how to become a member here, or how to have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

Pulpit Guest

Dr. Jim Watson serves as a professor in the College of Education at Columbia International University, is a PCA Teaching Elder and a member of Palmetto Presbytery. He has served churches, Christian schools, and colleges as pastor, teacher, coach, administrator and professor. He and his wife, Lynn, were married in 1970. Their daughter, Susan, is a teacher, and she and her husband, Ben, live in Columbia, South Carolina. Their daughter, Jennifer, teaches at Rosslyn Academy in Nairobi, Kenya.

Evening Worship

Don’t miss the opportunity to fellowship with God’s people around His Word this evening. Return for Worship at 6:00 p.m. when Dr. Watson will bring a sermon entitled “The Interstate and Psalm 8” taken from Psalm 8:1;3-4.

Scripture Memory

We encourage you this week to memorize and meditate on John 14:21 “Whoever has My commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him.”

Communion and Fellowship Luncheon

Today we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper during Morning Worship. Following the service we will enjoy our monthly Fellowship Luncheon in Covenant Hall. Fried chicken will be provided for a donation of any amount. If you are visiting with us today, you are cordially invited to be our guest.

Communion Offering

All cash offerings collected this morning will be used for the Diaconate Relief Fund. If you desire to write a check for this purpose, please note “Diaconate Relief” in the memo line.

Officer Elections

The election of officers to the Session and the Diaconate Class of 2015 will be held in a congregational meeting following Morning Worship on Sunday, February 17. A list of the eligible candidates was sent by email to the members of Christ Church on January 17.

Other Announcements

Women’s Morning Bible Study – Starting this Tuesday, February 5, Jenn Jones will be leading a Bible study on the book of Philippians, exploring this wonderful epistle with the help of Sinclair Ferguson’s insightful commentary, “Let’s Study Philippians.” This Bible study group will meet every other Tuesday at 10 a.m. at the home of Josiah and Jenn, 718 Talon Court in Evans. If you are interested in participating, please e-mail or talk with Jenn as soon as possible, so she can be sure to order enough books. Her e-mail is siennabenna@yahoo.com.

Adult Bible Study – The study of the book of Genesis that meets at the home of Ron and Sue Moncrief, 2910 Mayfair Road in Augusta, will continue this Thursday, February 7, at 7:00 p.m. This study, using both expository exploration of the Word with theological and scientific understandings, is open to students of all ages. The group meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month.

Men’s Prayer – Men of Christ Church, you are warmly welcomed to Friday morning prayer beginning at 7:00 in Covenant Hall. We now begin with a homemade breakfast followed by a brief devotion from our Pastor and then a time of prayer.

Ministry Opportunity – If you enjoy singing, but are unable to commit to the regular ministry of the choir, please consider joining us in our preparations for the Resurrection Festival Service on Easter Sunday evening. For more information, contact Mark Nabholz (music@christchurchpres.org.) *Nurseries are provided for all rehearsals.* The scheduled Easter rehearsals are as follows:

Saturday, February 9	9:30-11:30 a.m.	Saturday, March 30	2:30-5:30 p.m.*
Wednesday, February 20	7:00-9:00 p.m.	Sunday, March 31 (<i>Service</i>)	6:00 p.m.
Saturday, March 23	9:30-11:30 a.m.		
Wednesday, March 27	7:00-9:30 p.m.		<i>*Dress Rehearsal with Orchestra.</i>

Pray for Our Missionaries

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

Bruce and Barbara Wannemacher, *Mission to the World (PCA), South Africa*
Missionaries in harm’s way
AGAPE Ministry, *Augusta, Georgia*
Alliance Defense Fund, *Scottsdale, Arizona*