**Missionaries and Agencies Receiving Support from Christ Church, Presbyterian**

Missionaries in harm’s way are not listed.

**AGAPE Ministry, Augusta, Georgia**
**Alliance Defense Fund, Scottsdale, Arizona**
**Rick and Betty Aschmann, Mission to the World (PCA), Ecuador**
**Dick and Nancy Bagget, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Kenya**
**Bob and Andrea Burnham, Mission to the World (PCA), Ukraine**
**Louis and Anne Carter, SIM, Kenya and Papua New Guinea**
**Child Evangelism Fellowship, Augusta, Georgia**
**Paul and Laura Chinchen, African Bible College, Malawi, Uganda, and Liberia**
**Cheryl Crocker, Mission to the World (PCA)**
**Karl and Debbie Dortzbach, Mission to the World (PCA), Kenya**
**Evangelical Reformed Seminary of Ukraine**
**Clay and Darlene Quarterman, Mission to the World (PCA), Ukraine**
**Bob and Andrea Burnham, Mission to the World (PCA), Kenya**
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**The Lord’s Day Morning**

**Christ Church, Presbyterian**

February 26, 2012 – 11:00 a.m.

**The First Sunday of Lent**

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

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**The Gift of Faith**

It is true that the faith which I am able to exercise is God’s own gift. He alone supports it, and He alone can increase it. Moment by moment, I depend on Him. If I were left to myself, my faith would utterly fail. – George Muller (1805-1898)

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**The Order of Worship**

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

Please silence all cell phones and pagers.

- The Organ Prelude – Andantino, Opus 18. .................Franck
  The Prelude is a time set aside for quieting our hearts before God in preparation for worship.

- The Choral Call to Worship ............................................Iverson
  Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me. Break me! Melt me! Mold me! Fill me!
  Spirit of the living God, fall fresh on me.

- The Words of Welcome and Announcements............ Elder McDonald Law

- The Scriptural Call to Worship ............................................Iverson
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- The Deacon on Duty will be Ora Parish.

- The Deacon on Duty will be John Norkus.

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- Dr. Mark Nabholz, Director of Music; Mr. Scott Dow, interim Office Manager & A/V Director;
  - Mrs. Laura Lown, Morning Organist; Mr. Mark Dickens, Evening Organist;
  - Mrs. Shirley Taylor, Bookkeeper; Mr. Charles Cano, Custodian

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**The Hymn No. 301 – Join All the Glorious Names**

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**Assisting in the Services**

Elders greeting at the doors before this morning’s service are Gene Gjida & Ken Moody.

Elders serving next Lord’s Day are Charles Adams, Charles Kimbell & John Norkus.

**Ushers serving next Lord’s Day are Will Boyd, Wade Caldwell, Jonathan Kimbrell & Ed Russell.**

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**This Week at Christ Church**

Week of February 26 – March 3, 2012

**SUNDAY, February 26**

8:00 a.m. ..................     WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio Broadcast
9:45 a.m. . . . . . . . . . . . Nursery Birth-23 mos. ......... Nursery 1
         Preschool (24-48 mos.) ..................... Nursery 2
         K-4 – K-5 .......... Children’s House
         Grades 4-5 .......... Children’s House
         Middle & High School Youth ....... Youth House
         Special Education .... Deacon’ Room

11:00 a.m. ............... Morning Worship .......... Sanctuary
  On the second hymn, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for Catechism.

12:30 p.m. ............... Early Worship ................. Sanctuary

**WEDNESDAY, February 29**

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

**FRIDAY, March 2**

7:00 a.m. .................. Men’s Prayer Meeting .......... Annex
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 Doxology - HAMBURG
Glory to God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, Three in One!

To Thee, O Blessed Trinity, be praise through-out eternity.

The Prayers of Thanksgiving & Intercession - Dr. John Harvey, pulpit guest

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. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

The Old Testament Reading - Isaiah 40:8

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

The Offertory Anthem - Scott Gracious Spirit, dwell with me, I would gracious be; Help me now Thy grace to see, I would be like Thee; And, with words that help and heal, Thy life would mine reveal; And, with actions bold and meek, for Christ, my Savior, speak.

Truthful Spirit, dwell with me, I would truthful be; Help me now Thy truth to see, I would be like Thee; And, with wisdom kind and clear, Thy life in mine appear; And, with action brotherly, speak Christ's sincerity.

Holy Spirit, dwell with me, I would holy be; Show Thee mercy tenderly, make me more like Thee; Separate from sin, I would and cherish all things good, And whatever I can be give Him who gave me Thee.

 Mighty Spirit, dwell with me, I would mighty be; Help me now Thy power to see, I would be like Thee; Guilt all weapons hell can wield, be Thou my strength and shield; Let Thy word my weapon be, Lord, Thine the victory.

The Psalter Hymn No. 48 - ROCKINGHAM OLD
O Lord Most High, with All My Heart
On the final verse, children in K-4 through Grade 3 may exit for Catechism.

The New Testament Reading - Romans 4:1-12 (page 941)

The Response
Pastor: This is the inerrant and inspired word of God. People: Our only infallible rule of faith and practice.

The Prayer for Illumination

The Benediction

The Benediction Response - SICILIAN MARINERS HYMN

The Organ Postlude - Faithful Lord Jesus... arr. Johnson

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 have any questions, contact Sue Moncrief at (706) 737-5953.

The Hymn No. 528 - My Faith Looks Up to Thee - OLIVET

Men’s Prayer
All men of the church are invited to Friday morning prayer beginning at 7:00 in the Annex. The sharing of prayer concerns will be followed by prayer around the table with dismissal at 8:00 to allow everyone time to get to work.

Casserole Ministry
From time to time there are those in our church who could benefit from a meal due to illness, death of a loved one, or other difficulties. If you would like to help with this ministry, please do the following:

- Make your favorite casserole in a disposable container and double wrap it for freezing.
- From time to time there are those in our church who could benefit from a meal due to illness, death of a loved one, or other difficulties.
- Bring it to the church and place it in the big freezer in the Covenant Hall kitchen. If you have questions, contact Sue Moncrief at (706) 737-5953.

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:
- Alliance Defense Fund, Scottsdale, Arizona
- Dick and Betty Achsmann, Mission to the World (PCA), Ecuador
- Dick and Nancy Buggé, Wycliffe Bible Translators, Kenya
- Bob and Andrea Burnham, Mission to the World (PCA), Ulusiti

Congratulations
Congratulations to Charles and Cathie McClure on the birth of their grandson, Charles Alton McClure, on Tuesday, February 21st in Augusta, to their son and daughter-in-law, Chad and Pam McClure.

Choral Service Tonight
Plan to return this evening and bring a friend to hear the Erskine Choraleers and the Augusta Youth Chorale present a memorable service filled with choral music beginning at 6:00 p.m. The Choraleers are a selective collegiate choir of 30 voices from Erskine College in Due West, South Carolina. The Augusta Youth Chorale is a 30-voice mixed choir of teenagers from churches and schools across the CSRA. Both ensembles are conducted by Dr. John Harvey, Director of Music, Mark Nakholi. Dr. John Harvey will bring a homily entitled “Our Great High Priest”, from Hebrews 4:14-16.

Communion and Fellowship Luncheon
Next Sunday, March 4, we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper during Morning Worship. All communiting members of Christ Church are urged to be present. Following the 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. Please use the RSVP form inserted in today’s bulletin to indicate the number of adults and children who will be attending.

Women in the Church Bible Study
The Women’s Bible Study will continue their study of the book of Psalms during March. This has been a rich time of opening and discussing God’s Word, and all women are welcome to attend this time of fellowship and encouragement. The group will meet next on Thursday, March 8th at the home of Monica Boyd, 9 Summerville Lane in Augusta, from 6:45 until 8:00 p.m.