

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 if able • 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 Welcome..... Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Prelude—O Thou In Whose Presence My Soul Takes Delight..Daniel Burton

The Introit..... Felix Mendelssohn

Cast Thy Burden

Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and He shall sustain thee.

He never will suffer the righteous to fall; He is at thy right hand.

Thy mercy, Lord, is great, and far above the heavens.

Let none be made ashamed that wait upon Thee.

The Scriptural Call to Worship.....Psalm 117

¹Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol Him, all peoples! ²For great is His steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever. Praise the LORD!

The Prayer of Invocation

- † The Hymn of Praise – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 302*).....MADRID
Come, Christians, Join to Sing

† 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 Morning Prayer.....Dr. John Norkus, Ruling Elder

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

The Offertory Anthemarr. Dan Forrest

To the Lamb on the Throne

Worthy the Lamb, worthy the Lamb!

Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim,

And publish abroad His wonderful name;

The name all-victorious of Jesus extol;

His kingdom is glorious and rules over all.

Worthy the Lamb, worthy the Lamb!

"Salvation to God, who sits on the throne!"

Let all cry aloud, and honor the Son;

The praises of Jesus the angels proclaim,

Fall down on their faces and worship the Lamb.

Worthy the Lamb, worthy the Lamb!

God rules in the height, almighty to save,

Though hid from our sight, His presence we have;

The great congregation His triumph shall sing,

Ascribing salvation to Jesus our King.

Worthy the Lamb, worthy the Lamb!

Then let us adore and give Him His right:

All glory and power, all wisdom and might,

All honor and blessing with angels above,

And thanks never ceasing for infinite love!

Worthy the Lamb, worthy the Lamb!

- † The Hymn of Preparation – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 645*)..... ST. AGNES
Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

(On the final verse, children K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children's Church.)

The New Testament Reading.....Mark 10:46–52 (Page 847)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon..... Rev. Bigham

HAVE MERCY ON ME!

- † The Hymn of Response – (*Family Songs, No. 89*)..... PASS ME NOT
Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour

† The Benediction..... Rev. Bigham

The Postlude—Toccatà in E Minor..... Johann Pachelbel

The Evening Service, six o'clock

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

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The Prelude – Behold the Lamb..... Getty & Townend, arr. Larry Shackley
Cathie McClure, piano

The Welcome..... Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Scriptural Call to Worship.....Psalm 34:1–3

¹I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise shall continually be in my mouth. ²My soul makes its boast in the LORD; let the humble hear and be glad. ³Oh, magnify the LORD with me, and let us exalt His name together!

The Prayer of Invocation

- † The Hymn of Praise – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 33*)..... INNOCENTS
Let Us with a Gladsome Mind

The Evening Prayer.....Rev. Bigham

The Offering & The Offertory..... arr. Virginia Halberg
May the Mind of Christ My Saviour

- † The Hymn of Preparation – (*Trinity Hymnal, No. 93*)..... CAITHNESS
The Tender Love a Father Has

(Children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for Children's Choir.)

The Old Testament Reading.....Ruth 4 (Page 224)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon..... Rev. Bigham
RESTORED TO LIFE

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

† The Benediction..... Rev. Bigham

The Postlude

All of this and more can be found at myccp.faith
Announcements

Wednesday Night Fellowship — The menu this week is taco bar and dessert. Please make a reservation for dinner using the Friendship Register or on the church website, myccp.faith, under the events tab, by Tuesday at 9:00 a.m.

Friday Evening Men's Study —The Scripture warns us that the enemy of our souls has many schemes by which he attempts to destroy the church. Join us on March 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the church office conference room, as we study *Precious Remedies Against Satan's Devices* by Thomas Brooks. In this study, we will uncover Satan's plots and use God's Word to fight against the devil's lies, that we might live in the light of God's truth. Please RSVP on the church's website at myccp.faith.

The Augusta Youth Choir Festival — The Augusta Youth Chorale is joining with several other area youth choirs in March for the Augusta Youth Choir Festival. The event will culminate in a concert at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 22nd in the Sanctuary at First Baptist Church of Augusta (3500 Walton Way Extension). There will be over 200 students singing and they will be accompanied by an orchestral ensemble, piano, and organ. This concert is free and open to the public and all are invited!

Mark Your Calendars

- ◇ Art on Southern Pines — April 25
- ◇ Spring Fling — April 29
- ◇ Memorial Day Picnic — May 25
- ◇ AYC Summer Tour — June 8–12
- ◇ VBS — June 15–19
- ◇ Youth Camp — June 22–26



- ◇ Palm Sunday — March 29
- ◇ Maundy Thursday — April 2, 7:00 p.m.
- ◇ Good Friday Service — April 3, 12:00 p.m.
- ◇ Easter Sunday — April 5 (Sunday School & Worship)
Evensong, 6:00 p.m.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God
and in memory of Mr. & Mrs. L. Allen Millward and Martha G. Holley
by Jane Millward.

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Heritage Academy

Pray that God will help the staff carry out the mission of Christian education with programs that reflect Biblical principles of holy living and truth.

Financial Report

	February 2026	Year-to-date	2026 Budgeted YTD
Revenue	69,750.22	147,022.12	1,157,761.19
Expense	66,937.12	144,055.16	1,041,200.24
Income	2,813.10	2,966.96	116,560.95
Mortgage			
Prior Mortgage Balance as of 2/5/2026		2,163,702.10	
Current Mortgage Balance as of 3/5/2026		<u>2,152,142.17</u>	
Monthly Mortgage Reduction		11,559.93	

This Week at Christ Church

Week of March 15 — March 21

SUNDAY, March 15

6:00 a.m. WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts
 7:00 a.m. WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School..... Assigned Locations
 Nursery I (Birth–23 mos.)..... Nursery I
 Nursery II (24–47 mos.)..... Children's Building
 K4 through Grade 5..... Children's Building
 Grades 6–12 Youth Building
 Adult..... Various Locations
 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. AYC Rehearsal Sanctuary
 4:00 p.m. Ladies Online Prayer Group
 Diane Dunsmore (ddunsmore777@gmail.com; 706-401-4146)
 Maria Russell (edmaman@gmail.com; 706-726-1703)

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary

MONDAY, March 16

7:00 p.m. AHG Children's Building

7:00 p.m. Trail Life Covenant Hall

TUESDAY, March 17

6:30 p.m. Young Adult Bible Study Children's Building

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

WEDNESDAY, March 18

5:00 p.m. Sanctuary Ringers Rehearsal..... Sanctuary

5:30 p.m. Fellowship Dinner Covenant Hall

6:00 p.m. Children & Youth Activities Assigned Locations

6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study..... Covenant Hall

7:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

THURSDAY, March 19

11:00 a.m. WOCC Knitting & Crochet..... Spurr Home

6:30 p.m. Session & Prayer Meeting..... Church Office

7:30 p.m. Ladies Online Prayer Group

FRIDAY, March 20

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Church Office

9:45 a.m. Ladies Bible Study Covenant Hall

6:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study Church Office

Assisting in the Services

The elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are Rick Rezzelle & John Dunsmore.

Ushers are Brady Downs, Ken Lynch & Hank Gautreaux; security is Joshua Doss.

The Deacon on Duty is Lee Carter (wearing a red rose).

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord's Day will be Derrick Smits & Glynn Dyer.

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Michael Carter, Marion Butler & Ed Russell.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Gene Gojda; security will be Jon Kunze.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

John Dunsmore (2026) Rich Fishel (2027) Joe Beasley (2028)
 Johan Hubenthal (2026) Charles McClure (2027)
 John Norkus (2026) Derrick Smits (2027)

Deacons

Lee Carter (2026) Dan Campbell (2027) Ken Lynch (2027)
 Hank Gautreaux (2026) Gene Gojda (2027) Richard Turner (2027)
 Davis Mellick (2026) John Kunze (2027) Ed Russell (2028)

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord's Day, March 15, 2026



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out
and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!"
Mark 10:47

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.

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, *Pastor*
 Rev. Ryan Bigham, *Associate Pastor*
 Dr. John L. Wilson, *Director of Music Ministries*
 Mr. Jonathan McKenzie, *Director of Youth Ministries*
 Mrs. Frances Gojda, *Director of Children's Ministries*
 Ms. Laura Doss, *Organist & Church Hostess*
 Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*
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