

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 – How Firm a Foundation.....arr. Hobby

The Introit John L. Wilson
Rejoice in the Lord
Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice in the Lord!
Sing praises unto Him and rejoice!

The Scriptural Call to Worship 1 Chronicles 16:23–25
²³Sing to the LORD, all the earth! Tell of His salvation from day to day.
²⁴Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! ²⁵For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised, and He is to be feared above all gods.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 1) OLD HUNDREDTH
All People That on Earth Do Dwell

† 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 Pastoral PrayerRev. Bigham

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 AnthemNicola Zingarelli

Go Not Far from Me
Go not far from me, far from me, O God;
Cast me not away, cast me not away in the time of age.
Cast me not away in the time of age.
Forsake me not, forsake me not, forsake me not,
When my strength faileth me.

O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise, be filled with Thy praise,
That I may sing, that I may sing, that I may sing
Thy glory and honor all the day long, all the day long,
That I may sing Thy glory all the day long!
O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise,
O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise,
That I may sing of Thy glory all the day long,
That I may sing of Thy glory all the day long.
O let my mouth, O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise,
O let my mouth, O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise,
That I may sing of Thy glory all the day long,
That I may sing of Thy glory all the day long,
All the day long, all the day long!

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

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 144)BEATITUDO
Fathers of Mercies, in Your Word

(Children K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children’s Church on the final verse)

The New Testament Reading Luke 10:38–42 (Page 869)
Leader: The grass withers, the flower fades,
Congregation: But the Word of our God shall stand forever. Isaiah 40:8

The Prayer for Illumination

The SermonRev. Bigham
THE BETTER PORTION

† The Hymn of Response – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 188) TRANQUILLITY
Jesus, I am Resting, Resting

† The Benediction.....Rev. Bigham

The Postlude – Toccata in E MinorPachelbel

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 – Reflection on Nearer, My God to Thee.... arr. Heather Sorenson
Cathie McClure, piano

The Welcome..... Rev. Ryan Bigham

The Scriptural Call to Worship..... Psalm 66:8, 9
⁸Bless our God, O peoples; let the sound of His praise be heard.
⁹who has kept our soul among the living and has not let our feet slip.

The Prayer of Invocation

• † The Hymn of Praise – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 103).....GROSSER GOTT
Holy God, We Praise Your Name

The Pastoral PrayerRev. Bigham

The Offering & The Offertory Duke Street, arr. Stan Pethel
Jesus Shall Reign

• † The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 486).....REDHEAD
God, Be Merciful to Me

(Children in K4 through Grade 5 may exit for Children’s Choir on the final verse.)

The New Testament Reading Romans 8:12, 13 (Page 944)
Leader: The grass withers, the flower fades,
Congregation: But the Word of our God shall stand forever. Isaiah 40:8

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon..... Rev. Bigham
DEBTORS OF THE SPIRIT

† The Hymn of Response – (Family Songs, No. 5) DEPTH OF MERCY
Depth of Mercy

† The Benediction..... Rev. Bigham

The Postlude

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

PCA General Assembly Report — Join us during the Sunday School hour on July 26th to hear a report about the 2026 General Assembly. During this time, Pastor Ryan will give us the good, the bad, and the just okay. Come hear about the ways that the Lord is at work in our beloved denomination.

King’s Brass Concert — Join us for an inspiring evening of brass music! The King’s Brass will perform live on Tuesday, July 28, at 7:00 p.m. The group features trumpets, trombones, a tuba, keyboards, and percussion. They play innovative arrangements of beloved hymns, classical masterpieces, and patriotic music. This is a fantastic, family-friendly event. It is perfect for all ages. Admission is free, but an offering will be taken to support their ministry. Invite your friends, family, and neighbors. Let’s fill the sanctuary!

Bible Conference — Christians believe that God is sovereign over all things, as the Creator and Sustainer of all things. But what does it mean that God is sovereign? Join us for our annual Bible Conference on August 15-16, featuring Dr. Scott Swain, who will be speaking on the theme of "The Sovereignty of God". There will be four sessions, as well as a time for Q&A with Dr. Swain during our Sunday School hour. You can find the full schedule and registration for Saturday’s dinner at *myccp.faith*.

Churchwide Emails — If you are not receiving the “This Week at Christ Church” email and others sent out by the church and you would like to, please call the office at (706) 210–9090.

Sanctuary Flowers — If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary in honor or in memory of a loved one, please visit the Welcome Table in the narthex and sign up on the Flower Calendar form. Close to the date, Yvonne Clark will contact you regarding the arrangement and Donna Sherman will contact you for the wording.

Mark Your Calendars

- King’s Brass — July 28 at 7:00 p.m.
- Children’s Sunday School Promotion — August 2
- Bible Conference — August 15 & 16 with Keynote Speaker Dr. Scott Swain

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Doug & Amy Nunziato, MATA

Pray for the Nunziato’s work at MATA: that they would be a source of encouragement and wise counsel for students, who are missionaries in training.

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q. 46. What is forbidden in the first commandment?

A. The first commandment forbiddeth the denying, or not worshiping and glorifying, the true God as God, and our God; and the giving of that worship and glory to any other, which is due to Him alone .

Financial Report

	<u>June 2026</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>	<u>2026 Budgeted</u>
Revenue	71,367.64	495,783.14	1,157,761.19
Expense	<u>45,284.26</u>	<u>447,028.74</u>	<u>1,041,200.24</u>
Income	26,083.38	48,754.40	116,560.95

Mortgage

Prior Mortgage Balance as of 6/5/2026	2,117,064.29
Current Mortgage Balance as of 7/5/2026	<u>2,105,766.22</u>
Monthly Mortgage Reduction	11,298.07

This Week at Christ Church

Week of July 19–July 25

SUNDAY, July 19

6:00 a.m. WGAC, 580AM and 95.1FM Radio, and wgac.com Broadcasts

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9:45 a.m. Sunday SchoolAssigned 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.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 WorshipSanctuary

MONDAY, July 20

7:00 p.m. Trail LifeCovenant Hall

WEDNESDAY, July 22

6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study Youth Building

7:00 p.m.Sanctuary Choir RehearsalSanctuary

THURSDAY, July 23

6:30 p.m.WOCC Knitting & Crochet Hammond Home

7:30 p.m.. Ladies Online Prayer Group

FRIDAY, July 24

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

10:00 a.m..... Ladies Bible StudyCovenant Hall

6:30 p.m.....Young Adult Men’s Bible StudyCovenant Hall

Assisting in the Services

The elder greeting at the doors before this morning’s service is Charles McClure.

Ushers are Michael Carter, Marion Butler & Ed Russell; security is Stu Dawley.

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

The elder greeting at the doors next Lord’s Day will be Rick Rezzelle.

Ushers next Lord’s Day will be Stu Dawley, Dan Campbell & Davis Mellick.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Gene Gojda; security will be Dana McWhirter.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

Johan Hubenthal (2026)

Charles McClure (2027)

Joe Beasley (2028)

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, July 19, 2026



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the louse of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in His temple.

Psalm 27:4

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 contact the church office to meet with or talk to a pastor.

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*

Mrs. Laura Bassett, *Organist & Church Hostess*

Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*

Mrs. Donna Sherman, *Administrative Assistant*

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