

## 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. Robbie Hendrick

**The Prelude** — Jesus, Lover of My Soul .....arr. Larry Shackley  
Noah Doss, *violin*, Joseph Doss, *cello* and Laura Doss, *piano*

**The Introit** .....John L. Wilson  
**The Lord is My Strength and My Song**  
The Lord is my strength, the Lord is my song,  
The Lord is my strength and my song!

**The Scriptural Call to Worship** ..... 1 Chronicles 16:29  
Ascribe to the LORD the glory due His name; bring an offering and come before Him! Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.

**The Prayer of Invocation**

• † **The Hymn of Praise** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 76)..... LAUDA ANIMA  
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

† **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** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 731)..... OLD HUNDREDTH  
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heav’nly host: praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**The Sacrament of Baptism**

Victoria Esther Davis                      Parents: Jonathan & Winter Davis

**The Morning Prayer** .....Mr. Glynn Dyer, 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 Anthem** .....arr. Dan Forrest  
**Nearer, My God, to Thee**

Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!  
E’en though it be a cross that raiseth me,  
Still all my song shall be, nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

Oh, let the way appear, leading to heaven,  
All that Thou sendest me, in mercy given;  
Thy Spirit beckons me, nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

There in my Father's house, safe and at rest,  
There in my Savior's love, perfectly blest.  
Age after age to be nearer, my God to Thee;  
Nearer, my God to Thee, nearer to Thee!

Joseph Doss, *cello* & Laura Doss, *piano*

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

• † **The Hymn of Preparation** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 184) .... DOMINUS REGIT ME  
The King of Love My Shepherd Is

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

**The New Testament Reading** ..... 1 John 2:12–17 (Page 1021)  
**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. Robbie Hendrick  
**WHAT NOT TO LOVE**

- I. **Requirement: Do Not Love the World**  
1 John 4:9; John 13:34, 35; 1 Cor. 13:1; Matt. 5:44  
A.) Creation (Gen. 1:1; Neh. 9:6; Heb. 11:3)  
B.) People (John 3:16; 1 John 2:2; 4:14)  
C.) Spiritual realm (1 John 4:4, 5; 3:1, 13; 4:3)
- II. **Reasons to Not Love the World**  
A.) Because of what it is  
B.) Because of who we are (v. 12–14)  
C.) Because of what the world does (v. 16)  
Gal. 5:19  
Romans 1  
D.) Because of the end result (v. 7; Rev. 21:1; Matt. 24:35)
- III. **Reprehensible Love**  
A.) Pointed at the wrong object (v. 15; James 4:4)  
B.) Proceeds from the wrong motive (source)  
C.) Produces wrong fruit (v. 17)

† **The Hymn of Response** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 529)..... BEECHER  
Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

† **The Benediction** .....Rev. Hendrick

**The Postlude** — Voluntary in G Major ..... 18th Century Anonymous

## 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** — Psalm Medley .....Bach/Wrytzen  
Cathie McClure, *piano*

**The Welcome**..... Rev. Ryan Bigham

**The Scriptural Call to Worship** ..... Isaiah 25:1  
O LORD, You are my God; I will exalt You; I will praise Your name,  
for You have done wonderful things, plans formed of old, faithful and sure.

**The Prayer of Invocation**

• † **The Hymn of Praise** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 296).....CORONATION  
All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!

**The Evening Prayer**..... Rev. Bigham

**The Offering & The Offertory** .....arr. Phillip Keveren  
Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart

• † **The Hymn of Preparation** — (*Family Songs*, No. 1)..... IN CHRIST ALONE  
In Christ Alone

(On the final verse, children K4 through Grade 5 may exit for the Children’s Choir.)

**The New Testament Reading** ..... Matthew 9:18–26 (Page 814)  
**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. Robbie Hendrick  
**HOPE IN DESPAIR**

- I. **Jesus**  
A.) Accessible (v. 18)  
B.) Available (v. 19)  
C.) Merciful (v. 18; Matt. 14:14; 9:36)  
D.) Impartial (Luke 4:18)  
E.) Powerful (v. 23–26)
- II. **Jairus and the Woman**  
A.) Outcasts  
B.) Great need  
C.) Simple but great faith  
D.) Salvation

† **The Hymn of Response** — (*Trinity Hymnal*, No. 693) ..... ASSURANCE  
Blessed Assurance

† **The Benediction** .....Rev. Hendrick

**The Postlude**

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

Christian sympathy is extended to Charles Kimbrell and family in the home-going of Jennifer, who went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, July 13.

New Sunday School Classes (July 27th):

- Death, Where is Your Sting?*: In this class, we will study the hope that the believer has, even in the face of death. We will especially consider the instruction of the Westminster Larger Catechism and its exposition of the believer's communion in glory with the risen Christ. (Choir Room)
- Ecclesiastes*: Vanity of vanities! All is vanity. So begins the book of Ecclesiastes, one of the most challenging books of Scripture to interpret and apply. The book deals with questions of despair, suffering, and folly—in other words, life in a fallen world. Ecclesiastes teaches us that life without God leads ultimately to futility. We will begin by looking at the life of its author, Solomon, his rise to power, building the temple and his final demise. We will then work our way through the questions that the Preacher poses for his readers and life in the 21st century. (Admin Building Conference Room)
- The Life of the Church*: This class will focus on three key elements of life in the church: The Table, the Pulpit, and the Square. We'll explore how these elements help us "Gather in Worship, grow in community, and go in witness." (Fellowship Hall Classroom)

**Officer Nominations:** Officer nominations for Elder and Deacon will be accepted throughout the month of August. Please prayerfully consider who God may want you to nominate. Forms will be available in the bulletin and on the Welcome table beginning in August.

**Apologetics Conference (August 23–24)** — Join us for our annual Apologetics Conference with guest speaker, Dr. Carlton Wynne, ordained teaching elder in the Presbyterian Church in America and Associate Pastor at Westminster Presbyterian Church. Dr. Wynne will be speaking on the theme, "The Word Above All Earthly Powers".

Mark Your Calendars

- ◇ **Children's Sunday School Promotion** — August 3
- ◇ **Sacrament of Holy Communion** — August 3 during the **Evening Worship Service**
- ◇ **Apologetics Conference** — August 23–24, with guest speaker Dr. Carlton Wynne

Missionary Prayer Focus This Week

Noah and Karleigh Stephens

Noah and Karleigh are in the states and were unable to return to Thailand due to visa issues. Please pray the Lord would provide them direction in their future ministry.

Westminster Shorter Catechism

**Q. 2. What rule hath God given to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him?**  
A. The Word of God, which is contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments, is the only rule to direct us how we may glorify and enjoy Him.

Financial Report

	<u>June 2025</u>	<u>Year-to-date</u>	<u>2025 Budgeted YTD</u>
Revenue	92,610.33	479,430.45	565,115.04
Expense	131,600.96	575,099.32	554,169.58
Income	(38,990.63)	(95,668.87)	10,945.46
<u>Mortgage</u>			
May 31 Balance:	2,287,179.14		
June 30 Balance:	<u>2,259,047.83</u>		
June Reduction:	28,131.31		

This Week at Christ Church  
Week of July 20–July 26

**SUNDAY, July 20**  
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  
9:00 a.m. ....Donuts & Coffee..... Covenant Hall  
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.....Covenant Hall  
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 (ednamaman@gmail.com; 706-726-1703)  
6:00 p.m..... Evening Worship ..... Sanctuary  
**MONDAY, July 21**  
7:00 p.m..... Trail Life ..... Covenant Hall  
**WEDNESDAY, July 23**  
6:00 p.m..... Youth Bible Study ..... Youth House  
7:00 p.m..... Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal ..... Sanctuary  
**THURSDAY, July 24**  
7:30 p.m..... Ladies Online Prayer Group  
**FRIDAY, July 25**  
7:00 a.m. .... Men's Prayer ..... Church Office  
10:00 a.m. .... Ladies Bible Study ..... Covenant Hall  
**SATURDAY, July 26**  
9:00 a.m. .... Trail Life — Water Fun Day ..... Covenant Hall

Assisting in the Services

The elders greeting at the doors before this morning's service are Mike Boyd & Johan Hubenthal.

Ushers are Dan Campbell, Rick Rezzelle & Campbell Bailey; security is Marion Butler.

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

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord's Day will be John Clark & Mel Jewett.

Ushers next Lord's Day will be Jon Kunze, Allen Richardson & Stu Dawley.

The Deacon on Duty next week will be Gary Cowart; security will be Hank Adam Gautreaux.

Current Officers With Class Year

Elders

Mike Boyd (2025)	John Dunsmore (2026)	Rich Fishel (2027)
Glynn Dyer (2025)	Johan Hubenthal (2026)	Charles McClure (2027)
Billy Hatcher (2025)	John Norkus (2026)	Derrick Smits (2027)

Deacons

Joe Beasley (2025)	Lee Carter (2026)	Dan Campbell (2027)
Marion Butler (2025)	Hank Gautreaux (2026)	Gene Gojda (2027)
Gary Cowart (2025)	Davis Mellick (2026)	John Kunze (2027)
Matt Linton (2025)		Ken Lynch (2027)
Eddie Zamora (2025)		Richard Turner (2027)

Christ Church, Presbyterian  
The Lord's Day, July 20, 2025



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him...whoever does the will of God abides forever.

1 John 2:15, 17b

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, *Assistant Pastor*  
Dr. John Wilson, *Director of Music Ministries*  
Mr. Jonathan McKenzie, *Director of Youth Ministries*  
Mrs. Frances Gojda, *Director of Children's Ministries*  
Ms. Laura Doss, *Organist*  
Mr. Scott Doss, *AV & Digital Media Director*  
Mrs. Donna Sherman, *Administrative Assistant*  
Mr. Charles Caruso, *Sexton*

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