

The Evening Service, six o'clock

You also are being built together for a dwelling place of God in the Spirit. Ephesians 2:22
 † indicates the congregation standing; • indicates seating for those detained

The Piano Prelude – Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flowarr. Keveren
 Mrs. Catharine McClure

The Words of Welcome & the Call to Worship..... Psalm 66:1–4
 Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of His name; give to
 Him glorious praise! Say to God, “How awesome are Your deeds! So great
 is Your power that Your enemies come cringing to You. All the earth
 worships You and sings praises to You; they sing praises to Your name.”

The Prayer of Invocation

• † **The Hymn of Praise** – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 381) HOLY MANNA
 Brethren, We Have Met to Worship

The Evening Prayer Mel Jewett, Ruling Elder

The Hymn – Let the Whole Creation Cry (Family Songs, No. 64) LLANFAIR

The Offering & the Offertory..... arr. Catherine McMichael
 All Creatures of Our God and King
 Desiree Wiggill, flute

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

† **The Hymn of Preparation** – (Family Songs, No. 23) REST
 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind
 (On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children’s Program)

The Psalter Lesson..... Psalm 72 (page 485)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – (outline handout) The Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor
 AN ENCOMPASSING PRAYER

† **The Hymn of Response** – (Family Songs, No. 51) LEOMINSTER
 Not What My Hands Have Done

† **The Benediction** The Rev. Hendrick

The Postlude

Ladies Home Bible Study

The Ladies Home Bible study will hold its first meeting on Thursday, October 10, at 6:15 p.m. Please bring a salad to share for a time of fellowship before the Bible study. Future Bible studies will begin at 6:45 p.m.

Adult Fall Sunday School Classes

9:45 a.m. each Sunday and open to all adults.

Church History 100–600 AD, led by John Norkus, meeting in the Fellowship Hall
 1st John, led by Mark Walters, meeting in the Church Office
 Meditating on Verses, led by Don Townsend, meeting in the Church Office

Missionary Prayer

Please remember these missionaries and organization designated for special prayer in our worship services today and in your daily prayers this week:
 Rick and Betty Aschmann, Mission to the World (PCA), Bogotá

Please continue praying for our two Quichua Bible studies and online video project to be useful tools in reaching this people group with the gospel of Christ. Praise God for recording the *Jesus Film* in two native languages and the reprinting of bilingual New Testaments.

This Week at Christ Church

Week of October 6 – October 12

SUNDAY, October 6

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

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9:45 a.m. Sunday School

Nursery I (Birth–23 mos.) Nursery 1

Nursery II (24–47 mos.) Nursery 2

K4 Fellowship Hall

Kindergarten through Grade 4 Children’s House

Grades 5–12 Youth House

Adult Assigned Locations

9:45 a.m. Inquirer’s Class 2nd Floor of Sanctuary

10:30 a.m. Church-wide Fellowship Fellowship Hall

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship with Holy Communion Sanctuary

On the second hymn, children in K–4 – third grade may exit for Children’s Church.

4:30 p.m. AYC Rehearsal 2nd Floor of Sanctuary

5:00 p.m. Sunday Prayer Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Evening Worship Sanctuary

On the final verse, children in K4 through Grade 3 may exit for the Children’s Program.

MONDAY, October 7

7:00 p.m. American Heritage Girls 2nd Floor of Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. Trail Life Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY, October 8

7:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study, Evans 503 Thompkins Lane

WEDNESDAY, October 9

5:30 p.m. Fellowship Dinner Fellowship Hall

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

6:15 p.m. Adult Bible Study Fellowship Hall

Brass Ensemble Rehearsal Sanctuary

7:05 p.m. Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary

FRIDAY, October 11

7:00 a.m. Men’s Prayer Church Office

SATURDAY, October 12

Evening (TBD) Youth’s College Football Night .. 717 Coventry Ave., Grovetown

Current Officers with Class Year

Elders

Mike Boyd (2019)

John Clark (2019)

John Dunsmore (2019)

Charles McClure (2020)

Ken Moody (2020)

John Norkus (2020)

Billy Hatcher (2021)

Mel Jewett (2021)

Don Townsend (2021)

Deacons

Stephen Dyer (2019)

Wade Caldwell (2019)

Ed Russell (2019)

Jim Avery (2020)

Derrick Smits (2020)

Ryan Griffin (2021)

Richard Turner (2021)

Assisting in the Services

Elders greeting at the doors before this morning’s service are Charles Bowen & Mel Jewett.

Ushers are Marion Butler, Derrick Smits, Brent Steed, & Richard Turner.

The Deacon on Duty is Richard Turner (wearing a red carnation).

Elders greeting at the doors next Lord’s Day will be George Bowen & Billy Hatcher.

Ushers next Lord’s Day will be Jim Avery, Richard Deal, Ryan Griffin, & William Jewett.

The Deacon on Duty next Lord’s Day will be Jim Avery.

Staff

Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor

Dr. Stan Pylant, Director of Music

Mr. John Psomas, Director of Youth Ministries

Mrs. Fay Deal, Director of Children’s Ministries

Mrs. Laura Doss, Organist

Mrs. Shirley McBride, Administrative Assistant

Mr. Scott Doss, AV & Digital Media Director

Mr. Charles Caruso, Lawn Maintenance

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord’s Day, October 6, 2019



Gathering in Worship • Growing in Walk • Going in Witness

May He have dominion from sea to sea,
 and from the river to the ends of the earth!

– Psalm 72:8

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.

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The Morning Service, eleven o'clock

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

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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 & Announcements..... The Rev. Robert Hendrick, Pastor

The Organ Prelude – When I Surveyarr. Burkhardt

The Choral Call to Worship.....George Root

The Lord Is in His Holy Temple

The Lord is in His holy temple,
Let all the earth keep silence,
Let all the earth keep silence before Him,
Keep silence, keep silence, before Him.

Sanctuary Choir and Organ

The Scriptural Call to Worship Psalm 111:1–3

Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation. Great are the works of the Lord, studied by all who delight in them. Full of splendor and majesty is His work, and His righteousness endures forever.

The Invocation

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

† **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 Prayer of Thanksgiving

† **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 Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

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

The Offertory Anthem – Seek First the Kingdom..... Mary McDonald

Seek first the Kingdom of God, the Kingdom, seek ye first the Kingdom of God,
And all these things shall be added unto you.
Child of the Father, child of the Father, we are all His children.
It is His pleasure, it is His pleasure to give His Kingdom.

Wait upon the Lord, upon the Lord.
Set your heart and mind on that which is above.
Wait upon the Lord, know ye that His word is love.
Set you heart and mind on Him Who reigns above!

For Where your treasure is, there will your heart be.
And where your heart is, there I will be.
For I am the Kingdom and the power,
And I am the Father, I am your Father.
Seek first the Kingdom, and all things shall be added unto you.
Sanctuary Choir and piano

† **The Hymn of Preparation – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 342)** REGENT SQUARE

Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

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

The Old Testament Lesson..... Joshua 9 (page 184)

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Hendrick, Pastor
DEALING WITH DECEPTION: PART 1

I. The Cunning Gibeonites – Deception of the Flesh

Lack of wisdom – Deut. 7:1–2, Deut. 20:10–11

- A.) Eyesight instead of insight
- B.) Human reason instead of Word of God

II. The Counsel of God – Discernment from the Father

- A.) Found in God (Rom. 16:27)
- B.) Given by God (2 Chr. 1:7–13; 1 Kings 4:29)

- 1.) Through His word (John 17:17)
- 2.) Through prayer (James 1:5)
- 3.) Through other Godly people

- Moses
- Solomon (1 Kings 10:24)
- The prophets—"Thus says the Lord"
- Priests (Eleazar) (v. 14; Num. 27:19)

Proverbs 2:6—the Lord gives wisdom; from His mouth comes knowledge and understanding.

The Prayer of Confession

The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors)

† **The Communion Hymn – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 427)** HAMBURG
Amidst Us Our Beloved Stands

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Prayer of Consecration

The Distribution of the Elements – Please partake as you are served.

The Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

† **The Parting Hymn – (Trinity Hymnal, No. 431)** SCHUMANN
A Parting Hymn We Sing

† **The Benediction**

The Organ Postlude – Postlude on Irisharr. Warren

Sacrament of Holy Communion

Do this in remembrance of Me. Luke 22:19

The Sacrament of Holy Communion is a means of grace instituted by our Lord to commemorate His death and to commune with Him for the nourishment of our souls and the strengthening of His body. We will observe the sacrament during morning worship today.

Birth Announcement

Congratulations to Campbell & Catie Bailey on the birth of their son, Dewey Crittenden, born on Wednesday, October 2, at 7 lbs, 13 oz, and 21 inches.

Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, the fruit of the womb is a reward –
Psalm 127:3

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

Announcements

Friendship Register – You'll find Friendship Registers on each pew. Please take a moment during the offertory to complete your and/or your family's information, especially if you are a guest for the first time. This information is used to maintain accurate records and is not given out to the public. Also, please indicate the number of people from your family attending Wednesday night dinner.

Wednesday Night Fellowship – Be sure to RSVP for Wednesday night's relaxed, mid-week activities. There are opportunities for everyone to grow closer to our Lord. Each Wednesday will begin with a fellowship dinner followed by age-appropriate programs (RSVP via the Friendship Registers today or online at *myccp.faith* by noon this Tuesday):

- ◇ 5:30–6:15 Dinner in the Fellowship Hall
- ◇ 6:00–7:00 Youth & Children Activities
- ◇ 6:15–7:00 Adult Bible Study & Brass Rehearsal
- ◇ 7:05–8:30 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Youth College Football Night – Youth, 6th–12th grade, make plans to join us for a fun night of fellowship and football on Saturday, October 12. We will gather at the home of Margaret and Scott Doss to root for our favorite teams, as well as enjoy great food and fellowship. If you're not a football fan, please come anyway and play games with us. The time is yet to be determined. Please contact John Psomas for more information: jpsomas@christchurchpres.org

Fellowship Luncheon – On Sunday, October 13, following the morning worship 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, and visitors are warmly invited to attend. Please use the response form inserted in this bulletin to indicate the number of adults and children who will attend or feel free to RSVP online at christchurchpres.org.

Youth Lock-In – Youth, 6th–12th grade, come join us for a night of God's Word, fun, and fellowship as we lock-in to the Scriptures and relationships. On Friday and Saturday, October 18 & 19, we will gather from 7:00 p.m. Friday until 7:00 a.m. Saturday in the Fellowship Hall. There will be adult chaperones and designated sleeping areas (if needed). You won't want to miss this! Sign up today by contacting John Psomas at jpsomas@christchurchpres.org.

Food Drive – Christ Church is once again partnering with the Golden Harvest Food Bank (GHFB) in supporting their "It's Spooky to Be Hungry" campaign. We are asking for donations of non-perishable, commercially prepared food (no baby food or formula) now through October 31. Please place your donations in either of the two GHFB canisters located in Covenant Hall and the narthex.

Christ Church's Online Giving Option – Please visit *myccp.faith* and click the "Give" button located on the top, right side of the Home page. Follow the simple instructions to securely contribute to Christ Church via PayPal or credit/debit card. Be sure to include a "purpose" for your donation in the "write a note" field above the payment information. Any gifts received without a purpose will be directed into the general fund.

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 of your flowers, Yvonne Clark will contact you regarding the arrangement and Shirley McBride will contact you for the wording that will be presented in the bulletin.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God
and in loving memory of our aunt, Elizabeth "Betsy" Shanks,
by Jennifer and James Crownover and family.