

Christ Church, Presbyterian

The Lord's Day, January 10, 2021



By this My Father is glorified,
that you bear much fruit and so prove to be My disciples.
John 15:8

The Morning Service, 9:00 o'clock

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

† indicates the congregation standing.

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

The Prelude – Holy, Holy, Holy.....arr. Burton

The Scriptural Call to Worship..... Psalm 95:3-5

For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods. In His hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are His also. The sea is His, for He made it, and His hands formed the dry land.

The Invocation

† The Profession 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 at 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 Pastoral Prayer

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 Worship Through Music – Fairest Lord Jesusarr. Nordquist

Fairest Lord Jesus, ruler of all nature,
O Thou of God and man the Son,
Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor,
Thou, my soul's glory, joy, and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands,
Robed in the blooming garb of spring:
Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer
Who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations!
Son of God and Son of man!
Glory and honor, praise, adoration,
Now and forevermore be Thine.

The New Testament LessonJohn 15:1–16:4

The Prayer for Illumination

The Sermon – THE GREAT PEP-TALK..... The Rev. Hendrick

I. Remain F_____ in Temptation (15:1-11)

II. Remain F_____ (v. 9-17)

III. Remain F_____ in Hardship (v. 18-25)
Acts 5:41-42

IV. Rely on the Means of Grace (v. 15:26-16:4)

A.) Prayer (v. 7)

B.) The Word

1.) cleanses us (v. 3)

2.) teaches us (v. 20)

3.) gives joy (v. 11)

C.) The Holy Spirit (14:6)

Eph. 1:13

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

The Postlude—Praise to the Lord, the AlmightyLOBE DEN HERREN

Please plan to close this Lord's Day by joining us for evening worship.

Missionary Prayer

Please remember these missionaries and organization designated for special prayer in our worship services today and in your daily prayers.

Kurt and Pat Nelson, *East-West Ministries Intl., Albania, Kazakhstan, Spain, Cuba*
Please pray that the Lord would continue to use this ministry to penetrate spiritual darkness around the world and that the Nelson family would continually be guided by the Lord's indwelling presence.

Announcements

Sunday School Returns— We are excited to share with you that Sunday school opportunities for all ages will return on January 10 from 10:00-10:45 a.m. The children will be meeting in the Fellowship Hall and our youth will be meeting in the Youth House/Church Office. Today, adults are invited to join us in the sanctuary for a Capital Campaign update meeting during the Sunday school time. Morning worship will be held at 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Friendship Register — You'll find Friendship Registers on each pew. Please take a moment before the service begins 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.

Children's Choir — The Children's Choir will resume rehearsals during the evening worship today. Those in 4K through Grade 5 will exit worship during the Hymn of Preparation.

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 2:00 p.m. this Tuesday):

- ◇ 5:30–6:00 Dinner (Turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, green beans, dessert)
- ◇ 6:00–7:00 Youth and Children Activities
- ◇ 6:15–7:00 Adult Bible Study
- ◇ 7:05–8:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Ladies' Bible Study — Rachel Mellick will lead a Bible study based on the book *1 Peter: A Living Hope in Christ* by Jen Wilkin beginning Friday, January 15, from 9:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to be a part of this study, please visit *myccp.faith* and select "Women's Ministries" under the "Ministries and Outreach" tab to sign up. The books are \$13.99, which you may purchase yourself or buy from the church on the first day of study.

Nursery Volunteers Needed — Christ Church is looking for members who would be willing to volunteer to work in the nursery on an "as needed" basis. Members who are eligible to assist in the nursery must be at least 18 years old and have a background check on file. The vision of Christ Church for the nursery would be to have a rotating list of members to volunteer each week. If just our current parents were to serve as couples, they would only be needed two Sundays per year. However, we welcome anyone with a desire to minister to our infants and toddlers. Please call the church office at 706-210-9090 to be included in this rotation or if you have any questions.

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.

Capital Campaign Update

We are pleased to report that \$474,480.00 has been pledged toward our building campaign goal of \$870,000.00 for the construction of the new education/administration building, the playground, and the kitchen expansion.

This exciting new endeavor will create needed ministry space for our growing church, as well as open ministry opportunities to our community. Please prayerfully consider pledging a three-year commitment to this project. Pledge cards and envelopes are located by the offering plates. Place completed cards in the offering plate. We continue to be thankful for the many blessings God has given to us all at Christ Church, Presbyterian and look with great anticipation to our future together as we grow in Christ spiritually and in number.

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