

SUNDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 2021

10:30AM

WORSHIP SERVICE

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

REV. ERIC GEIL  
SENIOR PASTOR

REV. MATT CHRISTIAN  
ASSOCIATE PASTOR

ELIZABETH NICKLES  
DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRIES

WAYNE WILSON  
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES

MAYOWA ABIMBOLA  
ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES

REBECCA DEEG  
ORGANIST

ROSE ABNEY  
GUEST PIANIST

CAMILLE ABIMBOLA  
ANTHONY DANIELL  
CHRIS SAIN  
MUSICIANS

# JANUARY 10TH, 2021

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS AS WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

*Please remember that we will be following social distancing protocols each Sunday. We ask that you please refrain from visiting while in the narthex. You may visit in the sanctuary or parking lot while maintaining six feet of distance.*

### WORSHIP THROUGH SONG AND PRAYER

**PRELUDE-** "In Thee, Lord, Have I Put My Trust" Joann Christoph Bach  
**INTROIT-** "O Church Arise" Getty-Townend

O Church, arise, and put your armour on, hear the call of Christ our Captain.  
For now the weak can say that they are strong, in the strength that God has given.  
With shield of faith and belt of truth, we'll stand against the devil's lies;  
An army bold, whose battle cry is Love, reaching out to those in darkness.

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

**Leader:** We give thanks to You, God our Father, for mercy that reaches out, for patience that waits our returning, for Your love that is ever ready to welcome sinners.

**People:** **We praise You that in Jesus Christ You came to us with forgiveness, and that, by Your Holy Spirit, You move us to repent and receive Your love.**

**Leader:** Though we are sinners, You are faithful and worthy of all praise.

**All:** **We praise You, great God, in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE- 302 "He Lives"

### WE WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION AND PRAYER

#### \*PROCLAMATION OF FAITH

**Leader and People:** Those whom God effectually calls he also freely justifies. He does not pour righteousness into them but pardons their sins and looks on them and accepts them as if they were righteous—not because of anything worked in them or done by them, but for Christ's sake alone. He does not consider their faith itself, the act of believing, as their righteousness or any other obedient response to the gospel on their part. Rather, he imputes to them the obedience and judicial satisfaction earned by Christ. For their part, they receive and rest on Christ and his righteousness by faith (and this faith is not their own but is itself a gift of God).  
*Westminster Confession of Faith 11.1*

#### PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.

#### MOMENT FOR CHILDREN

##### SHARING

*Children: The Lord be with you here.*

**Congregation: The Lord be with you there.**

*Pre-K children (3,4, and 5 year olds) are now invited upstairs to room 203 for Children's Church!*

Elizabeth Nickles

##### ANTHEM-

"Come to the Table"

*Soloists: Mayowa and Camille Abimbola, Anthony Daniell, Chris Sain*

Sidewalk Prophets

We all start on the outside,  
the outside looking in.  
This is where grace begins.  
We were hungry, we were thirsty,  
with nothing left to give.  
Oh the shape that we were in.  
Just when all hope seemed lost,  
Love opened the door for us.

*\*please stand if able*

Chorus: He said come to the table,  
come join the sinners  
who have been redeemed.  
Take your place beside the Savior.  
Sit down and be set free,  
come to the table.

Come meet this motley crew of misfits,  
these liars and these thieves.  
There's no one unwelcome here.  
So that sin and shame that you brought with you,  
you can leave it at the door.  
Let mercy draw you near. *Chorus*

To the thief and to the doubter,  
to the hero and the coward,  
to the prisoner and the soldier,  
to the young and to the older.

All who hunger, all who thirst,  
all the last and all the first.  
All the paupers and the princes,  
all who fail you've been forgiven.

All who dream and all who suffer,  
all who loved and lost another.  
All the chained and all the free,  
all who follow, all who lead.

Anyone who's been let down,  
all the lost you have been found.  
All who have been labeled right or wrong,  
to everyone who hears this song. *Chorus*

Sit down and be set free  
Come to the table  
Come to the table

## WE WORSHIP THROUGH THE WORD

**\*SCRIPTURE READING-** Galatians 2:15-21

<sup>15</sup>“We who are Jews by birth and not sinful Gentiles <sup>16</sup>know that a person is not justified by the works of the law, but by faith in Jesus Christ. So we, too, have put our faith in Christ Jesus that we may be justified by faith in Christ and not by the works of the law, because by the works of the law no one will be justified.

<sup>17</sup>“But if, in seeking to be justified in Christ, we Jews find ourselves also among the sinners, doesn't that mean that Christ promotes sin? Absolutely not! <sup>18</sup>If I rebuild what I destroyed, then I really would be a lawbreaker.

<sup>19</sup>“For through the law I died to the law so that I might live for God. <sup>20</sup>I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I now live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, Who loved me and gave Himself for me. <sup>21</sup>I do not set aside the grace of God, for if righteousness could be gained through the law, Christ died for nothing!”

**Leader:** *The Word of the Lord!*

**People:** Thanks be to God!

**SERMON-** “Galatians: Out of the Ashes...!”

Rev. Eric Geil

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### OFFERING

*Offering plates will remain in the back of the sanctuary*

**\*HYMN OF WORSHIP-** 442 “Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*CHORAL BENEDICTION-** “Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus”

**POSTLUDE-** “Alleluia! Alleluia!”

Albert Travis

*If you would like to pray with someone after the service, an elder will be available in the Prayer Room (First set of doors on your right as you exit the Sanctuary) immediately following the service.*

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and  
in honor of Charlie Knapp on his sixth birthday.*

## **"He Lives!"**

*Hymn 302*

I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;  
I know that He is living, whatever some may say;  
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,  
and just the time I need Him, He's always near.

**Chorus:** He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today!  
He walks with me and talks with me along life's narrow way.  
He lives, He lives salvation to impart!  
You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within my heart.

In all the world around me I see His loving care,  
and though my heart grows weary, I never will despair;  
I know that He is leading through all the stormy blast,  
the day of his appearing will come at last. *Chorus*

Rejoice, rejoice O Christian, lift up your voice  
and sing eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!  
The hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find,  
none other is so loving, so good and kind. *Chorus*

## **"'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus"**

*Hymn 442*

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus, just to take Him at his word,  
Just to rest upon His promise, just to know, "Thus saith the Lord."

**Chorus:** Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him! How I've proved Him o'er and o'er!  
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus! O for grace to trust Him more!

Yes 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, just to trust His cleansing blood,  
just in simple faith to plunge me 'neath the healing, cleansing flood! *Chorus*

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus, just from sin and self to cease,  
just from Jesus simply taking life and rest, and joy and peace. *Chorus*

I'm so glad I learned to trust You, precious Jesus, Savior, Friend,  
and I know that You are with me, will be with me to the end. *Chorus*

# The Weekly News

## WELCOME VISITORS!

Thank you for visiting and worshiping with us today! If you would like to learn more about ChristChurch and connect with us, just text "VISITOR" to 706-609-0400. We can't wait to hear from you and get to know you more!

## SUNDAY SCHOOL AND SMALL GROUPS RESUMING

- Faith Alive Sunday School Class has resumed with their study of the Essentials of our Faith in the Upper Room.
- Connections Sunday School Class has resumed and is studying Chip Ingram's study called *True Spirituality*.
- Monday Women's Bible Study will resume on January 4th in the Adult Commons at 11am. They will be studying Colossians.
- Wednesday Morning Men's Bible Study has resumed in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own breakfast and/or beverage. They will be studying from Warren Wiersbie's book *Be Worshipful*: a study on the first half of the book of Psalms. If you would like a copy, please let Palmer Griffin know at pgriffin@optilink.us by January 6th. The books will be \$16.00 each.
- Pastor Matt's Wednesday Bible Study will resume this week, January 13th and will be online only at this time. You can view the class via our Youtube channel by clicking the link in the church emails.
- CCP Kids will resume this week, January 13th. Drop off and Pickup on Wednesdays will be in the back office parking lot: drop off at 4:30, pick up at 5:45!

We hope you will join us as we kick off our Sunday School and Small group classes again!

## SPREAD THE WORD: THE TABLE COMING JANUARY 21ST

The Table worship service will begin in less than 3 weeks with our first service on January 21st and we would love your help getting the word out to our community! If you are willing and able, please grab a yard sign and/or some flyers on your way out today. You can also find these during the week in the coffee shop and the church office.

We are really excited for this new opportunity to reach out to those in our community that aren't yet plugged in or may not even realize they are searching for a church home! Thank you for your continued prayers and support for this new ministry of ChristChurch Presbyterian.

## OUR CHURCH LEADERS

### THE SESSION

Clerk of Session - Mike O'Neill  
Church Treasurer - Bob Chandler

### Class of 2021

Bob Chandler  
Sean Coleman\* (Recreation)  
Kenneth Harless\* (B&G)  
James Lesslie\* (Finance)  
Becky Moore\* (Worship)

### Class of 2022

Susan Brigman\* (Staff)  
Clay Dykes  
Nancy Hyatt  
Jack McPhillips  
Lamar Pierce\* (ChristSchool)

### Class of 2023

Gary Fleet  
Stephanie Reynolds  
David Snyder\* (Christian Ed)  
Nancy Zelinsky

### THE DIACONATE

Moderator - Marc Weeks  
Secretary - Jennifer Hansen

Anthony Daniell\* (Pastoral Care)  
S.G. Elliott  
Pat Kingsley  
Lindsay Lofty\* (Missions)  
Martha Waskey

Rodger Eidson  
Jennifer Hansen\* (Fellowship)  
Bill Lumpkin  
Tiffany Petty\* (Meals)  
Marc Weeks

Molly Chitwood  
Mike Knapp  
Ronnie Spence\* (Connections)  
Jon Whitehead\* (Fellowship)

### THE TRUSTEES

Robert Shaw

Jim Bethel

John Bates

\* Committee Chair

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

### Our Christian Sympathy

*Joann Boyd*

We extend our sincere love and sympathy to the family of Jennifer and Jess Hansen in the passing of Jennifer's mother, Joann Boyd, on Saturday, January 2nd in Johnson City, TN. Please join us in keeping Jennifer, Jess, Henry, Graham, Amelia, and their extended family in our prayers during this time.

*Carol Jackson*

We extend our sincere love and sympathy to the family of Michael and Julia Jackson in the passing of Mike's mother, Carol Jackson, on December 31st in Dalton. Funeral arrangements are being made in Columbus, GA. Please join us in keeping Mike, Julia, Rachel, and Jamie in our prayers during this time.

### THANK YOU

With a heart full of gratitude, I want to thank you, my church family, for the many acts of kindness shown to me and my family during Leon's illness and death.

Louise Ham

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### SUNDAY, January 10th

9:30 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 6:00 PM Combined Youth Group

### MONDAY, January 11th

11:00 AM Women's Bible Study led by  
 Noel Temples (Upper Room)

### TUESDAY, January 12th

7:30 PM Boy Scouts (Scout Hut)

### WEDNESDAY, January 13th

6:45 AM Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)  
 4:30 PM CCP Kids Resume  
 6:00 PM Pastor Matt's Bible Study (Online Only)  
 10:30 AM Prayer Group (Sanctuary)

### SUNDAY, January 17th

9:30 AM Sunday School  
 10:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)  
 6:00 PM Combined Youth Group

## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

2 Jack McPhillips	10 Katherine Causby	20 Judy Blanchard
3 Marla Pridden	10 Mary Ellen Pierce	Lydiane Awasom
4 Harriet Moore	Joshua Newby	Sarah Quarles
Jason Deweese	Charlie Knapp	23 Henderson Hair
5 Steve Dunn	13 David Pierce	24 Anne Lumpkin
Kenneth Harless	14 Chip Edwards	25 Cheryl Quarles
6 Tom Kling	Betty Wright	26 Hunter Brown
Vance Bell	Heather Lyles	Angela Langley
7 Karen Rogers	Lillian Barnwell	Kate Daniell
Christiana Willocks	Kristi Hutchins	29 Patti Cole
Daniel Geil	15 Robbie Elrod	31 Allie Lusk
8 Angela Harden	17 Michael Knapp	
Dawn Idom	19 Bill Lumpkin	
9 Edith Gordy	Will McLawhorn	

## PASTORAL CONCERNS

**HOSPITAL VISITATION/ON CALL-** NANCY HYATT, NOEL TEMPLES  
**HOMEBOUND VISITATION/ON CALL-** RONNIE SPENCE, TRISHA BETHEL

### PRAYER CONCERNS

Judy McDonald  
 Katie Hasty (Daughter/ Don and Laurie Cope)  
 Randy Pepper  
 Cathy Hunsicker (Community)  
 Miguel Alvarez (Father/Judy Robinson)  
 Jeremy Robinson  
 Mike Fennema (Grandson-in-law/ Norris and Billie Little)  
 Bonnie Lance (Grandmother/ Tiffany Petty)  
 Al and Betty Landers  
 Minnie Marsh (Community)  
 Shana Harris Masengill (Daughter/ Loretta and Ron Harris)  
 Lillie Reese Phillips  
 Stacy Loftis (Mother/ Mary Catherine Loftis)  
 Carolyn Lipscomb (Sister/ Dottie Shaw)  
 Harvey Wages  
 Danny Freeman  
 Linda Hornbuckle  
 Ann (Jesse) Hopkins  
 Norris Little  
 Jaye Anne Creswell  
 Doug Garmany  
 Jane and Nathan Cochran  
 Jim Elrod  
 Pat Kingsley  
 Anne Pierce  
 Jennifer Justice (Niece/Nancy Touhy)  
 Bill and Dell Barnwell (Parents/Lillian Barnwell)  
 Melanie Sevin (Sister/Dawn Linn)  
 Donna Brooks (Mother/Carrie Dobbs)

### HOMEBOUND MEMBERS & FAMILY

#### *At Home Members*

Al Landers  
 Betty Landers

#### *The Gardens at Royal Oaks*

Jeanette Brown  
 Fran Moore

#### *Tranquility*

Anne Lumpkin

#### *Morningside of Dalton*

Edith Gordy (Mother/ Nancy Hyatt)

#### *Dalton Place*

Wesley Henderson

### EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Camille Abimbola  
 Hailey Bosma  
 Molly Chitwood  
 Anna Hames  
 Marci Smyth