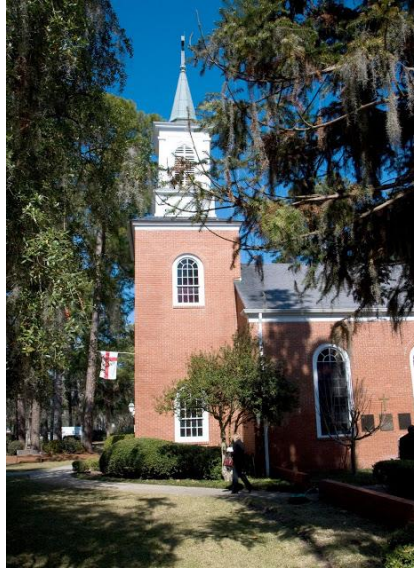


# Christ Episcopal Church



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August 11, 2024  
10:00 a.m.

*It is appropriate for Christ Church's families and friends, to arrive at church early so we can calm down, be silent, and pray in preparation for the sacred acts that are about to happen. Please respect the wishes of those who come early for worship by staying as quiet as you can. Thank you, grace and peace, Fr. Hal*



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## Welcome to Christ Church!



Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

Eucharist, Rite II

### THE LITURGY OF THE WORD OF GOD

<b>Prelude – <i>Nun Bitten Wir</i></b>	by Dietrich Buxtehude
<b>Opening Hymn – <i>O Day of Radiant Gladness</i></b>	Hymn 48
<b>Opening Salutation</b>	BCP 355
<b>Collect for Purity</b>	BCP 355
<b>Gloria</b>	Hymnal S280
<b>The Collect of the Day</b>	BCP 232
<b>The Lessons</b>	(See Insert)
<b>Gospel Hymn – <i>Where Charity and Love Prevail</i></b>	Hymn 581
<b>The Sermon</b>	Fr. Robert Carr
<b>The Nicene Creed</b>	BCP 358
<b>Prayers of the People (Form IV)</b>	BCP 388
<b>Confession &amp; Absolution</b>	BCP 360
<b>The Peace</b>	BCP 360
<b>Announcements – Please Be Seated</b>	
<b>Offertory – <i>Ubi Caritas</i></b>	by Roger Emerson

**Doxology** Hymn 380 vs. 3

### THE LITURGY OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

<b>Eucharistic Prayer B</b>	BCP 367
<b>Sanctus</b>	Hymn S129
<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	BCP 364
<b>Fraction Anthem</b>	Hymn S154
<b>The Communion</b>	BCP 364
<b>Communion Hymn – <i>I am the Bread of Life</i></b>	Hymn 335
<b><i>For the Bread which You have Broken</i></b>	Hymn 341
<b>The Prayer of Thanksgiving</b>	BCP 365
<b>The Blessing</b>	
<b>Hymn – <i>Lord Make Us Servants of Your Peace</i></b>	Hymn 593
<b>Dismissal</b>	BCP 366
<b>Postlude – <i>Trumpets in dialogue</i></b>	by Louise Nicolas Clarambault

**First Lesson:****1 Kings 19:4-8**

<sup>4</sup>But he himself went a day's journey into the wilderness, and came and sat down under a solitary broom tree. He asked that he might die: "It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life, for I am no better than my ancestors." <sup>5</sup>Then he lay down under the broom tree and fell asleep. Suddenly an angel touched him and said to him, "Get up and eat." <sup>6</sup>He looked, and there at his head was a cake baked on hot stones, and a jar of water. He ate and drank, and lay down again. <sup>7</sup>The angel of the Lord came a second time, touched him, and said, "Get up and eat, otherwise the journey will be too much for you." <sup>8</sup>He got up, and ate and drank; then he went in the strength of that food forty days and forty nights to Horeb the mount of God.

**Psalm: 34:1-8****BCP p. 627****<sup>1</sup> I will bless the Lord at all times; \*****his praise shall ever be in my mouth.****<sup>2</sup> I will glory in the Lord; \*****let the humble hear and rejoice.****<sup>3</sup> Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord; \*****let us exalt his Name together.****<sup>4</sup> I sought the Lord, and he answered me \*****and delivered me out of all my terror.****<sup>5</sup> Look upon him and be radiant, \*****and let not your faces be ashamed.****<sup>6</sup> I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me \*****and saved me from all my troubles.****<sup>7</sup> The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him, \*****and he will deliver them.****<sup>8</sup> Taste and see that the Lord is good; \*****happy are they who trust in him!****Second Lesson:****Ephesians 4:25-5:2**

<sup>25</sup>So then, putting away falsehood, let all of us speak the truth to our neighbors, for we are members of one another. <sup>26</sup>Be angry but do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, <sup>27</sup>and do not make room for the devil. <sup>28</sup>Thieves must give up stealing; rather let them labor and work honestly with their own hands, so as to have something to share with the needy. <sup>29</sup>Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only what is useful for building up, as there is need, so that your words may give grace to those who hear. <sup>30</sup>And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with which you were marked with a seal for the day of redemption. <sup>31</sup>Put away from you all bitterness and wrath and anger and wrangling and slander, together with all malice, <sup>32</sup>and be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ has forgiven you.

<sup>5</sup>Therefore be imitators of God, as beloved children, <sup>2</sup>and live in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

**Gospel:****John 6:35, 41-51**

<sup>35</sup>Jesus said to them, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. <sup>41</sup>Then the Jews began to complain about him because he said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." <sup>42</sup>They were saying, "Is not this Jesus, the son of Joseph, whose father and mother we know? How can he now say, 'I have come down from heaven'?" <sup>43</sup>Jesus answered them, "Do not complain among yourselves. <sup>44</sup>No one can come to me unless drawn by the Father who sent me; and I will raise that person up on the last day. <sup>45</sup>It is written in the prophets, 'And they shall all be taught by God.' Everyone who has heard and learned from the Father comes to me. <sup>46</sup>Not that anyone has seen the Father except the one who is from God; he has seen the Father. <sup>47</sup>Very truly, I tell you, whoever believes has eternal life. <sup>48</sup>I am the bread of life. <sup>49</sup>Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, and they died. <sup>50</sup>This is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. <sup>51</sup>I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.

**SERVING THIS WEEK** - August 11, 2024**Eucharistic Ministers:** Tammy Borders, Molly Stevenson, Jeani Synyard**Lectors:** Katherine Mayer, Jane Kinney, Molly Stevenson**Acolytes:** Phyllis Holland, David Holland, Holly Holland**Altar Guild:** Phyllis Holland, Anne Reid, Mimi Allen, Pat Bezona, Daphne Wright**Ushers:** Mike Tanner, Paul Stevenson, Cameron Prevost**Greeter:** Jeani Synyard**Audio/Visual Crew:** Julius Ariail, Tom Carroll, Larry Wisenbaker**Special Notes**

**WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP SERVICE** We are so glad you're here! Father Hal, the Vestry, an Usher, or a member are available to welcome you and answer your questions.

**WELCOME OUR NEWEST MEMBER TO CHIRST CHURCH:** Sunday, August 18th we will baptize Eloise Charles Culpepper, daughter of Kacee and Jenna Culpepper. Godparent to Eloise is Teri Hicks.

**EDUCATION FOR MINISTRY:** (EFM) is a distance-learning program for adult Christian formation through theological education and reflection offered by the Beeckon Center of the School of Theology at The University of the South, in Sewanee, Tennessee. Every baptized person is called to ministry. During the service of Confirmation, we ask God to "Renew in these your servants the covenant you made with them at Baptism. Send them forth in the power of the Spirit to perform the service you set before them."

Through study, prayer, and reflection, EFM helps participants move toward a new understanding of the fullness of God's Kingdom as they better apprehend the connections between their faith and their lives.

EFM invites participants into small, mentored groups that provide the framework for understanding life and shaping actions as Christian faith is deepened. EFM seminar groups meet locally, eliminating the need to travel to Sewanee to access the School of Theology's premier educational resources.

Does this sound like an experience you've been waiting for all your life? An informational meeting will be held in the Parish Hall at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 21st.

Grace and peace, Fr Hal.

**GARDEN GUILD SPECIAL PROJECT: Help support the expenses to restore the Sara Oliver Camillia Garden.** Purchase your ticket and order your Hog-n-Bones prepared Boston Butts. Tickets cost \$35 available now through August 31<sup>st</sup>. Pick up will be at Hog-n-Bones with a call 24 hours in advance. If you are interested in volunteering and/or purchasing a ticket please contact Tony Brooks (229.415.6177) or Pat Denmark (229.251.4964).

**FOYER GROUPS ARE FORMING:** Foyer Groups are made up of 8-10 people who meet (preferably) every month. The purpose of these groups is to get to know one another better, and to meet new people in the church. The groups can meet in different houses, or restaurants, and any night of the week they decide on. If you are interested in joining one of these groups, please email Peggy ([office@christchurchvaldosta.org](mailto:office@christchurchvaldosta.org)) at the church or email or text Jeani Synyard – [jsynyard@bellsouth.net](mailto:jsynyard@bellsouth.net) or 229-834-6004.

**SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE This is the last day for the pre-school supply drive.**

Thanks to all that have donated in the past to the school supply drive and for those who have helped our pre-school with your donations this year. Your donations to the pre-school will keep expenses down. *Supplies needed: Jumbo crayons (any brand), Sharpies - Fine Point Black, Highlighters, Elmer's Glue (or similar), Glue Sticks, Markers, NO pencils NO notebook paper.*

**PMO/PRESCHOOL SCHEDULED TO START, this coming week on August 14<sup>th</sup>.**

Applications are still being accepted.

**GRACE CAFÉ EVENT FOR STUDENTS** Grace Café is having a Watermelon Social event for college students. The interns are asking for watermelon donations to help offset expenses. Donations can be dropped off the week of August 19th, up to Noon on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Use the back door at the Café for watermelon donations.

### **The Week Ahead:**

**August 11 – 8a** Holy Eucharist

**9:15a** – Christian Education (Adults)

**9:45a** - Nursery

**10a** – Holy Eucharist

**11:15a** – Coffee Hour

**6p** – Vespers – Zoom

**August 12<sup>th</sup> – 5:30p** - Formation

**August 13<sup>th</sup> – 4:30** Staff

**5:30p** – Executive

**6:30p** – Worship

**August 14<sup>th</sup> – 9a** – Noon First Day of Pre-school

**6p** – Finance

**August 15<sup>th</sup>** – The Blessed Virgin Mary

**12:15p** - Eucharist

**6p** – Stewardship

**August 17<sup>th</sup> 10a** – Altar Guild

### **OUR MINISTERS OF THE GOSPEL**

The Rt. Rev. Frank Logue, Bishop of Georgia  
All Christ Church Families & Friends are Ministers.

Hal Weidman, Pastor & Priest

Nancy Sartin, Deacon

Peggy Baer, Administrative Assistant

Amy Creasy, Bookkeeper

Michelle Weidman, Director of Christian Education

Jeri-Lyn Flowers, Director of College Ministry

Elise Sandbach, Director of Preschool & PMO

Issa Young, Choir Director

Sue Ellen Rumstay, Organist

Nancy Lutsko, Verger

### **Regular Church Services**

Sunday	8:00a	Eucharist Rite I
	9:45a	Nursery
	10:00a	Eucharist Rite II
	6:00p	Vespers (1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Sanctuary) (2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> – Zoom)

### **The 10:00 service is livestreamed on YouTube and Facebook**

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