

JULY 26, 2020

*The Seventh  
Sunday after  
Pentecost*

AT CHRIST CHURCH ANGLICAN

10AM

## WELCOME

*(Please stand.)*

### THE OPENING SONG *In Christ Alone*

*In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song;  
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground,  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace,  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!  
My Comforter, my All in all.  
Here in the love of Christ I stand.*

*In Christ alone who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save;  
Till on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied,  
For every sin on Him was laid;  
Here in the death of Christ I live.*

*There in the ground his body lay,  
Light of the world in darkness slain;  
Then bursting forth in glorious day  
Up from the grave He rose again!  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me.  
For I am His and He is mine,  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.*

*No guilt in life, no no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me.  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny.  
No power of hell, no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from his hand;  
'Til He returns or calls me home,  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.*

### THE ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

People: And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

## **THE COLLECT FOR PURITY**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

## **THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW**

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

## **THE KYRIE**

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

**People: Christ, have mercy upon us.**

Celebrant: Lord, have mercy upon us.

## **SONG OF PRAISE** *You're Worthy of My Praise*

*I will worship with all of my heart.*

*I will praise You with all of my strength.*

*I will seek You all of my days.*

*I will follow all of your ways.*

Refrain

*I will give You all my worship,*

*I will give You all my praise.*

*You alone I long to worship,*

*You alone are worthy of my praise.*

*I will bow down, and hail You as King.*

*I will serve You, give You ev'ry thing.*

*I will lift up my eyes to the throne.*

*I will trust You I will trust You alone.* (Refrain)

## **THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

*(Please be seated.)*

**THE LESSON** *Romans 8:26-34*

Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers. And those whom he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified. What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**THE PSALTER** *Psalms 119:121-128*

121 I have done that which is lawful and right; \*

O give me not over to my oppressors.

122 Be surety for your servant's good; \*

O let not the arrogant oppress me.

123 My eyes have wasted away with looking for your salvation, \*

and for the word of your righteousness.

124 O deal with your servant according to your loving mercy, \*

and teach me your statutes.

125 I am your servant; O grant me understanding, \*

that I may know your testimonies.

126 It is time for you, O LORD, to act, \*

for they have broken your law.

127 For I love your commandments above all things, \*

more than gold and precious stones.

128 Therefore I hold all your commandments to be right, \*

and all false ways I utterly abhor.

*(Please stand.)*

**THE SEQUENCE SONG** *Cornerstone*

***My hope is built on nothing less,***

***Than Jesus' blood and righteousness,***

***I dare not trust the sweetest frame,***

***But wholly trust in Jesus' Name.***

Refrain

***Christ alone. Cornerstone.***

***Weak made strong in the Savior's love.***

***Through the storm, He is Lord, Lord of all.***

***When darkness seems to hide His face,***

***I rest on His unchanging grace.***

***In ev'ry high and stormy gale,***

***My anchor holds within the veil.*** (Refrain)

***When He shall come with trumpet sound,***

***Oh, may I then in Him be found.***

***Dressed in His righteousness alone.***

***Faultless stand before the throne.*** (Refrain)

**THE GOSPEL** *Matthew 13:31-33, 44-50*

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

**People: Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

He put another parable before them, saying, "The kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed that a man took and sowed in his field. It is the smallest of all seeds, but when it has grown it is larger than all the garden plants and becomes a tree, so that the birds of the air come and make nests in its branches." He told them another parable. "The kingdom of heaven is like leaven that a woman took and hid in three measures of flour, till it was all leavened. The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant in search of fine pearls, who, on finding one pearl of great value, went and sold all that he had and bought it. Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was thrown into the sea and gathered fish of every kind. When it was full, men drew it ashore and sat down and sorted the good into containers but threw away the bad. So it will be at the end of the age. The angels will come out and separate the evil from the righteous and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth."

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

*(Please be seated.)*

**THE SERMON** The Rev. Ted Duvall, *Rector*

*(Please stand.)*

## **THE NICENE CREED**

Celebrant: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed:

*Celebrant and People*

**We believe in one God,**

**the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is, visible and invisible.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,**

**the only-begotten Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,**

**begotten, not made,  
of one Being with the Father;  
through him all things were made.**

**For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,  
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary,  
and was made man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered death and was buried.**

**On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;  
he ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,**

**who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,  
who has spoken through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead,  
and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*(Please kneel.)*

## **THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Reader: Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."

Reader: For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For Foley Beach, our Archbishop, and Mark Lawrence, our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our Diocese and Congregation. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For our nation, for those in authority, and for all in public service [especially \_\_\_\_\_]. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity [especially \_\_\_\_\_]. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection, [especially \_\_\_\_\_], in thanksgiving let us pray. Lord, in your mercy:

**People: Hear our prayer.**

We pray especially for our local ministry partner HALOS (Helping Lending Outreach Support), as they provide assistance to abused and neglected children and their caregivers in Charleston County. Thank you Lord for our members as we continue to open our hearts and minister to each child's needs through donations of school supplies and uniforms as the children head back to school. Lord, we ask that HALOS continue to flourish with our love and continued support of the HALOS mission "where family matters."

**O mighty and most merciful God, in this time of the coronavirus pandemic and all other perils of our world, we flee to you for strength and protection. Deliver us, we beseech you, from our peril; give skill and success to all those who minister to the sick, by prospering the means made use of for their care and cure; and grant that, perceiving how frail and uncertain our life is, we may apply our hearts to that heavenly wisdom which leads to eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. - 1928 Book of Common Prayer, adapted**

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION OF SIN**

Deacon: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

*Silence*

**Most merciful God,**  
we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed,  
by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.  
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.  
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

### **THE COMFORTABLE WORDS**

*The Celebrant may then say one or more of the following sentences, first saying*

Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. (Matthew 11:28)

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. (1 Timothy 1:15)

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only, but also for the sins of the whole world. (1 John 2:1-2)

*(Please stand.)*

### **THE PEACE**

Celebrant: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

*(Please be seated.)*

## **THE OFFERTORY**

Celebrant: Yours, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for everything in heaven and on earth is yours; yours is the Kingdom, O Lord, and you are exalted as Head above all. All things come from you, O Lord,

**People: And of your own have we given you.**

## **OFFERTORY SONG** *Great Are You, Lord*

*You give life You are love*

*You bring light to the darkness*

*You give hope You restore every heart that is broken*

*And great are You Lord*

Refrain

*It's Your breath in our lungs*

*So we pour out our praise*

*We pour out our praise*

*It's Your breath in our lungs*

*So we pour out our praise to You only* (Repeat Verse 1 + Refrain)

*And all the earth will shout Your praise*

*Our hearts will cry these bones will sing*

*Great are You Lord* (Repeat Verse 2 + Refrain)

*(Please stand.)*

## **DOXOLOGY** *Praise God from whom all blessings flow*

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;*

*Praise Him all creatures here below;*

*Praise Him above ye heavenly host:*

*Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Please remove your Communion wafer from your plastic bag at this time.*

## **THE SURSUM CORDA**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by his glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**THE SANCTUS** *Holy, Holy, Holy*

***Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of pow'r and might.***

***Heaven and earth are full of your glory.***

***Hosanna, hosanna on high.***

***Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.***

***Hosanna in the highest.***

***Hosanna in the highest.***

***Hosanna, hosanna on high.***

**THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION**

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son Jesus Christ into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the Cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

For on the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body, which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy Sacrament, and be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us and we in him. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ,

and bring us with all your saints into the joy of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*(Please kneel.)*

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Celebrant: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

*Celebrant and People*

**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 trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **THE FRACTION**

Celebrant: Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

**People: Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

### **THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS**

*Celebrant and People*

**We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord,  
trusting in our own righteousness,  
but in your abundant and great mercies.  
We are not worthy so much as to gather up  
the crumbs under your table;  
but you are the same Lord  
whose character is always to have mercy.  
Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord,  
so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ,  
and to drink his blood,  
that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body,  
and our souls washed through his most precious blood,  
and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

## **THE MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION**

Celebrant: The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

Let us now receive the gifts of God for the people of God.

*Celebrant and People*

**The body of Christ, the bread of heaven.**

## **THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

Celebrant: Let us pray.

*Celebrant and People*

**Heavenly Father,**

**We thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food  
of the most precious Body and Blood  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;  
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries  
that we are living members of the body of your Son,  
and heirs of your eternal Kingdom.**

**And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do,  
to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.**

**To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,  
be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.**

## **THE BLESSING**

Celebrant: The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen.**

*(Please stand.)*

## **THE CLOSING HYMN** *How firm a foundation*

***How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord,  
Is laid for your faith in his excellent word!  
What more can he say than to you he hath said,  
To you that for refuge to Jesus have fled?***

***“Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed!  
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid;  
I’ll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand,  
Upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.***

*The soul that to Jesus hath fled for repose,  
I will not, I will not desert to its foes;  
That soul, though all hell shall endeavor to shake,  
I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake."*

**THE DISMISSAL**

Deacon: Let us go forth in the Name of Christ.

**People: Thanks be to God.**



# Prayers of the People

The Althen Family

John Auld

Jan Aydlette

Bernie & Linda Baker

Pat Barrie

Scott Barrie

Elaine Battock

Rochelle Battock

The Beck & Magill-Collins Families

Joshua Bellacicco

Vivian Best

Sterling Bolling

Brooke Carter

Scott Coker

Ken Dandridge

Dan & Betty Ann Davis

The Elvis Family

Kim Flint

Ann & Andrew Furmanchik

Chris Goodson

Richard Gray

Marcel Hart

Jami Hemmenway

Doug & Ginny Henderson

Penny & Kelly Jenkins

Wayne Lackey

The Marquez Family

Bill & Louise Miller

Louise Perry

Gary & Ellen Pruitt

Charlotte & Frank Seignious

Sally Sherman

Candy Solyan & Family

Pam Stroud

Debbie Sweeney

Gary White

Patricia White

Nancy Willms

The Yarbrough Family

Those with job loss or  
reduction in hours and pay

## **Expectant Mothers**

Amanda Sito

Sarah Bellacicco Zimbardi

## **Homebound**

Frances Cheatham

Pat McCullough

Sarah Miller

Becky Tuten

Grace Young

## **Deployed Military**

Brian Boyer

Michael Dean

Jordan Nabb

Mary Emily Slott

*We extend our sympathy to  
Howard Althen and family in the  
death of his uncle, JW Porter.*

Please pray for all men and women  
serving in the military; and for Bishop  
Qampicha and the Diocese of  
Marsabit, Kenya, especially our Tree  
Church Partners in Game, Elebor,  
Maikona, Goro Rukesa, and Badasa;  
and for our Haitian partners in the  
Church of the Holy Spirit.

*Are you or a family member in need of  
prayer? Please contact the Church  
Office at 843.884.9090 or email  
khunter@christch.org to be added to  
the Prayer List for 60 days.*

**MEN OF CHRIST CHURCH MEETING  
AUGUST 3 • 6:30PM • MEN'S SHED**

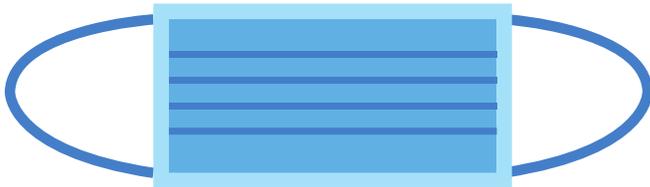
*Join the MOCC for their monthly meeting featuring a Carolina Chicken Bog and a guest speaker, Charlie Barnhill. Please bring a face mask and follow social distancing guidelines in place by the Diocese.*

**BLOOD DRIVE  
AUGUST 17 • 2-6PM • PARISH HALL**

*Give the gift of life. Schedule your appointment by contacting Katy Hunter at [khunter@christch.org](mailto:khunter@christch.org).*

**Give Online**

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**Thank you for wearing masks indoors and for maintaining social distancing.**



Please take your Communion plastic bag home with you to reuse or recycle. Thank you!

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All Christ Church sponsored events and meetings must be approved by the Rector prior to being held. Please contact Fr. Ted at [tduvall@christch.org](mailto:tduvall@christch.org) for more information.

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The Wednesday morning service will remain suspended throughout the summer. The Wednesday Blessed Little Thoughts will continue to arrive via email until further notice.

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Have you moved or updated your email address? Contact Katy Hunter at [khunter@christch.org](mailto:khunter@christch.org) to update the Church Office records.

**ECCO** has experienced exponential growth in need of food. In conjunction with our regular "Grocery Bag Sundays" on the calendar, we encourage you to continue supporting ECCO through regular donation. The below items are their current needs. These items can be dropped off directly to ECCO Monday-Friday between 10am and 2pm at 1145 Six Mile Road. The Outreach Committee has members who are willing to pick up items and deliver to ECCO for you, if you are unable. If interested, please contact Ken Schnupp at 843.990.3918 or at [kenschnupp@icloud.com](mailto:kenschnupp@icloud.com). Peanut butter, jelly, canned soup, canned pasta (spaghetti o's, ravioli), dry pasta (box and bag), mac n cheese, grits, beef stew, condiments (ketchup, mustard, mayo, salad dressing), baking items (flour, sugar, oils), instant potatoes, personal hygiene items (shampoo, conditioner, soap, deodorant), dish soap, laundry detergent, and household cleaning supplies.

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