

## ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS:

**Guests:** Welcome to Christ Presbyterian Church. We want to thank you for joining us for worship! If this is your first time visiting our church, please fill out a visitor card and place it in the offerings box at the back of the sanctuary. We'd like to send you some info about our church and our ministries. Also, if you have any needs or would like additional information, please see one of the elders or deacons, or send an email to [admin@christpreshamptoncove.org](mailto:admin@christpreshamptoncove.org) or [deacons@christpreshamptoncove.org](mailto:deacons@christpreshamptoncove.org)

**Summer Schedule:** Christ Pres is on Summer Schedule, which means Sunday School and regular weekly activities are on hiatus. We will have a weekly time of fellowship beginning at 10 AM, with our worship beginning at 10:30 AM. Sunday school and other regular activities will resume in September.

**VBS:** HUGE thank you to all the volunteers who helped make VBS 2018 such a big success! The kids learned a lot and had a great time, and the family night was a wonderful time of fellowship. Thanks for being a church who supports our kids!

**Elliott Shower:** Today at 3 PM is the baby shower for Meghan Elliott.

**Music:** Attention instrumentalists and vocalists! We are currently in the process of putting together a list of people of high school age and older in our congregation who would like to share their musical gifts in occasional special musical events at the church. Please indicate your interest by sending an email to Rich Bagdazian at [rbagdazian@gmail.com](mailto:rbagdazian@gmail.com) and include the word "music" in the subject line. Indicate what instrument you play or if you are a vocalist, what part you sing. We will contact you within a few weeks with additional information after everyone has had an opportunity to respond.

**Senior Fellows:** On Tuesday, July 24, the Senior Fellows will visit the Wernher Von Braun Planetarium located within Monte Sano State Park. Visitors are welcome. Plan to arrive at 8:00 PM and finish about 10:00 PM. For directions or more information send email to [seniorfellows@christpreshamptoncove.org](mailto:seniorfellows@christpreshamptoncove.org). Plan to bring the whole family. Joe Fikes, our guide, says kids will love this adventure. Atmospheric conditions may dictate a change of the date/day of the event.

**Calendar/Other Announcements:** As always, check the website [www.christpreshamptoncove.org](http://www.christpreshamptoncove.org) for additional news and upcoming events.

**Healing:** Please pray for the health of the following individuals: Debbie Hill, Suzanne Nimon, Robin Holloway, Chris Smotherman, Elizabeth Holton, Janet Chou, Ramona Edwards, and Nolan Osmer.

**Expecting:** Please pray for the Elliott family, expecting in September, and the Ely family, expecting in November.

**Ministries:** Please pray for the following missionaries and ministries: Seth and Jessica Lewis (Ireland); Steve and Rita Williams (New Zealand); Vinnie and Molly Athey (RUF at UAH); RUF at Alabama A&M; Ken and Angie Burnett (FCA); Franky Garcia (seminary student).

### Financial Update:

06/30/2018	YTD Actual	YTD Budgeted	YTD Excess (Deficit)
Revenue	411,899	354,874	57,025
Expenses	363,047	390,188	27,141
Net	48,852	(35,314)	84,166



# CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (PCA)

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

July 22, 2018

**Call to Worship:** Psalm 23

**Pastor:** The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

**People:** He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he refreshes my soul.

**Pastor:** He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake.

**People:** Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

**Pastor:** You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies.

**People:** You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

**All:** Surely your goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

**Sacrament of Baptism:**

**Prayer of Adoration:**

**Old Testament Lesson:** Jeremiah 23:1-6

**Confession of Sin:** From Psalm 25

**Pastor:** In you, Lord my God, I put my trust. Show me your ways, Lord, teach me your paths. Guide me in your truth and teach me, for you are God my Savior, and my hope is in you all day long. Remember, Lord, your great mercy and love, for they are from of old.

**People:** **Do not remember the sins of my youth and my rebellious ways; according to your love remember me, for you, Lord, are good. For the sake of your name, Lord, forgive my iniquity, though it is great. Relieve the troubles of my heart and free me from my anguish. Look on my affliction and my distress and take away all my sins. May integrity and uprightness protect me, because my hope, Lord, is in you. Deliver Israel, O God, from all their troubles!**

**Assurance of Pardon:** Acts 10:43

*“All the prophets testify about Him that everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.”*

**Song:** **Take My Life and Let It Be** - Hymn 585 v.1,2,5,6

**Song:** **His Mercy Is More** - CCLI# 7065053

What love could remember, no wrongs we have done  
Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum  
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

CHORUS: Praise the Lord, his mercy is more  
Stronger than darkness, new every morn  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What patience would wait as we constantly roam  
What father so tender is calling us home  
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor  
Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

What riches of kindness he lavished on us  
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost  
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford  
Our sins they are many, his mercy more

**New Testament Lesson:** Ephesians 2:11-16

**Song:** **Have Thine Own Way** - Hymn 688 v.1-4

**Scripture Reading and Prayer for the Church:**

Proverbs 8:1-21 - Matthew Elliott, Pastoral Assistant for Counseling

**Preaching of the Word:** “The Greatest Mystery of All” - Colossians 1:25-29 - Dr. Michael Calvert, Teaching Elder

**Confession of Faith:** From The Belgic Confession of Faith: Article 24

**We believe that this true faith, produced in us by the hearing of God’s Word and by the work of the Holy Spirit, regenerates us and makes us new creatures, causing us to live a new life and freeing us from the slavery of sin.**

**Communion\*:**

**Song:** **Why So Heavy** - CCLI# 5543234

Oh why so heavy, oh my soul? Thus to myself I've willed  
Oh why so heavy, oh my heart? And why so sorrow filled?

CHORUS: Hope thou in God, He still shall be Thy glory and thy  
endless praise

His saving grace shall comfort thee through everlasting days,

His goodness made thee what thou art and yet will he redeem  
Oh be thou of a contrite heart and put your trust in him.

**Benediction:** Psalm 128:5

*May the Lord bless you from Zion; may you see the prosperity of  
Jerusalem all the days of your life.*

\*We invite to the table of the Lord those who are trusting in Christ alone for salvation (Acts 16:30-31; Rom. 10:11-13), are seeking to live a godly, Christian life (Rom. 12:1-2; Eph. 4:1-6; Heb. 12:14), have made a public profession of faith before the Church (Acts 2:38-39; 1 Timothy 6:12), are baptized members of a Bible believing, Christ-preaching Church (Acts 2:41; Heb. 13:17; Titus 1:5), and are not under Church discipline (Matt 16:19; 18:15-18; 1 Cor. 5:1-7).

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**Teaching Elder:** Dr. Michael Calvert, PhD

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**Deacons:** Jeff Brown (Chairman) Graham Burgess, Ben Calvert, Norman Dean, Glen Doughty, John Jeffery, Jack Loose, Bill McNeese, Paul Matheny, David O’Neil, Steve Profozich, Scott Schnorrenberg, Joe Sims, Adam Turnbull

**Staff:** Matthew Elliott, Pastoral Assistant for Counseling; Jack Cooper, Church Admin; Ashley Turnbull, Children’s Coordinator; Ken Burnett, Assistant to Pastor and Student Ministries