# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND PRAYER REQUESTS:

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 visit the Contact page of our website. Finally, if you require hearing assistance, please see one of our men in the sound booth at the rear of the sanctuary. **VBS:** VBS 2019 planning is gearing up, and your help is needed. To be a part of this compelling event, please see Ashley Turnbull.

**Youth Group:** Youth Group for ages 13-18 meets for the final time this school year today at the church at 4:30 PM.

Senior Fellows: On Tuesday, May 7 at 9 AM the Senior Fellows will enjoy breakfast, fellowship and a devotional at the Church. Guests are welcome. The Senior Fellows have also formed two teams for feedings at the Downtown Rescue Mission. Each team will meet at 11:15 AM and start feeding at 11:30 AM. Carpools will leave the church at 10:30. Team B will serve on Tuesday, May 7. Team A will serve on Friday, May 10. Finally, on Tuesday, May 29 at 10 AM the Senior Fellows will visit Dave Roesler's backyard G-scale model train layout at 2605 Spicewood Trail NE, Huntsville (in the Saddlewood area). Carpools will leave the church at 9:30 AM. Kids and grand kids are welcome. Calendar/Other Announcements: As always, check the website www.christpreshamptoncove.org for additional news and upcoming events. Healing: Please pray for the health of the following individuals: Jim Garner, Bill Cowley, Larrabee Kirkland, Katie Dyer, Chris Smotherman, Elizabeth Holton, Janet Chou, Ramona Edwards, and Nolan Osmer.

**Expecting:** Please pray for the Bryant family, expecting in September. **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).

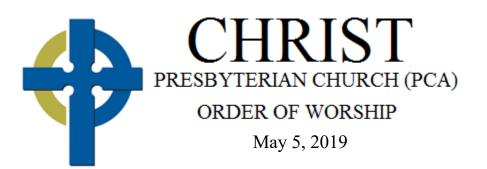
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**Deacons**: Jeff Brown (Chairman) Graham Burgess, Ben Calvert, Norman Dean, Glen Doughty, John Jeffery, Jack Loose, Bill McNeese, Paul Matheny, David O'Neil, Steve Profozich, Scott Schnorrenberg, Joe Sims, Adam Turnbull

**Staff:** Matthew Elliott, Pastoral Assistant for Counseling; Jack Cooper, Church Admin; Mark Cooper, Men's Coordinator; Denise Scrip, Women's Coordinator; Ashley Turnbull, Children's Coordinator; Ken Burnett, Assistant to Pastor/Student Ministries; Al Bart, Facilities Manager



# Call to Worship: Isaiah 55:1-3

"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price . . . Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David."

### **Prayer of Adoration:**

Old Testament Lesson: Psalm 30:1-5, 1-12

# Song: <u>How Sweet to Wait Upon the Lord</u> - CCLI#5543210

How sweet to wait upon the Lord, while He fulfills His gracious word To seek His face, and not in vain, to be so loved, and love again

CHORUS: Amen! Our hearts with rapture cry, may we with reverence look so high

Ascended Savior, fix our eyes, by faith upon this glorious prize

With this delightful prospect fired, we'll run, nor in thy ways be tired And all the trials here we see, will make us long to reign with Thee

To see, while prostrate at His feet, Jehovah on the mercy seat And Jesus, at the Lord's right hand, with His divine atonement stand!

"Father" he cries, "I will that these before thee on their bended knees for whom my life I once laid down, be with me soon on this my throne."

### Song: <u>All Things New</u> - CCLI #5448157

Come Lord and tarry not; bring the long looked for day; O why these years of waiting here, these ages of decay? Come for thy saints still wait; daily ascends their sigh; The Spirit and the Bride say "Come", dost thou not hear the cry?

# CHORUS:

O come and make all things new, come and make all things new O come and make all things new, build up this ruined Earth, Come and make all things new

Come for creation groans, impatient of thy stay Worn out with these long years of ill, these ages of delay. Come for love waxes cold, its steps are faint and slow; Faith now is lost in unbelief, Hope's lamp burns dim and low.

New Testament Lesson: Revelation 5:1-7

**Confession of Faith**: *The Belgic Confession of Faith*: Article 17: The Recovery of Fallen Humanity

Pastor: We believe that our good God, by marvelous divine wisdom and goodness, seeing that Adam and Eve had plunged themselves in this manner into both physical and spiritual death and made themselves completely miserable, set out to find them, though they, trembling all over, were fleeing from God.

People: And God comforted them, promising to give them his Son, born of a woman, to crush the head of the serpent, and to make them blessed.

Song: Precious Lamb of God (There is a Redeemer) - CCLI # 11483

There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One

CHORUS: Thank You oh my Father, For giving us Your Son And leaving Your Spirit 'til The work on earth is done

Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names Precious Lamb of God, Messiah, O for sinners slain

When I stand in Glory, I will see His face There I'll serve my King forever, In that holy place

**Scripture Reading and Prayer for the Church:** Proverbs 29:15-27. Matthew Elliott, Pastoral Assistant for Counseling.

**Sermon:** "*Grace Illustrated: David and Mephibosheth.*" 2 Samuel 9:1-13. Dr. Michael Calvert, Teaching Elder.

**Prayer of Confession:** 

O King of Glory, we confess that our praise of Your majesty has often been faint, our performance as citizens of Your kingdom treasonous. For we have surrendered to the enemy by our secret and our known sins. For our treason You died, Lord Jesus. For our restoration, You rose again. Draw us closer to You that our hearts may trust in the wonder of Your grace. By the Holy Spirit's continuing discipline, let us be loyal and loving servants of the King. Praise be to You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon: 2 Corinthians 9:8

And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that having all sufficiency in all things at all times, you may abound in every good work.

\*Communion:

Song: All Creatures Of Our God and King - Hymn 115 v.1,2,5

Benediction: From 2 Corinthians 13:11

May you live in peace with one another, and may the God of love and peace be with you all. Amen!

<sup>\*</sup>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).