

## 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).

**Sunday School Recess:** Sunday School is in recess until the Fall. We will have a weekly time of fellowship beginning at 10 AM, with our regular worship beginning at 10:30 AM.

**FCA Power Camp:** If you would like to help provide snacks and meals for the upcoming FCA Power Camp June 19-23, please see Erica McNeese.

**Vacation Bible School:** VBS is July 17-20. Registration will open June 1st for all children and volunteers. Watch for that email next week!

**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: Chris Smotherman, Elizabeth Holton, Janet Chou, Ramona Edwards, Katie Dyer, Rebecca Berry, Jenan Nuwayhid, Bill Dent, Zig Jastrebski, Bill and Mitzi Cowley, Leon Galecki, Sondra Behmer, Christina Bagdazian, and Suzanne Nimon.

**Expecting parents:** Please pray for the McCool family, due in June.

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



**CHRIST**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN AMERICA  
**ORDER OF WORSHIP – May 28, 2017**

**Call to Worship:** Deuteronomy 4:20

*But the Lord has taken you and brought you out of the iron furnace, out of Egypt, to be a people of his own inheritance, as you are this day.*

**Prayer of Adoration:**

**Old Testament Lesson:** Psalm 47

**Pastor:** Clap your hands, all peoples! Shout to God with loud songs of joy!

**People:** **For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared, a great king over all the earth. He subdued peoples under us, and nations under our feet.**

**Pastor:** He chose our heritage for us, the pride of Jacob whom he loves. God has gone up with a shout, the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.

**People:** **Sing praises to God, sing praises! Sing praises to our King, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!**

**Pastor:** God reigns over the nations; God sits on his holy throne. The princes of the peoples gather as the people of the God of Abraham.

**People:** **For the shields of the earth belong to God; he is highly exalted!**

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**Active Elders:** Dr. Michael Calvert, PhD, Pastor; Dr. Bud Lancaster, MD, Crawford Dillon.  
**Active Deacons:** Jack Loose (Chairman), Jeff Brown, Graham Burgess, Ben Calvert, Norman Dean, Glen Doughty, John Jeffery, Bill McNeese, Paul Matheny, David O'Neil, Steve Profozich, Scott Schnorrenberg, Joe Sims, Adam Turnbull.  
**Staff:** Jack Cooper, Church Administrator; Ashley Turnbull, Children's Coordinator; Ken Burnett, Assistant to Pastor and Student Ministries

**Song: How Deep** - CCLI# 4803944

You were broken that I might be healed,  
You were cast off that I might draw near  
You were thirsty that I might come drink  
Cried out in anguish that I might sing

CHORUS:

How deep is Your love, how high and how wide is your Mercy  
How deep is Your grace, our hearts overflow with praise to you  
You knew darkness that I might know light  
Wept great tears that mine might be dried  
Stripped of glory that I might be clothed  
Crushed by Your Father to call me Your own

**Song: Fairest Lord Jesus** - Hymn 170 v.1-3

**New Testament Lesson:** Ephesians 1:15-23

**Confession of Faith:** The Canons of Dort, Article 1: God's Right to Condemn All People

**Since all people have sinned in Adam and have come under the sentence of the curse and eternal death, God would have done no one an injustice if it had been his will to leave the entire human race in sin and under the curse, and to condemn them on account of their sin. As the apostle says: The whole world is liable to the condemnation of God, all have sinned and are deprived of the glory of God, and the wages of sin is death**

**Song: To Thee I Come** - CCLI #5445851

To thee I come, a sinner poor, and wait for mercy at thy door  
Indeed I've nowhere else to flee, Oh God be merciful to me!  
To thee I come, a sinner weak, and scarce know how to pray or speak  
From fear and weakness set me free, Oh God be merciful to me!

To thee I come, a sinner vile, upon me Lord vouchsafe to smile  
Mercy through blood, I make my plea, Oh God be merciful to me!  
To thee I come, a sinner great, and well thou knowest all my state  
Yet full forgiveness is with thee, Oh God be merciful to me!

To thee I come, a sinner lost, nor have I aught wherein to trust  
But where thou art, Lord I would be, Oh God be merciful to me!  
To glory bring me Lord at last, and then when all my sins are passed  
With all the saints, I'll then agree, Oh God was merciful to me!  
Oh God was merciful to me!

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

Dr. Bud Lancaster, Ruling Elder - Amos 2

**Preaching of the Word:** Dr. Michael Calvert, Teaching Elder  
"The Blessing of Grace" - 2 John 1:3

**Confession of Sin:** Adapted from Spurgeon's "Morning and Evening"

**Pastor:** Father, forgive me for my absence of holy shame, and my unholy boldness in evil. Since the day of my new birth I have doubted my Lord to His face, murmured unblushing in His presence, worshipped Him in a slovenly manner, and sinned without bewailing myself on account of it. Were my heart not so hardened, I would display more holy fear and a far deeper contrition of spirit. Woe is me for I am undone, and much of my former stubbornness remains.

**People:** **Yet, blessed be the name of the Lord, my disease is not incurable. My Savior's precious blood is the universal remedy! His mercy will effectually soften my heart, and His grace shall remove my all of my guilt!**

**Assurance of Pardon:** Psalm 103:2-4

*Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy.*

**Communion\*:**

**Song: More Love to Thee, O Christ** - Hymn 649 v.1,2,4

**Benediction:** Romans 15:13

*May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.*

\*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).