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 or deacons@christpreshamptoncove.org Schedule: Regular weekly activities resume Sept. 4 and Sunday School resumes Sept. 9.

New Members Class: Our next class for anyone wishing to become a member of the church will be Sept. 9 from 2-6PM at the church. Please sign up in the Narthex, and indicate if you need childcare. Attending the class does not obligate you to join the church, but those wishing to join have to complete the class.

Sunday Fellowship Lunch: Starting Sept. 16, every second Sunday of the month there will be a Fellowship Lunch at the church. Everyone is invited. A suggested donation of \$5 per person or \$20 per family will help offset the cost, but visitors eat free! Contact Denise Brown at niniandjb@gmail.com if interested in helping.

Youth Sunday School Registration: Please register on the church website for the new Sunday School year. We have classes for age infant to 12th grade.

Senior Fellows: The Fellows will have breakfast at the Church House on Sept. 4 at 9 AM. They are also planning a trip to Larry's Pistols on September 18 at 9 AM. **Women's Ministry:** A variety of studies for the Fall will be starting this week, see

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Parenting Small Group: There will be a six week Wednesday night parenting small group starting on September 12. Please contact Matthew Elliott, matthew@christpreshamptoncove.org, for details or sign up.

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: Andy Trent, Debbie Hill, 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).

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Teaching Elder: Dr. Michael Calvert, PhD

Ruling Elders: Dr. Bud Lancaster, MD, Crawford Dillon, Fred Fohrell

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



CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (PCA) ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 2, 2018

Call to Worship: Psalm 117

Praise the Lord, all nations! Extol him, all peoples! For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Praise the Lord!

Prayer of Adoration:

Old Testament Lesson: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-9

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!

Song: <u>Hark the Voice of Love and Mercy</u> - CCLI #2793362

Hark, the voice of love and mercy, sounds aloud from Calvary! See it rends the rocks asunder; shakes the earth and veils the sky! "It is finished, it is finished," hear the dying Savior cry. "It is finished, it is finished," hear the dying Savior cry.

"It is finished," o what pleasure do these charming words afford. Heavenly blessings without measure flow to us from Christ the Lord. "It is finished, it is finished," saints the dying words record. "It is finished, it is finished," saints the dying words record.

Finished all the types and shadows of the ceremonial law. Finished all that God had promised, death and hell no more shall awe. "It is finished, it is finished," saints from hence your comfort draw. "It is finished, it is finished," saints from hence your comfort draw.

Tune your harps anew, ye seraphs, join to sing the pleasing theme Saints of earth and all in heaven join to praise Immanuel's name. Hallelujah! Hallelujah! Glory to the bleeding lamb! Hallelujah! Glory to the bleeding lamb!

New Testament Lesson: Ephesians 6:10-20

Confession of Sin:

Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 43:25

"I, I am He who blots out your transgressions for My own sake, and I will not remember your sins."

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

Scripture Reading and Prayer for the Church:

Proverbs 12 – Fred Fohrell, Ruling Elder

Preaching of the Word: "The Gospel and Discipleship" - Colossians 2:16-23 – Dr. Michael Calvert, Teaching Elder

Confession of Faith: The Heidelberg Catechism

Q. 117 What belongs to a prayer which pleases God and is heard by Him?

A. First, we must from the heart call upon the one true God only, who has revealed Himself in His Word, for all that He has commanded us to pray. Second, we must thoroughly know our need and misery, so that we may humble ourselves before God. Third, we must rest on this firm foundation that, although we do not deserve it, God will certainly hear our prayer for the sake of Christ our Lord, as He has promised us in His Word.

Communion*:

Song: The Precious Blood - CCLI# 4804297

Before the cross I kneel and see the measure of my sin How You became a curse for me though You were innocent The magnitude of Your great love Was shown in full degree When righteous blood, the crimson spill rained down from Calvary

CHORUS

Oh, the precious blood that flowed from Mercy's side Washed away my sin when Christ my Savior died Oh, the precious blood of Christ the crucified It speaks for me before Your throne where I stand justified

And who am I that I should know this treasure of such worth My Savior's pure atoning blood shed for the wrath I'd earned For sin has stained my every deed my every word and thought What wondrous love that makes me one your priceless blood has bought

Benediction: From 2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

May our Lord Jesus Christ Himself, and God our Father, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

^{*}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).