



Christ United  
Methodist Church

**11:00am**

Sunday, July 28, 2019  
Holden Road

living by the  
power of **ten** >

# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us this Sunday! At Christ Church, we embrace people, the community, and the world with the **boundless** love of God through **loving, growing, and serving** together. We hope you will feel welcome and inspired through worship here today.

## NEW HERE?

Stop by the Connection Point Desk, located between the Sanctuary and Fellowship Center, to learn more about our missions and ministries. We'd love to help you find your place at Christ Church.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

Whether you're 2 or 92, we have a Sunday School class that's waiting to welcome you. Classes meet at 9:50am between our early and late worship services each Sunday. Learn more at [christgreensboro.org/adults](http://christgreensboro.org/adults).

## FOR YOUTH

From Sunday school in the Youth Building to Sunday night youth group to weekly small groups and more, we offer a number of opportunities for youth (grades 6-12) at Christ Church. Learn more at [christgreensboro.org/youth](http://christgreensboro.org/youth).

## FOR KIDS

We love for children of all ages to join us for worship! Stop by our Worship Walls, located near the entrances to the Sanctuary and Fellowship Center, to find activities to help them engage with the service. Learn more about our kids' ministries at [christgreensboro.org/kids](http://christgreensboro.org/kids).

## CHILDCARE

Located in rooms 111 and 113, our Nursery (0-24 months) is staffed by trained, professional childcare workers and parent helpers. Children ages 2-4 can enjoy a lesson, snack, and playtime in Worship Care in room 302.

## ACCESSIBILITY

Large print hymnals and Bibles, a magnifying sheet, and hearing assistance devices are available for our traditional services. Please speak to an usher if you need assistance.

## GET IN TOUCH

Looking to join? Have a question? Our staff is here to help! Contact us by emailing [info@christgreensboro.org](mailto:info@christgreensboro.org) or calling the Church Office at 336-299-1571.

# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP | 11am

*\* Those who are able, please stand.*

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Those who are unable to attend worship for any reason may tune into this service live on Sunday mornings on Christ Church Radio, WDFC 101.7FM.  
You may also listen online on Sunday mornings at [christgreensboro.org/live](http://christgreensboro.org/live).

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## WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP

TRINITY CHIMES

GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Weary of All Trumpeting, Weary of All Killing* (Hymn 442)

arr. Richard Proulx

\* CALL TO WORSHIP

Each one of us is a beloved child of God.

**We are called to obey God's commandments and live in God's love.**

The ways which God ordains are ways of peace and hope.

**The love of God shall conquer the world.**

Rejoice, O people of God, for God is near!

**Praise God for God's power and might, God's love and peace.**

\* OPENING HYMN

*And Are We Yet Alive*

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\* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

\* SUNG RESPONSE

**Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.**

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THY WORD

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## WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

### \* SCRIPTURE LESSON

Exodus 20:13; Matthew 5:21-23

This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

### SERMON

Pastor Morris Brown

*Living by the Power of Ten: You're Killing Me!*

## WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

### \* HYMN OF RESPONSE

*Help Us Accept Each Other*

560

ACCEPTANCE

### \* PSALTER

772

Psalm 37:1-11

### CELEBRATIONS & CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

### CALL TO PRAYER

*Someone's Praying, Lord*

Spiritual

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord, in your mercy,

**Hear our prayer.**

### LORD'S PRAYER

895

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*I Must Tell Jesus with Blessed Assurance*

arr. Mary McDonald

I must tell Jesus all of my trials; I cannot bear these burdens alone; in my distress He kindly will help me; He ever loves and cares for His own. I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! I cannot bear my burdens alone; I must tell Jesus! I must tell Jesus! Jesus can help me, Jesus alone. This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long. [© 1985 Purifoy Publishing]

### \* OFFERTORY RESPONSE

*Doxology*

95

OLD 100th

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**WE ARE SENT FORTH TO SERVE**

\* HYMN OF DEPARTURE

*Jesus, Lord, We Look to Thee*

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SAVANNAH

\* BENEDICTION

\* CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

WORDS OF LIFE

**Beautiful words, wonderful words, wonderful words of life.**

**Beautiful words, wonderful words, wonderful words of life.**

\* TRINITY CHIMES

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

arr. Diane Bish

*Commit Your Way to God the Lord (Refrain from Anger, Turn from Hate - Psalm 37)*

***Ministry of Worship***

**Participating Pastors:** Morris Brown, Louis Timberlake

**Senior Director of Worship and Arts:** Cathy West

**Organist and Director of Children's Music:** Chris Dederer

**Ushers:** Van Gresham, head; Tom Jordan, Larry Harris, Bill Honeycutt,  
Gloria Jordan, Bob Martin, Bill Moseley, Esther Overbey, Seldon Patty,  
Ron Rhoades, Jim Sheek, Larry Wingate, Richard Wright

**Guest Pianist:** André Lash

## WORSHIP NOTES

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## MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT

# **BLOCK PARTY at the GLENWOOD CAMPUS**

*by Carter Ellis*

And it is hot, hot, hot!

I don't know about you, but I'm ready to welcome the cooler weather of fall and am so glad that it is just around the corner. I'm also excited because we are celebrating the end of summer with a Block Party at the Glenwood Campus!

You might be thinking: "Block Party, didn't we just do that?" Yep, we did, but that was last August. We had hot dogs and popsicles and popcorn to go around. Kids ran from the sprinkler area through the corn hole games and inflatables and back again. We handed out water bottles and t-shirts. And Pastor Morris got dunked in the dunk tank many more times than Pastor Louis and Pastor Carter. It was an incredible day of meeting 500 of our new neighbors in Glenwood and it was an incredible start to our ministry in the Glenwood neighborhood. Time flies when you are having fun!

This year, it's Block Party 2.0 which means even bigger and better. Thanks to many of you, we've developed deep relationships with members of the community as well as with many community partners. And, we expect many of our new friends to bring their friends and to help us spread the word about life on the Glenwood Campus and in the Glenwood neighborhood. Don't worry, we'll still have games, inflatables, hot dogs, and popsicles. And, you can still dunk Pastor Morris in the dunk tank. We'll also have a band playing music, free produce give-a-way, and other new activities. Most of all, we'll have a fun-filled opportunity to build deeper and new relationships with the Glenwood community.

We hope that you will join us on August 17th and invite your friends and families and neighbors. We also need volunteers to help make this wonderful event happen. You can sign up to set up, welcome our neighbors, assist with games, cook hot dogs, serve food, drive the bus, clean up and more here:

<https://www.christgreensboro.org/events/blockparty2019>

## **FACILITIES ENHANCEMENTS UPDATES**

Over the past couple of weeks, we have installed hearing loops in the Fellowship Center and Sanctuary. Once we have them adjusted and working properly, we will share information to help congregants make full use of this technology. In the meantime, we continue to work through a bid process on planned renovations to the children's area and other spaces. Finally, we are excited to unveil a new display in the Gathering Space that captures the facilities enhancements that have been completed or that are planned. Take a look and celebrate the progress that we are making together!

## **THIS SUNDAY AT CHRIST CHURCH**

The flowers on the altar (Glenwood) are given by the United Methodist Women to the glory of God.

### **Summer Adult Sunday School Series: Spiritual Wellness**

Sun, July 28, 9:50am-10:50am, Parlor/Disciple Room, Holden Road | This Sunday, we continue our series on spiritual wellness with Father Louis Canino speaking on Silence and Solitude. Father Louis is the director of St. Francis Springs Prayer Center in Stoneville. Missed last week? Listen online at [christgreensboro.org/member-resources](http://christgreensboro.org/member-resources).

### **Interest Meeting: Puerto Rico Disaster Recovery Trip**

Sun, July 28, 9:50am, Chapel, Holden Road | Learn more about being part of an international mission team that will travel to Puerto Rico late this October to help with relief efforts for Hurricane Maria. Interested but cannot attend? Contact Michael Astorino ([spiniker56@gmail.com](mailto:spiniker56@gmail.com), 336-402-1714).

### **Summer Singing in the Sanctuary (Holden Road)**

Sun, Jul 28, 10am | All youth and adults are invited to join the Christ Church Gospel Choir this Sunday (and next) for the 11am service—we will meet at 10am in the choir room to learn the music for the service.

## **HAPPENING THIS WEEK**

### **Summer Meet-Ups**

Tue, July 30, 5:45pm | Join us for dinner at Sarah's Kabob Shop (5340 W. Market St.) before returning to the church for the first week of our study on "The Prophets of Justice" led by Duane Morford in our Holden Road Parlor. We'll end by 8pm, with coffee and dessert following. Reservations but are appreciated so we know how many to expect for dinner; sign up online. Childcare will be available beginning at 5:15pm (reservation required).

### **GenX Summer Gathering**

Thu, Aug 1, 7:30pm, Joymongers | Meet us downtown the first Thursday of the month for food, drinks, live music, and fellowship! For more information, contact Lori Gray ([lbgray2002@att.net](mailto:lbgray2002@att.net)) or Laura Lorenz ([llorenzlj@msn.com](mailto:llorenzlj@msn.com)).

**LOVE** *We love God, humanity, and all creation as an inviting, caring community.*

**Congratulations** to Janna and Gary Springs on the birth of their son Graham Tripp Springs on July 9, 2019. Proud big brothers are Jackson and Marshall. Grandparents are Teresa and Gary Springs.

**Congratulations** to Hannah and Jacob Hasz on the birth of their son Andrew Scott "Ash" Hasz on July 16, 2019. Grandparents are Teresa and Eric Lowell.

### **Mark Your Calendar: Summer Welcome Wednesday**

Aug 7, 5:30pm, Holden Road | Summer Welcome Wednesday is back next week with a taco bar for dinner followed by trivia games with water play on the patio for the kids. *ThristAide Lemonade* will be back with delicious fresh squeezed lemonade and snow cones. Reservations can be made at [christgreensboro.org/welcomewednesday](http://christgreensboro.org/welcomewednesday).

### **Update on Food Service Transition**

We have developed a list of preferred catering partners for any groups seeking food service. This list provides a range of cuisines and price points, ensuring that all groups will be able to find something to meet their needs. We have also developed a set of FAQs to clarify the process as we shift away from food service by Labor Day. Both documents are available at [christgreensboro.org/member-resources](http://christgreensboro.org/member-resources) or through Mark Ledford.

### **Adult Fellowship Trip: Savannah Sipping Society at Barn Dinner Theatre**

Thu, Aug 13, 1pm-5pm | Baby boomers and senior adults, join us for a buffet lunch followed by Savannah Sipping Society at the Barn Dinner Theatre in Greensboro. We will meet at our Holden Road campus at 1pm and travel together on the church bus. Cost is \$45 and spaces are limited. Participants must be able to navigate dark stairs alone, or bring a companion that can assist. Register by July 30 online or by completing a form (available at our Information Walls) and returning it to the Church Office.

### **Fall 2019 Kids Konsignment Sale**

Fri, Sep 20, 9:30am-8pm & Sat, Sep 21, 8am-1pm, Gym, Holden Road | Mark your calendars to shop our Kids Konsignment Sale and save more than 50-90% off retail prices on gently used children's clothing, toys, baby gear, maternity, and much more! Have children's items you'd like to sell? Learn more and register to consign at [kidskonsignmentsale.com](http://kidskonsignmentsale.com). Proceeds support our CEC preschool, Kids Ahead afterschool, and CUMC children's ministries.

### **End-of-Summer Block Party**

Sat, Aug 17, 11am-2pm, Glenwood | We're soaking up the last days of summer with slides, games, popcorn, a free hot dog lunch, and lots of fun for all ages at our second annual Block Party! Parking with shuttle is available at Hope Academy (1403 W. Florida Street).

# **GROW**

*We grow intentionally together in the likeness of Christ.*

## **• KIDS**

**Kids Summer Jam** (Current Ages 3-5th Grade)

Sun-Thu, Aug 11-15, 5:30-8pm, Glenwood | Join us for a week of dinner, worship, crafts, Bible lessons, games, science experiments, and more for preschoolers and elementary schoolers. Learn more and register at [christgreensboro.org/glenwood/ksj](http://christgreensboro.org/glenwood/ksj).

## **• YOUTH**

**Middle School Mission** (Rising Grades 6-9)

Aug 5-9, Christ Church | We'll meet at the church each morning before heading to Camp Guilrock each day for service projects! We'll finish the week with a lock-in and pool party. Cost is \$100. Register at [christgreensboro.org/events/middleschoolmission](http://christgreensboro.org/events/middleschoolmission).

**Youth Summer Retreat: "A Place at the Table"**

Fri-Sun, Aug 9-11, Epworth by the Sea, St. Simon Island, GA | Join Pastor Mark Oesteicher and other NC youth for this retreat. We will be filled with the Holy Spirit as we "Love each other, just as I have loved you!" (John 13:34-35). Learn more and make a reservation at [christgreensboro.org/events/aplaceatthetable](http://christgreensboro.org/events/aplaceatthetable). Note: This retreat will take the place of SpiritUS, which was canceled.

## **• ADULTS**

**Summer Meet-Ups**

July 30, Aug 6, 13 & 20, 5:45pm, Parlor, Holden Road | Join us for dinner at a local restaurant (announced weekly) before a study at the church at 7pm on "The Prophets of Justice" led by Duane Morford. We'll end by 8pm, with coffee and dessert following. Reservations appreciated; sign up at [christgreensboro.org/meetups](http://christgreensboro.org/meetups). Childcare available at 5:15pm (reservation required). Dinner this week: Sarah's Kabob Shop on W. Market St.

**Festival of Wisdom & Grace**

Aug 5-8, Lake Junaluska | Join other CUMC Baby Boomers and senior adults for this conference featuring workshops, worship, guest speakers, entertainment, and more with the theme of "Growing Deeper Roots." Lodging and meal packages are available. Learn more and register at [lakejunaluska.com/events/spiritual\\_enrichment/wisdom\\_and\\_grace](http://lakejunaluska.com/events/spiritual_enrichment/wisdom_and_grace).

## **SERVE**

*We serve together in our church, our community, and the world.*

### **Help Stock Peck Elementary with School Supplies**

Peck Elementary needs our help collecting school supplies and filling 100 backpacks for its students! Donate general supplies (copy paper, dry erase markers, marble composition notebooks, and sheet protectors) or “Adopt a Student” and fill their backpack with pencils, crayons, colored pencils, pens, spiral notebooks, glue sticks, ruler, 3-ring-binder, loose-leaf paper, folders with prongs, and erasers (pencil top and handheld). Donations can be left in the Missions Closets at our Holden Road campus, or in the Vestibule at Glenwood. Contact Jennifer Oliver ([joliver@christgreensboro.org](mailto:joliver@christgreensboro.org)) with questions.

### **Greensboro Urban Ministry Food Drive**

So far, we’ve collected 1,935 pounds of the 5,000-pound goal set by Patrick O’Kelley in partnership with First Food Sunday for his Eagle Scout project! Donations can be placed in designated boxes at the Missions Café, CEC Entrance, and in the Youth Building, or in our Missions Closets at our Holden Road campus.

### **Guatemala Mission Trip Interest Meeting**

Sun, Aug 11, 12:15pm, Parlor, Holden Road | Join us to learn more about traveling to Guatemala with Christ Church and Curamericas! Interested but cannot attend? Sign up to learn more at [christgreensboro.org/events/guatemala2020-meeting](http://christgreensboro.org/events/guatemala2020-meeting).

### **Serve at Kids Summer Jam**

Sun-Thu, Aug 11-15, 5:30-8pm, Glenwood | We need elementary group leaders and preschool volunteers to make this great event happen! There are also opportunities for snack supper prep each day at 3:30pm and opportunities to help decorate the week prior. To volunteer, please go to [signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4aa9a92fa5f94-glenwood](http://signupgenius.com/go/60b0c4aa9a92fa5f94-glenwood) or contact Kara Harvey ([kharvey@christgreensboro.org](mailto:kharvey@christgreensboro.org)).

### **Serve at our End-of-Summer Block Party**

Sat, Aug 17, 11am-2pm, Glenwood | We’re soaking up the last days of summer at our second annual Block Party—and we need your help to make it happen! Volunteers are needed to run games, serve food, drive shuttles, staff our welcome tent, and more. Sign up at [christgreensboro.org/blockparty](http://christgreensboro.org/blockparty).

### **Serve at New Monday Night Worship**

Launching Sep 9 | Interested in being a part of our new contemporary Monday night worship service? Contact Matt Gravely ([mgravely@christgreensboro.org](mailto:mgravely@christgreensboro.org)).

### **Serve on our Contemporary Worship Media Team**

Volunteers are needed to work in the sound booth at our 9am contemporary service. No experience is necessary—we will provide training! If you are interested, please contact Matt Gravely ([mgravely@christgreensboro.org](mailto:mgravely@christgreensboro.org)).

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### **HOLDEN ROAD**

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(336) 299-1571

Hours: 9am-4pm M-Th; 9am-1pm F

*Worship with us Sundays at 8:45am, 9am,  
11am, and 11:15am.*

### **GLENWOOD**

1417 Glenwood Avenue

Greensboro, NC 27403

(336) 274-7086

*Worship with us Sundays at 11am.*

### **RESERVATION LINE**

336-299-1571 ext. 333

**INTERESTED IN JOINING?** Contact Susan Pabon in the Church Office (336-299-1571 or [spabon@christgreensboro.org](mailto:spabon@christgreensboro.org)).

### **PASTORAL STAFF**

Morris Brown, *Senior Pastor*

Louis Timberlake, *Executive Pastor*

Virginia Reynolds, *Associate Pastor*

Carter Ellis, *Associate Pastor/Lead Pastor,  
STUMC*

### **PASTORAL CARE EMERGENCY LINE**

After office hours, call 336-337-5633.

### **CHRIST CHURCH RADIO**

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