

Ministry Opportunities and Events

Young Adult Get-Together - Today after the Morning Service

Join Jeremy and Tricia Goad for a relaxing afternoon of getting to know one another over a delicious lunch.

Sunday, February 12th after morning worship at the Barbour Home

9 Stonecreek Court, Greensboro, NC 27455

Lunch served at 1 PM from Zoe's Kitchen. (free food!)

Questions? Contact Jeremy Goad

Sunday Evening Worship begins tonight at 5:30 PM

Join us Sunday evenings for a rather informal, family-style service of singing and hearing the Word preached.

Pastor Bill and Pastor Bryan will alternate each week and give a big-picture view of the Scriptures as they go

through one book of the Old Testament each week. The services will last about 45 minutes.

Sunday Night Service and Supper - February 26th at 5:30 PM

New Office Hours

The Staff House is just about complete thanks to our incredibly gifted and generous congregation.

Now that we have offices, we also now have new regular office hours:

Monday - Friday 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Visiting Today?

We welcome you and look forward to answering any questions you may have about Christ Community Church. Please be sure to give us your contact information when the Fellowship Pads are distributed during offering. We offer several ministries for children during the worship hour. A greeter or usher can assist you in locating the class rooms.

Nursery: Ages 0-2

Toddler Class: Ages 2-3

Children's Church: Ages 4, 5 & 6

Children's Sermon: Grades 2nd - 4th. Join parents for worship.

Children will be dismissed during the Doxology to follow their teacher to their class room.

Our Church Leadership:

Pastor and Moderator: Bill Marsh

Associate Pastor and Vice Moderator: Bryan Crofts

Elders: Kent French (Clerk of Session),
Eric Bolton, Robert George, Bill Ratchford, and
Bill Sykes.

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Our Mission

Communicate the Word of God, model the Grace of God, and advance the Kingdom of God such that people from Greensboro, North Carolina, to the ends of the earth will glorify God and enjoy Him forever.

February 12, 2012

Order of Worship

Greeting and Announcements

Silent Preparation

Call to Worship

Hymn of Adoration

O Worship the King by Johann Hadyn

Hymnal Page: 2

Invocation

Hymn of Praise

How Great Thou Art by Stuart K. Hine

Hymnal Page: 44

Confession of Faith

Nicene Creed

We believe in one *God, the Father*, the Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one *Lord, Jesus Christ*, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father by whom all things were made. Who for us men, and for our salvation he came down from heaven: and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the Virgin Mary, and was made man. And was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the quick and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke through the prophets. And we believe in one holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Reading of God’s Word

Psalm 62

(p. 479)

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Confession and Forgiveness: As a people who continue to sin in this life we become fully aware, especially in the presence of God, of our great guilt and therefore we confess ourselves sinners and look to Christ alone for the ground of our salvation. In worship we do this both privately and corporately. Those truly repentant in faith receive the forgiveness of God.

Hymn of Reflection

Rock of Ages by Toplady/Ward

Hymnal Page: 500

Membership Vows

Chad and Renee Brown

Sacrament of Baptism

Willson MacKinley Augustine Brown

Mona Claire Bryant Brown

Pastoral Prayer

Offering and Offertory

Doxology

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below, alleluia, alleluia.
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host,
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost:
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

(At this time, second through fourth grade students may exit the Fellowship Hall and follow their teacher to class.)

Sermon

Rev. Bill Marsh

Joseph Was Right!

Acts 8:4-25 (pg. 916)

1. A truth about God: _____ . (vv.4-8)

2. A truth about the Gospel: _____ . (vv. 14-17)

3. A truth about **me**: _____ . (vv.9-13, 18-25)

Hymn of Response

The Church’s One Foundation by Stone/Wesley

Hymnal Page: 347

Benediction

This Week’s Memory Verse: Deuteronomy 7:6

For you are a people holy to the Lord your God. The Lord your God has chosen you to be a people for his treasured possession, out of all the peoples who are on the face of the earth.

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Monday, February 13

Pray for the construction on our sanctuary and narthex that begin in earnest today. Thank the Lord for the building permit and for the funds needed to proceed with construction. Ask the Lord to bless the project management of Paul Holst and Adair Bolton as they coordinate many "moving parts" in this effort. Pray that we would be able to worship in the sanctuary by Easter Sunday.

Tuesday, February 14

Pray today for the marriages in our congregation. Ask the Lord to help husbands to increasingly love their wives and for wives to submit to their husbands. Pray that our marriages would increasingly reflect the love of Christ and His Church to a watching world, especially to our children. Also, pray today for those in our body who are not married. Ask the Lord to make those who are married sensitive to and engaged relationally with the unmarried.

Wednesday, February 15

Thank the Lord today for those who serve in our children's classrooms and nurseries at Christ Community. Pray for their joy as the rock, read to, pray with, teach, and care for our covenant children. Pray that the Lord would provide sufficient servants so that no one is unduly burdened. Ask the Lord to bring a great harvest in the years to come through this Lord's Day ministry to our children.

Thursday, February 16

Pray for the continued healing of our Music Director, Tina Forlines, from kidney transplant surgery in December. Ask the Lord to continue to give her a good recovery and to restore her to her role soon in leading our congregational music. Thank Him for her body's acceptance of the new kidney and pray that she would have many years of fruitful service and rich life.

Friday, February 17

As we enjoy getting to know and host David and Rachael Carter, pray today for David's brother and sister-in-law, Art and Andrea and their daughters in southeast Asia. Pray for their perseverance and success in their labors that allow them to be in a closed country. Ask the Lord to give them much joy in Him, as well as health and all of their material needs.

Saturday, February 18

As we prepare to worship together tomorrow, pray for persecuted Christians around the world. Ask the Lord to give them courage and to guard them from discouragement. Pray that they would stand firm against the Enemy's attacks, shining as lights in dark places. Thank Him for the good work He has begun in them and pray for His glory to shine amid their oppression.

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