



# **Christ Our Hope**

**Apprenticed to Jesus, Learning Together,  
Serving Wilmington**

September 19, 2021

# Church Information

## Upcoming Events

- Wednesdays: Women's Bible Study 6:30-8:30pm in the gathering room
- Fridays: Men's Bible Study 7am at Katy's
- Sundays: Youth Group 6:30-7:30pm

## COH Financial Snapshot for August 2021

	August 2021	Fiscal YTD
<b>Giving: Members &amp; Visitors</b>	\$14,559.63	\$45,504.07
<b>Other support</b>	\$1,000.00	\$1,800.00
<b>Total income</b>	\$15,559.63	\$47,304.07
<b>Total Expenses</b>	\$18,264.47	\$41,991.09
<b>Difference</b>	-\$2,704.84	\$5,312.98

\*\*Our current fiscal year runs July 2021 through June 2022. Online giving is available at: [coh-ilm.churchcenteronline.com](http://coh-ilm.churchcenteronline.com)



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## **Blessing:**

Leader: Blessed be God, The Father, The Son, and the Holy Spirit.

**People: And Blessed be His kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

## **Mighty to Save**

Everyone needs compassion  
A love that's never failing  
Let mercy fall on me  
Everyone needs forgiveness  
The kindness of a Savior  
The hope of nations

**Savior, he can move the mountains  
My God is mighty to save  
He is mighty to save  
Forever author of Salvation  
He rose and conquered the grave  
Jesus conquered the grave**

So take me as you find me  
All my fears and failures  
And fill my life again  
I give my life to follow  
Everything I believe in  
And now I surrender  
I surrender

Shine your light and let the whole world see  
We're singing for the glory of the risen King, Jesus  
Shine your light and let the whole world see  
We're singing for the glory of the risen King

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## **Call To Worship (said together)**

**Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden.  
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love  
you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen**

Leader: Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets.

## **Before the Throne of God Above**

Before the throne of God above  
I have a strong and perfect plea  
A great High Priest whose name is Love  
Who ever lives and pleads for me  
My name is graven on His hands  
My name is written on His heart  
I know that while in heaven He stands  
No tongue can bid me thence depart  
No tongue can bid me thence depart

**Hallelujah**

**Hallelujah**

**Praise the One Risen Son of God**

When Satan tempts me to despair  
And tells me of the guilt within  
Upward I look and see Him there

Who made an end to all my sin  
Because the sinless Savior died  
My sinful soul is counted free  
For God the Just is satisfied  
To look on Him and pardon me  
To look on Him and pardon me

Behold Him there the risen Lamb  
My perfect spotless righteousness  
The great unchangeable I Am  
The King of glory and of grace  
One with Himself I cannot die  
My soul is purchased with His blood  
My life is hid with Christ on high  
With Christ my Savior and my God  
With Christ my Savior and my God

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## **Living Hope**

How great the chasm that lay between us  
How high the mountain I could not climb  
In desperation, I turned to heaven  
And spoke your name into the night

Then through the darkness  
Your loving kindness  
Tore through the shadows of my soul  
The work is finished, the end is written  
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy?  
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?  
The God of ages stepped down from glory  
To wear my sin and bear my shame

The cross has spoken, I am forgiven  
The king of kings calls me His own  
Beautiful savior, I'm yours forever  
Jesus Christ, my living hope

**Hallelujah, praise the one who set me free**  
**Hallelujah, death has lost its grip on me**  
**You have broken every chain**  
**There's salvation in your name**  
**Jesus Christ, my living hope**

Then came the morning that sealed the promise  
Your buried body began to breathe  
Out of the silence, the roaring lion  
Declared the grave has no claim on me (repeat)

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**First Reading:**

A reading from Galatians 4:8-11

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel:**

Leader: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark

**People: Glory to you Lord Christ.**

Mark 14:66-72

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

**People: Praise to you Lord Christ.**

**Message: "True or False"**

Rev. Curt Solomon

**THE NICENE CREED (stand and said together)**

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is visible and invisible. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## Prayers Of God's People

Leader: Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."  
For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: For Foley Beach our Archbishop, and Steve Breedlove our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our diocese and congregation.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer**

Leader: For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: For our nation, for those in authority and for all in public service.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. (Either silently or aloud please offer up any requests that you may have).

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection in thanksgiving let us pray.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Leader: Either seated or kneeling, let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

### **Confession Of Sin (said together)**

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

### **Absolution**

Leader: Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who heartily repent and turn to him with true faith, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Leader: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Matthew 11:28

Leader: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

**(The congregation greets one another with the words: The Peace of Christ be with you).**

### **Offering**

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Or by texting your gift to 84321.

## Holy Communion

All baptized and believing followers of our Lord Jesus Christ are invited to partake in Holy Communion regardless of denomination. It is our custom to use wine during communion or grape juice is available upon request. If preferred, you're welcome to receive only bread or gluten-free wafer.

Leader: The Lord be with you.

**People: And with your spirit.**

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

**People: We lift them up to the Lord.**

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Leader: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**People: Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again.**

Leader: And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

**People: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen**

Leader: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

**People: Therefore let us keep the feast.**

## Prayer of Humble Access (said together)

**We do not presume to come to this, your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table; but you are the same Lord, whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him and he in us. Amen.**

## **Jesus What A Savior**

Jesus what a Savior  
What a brother what a friend  
Lifter of the lowly  
God You meet me where I am

Your heart it knows no borders  
Knows no walls  
You're constantly moving towards me  
With open arms

**I've never known a love like Yours  
I've never known a love like Yours, no  
I've never known a love like Yours  
I've never known a love like Yours**

Hallelujah hallelujah  
What a beautiful way You've shown us  
Hallelujah hallelujah  
What a wonderful Savior

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## **Prayer of Thanksgiving (said together)**

**Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious body and blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ: and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs, of your eternal Kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.**

## **Blessing**

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. Amen.

## **Christ Is Enough**

Christ is my reward and all of my devotion  
Now there's nothing in this world  
That could ever satisfy  
Through every trial my soul will sing  
No turning back I've been set free

**Christ is enough for me**  
**Christ is enough for me**  
**Everything I need is in You**  
**Everything I need**

Christ my all in all the joy of my salvation  
And this hope will never fail  
Heaven is our home  
Through every storm my soul will sing  
Jesus is here to God be the glory

I have decided to follow Jesus  
No turning back no turning back (repeat)

The cross before me the world behind me  
No turning back no turning back (repeat)

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## **Dismissal:**

Leader: Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

# Let's Connect

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- Communion
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- The Anglican Church

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