



# **Christ Our Hope**

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

July 10, 2022

# Church Information

## Upcoming Events

- Wednesdays (7/13, 7/27): Women's Bible Study 6:30-8:30pm \*\*Join the Ladies of COH Slack channel for updates!
- Wednesday evenings: Youth Group \*\*Check out the Youth Ministry Slack channel for upcoming activities
- Friday, July 29: Worship Night at COH 7-8pm \*nursery childcare provided
- June 12, July 17, August 28: Church-wide Wrightsville Beach Hangout 5:30pm Lot 4

## COH Financial Snapshot for May 2022

	May 2022	Fiscal YTD
<b>Giving: Members &amp; Visitors</b>	\$12,051.84	\$367,893.01
<b>Other support</b>	\$1,100.00	\$12,800.00
<b>Total income</b>	\$13,151.84	\$380,693.01
<b>Total Expenses</b>	\$20,388.57	\$249,325.43
<b>Difference</b>	(\$7,236.73)	\$131,367.58

\*\*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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## **Promises**

God of Abraham You're the God of covenant  
Of faithful promises  
Time and time again You have proven  
You do just what You say

Though the storms may come  
And the winds may blow  
I'll remain steadfast  
And let my heart learn when You speak a word  
It will come to pass

**Great is Your faithfulness to me  
Great is Your faithfulness to me  
From the rising sun to the setting same  
I will praise Your name  
Great is Your faithfulness to me**

God from age to age  
Though the earth may pass away  
Your word remains the same yeah  
Your history can prove  
There's nothing You can't do  
You're faithful and true

Though the storms may come  
And the winds may blow  
I'll remain steadfast  
And let my heart learn when You speak a word  
It will come to pass

I put my faith in Jesus  
My anchor to the ground  
My hope and firm foundation  
He'll never let me down (repeat)  
He'll never let me down, oh

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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.**

## **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: Jesus said: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first 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.

**People: Lord, have mercy upon us, and write your law in our hearts we pray.**

Leader: Let us pray.

**Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray, and to give more than we either desire or deserve: Pour upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things for which we are not worthy to ask, except through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Savior; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.**

## **Man of Sorrows**

Man of sorrows, Lamb of God  
By His own betrayed  
The sin of man and wrath of God  
Has been on Jesus laid

Silent as He stood accused  
Beaten, mocked, and scorned  
Bowing to the Father's will  
He took a crown of thorns

**Oh that rugged cross my salvation  
Where Your love poured out over me  
Now my soul cries out hallelujah  
Praise and honor unto Thee**

Sent of heaven God's own Son  
To purchase and redeem  
And reconcile the very ones  
Who nailed Him to that tree

Now my debt is paid  
It is paid in full  
By the precious blood  
That my Jesus spilled  
Now the curse of sin  
Has no hold on me  
Whom the Son sets free  
Oh is free indeed

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## **In Christ Alone**

In Christ alone my hope is found,  
He is my light, my strength, my song  
This Cornerstone, this solid Ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.  
What heights of love, what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease  
My Comforter, my All in All  
Here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone! - who took on flesh,  
Fullness of God in helpless babe.  
This gift of love and righteousness,  
Scorned by the ones He came to save  
Till on that cross as Jesus died,  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid  
Here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground His body lay,  
Light of the world by darkness slain:  
Then bursting forth in glorious day  
Up from the grave He rose again

And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,  
For I am His and He is mine  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death,  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath,  
Jesus commands my destiny

No power of hell, no scheme of man,  
Can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

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Can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home  
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**First Reading:**

A reading from Acts 3:11-16

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**Gospel:**

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

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

Luke 20:34-40

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

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

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

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth;**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord;**

**He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.**

**He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried.**

**He descended to the dead.**

**On the third day he rose again.**

**He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.**

**He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the Communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**Message: "An Explanation"**

Rev. Curt Solomon

## Prayers Of God's People

Leader: Let us pray for the whole of Christ's Church here on earth.

Almighty and ever-living God, we are taught by your holy Word to offer prayers and supplications and to give thanks for all people. We humbly pray that you would mercifully receive our prayers. Inspire continually, we pray, the universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity and concord; and grant that all who confess your holy Name may agree in the truth of your holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: We pray that you will lead the nations of the world into the way of righteousness; and so guide and direct their leaders, especially our (President), that your people may enjoy the blessings of freedom and peace. Grant that our leaders may impartially administer justice, uphold integrity and truth, restrain wickedness and vice, and maintain true religion.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer**

Leader: Prosper, we pray, all those who proclaim the Gospel of your kingdom among the nations, and help us to fulfill your great commission; making disciples of all nations; teaching them to obey all that you have commanded.

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: We ask you in your goodness, Lord, to comfort and sustain all who in this transitory life are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity. (Either silently or aloud please offer up any requests you may have)

Leader: Lord in your mercy.

**People: Hear our prayer.**

Leader: We remember before you with thanksgiving, all your servants departed this life in your faith and fear: and we bless your holy Name for all who in life and death have glorified you; asking you to give us grace that, rejoicing in their fellowship, we may follow their good examples, and with them be partakers of your heavenly kingdom.

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, now and forever. Amen.

Leader: Either seated or kneeling, let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

### **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: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

**People: And also with you.**

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

### **Offering**

If you prefer to give online you may do so at: [coh-ilm.churchcenteronline.com](http://coh-ilm.churchcenteronline.com)  
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: 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.**

**People: We do not presume to come to this your table, merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy even to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord, who always delights in showing 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 forever dwell in him, and he in us. Amen.**

## Way Maker

You are here moving in our midst  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here working in this place  
I worship You I worship You

**Way Maker Miracle Worker Promise Keeper  
Light in the darkness my God that is who You  
are**

You are here touching every heart  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here healing every heart  
I worship You I worship You

You are here turning lives around  
I worship You I worship You  
You are here mending every heart  
I worship You yeah I worship You Lord

That is who You are  
That is who You are  
That is who You are  
That is who You are

Even when I don't see it You're working  
Even when I don't feel it You're working  
You never stop You never stop working  
You never stop You never stop working

### Lord's Prayer (said together)

**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**

### 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.

Leader: You shall know that the Lord is in the midst of Israel

**People: That He is the Lord and there is none else.**

Leader: And it shall come to pass

**People: That everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.**

## **This I Believe (The Creed)**

Our Father everlasting  
The all creating One, God Almighty  
Through Your Holy Spirit conceiving Christ the Son  
Jesus our Savior

**I believe in God our Father  
I believe in Christ the Son  
I believe in the Holy Spirit  
Our God is three in one  
I believe in the resurrection  
That we will rise again  
For I believe in the name of Jesus**

Our Judge and our Defender  
Suffered and crucified  
Forgiveness is in You

Descended into darkness  
You rose in glorious life  
Forever seated high

I believe in You  
I believe You rose again  
I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord (repeat)

I believe in life eternal  
I believe in the virgin birth  
I believe in the saints' communion  
And in Your holy Church  
I believe in the resurrection  
When Jesus comes again  
For I believe, in the name of Jesus

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## **Dismissal:**

Leader: Let us go forth to love and serve the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

# Let's Connect

**Please share some information with us so we can stay connected with you. You may place the card in the offering basket.**

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- Baptism
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- Community Group
- Communion
- Ways to Serve
- The Anglican Church

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