

CHRIST CHURCH

✠ A Parish in the Episcopal Diocese of Atlanta ✠

"Growing by God's Grace as a Family of Faith, Fellowship, and Ministry"



Fourth Sunday of Easter

May 12, 2019 | 11 AM

✠ Diocesan Purpose Statement ✠

*"We challenge ourselves and the world to love like Jesus
as we worship joyfully, serve compassionately, and grow spiritually."*

WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH

Christ Church gladly welcomes all people. Our clergy, staff, and parishioners are delighted to assist you in learning more about our worship and our community. If this is your first time visiting with us today, please complete a visitor card (*located in the pew*) and place it in the offering plate. Restrooms are in the Parish House, located to the left of the church. Parents, please accompany your children to the restroom. Ushers are available to assist you as needed. A nursery is provided for infants and toddlers beginning at 9am. Christian Formation for all ages begins at 10am.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Opening Voluntary: *“Choral Prelude on Crimond”* Alec Rowley (1892–1958)

Hymn in Procession: *“Alleluia! sing to Jesus”* Hymnal, 460

The Opening Acclamation Book of Common Prayer, p. 299

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ is risen.

People **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

Celebrant There is one Body and one Spirit;

People **There is one hope in God's call to us;**

Celebrant One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

People **One God and Father of all.**

Salutation and Collect of the Day See Insert

A Collect for Mother's Day

The First Lesson: *Acts 9:36-43*

The Gradual: *Psalms 23*

The Second Lesson: *Revelation 7:9-17*

Hymn at the Sequence: *“Who are these like stars appearing”* Hymnal, 286

The Holy Gospel: *John 10:22-30* See Insert

The Sermon Rev. Cynthia Knapp

Baptismal Hymn: *“Sing praise to our creator”* Hymnal, 295

Presentation and Examination of the Candidates BCP, p. 301

The Baptismal Covenant BCP, p. 304

The Baptism BCP, p. 307

Amelia Callaway Johnston, Arbour Elizabeth Hair, & Evan Hair

The Peace

Welcome & Announcements

THE HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized Christians, regardless of denomination or age, are invited to receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. If you do not wish to partake, you are invited to receive a blessing by crossing your arms at the altar rail. If you are unable to come to the altar, please notify an usher and the elements will be brought to you. Gluten-free wafers are available if you have a wheat allergy.

The Offertory

Anthem at the Offertory: *“Loving Shepherd of Thy Sheep”* Philip Ledger (1937–2012)

Presentation Hymn: *“At the Lamb's high feast we sing”* Hymnal, 174 sts. 1 & 4

Remain standing for the Eucharistic Prayer throughout the season of Easter

The Great Thanksgiving BCP, p. 361

The Sanctus Hymnal, S 125

Words of Institution BCP, p. 362

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

Fraction Anthem: *“Christ our Passover”* Hymnal, S 155

Invitation to Holy Communion

Hymn during Communion: *“My God, thy table now is spread”* Hymnal, 321

The Post-Communion Prayer BCP, p. 365

The Blessing

Hymn in Procession: *“The King of Love my shepherd is”* Hymnal, 646

The Dismissal: *(The priest dismisses the people)*

People: Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.

Closing Voluntary: *“Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether”* Gerre Hancock (1934–2012)

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP

Verger

Christine Hoskins

Lectors/Chalice Bearers

Scott Hoskins

Susan Allen

Altar Guild

Coleman Crutchfield

Nan Harper

Susan Stone

Ushers & Greeters

Kelly & Brian Causey

Elizabeth & Derek Culp

Jed Hill

Molly & Ed Muse

Flower Guild

Trish Whitley

CLERGY & STAFF

The Rt. Rev. Robert C. Wright, *Bishop*

The Rev. Cynthia C. Knapp, *Rector*

The Rev. Zac Neubauer, *Associate Rector*

Steve Ayers, *Director of Youth Ministry*

Jonathan A. Poe, *Organist-Choirmaster & Parish Administrator*

Hal Brickle, *Weekend Lunch Program Director*

Brent Gunn, *Financial Secretary*

Robert Hubbard, *Sexton*

Lakeshia Ross, *Assistant Sexton*

VESTRY

Will Horkan, *Senior Warden*

Rebecca Grist, *Junior Warden*

Kirk Domingos, *Treasurer*

Bubba Edge, *Clerk*

John Blanks

Tom Green

Kay Greer

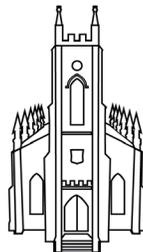
Julie Groce

Barbara Jenkins

Blair Sumrall

Pete Tosh

Trish Whitley



CHRIST
CHURCH
EPISCOPAL