



# Christ Presbyterian Church

*knowing Christ and making Him known*

May 10, 2026

**Worship Theme:** God's Invitation to Love

RECKLESS LOVE

## Call to Worship

1 John 4:16, 19-21

So we have come to know and to believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and whoever abides in love abides in God, and God abides in him... We love because He first loved us. If anyone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God Whom he has not seen. And this commandment we have from Him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.

## Invocation

HOW HE LOVES  
THE BLESSING

## Membership Vows

Noah Alexander | Mac, Sarah, Mac, Franklin, James Gerkin | Sonia Ineza

## Believers Baptisms

Noah Alexander | Franklin Gerkin

## Covenant Baptism

Mabel Fredrick

## Deacons' Fund Offering

**CPC Kids Choir** — CHRIST OUR HOPE IN LIFE AND DEATH

## Ministry Highlight — Kristin Williamson

*Release Children, ages 3-5, for Kids Connect*  
**Prayers of the People**

## JONAH: Responding to the Call of God

Jonah 3:5-4:11 | Rich Hawkins, *Senior Pastor*

GOODNESS OF GOD

## Benediction

*Tithes & Offerings collected in Offering Box - Sanctuary Entrance to Foyer*

## CONNECTION CARD

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I heard about Christ Presbyterian Church through: \_\_\_\_\_

## How may we serve you?

- ☐ Please add me to the Weekly Church Email List
- ☐ I would like a Pastor to call me

## Announcements

**Graduation Party for Anabella Triana** will be on Sunday, May 31, at 5 PM, at Earlham College — Runyan Center (May-Crossen, 801 National Rd. W., Richmond, IN 47374). **RSVP by Thursday, May 14.**

**Embrace Grace Market 2026** will be on Saturday, June 13, 2026. If you would like to participate as a vendor, **please register by Wednesday, May 13. Vender Fee: \$40**, with all proceeds to go to Embrace Grace Ministry. Must supply your own table(s) and tent. Use QR Code to Register and for more information!

**Kids Connect** will NOT meet on Sunday, May 17, for Graduation Sunday, and Sunday, May 24, due to Memorial Day Weekend. Resumes on May 31.

**Graduation Sunday 2026 and CPC Summer Picnic** — Come worship with us in the Sanctuary **NEXT Sunday, May 17, 2026**, at 10:30 AM. Celebrate all of our Graduates and then enjoy the Summer Picnic outdoors to follow immediately after Worship until 2:30 PM with fellowship, food, games, bounce house and more. CPC will provide the main dish and drinks. **Please bring chairs and/or blankets, along with your favorite dish to share (alert office if refrigeration is needed).** **Questions?** Contact Kristin Williamson (kristin@cpcrichmond.org).

**REGISTRATION for VBS 2026 "Illumination Station"** has begun! VBS will be **Monday — Friday, July 13 — 17, 2026**, from 9 — 11:30 AM at CPC. **\*For Kids who have completed Preschool — 5th Grade!** **Questions? or To Volunteer** — Contact Kristin Williamson, *Director of Kids Ministry* (765.966.4017 | kristin@cpcrichmond.org).

## SAVE the DATES:

**Midweek Discipleship** — Beginning **August 19, 2026**, we will launch a churchwide Wednesday evening program geared toward training God's people to be followers of Christ. We will enjoy a meal fellowship together and then separate for kids and adult programming. **Questions or to Volunteer?** Contact the Church Office (765.966.4017 | office@cpcrichmond.org).

**\*GIVING: \*Note** — To save the Church 2.7% on credit card fees, please consider giving by e-check from your bank, by a personal check, or cash. *If not possible, use the QR Code to our Giving Page and then Choose which Fund in the Drop Down Box!*

**Building Fund** — Construction has begun on our new sanctuary! We are receiving donations and pledge fulfillments toward the building project.

**Deacons' Fund Offering**, for the Mercy Ministries of the Church, will be collected this morning during Worship.

**Global Mercy Ministry Offering** will be collected during Worship on **Sunday, May 31, 2026** (collected every 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month), for the Missions Committee to be used to support Missions.

## A Note to our Visitors

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We are so glad you chose to worship with us! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Church Office. To learn more about CPC, please fill out this Connection Card, tear it off and drop it in the **Offering Box** or return it to the **Visitors Center** in the Foyer.

**Prayer Request:** \_\_\_\_\_

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- ☐ Please include in Weekly Prayer List (shared with congregation)