



Christ Presbyterian Church

knowing Christ and making Him known

August 30, 2026

Worship Theme – The Savior's Feast in the Soul's Famine

Call to Worship

Isaiah 25:6-8

On this mountain the Lord of hosts will make for all peoples a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wine, of rich food full of marrow, of aged wine well refined. And He will swallow up on this mountain the covering that is cast over all peoples, the veil that is spread over all nations. He will swallow up death forever; and the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces, and the reproach of His people He will take away from all the earth, for the Lord has spoken.

Invocation

BATTLE BELONGS
FIRM FOUNDATION (HE WON'T)

Corporate Confession of Sin

Gracious Father, we confess that we have allowed our souls to grow hungry. Through the neglect of Your Word, the silence of our prayers, and our fellowship with the world, we have sought fulfillment in the things of creation, rather than the heart of You, our Creator. We have become satisfied with the crumbs of earthly pleasure, while starving ourselves of the Bread of Life. Forgive us for our spiritual apathy and famished desires. Awaken in us a hunger for righteousness and a deeper longing for You. Fill us with Your grace and satisfy us with Christ alone. In Whose Name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

Isaiah 1:18

Come now, let us reason together, says the Lord: though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall become like wool.

World Missions Offering – Thika Prison

GOODNESS OF GOD

Release Children, ages 3-5, for Kids Connect

Prayers of the People

The Gospel According to Ruth

Ruth 1:1a | Rich Hawkins, *Senior Pastor*

RUN TO THE FATHER

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 Weekly Church Email, Mailing & Text Contact Lists
- ☐ I would like a Pastor to call me

Announcements

Global Mercy Ministry Offering will be collected during Worship THIS morning (collected every 5th Sunday of the month) for the Missions Committee to be used to support Missions (Chapel at Thika Prison, Kenya).

Homecoming and Sanctuary Dedication – Please make every effort to attend a special Sunday morning service on October 18. We will worship together in our new sanctuary and give thanks to God for His abundant faithfulness and gracious provision. Please feel free to invite past members and friends of CPC to join us for this special occasion. A reception will be held following our time of worship. **If you have photos of members, attendees, and events from the past for CPC, and would like to share them, please email a copy to the Church Office* (office@cpcrichmond.org) by Thursday, October 1, 2026.

Overflow Menu – Beef & Chicken Taco Bar and Chocolate Chip Cookies



For more information about Overflow, please visit the page "Midweek Gathering" on our website: cpcrichmond.org.

Wisemen's Luncheon (Retired Men) meets THIS Tuesday, September 1, at 12 PM (Noon) in the Church Foyer. **Lunch is provided.** Wisemen meet every first Tuesday of the month. *Please contact Steve Waters for more information.*

Lord's Supper will be celebrated next Sunday, September 6!

No Kids or Youth Programs next Sunday, September 6, for Labor Day.

Office is Closed on Monday, September 7, for Labor Day!

Women's Bible Study on "*Rooted in Him: A Study on the Book of Colossians*" will begin every other Tuesday (Sept. 8 – Nov. 17) and Thursday (Sept. 10 – Nov. 19). For more information, contact Chris Byrd.

REGISTER for Central Indiana Presbytery (CIP) Youth Retreat for Friday,



September 25 (depart after school) – Sunday, September 27 (return around 1 PM). Youth Retreat is at Camp Allendale (Trafalgar, Indiana) *for students going into Grades 6 – 12 for the 2026-7 year. Register by Tuesday, September 8. Volunteers needed! Numerous opportunities!* Contact J.J. Williamson, *Director of Youth Ministry* (765.966.4017 | jj.williamson@cpcrichmond.org), for more information.

SAVE THE DATES: Pray For Me will be on Sunday, September 13!

Life Chain, to end abortion, will be on September 27!

2026 Fall Festival will be on Saturday, October 10, 2026. *More information to come!*

***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.

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: _____

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