

This Week at CHRIST CHURCH

Mon	6/8	7:30am	Men's Longbeach Breakfast (Longbeach Cafe)
		9:00am	Men's Bible Study (Fellowship Hall)
Tues	6/9	9:30am	Worship Committee (Palm Room)
Wed	6/10	10:00am	Peacemaking Study (Palm Room)
		12:00pm	Summer Lunch (Porkbelly's)
Fri	6/12	9:00am	Audit Committee (Palm Room & Zoom)



CHURCH STAFF

Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont, Pastor
Robert S. Romanski, Director of Music
Chris Westfall, Organist
Nancy Prezbindowski, Office Manager
Claudio Evaristo (Craus Corp.), Facility Steward

Our Sanctuary is equipped with a T-Loop for the aid of hearing device users.
Church Office & Library Hours: Monday – Thursday • 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

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Growing in Jesus' Name



“The Rebuke of Adam and Eve” by Domenichino (1626)

June 7, 2026 10:00 a.m.

GENESES: Adam & Eve

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 7, 2026 ~ *GENESES: Adam & Eve*

Please remember to **turn off your cell phone.**

***Please rise in body or in spirit**

Prelude “*Largo*” G.F. Handel

The prelude is offered as an invitation to prepare for worship.

Welcome and Announcements Dr. Julia Wharff Piermont, Pastor

Call to Worship (based on Psalm 116)

One: What shall we render to the Lord
for all the Lord’s bounty to us?

**All: We will lift up the cup of salvation
and call on the name of the Lord.**

One: We will offer to You a thanksgiving sacrifice.

**All: We will pay our vows to the Lord
in the presence of all God’s people.**

***Hymn** (insert) “*All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly*”

Confession and Forgiveness

Prayer of Confession

Eternal and merciful God, You call us to walk in the light and truth of Your kingdom, yet we so often wander into the shadows. We harbor prideful thoughts, hold grudges, and put our own desires above Your will. Forgive us, we pray. Grant us the wisdom to recognize and resist temptations to stray from Your path of right living. Guide us to rely on Your strength, that we may honor You in thought, word, and deed. In Christ’s name we pray. Amen.

(a time for silent confession)

Assurance of Forgiveness

***Congregational Response** #492, 1st stanza, BUNESSAN

*Baptized in water, sealed by the Spirit,
Cleansed by the blood of Christ our King;
Heirs of salvation, trusting God’s promise,
Faithfully now God’s praises we sing.*

First Scripture Reading Genesis 3:1-7

Karen Jennings, Reader

Second Scripture Reading Genesis 3:8-13

Sermon “The Original Insecurity”

Dr. Piermont

GENESES: A SUMMER SERIES (1st OF 8)

***Hymn** #356 “*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*”

***Affirmation of Faith**– The Apostles’ Creed (Ecumenical Version) Hymnal p.14

Offering

Call for the Offering

Offertory “*To The Table*” By Zach Williams

Kyle Ramsdell, Voice & Guitar

(Tune: LASST UNS ERFREUEN)

***Doxology**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Praise God above, ye heavenly host

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia, Alleluia!

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

***Prayer of Dedication of Gifts and Offerings**

Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

Incitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord’s Prayer (“debts” and “debtors”)

Breaking of the Bread

Communion

Prayer after Communion

***Hymn** #260 “*A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*”

***Benediction**

Postlude “*Recessional*” G.F. Handel

The postlude is the final Alleluia of the worship service.

Please defer conversation to the fellowship hall.

Thank you kindly. We look forward to greeting you at fellowship time.

Why Go It Alone?

Supporting each other within and beyond our walls

Every Day Support

Prayer Chain: In crisis or in calm, our Christ Church Prayer Chain is always available for those who are in need of prayer. Our Prayer Chain members are faithful, willing and eager to pray daily for your requests. May each of you know the peace that our Savior offers. Direct your request to

Karen Jennings: (610) 733-9755 or karenjennings1239@gmail.com

Shirley Venkataraman: (931) 260-0774 or shirleyvenk@hotmail.com

Deacons: Our Deacons are available to help and support in a compassionate, confidential way, anyone going through life struggles. Contact: Kathy McLean, Karen Gardiner, Missie Kaul, Joey Cheek or George Rauch or Julie Albert. In addition, using elements consecrated in CCLBK's celebration of the Lord's Supper communion, Deacons can provide Home Communion to members who are local but unable to attend worship. Please contact: Kathy McLean or Debra McKenna.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: Knitted by our members, these are given as a blessing to those experiencing illness, injury, grief, or other need. To suggest a church member to receive a shawl, please contact Debra McKenna (941) 284-5333 or Kathy McLean (941) 704-3633.

Sunday Support

Children's Nurture: Activities for children are available on the children's ministry table in the narthex. We hope these activities allow children to share in the love of Christ.

Prayer Requests: Submit a prayer request to be kept in confidence by the Deacons or Prayer Chain by 1) using the card/envelope in the Friendship Pad, placing it in an offering plate; or 2) clicking the button near the bottom of the Weekly News church email.

Pray with a Deacon after worship: A Deacon is ready to pray with individuals following worship. Please go to the Prayer Room door after the postlude.

Mission Partners: Agape Flights, Beth El, **Bring on the Ministry**, ECHO, EFELT, Harvest House, Hope Seeds, Easterseals Ranch, Our Daily Bread, PC(USA) World Mission, Selah Freedom, Mobility Worldwide, and Turning Points. Please view the display tables in the Fellowship for more information

Card Ministry: Please stop by the Coffee Bar to sign condolence, get well, thinking of you, and birthday cards for our Church family and friends. To suggest someone who might enjoy receiving a greeting card, please contact Bennie Dods at (941) 952-8196 or missbennie1@gmail.com.

Announcements 6/7/2026

The Chancel arrangements are given by Jerry & Joyce Fox in honor of their wedding anniversary.

WELCOME ONE & ALL! Whether you are in the area for a few days or full-time, we invite you to explore the myriad of ways our congregation seeks to be "growing in Jesus' name." We hope you feel right at home!

Please take note of our **ACTIVITY and MISSION PARTNER TABLES** in the Fellowship Hall. You'll find our [Sign Up Sheets](#) there.

For our **latest updates** and easy links to **livestream and more**, please sign up for our Thursday weekly email. (1) Go to www.ChristChurchofLBK.org (2) scroll to the bottom, (3) enter your email address. *Thank you!*

Summer Sermon Series begins today. In eight sermons between today and Labor Day weekend, Dr. Piermont will explore ways our relationship with God begins, develops, and endures, as seen in some of the extraordinary stories of Genesis. "**GENESES**" is the plural form of genesis and means "beginnings." These are the Sundays for the series:

Jun 7 Adam & Eve – Gen 3

Aug 2 Jacob – Gen 29

Jun 14 Abraham – Gen 18

Aug 9 Jacob – Gen 33

Jun 28 Isaac – Gen 24

Aug 30 Joseph – Gen 45

Jul 26 Jacob – Gen 28

Sep 6 Joseph – Gen 50

Library News: Stop in to the library and grab some exciting pool and beach novels from the basket on the table! For your young visitors, we have kids books in the library on a bottom shelf labeled Kids Korner as well as in Fellowship Hall on a colorful cart near the piano. Library hours: Mon-Thurs 8-2 and Sunday before and after service.

The **Relational Peacemaking course** is currently full but we do have a waitlist for those who are still interested. Please contact Barbara Grimes at barbaracgrimes@gmail.com.

"Connections Conversation" Sunday, 6/14, 11:20 am (Sanctuary), led by Pastor Julia. Come and discover ways to participate further in the life of Christ Church. This is for anyone interested in greater participation in Christ Church ministries, including membership. Please sign up at the Activity Tables or at the Welcome Desk. "Connections Conversations" are held following worship on the second Sunday of each month. Information: Kristine Bemko, 248-808-4409; kbemko@aol.com.

Nominating Committee seeks your suggestions! Please submit your suggestions for potential Christ Church elders, deacons, or nominating committee members. A description of the responsibilities can be found on the Suggestion Form. Forms are available at the Welcome Desk or via the Eblast button. Deadline is July 25th. We thank you for your suggestions AND your prayers.

Men's Longbeach Breakfast group will be meeting every Monday at Longbeach Cafe in Whitney Plaza at 7:30am throughout the summer. If you have any questions please contact Bill Johnson 941-993-8123. You will still have time afterwards to attend the Men's Bible study at 9:00am.

Men's Weekly Bible Study is studying "Life Lessons from Daniel & Esther" by Max Lucado for 7 more weeks. Fellowship Hall, **Mondays, 9:00am**. After this study the Men's Bible Study will take a summer break.

Chancel Flowers: Sign up sheets are out to give flowers to grace our chancel each Sunday through summer. [Please sign up!](#) or contact Barbara Grimes by calling or texting at 865-384-0569.

Our Daily Bread: Cereal, canned tuna, chicken, meats, dry pasta, peanut butter & jelly, condiments, toilet paper, diapers (sizes 3-6). Your generosity helps feed families in need. Please place in ODB box in Fellowship Hall.

All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly 509

1 All who hun-ger, gath-er glad - ly; ho - ly man-na is our bread.
 2 All who hun-ger, nev - er strang-ers, seek-er, be a wel-come guest.
 3 All who hun-ger, sing to - geth - er; Je - sus Christ is liv - ing bread.

Come from wil-der-ness and wan-dering, Here, in truth, we will be fed.
 Come from rest-less-ness and roam-ing. Here, in joy, we keep the feast.
 Come from lone - li - ness and long - ing. Here, in peace, we have been led.

You that yearn for days of full - ness, all a - round us is our food.
 We that once were lost and scat-tered in com - mu - nion's love have stood.
 Blest are those who from this ta - ble live their days in grat - i - tude.

Taste and see the grace e - ter - nal. Taste and see that God is good.

The United Church of Canada minister who wrote this text was introduced to shape note tunes at the 1990 Hymn Society conference in Charleston, South Carolina. Afterwards she vacationed with friends nearby and worked out this text while humming this tune as she walked up and down the beach.

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 MUSIC: William Moore's *Columbian Harmony*, 1825
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 HOLY MANNA
 8.7.8.7.D
 (alternate harmonization, 396)
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SUMMER LUNCH

Join the FUN at our first SUMMER LUNCH on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10 at noon. We will meet at PORKBELLY'S 9516 Cortez Road W.

This is a new family-owned business. They are EAGER to meet our church family...salads, sandwiches, burgers and LOTS of BBQ!

Sign ups at church on SUNDAYS MAY 24, 31 & JUNE 7
 Or email Judy Ebrahim jebrahim118@gmail.com.

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