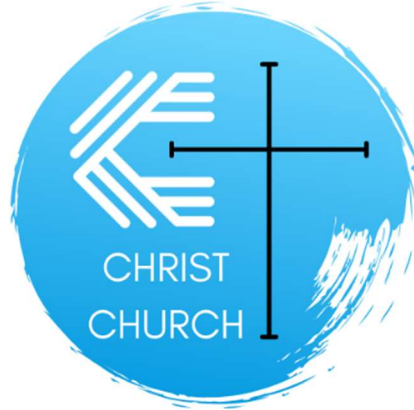


# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

August 14, 2022 -- 9:30 AM

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## Order of Worship

### Prelude

### Video Announcements

**Call to Worship** – *The Basics of Life* (Koch/Harris)

### Welcome/Opening Prayer

*Blessed Be Your Name* (M. Redman/B. Redman)

### Children's Message

 – Nora Jerzak

*How Great Is Our God* (Tomlin/Cash/Reeves)

**Prayers of the People/The Lord's Prayer** – Pastor Burt

**Anthem** – *Down by the Jordan* (Bennet) -- Choir

**Scripture Reading** -- John 1:1-3, Genesis 1:1-2, Luke 3:21-22

**Sermon** "The Core: The Mystery of the Triune God" – Pastor Burt

### Prayer of Confession

### The Great Thanksgiving

### Receiving of the Elements of Bread and Wine

*Holy, Holy, Holy*, UMH #64, Vs. 1 – 4

**Blessing/Dismissal** – Pastor Burt

*As We Go* (J. Johnson)

### Postlude

*Altar flowers are provided today by Donna & Doug Clutz in celebration of their granddaughter, Hollis's, 2<sup>nd</sup> birthday.*

## Ways to Support our Work in Community

Giving is a step of faith and trust in Jesus Christ. If you would like to take that next step of faith, we invite you to support Christ Church by:

- Mail: Christ Church, 3415 Union Rd., Gastonia, NC 28056
- Online: [www.christchurchgastonia.org](http://www.christchurchgastonia.org) & click *GIVING*
- Drop your gifts in the baskets as you enter the Sanctuary

If you have prayer concerns/updates, church-wide announcements, or would like to connect with one of our Life Groups, please email [admin.cumc@gmail.com](mailto:admin.cumc@gmail.com) and we will connect you.

Sign up for email communications by scanning this QR code and completing the online form. It's **Q**uick and **R**eallyeasy.



## Bible and Backpack Blessing

Next Sunday August 21, during 9:30 AM worship. School age children and youth are invited to bring their Bibles and backpacks so that we may bless them for a successful school year.

## Town Hall rescheduled

New date is TBD and we will update as soon as possible.