



*a diverse, inclusive church experiencing and reflecting the love, hope and joy of Jesus Christ
to each other and our community*

WELCOME TO WORSHIP | 9am | sunday | july 26, 2026

*** OPENING SONG**

Praise Band led by Zaria Modeste, Praise Band Leader

Trust in God | Brandon Lake, Chris Brown, Mitch Wong & Steven Furtick

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WELCOME | Pastor Jad Denmark

WELCOME ONE ANOTHER

*** CALL TO WORSHIP**

Beloved of God, come with the truth of your life—your joys, your wounds, your hopes, and your heaviness.

We come trusting that God receives us as we are.

In seasons when life feels fragile or fractured, God's grace does not withdraw.

God remains faithful, steady, and near.

Our broken places are not signs of failure, but the ground where grace takes root.

God meets us in our vulnerability with compassion and strength.

The one who calls us "beloved" walks with us through every difficult season.

With gratitude and trust, we worship the God who is faithful.

*** SONG OF WORSHIP**

Healer | Mike Guglielmucci

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MORNING PRAYER

Faithful God, you call us beloved even when life feels heavy, uncertain, or broken. We thank you that your love does not depend on our strength or our success. In every season of life, your grace meets us, sustains us, and carries us forward. When we feel weary, remind us that we are not alone. When we are discouraged, renew our hope. When we carry wounds that others cannot see, surround us with your healing presence. Teach us to trust that even in our most difficult moments, you are at work, shaping us with compassion and leading us toward new life. Strengthen us to live with faith and courage, resting in the assurance that your grace is sufficient and your love never fails. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT

Clothing giveaway on the Parkway Campus

OFFERING

worshipping through the offering of our lives and gifts.

- Place offerings in the basket or wooden box
- Go to **christchurchfl.org/give**
- Text GIVE to 954.880.3885
- Mail a check to Christ Church, 4845 NE 25th Ave., Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308

Christ Church is a congregationally supported ministry. We thank you for your faithfulness, which helps the church to reflect the love, hope and joy of Jesus to our community. Connect Cards may be placed with your offering.

* SONG OF WORSHIP

Here I Am to Worship | Tim Hughes

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SCRIPTURE

2 Corinthians 4:7-10 | New Revised Standard Version, updated edition

⁷But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. ⁸We are afflicted in every way but not crushed, perplexed but not driven to despair, ⁹persecuted but not forsaken, struck down but not destroyed, ¹⁰always carrying around in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies.

John 20:19-29 | New Revised Standard Version, updated edition

¹⁹When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors were locked where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁰After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you." ²²When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

²⁴But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe."

²⁶A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." ²⁷Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe." ²⁸Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!" ²⁹Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe."

These are the words of God for us, the people of God. **Thanks be to God**

MESSAGE

Beloved | *Broken* | Pastor Jad Denmark

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WAYS TO CONNECT | christchurchfl.org/ways2connect

Please see below.

SENDING FORTH

** please stand in body or spirit.*

Join us next Sunday, when we conclude the series, *Beloved*, with the message, *Given*, based on Matthew 26:26–29; John 13:1–17; Acts 2:42–47 & Philippians 2:5–11.

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TODAY

CONNECT CARDS We want to know how you're doing. Please fill out a Connect Card, to tell us that you are here, how we can pray for you, and which ministries you're called to so we can help you get connected. We'd love to hear your ideas also. You'll find paper Connect Cards in the worship space and digital cards at christchurchfl.org/connectcard.

HOLY GROUNDS COFFEE TIME Coffee and snacks are available before the 9am and 11am services. Join your friends for coffee and conversation outside the kitchen window in the gym lobby.

AT THE TABLE today | 10:05am | fellowship hall 1 At the Table is a time to explore the scripture of the day and meet new people as you do. Invite friends and newcomers to join you. Plan to stay after the 9am service or come early for the 11am service for this time together; you don't need to hear the day's message to participate in the conversation. Holy Grounds will be open, so plan to grab a snack and coffee, and join us.

SERVE

SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR TEDDER ELEMENTARY We want to bless Tedder Elementary, a school near the Parkway Campus, with supplies to help students start the school year. This year's list includes:

- Backpacks sturdy enough to last the whole year
- Folders with pockets
- Zipper pencil pouches
- Black and white composition books
- Glue sticks

- Boxes of colored pencils
- Small pencil sharpeners
- 24-count boxes of crayons
- 100-page spiral notebooks
- Small Fisker scissors
- Pack of 3-hole looseleaf notebook paper

Items can be brought to the church any time, including Sunday mornings. We want to take the supplies to the school on Monday, August 3, the day we serve breakfast to the school staff. Go to the church website to shop from an **Amazon list**, or you can let us do the shopping with a **donation to Tedder School Supplies here**. Questions? Please contact Lisa Jones, coordinator of children's ministry, ljones@christchurchfl.org
christchurchfl.org/school-supplies

BLESSINGS FOOD PANTRY The Blessings Food Pantry uses our donations to keep up with the growing needs of our neighbors. Here are the most-needed items: canned tuna and chicken, canned or boxed soups, cereals, instant potatoes, tomato sauce, rice, pasta, mac-and-cheese, canned beans, saltine crackers, jelly, peanut butter, coffee/tea, canned fruit, canned ravioli, canned meat such as Spam, and cereal bars. If you'd like us to do the shopping, donations can be made at **christchurchfl.org/give**, with Blessings Pantry in the notes field, or make out a check to Christ Church and write Blessings Pantry on the memo line. Learn more at **christchurchfl.org/blessings**

SERVE A MEAL AT PARKWAY **sundays 8:30-10:30am | wednesdays 4-6pm** You are invited to share the joy of serving a hot meal to our neighbors and friends on the Parkway Campus. You'll serve alongside more experienced volunteers, serving food, welcoming guests, and helping to clean up after the meal. If you are interested, please send an email to **info@christchurchfl.org**

ARTF GATHERING **sunday | october 11 | 12:15pm | fellowship halls 2-4** The Anti-Racism Task Force, a group focused on bringing an end to racism within and outside the church, will gather at 12:15pm on Sunday, October 11, to plan events for the next couple of months. All are welcome to come learn about the initiative and plan ways to share with others. For more information, email ARTF leader Susan Spragg, **sspragg@christchurchfl.org**

ZOE EMPOWERS We support the Arise and Shine Kironya Empowerment Group of 24 orphaned and abandoned teens and young adults as they learn skills to be self-supporting through Zoe Empowers. Our partnership with them runs through December 2027. The skills taught by Zoe will help each young adult support themselves and their families in their context. You can learn more at **christchurchfl.org/zoe**

PREPARE BREAKFAST FOR PARKWAY The Parkway community breakfast is prepared in the Fort Lauderdale kitchen early Sunday morning. This is a great opportunity for families to serve together. Students can earn service hours. Send an email to **info@christchurchfl.org** if your family or group can help.

HEAT DINNERS FOR PARKWAY On Wednesdays, we prepare Christ Church's famous and tasty meatloaf and side dishes in the Fort Lauderdale kitchen for our guests on the Parkway Campus. Flex volunteer time 2-4pm. This is a great opportunity for families to serve together after school. Students can earn service hours. If you are interested, please send an email to **info@christchurchfl.org**

JOIN THE WELCOME TEAM Do you enjoy greeting your church family and welcoming guests? The Welcome Team would be a great place for you to serve. Welcome Team members also help serve communion and collect the offering. Some welcome team members serve as ushers and greeters for memorial services and other special events. Michele Apple and Jeanne Deinken lead this team. Serving with the Welcome Team is a great way to get to know your church family. Sign up at **christchurchfl.org/serve**

BE PART OF THE WORSHIP TECH TEAM Put your tech skills to work for God. If you would like to be part of the team that helps run the cameras and visuals for worship, send an email to info@christchurchfl.org

CONNECT

SHARED MEALS You are invited to share a meal and community twice each week on the Parkway Campus. On Wednesday, 4:30-6pm, dinner is served to all who come. On Sunday, breakfast is shared 9-10am. This is a great way to build community with our neighbors. The Parkway Campus is located at 100 NE 44th Street, Deerfield Beach.

CHRIST CHURCH AT TRIVIA NIGHT mondays | 7:30pm | Funky Buddha Brewery Join us as we play trivia. It's an informal gathering of folks who have fun trying to answer the questions and catching up on one another's lives. Look for the Christ Church team at the Funky Buddha, 1201 NE 38th Street, Oakland Park, on Monday nights.

GROW

WOMEN OF FAITH noon wednesdays on zoom Women of all ages are invited to join Women of Faith. This lunch hour group welcomes all who want to learn and pray together. For the rest of the summer, they will be studying the book of Acts. If you're interested, contact group leader Cynthia Metzger Phipps, cmetzgerphipps@christchurchfl.org

MORNING PRAYERS Join your church family for morning prayers Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:30am on the Christ Church Facebook page, [@christchurchfl](https://www.facebook.com/christchurchfl). If you can't be online at 7:30, a recording of morning prayers is available on Facebook.

HEALING

FAITH CARING GROUP mondays | 1pm The Faith Caring Group reflects and addresses the need for caring and assistance as well as grief support. The group meets on Zoom every Monday of the month, except the second Monday when members have lunch at H2Ocean, 5975 N Federal Hwy #103, Fort Lauderdale. For more information, send an email to info@christchurchfl.org with your contact information. A Faith Caring Group leader will get back to you.

STUDENTS

END OF SUMMER POOL PARTY sunday | august 9 | 5-8pm Let's make a giant splash before classes begin. All students grades 6-12, plus Christ Church and Christ Church School 5th graders, are invited to Freeway's last hurrah of the summer. Questions? Contact Mr. W, director of student ministry, pwoodard@christchurchfl.org

CHILDREN & FAMILIES

LEAD THE LORD'S PRAYER & APOSTLES CREED first sundays Children are invited to lead the Lord's Prayer and the Apostles Creed in the 9am and 11am services on the first Sunday of each month. Email Pastor Monique to volunteer, mmcbride@ccsfl.org

i9 SPORTS AT CHRIST CHURCH Soccer, flag football, basketball and multi-sport programs are open for children age 3 and up. i9 is a community-based program devoted to helping children succeed. Learn about all of the opportunities on the i9 website. i9sports.com

CHURCH BUSINESS

SILENT AUCTION CONTINUES Check out the table with surplus kitchen items in the gym lobby. Every week there'll be new items to bid on – silent auction style – and then at 4pm Friday, a winner will be determined. If you don't find a treasure this Sunday, check back next week.