

# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH EAST

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## Connect With Us

We would love to connect with you! Fill out our online connect card on our website to request information about the church, ministries, community groups, membership, or submit a prayer request. You can find the form at: [christchurcheast.org/connectwithus](http://christchurcheast.org/connectwithus).

## Community Groups

Community Groups are currently on summer break. If you would like to be connected to a community group, or have further questions, fill out our form online: [christchurcheast.org/connectwithus](http://christchurcheast.org/connectwithus).

## Sunday Worship - Return to UNF on August 16!

We are really excited to return to the University Center for worship on Sunday, August 16! We will return to our 10:30 am worship time. More details coming soon.

## Fellowship Program - Applications due August 12th

We are now accepting applications to the 2020-21 Fellowship Program! We invite you to join us this Fall for a program committed to equipping believers for gospel leadership in the world. The Fellowship Program is a nine-month program for adult men and women from diverse backgrounds and vocations. For more information, and to apply, please visit [www.christchurcheast.org/Fellowship](http://www.christchurcheast.org/Fellowship). Applications are due on August 12th.

## Youth Ministry Update

Weekly Youth Group meetings will take a break and begin meeting again on Wednesday, August 19 for the fall semester. Please contact Clifton with any questions about the youth ministry: [ctippins@christchurcheast.org](mailto:ctippins@christchurcheast.org).

## Giving

We encourage everyone to give online ([christchurcheast.org/Online-Giving](http://christchurcheast.org/Online-Giving)), but if you are uncomfortable with this, we offer collection baskets as you leave the worship center or you can mail a check to the church office (Christ Church East, 12000 Alumni Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32224).

## STAFF

Keith Dickerson | Pastor  
Matt Morrison | Assistant Pastor  
Kevin Bigelow | Beaches Church Pastor  
Parker Roberts | Worship Director  
Katie Pogachnik | Admin Assistant  
Clifton Tippins | Youth Director  
Claire Marsh | Children's Director  
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## GIVE ONLINE

[www.christchurcheast.org/Online-Giving](http://www.christchurcheast.org/Online-Giving)



ONE FAMILY  
OF MULTIPLE CHURCHES  
TO REACH THE CITY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 2  
TWO THOUSAND AND TWENTY

CHRIST CHURCH EAST



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**PRAISING THE CREATOR**

*We praise God who is the eternal Creator of all things and Lord of all. He is the one who gives meaning and purpose to all that exists and is the one for whom all exists. Because he made us and determines the purpose for our lives, we worship him alone.*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

From Psalm 86

Leader: We will praise you, O Lord our God, with our whole hearts; we will glorify your name forever. For you have delivered us from the power of death. Bring joy to your servants, O Lord, for to you we lift up our souls. There is none like you; no deeds can compare with yours. All the nations you have made will come and worship before you. They will bring glory to your name, for you alone are God. Teach us now your way, O Lord, and we will live in your truth. Give us undivided hearts that we may fear and praise your great name.

**PRAYER OF ADORATION****SONG OF PRAISE**

All Creatures Of Our God And King

**LAMENTING THE FALL**

*We lament that we are a fallen people, prone to sin, and deserving of judgment because of our rebellion against God. We are in desperate need of a Savior who will forgive us and renew us.*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**All: Father, we are sorry for the many times we have left you and chosen to satisfy our own selfish desires. For the times we were unkind and impatient with those who needed our time and concern. For the times we were too weak to stand up for what was right and allowed others to suffer because of our cowardice. For the times we refused to forgive others. Father, we have sinned. Forgive us through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen.**

**CHERISHING REDEMPTION**

*We cherish redemption by calling upon the name of Jesus the Christ, the only Lamb of God, the perfect sacrifice for all sin. He lived the perfect life we can't live, died the death we deserve, and rose from the dead to give us new life.*

**THE GOOD NEWS**

1 John 1:7-9

Leader: But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

**SONG OF ASSURANCE**

In Christ Alone

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS****PRAYER OF INTERCESSION****SCRIPTURE READING**

1 Peter 4:1-11

**SERMON: A Different Way to Live**

Keith Dickerson

**LONGING FOR RESTORATION**

*We long for the day when God restores all things by removing the sin, death, pain, and evil that has corrupted his world. While we wait with hopeful anticipation for Jesus to return to complete this final work, he calls us to participate with him in bringing about healing and restoration as a foretaste of this future reality.*

**SONG OF RESPONSE**

Lead Me To The Cross

**BENEDICTION**


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CALL TO WORSHIP: God invites us by his Word to join the worship of the ages and angels. He invites us into the presence of the King of the Universe before whom all creation will bow and for whom all heaven now sings.

PRAYER OF ADORATION: Adoring God for who he is and calling on him to incline our hearts to worship.

THE GOOD NEWS: The assurance that we are forgiven and washed clean by the blood of Jesus.

GREETING ONE ANOTHER: Having been reconciled to God, we welcome one another with love and peace recognizing that all of our common cultural hostilities are dissolved by the mercy of Jesus.

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION: Bringing the needs of our congregation, the church, and the world before God, trusting that he hears our prayers and answers them according to his will.

TITHES & OFFERINGS: With transformed hearts, we are released from the love of money and empowered to generously give towards the advance of God's kingdom.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING: Thanking God for generously providing all that we need, and seeking his wisdom to steward the gifts of his people.

BENEDICTION: Sending God's people out with the promise of his forgiveness, presence, and peace so that we can join him on mission.

**A LIVING HOPE**  
**1 PETER SERMON SERIES**

**SERMON LISTENING GUIDE // DATE: \_\_\_\_\_**

**1 Peter 4:1-11** // Since therefore Christ suffered in the flesh, arm yourselves with the same way of thinking, for whoever has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin, <sup>2</sup> so as to live for the rest of the time in the flesh no longer for human passions but for the will of God. <sup>3</sup> For the time that is past suffices for doing what the Gentiles want to do, living in sensuality, passions, drunkenness, orgies, drinking parties, and lawless idolatry. <sup>4</sup> With respect to this they are surprised when you do not join them in the same flood of debauchery, and they malign you; <sup>5</sup> but they will give account to him who is ready to judge the living and the dead. <sup>6</sup> For this is why the gospel was preached even to those who are dead, that though judged in the flesh the way people are, they might live in the spirit the way God does. <sup>7</sup> The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers. <sup>8</sup> Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. <sup>9</sup> Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. <sup>10</sup> As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace: <sup>11</sup> whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God; whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him be long glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

**A Different Way to Live**

**1 Peter 4:1-11**

What kind of life does the gospel produce?

I. The problem of sin

A. A desire problem (v. 2-3)

B. Addiction to self

II. The transformation of desires

A. Changing who you live for (v. 1-2)

B. A willingness to suffer (v. 4-6)

III. The expression of new desires

A. Love one another (v. 8)

B. Show hospitality to one another (v. 9)

C. Serve one another (v. 10-11)

**APPLICATION GUIDE**

1. Why is it so important to understand the problem of sin at the 'desire' level and not just the 'behavioral' level? How does this affect your struggle against sin?
2. How have your desires changed since placing your faith in Christ? How have you been mocked or criticized for this change?
3. Which of the three one another commands in verses 8-10 (love, show hospitality, serve) do you struggle to express? What opportunities do you have to express these in your community group (as we get ready to launch)?

# COMMUNITY GROUPS

## What are they?

The Bible is clear that God has designed life to be lived in dynamic relationships of trust and love. For this reason, Christ Church East also meets weekly in homes throughout the city for food, fellowship, Bible study and prayer. While groups meet weekly, they are not defined by a night of the week or a time on the clock. They are a people increasingly living their lives together and learning how to love one another in gospel community.

## How do they work?

Groups are open to people in all seasons and walks of life. Each group provides child care so that the adults can focus on study, sharing, and prayer after a time of food and fellowship. On a regular basis, men and women break out separately to address gender specific needs. Typically, our groups take time off during the months of June and July. If you are interested in joining a group, fill out our online connect card ([www.christchurcheast.org/connectwithus](http://www.christchurcheast.org/connectwithus)).

## COMMUNITY BIBLE READING // AUGUST 3 - 9

Day	Date	Read
Mon	8/3/20	Hebrews 3:1-4:13, Psalm 111
Tues	8/4/20	Hebrews 4:14-6:20, Psalm 112
Wed	8/5/20	Hebrews 7, Psalm 113
Thurs	8/6/20	Hebrews 8, Psalm 114
Fri	8/7/20	Hebrews 9:1-10:18, Psalm 115
Sat	8/8/20	Hebrews 10:19-39, Psalm 116
Sun	8/9/20	Hebrews 11, Psalm 117



# A Different Way To Live

August 2, 2020

Book: \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter : Verses \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

## MUSIC

Put these songs in the order they were sung.

- \_\_\_\_\_ In Christ Alone
- \_\_\_\_\_ All Creatures Of Our God And King
- \_\_\_\_\_ Lead Me To The Cross

## PUZZLE TIME

Use the decoder below to complete the puzzle.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z

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as good stewards of God's varied grace. 1 Peter 4:10

## SERMON POINTS

1. The problem of \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. A desire problem
  - b. Addiction to self
2. The transformation of \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. Changing who you live for
  - b. A willingness to suffer
3. The expression of \_\_\_\_\_ desires
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ one another
  - b. Show hospitality to one another
  - c. \_\_\_\_\_ one another

Sermon Word Bank:

love

desires

new

serve

sin

How is this Good News? \_\_\_\_\_

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