

Sermon Notes

Speaker:

Date:

Contact us at ChristVenice.com or 941-493-7504

Week of 10/18/2026

Worship Attendance

478

Discipleship

190

Tithes and Offerings:

General	10/18	YTD
	\$ 20,412	\$1,302,571
Missions (3/2026 - 12/2026)	\$ 1,351	\$ 123,882
	Sept	YTD
Income	\$ 95,918	\$1,241,104
Expenses	\$113,215	\$1,024,043

October 25, 2026

Welcome to
WORSHIP

celebrating
50
YEARS

**CHRIST
VENICE CHURCH**

1475 Center Road, Venice FL 34292

Christ **VENICE**
CHURCH
Worship with us

October 25, 2026

PRELUDE (11:00am) Orchestra
 “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”
 *HYMN
 “O Worship The King”
 WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Megan Grabo
 *GREETING TIME
 *CALL TO WORSHIP Megan
 *SONG OF WORSHIP
 “We Have Come Into His House”
 *AFFIRMATION OF FAITH Pastor Bob Haley
 Apostles’ Creed
 PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER Pastor Bob
 OFFERING
 Instrumental (8:00am)
 “Be Joyful and Sing To The Lord” (11:00am) Choir
 *DOXOLOGY & OFFERING BLESSING
 SERMON SERIES: Psalms—The Heart of the House
 “Stoke the Fire” Pastor Eric Ruoff
 Psalm 63, Psalm 27, Romans 12:11
 *HYMN
 “Jesus Calls Us”
 *BENEDICTION & BLESSING Pastor Eric
 *Congregation stand if you are able. CCLI #489431

SUNDAY 10/25

8:00a Traditional Worship (S)
 8:30a Coffee & Treats (Gathering Grounds)
 9:30a Contemporary Worship (MH)
 9:30a New Kingdom Class (FLC)
 9:30a Children’s Church (MH23)
 10:30a Children’s Elevate Class (MH22)
 10:45a Sermon Discussion Class (MH13)
 11:00a Traditional Worship (S)
 11:00a Children’s Church (MH23)
 5:00p Youth Group (MH)

MONDAY 10/26

9:30a Monday Morning Bible Study (S-LB)
 1:30p I John Study: Daily Fellowship (MH13)
 5:30p Women Alone but Never Alone (FLC2)
 6:30p Journeymen (MH13)
 7:30p AA 12-Step Coed (FLC)

TUESDAY 10/27

8:00a Rooted & Brave Homeschool (MH, etc.)
 9:00a Driftwood Homeschool (FLC8)
 9:00a Moms Prayer Group (MH-GG)
 9:30a Shawls of Prayer (FLC28)
 1:00p Prayer for the Church, America and Revival (S-PR)
 6:30p Midweek Soup & Pastors’ Study (MH)
 6:30p Youth & Children (MH-GG, MH23)

WEDNESDAY 10/28

9:00a Driftwood Homeschool (FLC8)
 2:00p Women’s Bible Study of John (MH13)
 3:00p Church on the Go (Advinia)
 3:00p Intercessory Prayer Group (S-PR)
 6:30p Ensemble Rehearsal (S-CR)
 7:00p Choir/Cantata Rehearsal (S-CR)

THURSDAY 10/29

7:30p Early Riser Men’s Group (FLC2)
 9:00a Driftwood Homeschool (FLC8)
 9:00a Holloway Moms Group (MH-GG)
 10:00a Cancer Talks Support Group (MH13)
 11:00a Handbells Rehearsal (S)
 6:15p *The Gift of Empathy* Study (MH13)
 6:30p Study of 2 Corinthians (MH-GG)
 7:00p G.A. Support Group (FLC28)

FRIDAY 10/30

7:30a Lawn & Garden Crew
 10:00a Breakfast Church at the Train Depot
 12:00p Al-Anon Support Group (FLC28)
 7:00p AA Men/Women (FLC, FLC28)

SATURDAY 10/31

10:00a Church on the Go (Venice Palms)
 10:00a Friendship Brunch (FLC)

Christ **VENICE**
CHURCH
Highlights

Friendship Brunch

Sat, Oct 31

GriefShare: Surviving

The Holidays

Wed, Nov 4

Men's Breakfast

Sat, Nov 7

Art & Craft Fair for

Missions

Sat, Nov 14

New Member Luncheon

Sun, Nov 15

Thanksgiving Dinner

Wed, Nov 25

Friendship Brunch

Sat, Dec 5

Church Christmas Party

Sun, Dec 6

Christmas Cantata

Wed, Dec 16

Blue Christmas

Dinner & Worship

Sun, Dec 20



LIFE AT Christ Venice

WORSHIP WITH US
8:00AM Traditional
9:30AM Contemporary
11:00AM Traditional



Operation CHRISTMAS CHILD

Oct. 11th-Nov. 15th

Take a box today! Details are in the box or scan this QR code for more information.

Goal is 400! Return to Memorial Hall
(Contemporary Worship Sanctuary).



WHAT'S NEXT

Friendship Brunch - Sign up today

Join us for a morning of good food, friendship, and an inspirational teaching video on prayer from Pastor Jim Cymbala.

OCT
31
10am

Grief Share: Surviving the Holidays

The holidays can be difficult as you grieve the loss of a loved one. You are not alone. Join us! \$5 Participant Guide.

NOV
4
2pm

Men's Breakfast

We will discover ways to be more intentional in sharing our faith with the next generation. *Registration Required*

NOV
7
8:30am

Art & Craft Fair for Missions

Invite your friends and neighbors to shop our handmade treasures! 100% of proceeds go to missions.

NOV
14
9am

New Members Luncheon

Meet our pastors and staff, and get to know others who are new to Christ Venice. Sign up on Sundays or contact Traeclyn@ChristVenice.com.

NOV
15
12:15pm

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THE FULL CHURCH
CALENDAR**



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Ready To Take Your Next Step?



NEW HERE?

Start your journey with us. We would love to meet you! Stop by our table outside today to receive a first-time guest gift.



BAPTISM

Take your next step of faith! Ready to be baptized? We'd love to celebrate this meaningful moment with you.



MEMBERSHIP

Make Christ Venice your church home. See what it means to belong and become part of our church family.



FIND YOUR PLACE!

Serve, connect, and grow with others. Find a place to use your gifts, join a group, a serve team, or grow through a Bible study.



Traeclyn Albright | Connections
Traeclyn@ChristVenice.com

CONNECT TODAY!

Have questions or ready to take your next step? Traeclyn would love to meet you, help you get connected, and find your place at Christ Venice.

KIDS MINISTRY

A fun, safe, and engaging place where kids discover who Jesus is, grow in their faith, and know they belong!

Sundays | 9:30 & 11:00AM
Kindergarten–5th Grade
Nursery available as needed



Katie Kerns | Director
Katie@ChristVenice.com



Megan Grabo | Director
Megan@ChristVenice.com

STUDENTS

A place where students build real friendships, grow deeper in their faith, and discover what it means to follow Jesus in everyday life!

Sundays | 5:00–7:00PM
Middle & High School
Students

Need Prayer?

Contact Chen Bell at chenery79@gmail.com to be placed on our prayer chain.