

April 30, 2023

Christ Church exists to make mature disciples who will worship, know and serve Christ so that His Church and Kingdom are powerfully extended in Katy and beyond.

CHRIST CHURCH

Order for the Worship of God

The Lord's Day • April 30, 2023

We also have live stream worship at www.cckpca.org/livestream at 11:00 AM. Register at cckpca.org/guest so we can provide you with information about our church.

Welcome & Silent Preparation

The Rev. Mr. Fred Greco

—— PRAISE

Call to Worship*

"The unoccupied fields of the

world await those who are

willing to be lonely for the

sake of Christ."

(Samuel Zwemer) Psalm 9:1-2

* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible

Minister: I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will

recount all of Your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult

in You; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

Prayer of Adoration*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #12*

"Exalt the Lord, His Praise Proclaim"

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q10 Genesis 1:26; Ephesians 4:24

Minister: How did God create man?

People: God created man male and female, after His own image, in

knowledge, righteousness, and holiness, with dominion

over the creatures.

All:

Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

All:

And put on the new self, created after the likeness of God in true righteousness and holiness.

CONFESSION

Hymn of Confession #647



"How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds"

Corporate Confession of Sin

O King of Glory, we confess that our praise of Your majesty has often been faint, our performance as citizens of Your kingdom treasonous. For we have surrendered to the enemy by our secret and our known sins. For our treason You died, Lord Jesus. For our restoration, You rose again. Draw us closer to You, that our eyes may catch the vision of You, and our hearts, the wonder of Your grace. By the Holy Spirit's continuing discipline, let us be loyal and loving servants of the King. Praise be to You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Jeremiah 33:8-9

MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading* — Matthew 22:34-46 The

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

The Rev. Mr. David King

I will cleanse them from all the guilt of their sin against Me, and I will forgive all the guilt of their sin and rebellion against Me. And this city shall be to Me a name of joy, a praise and a glory before all the nations of the earth who shall hear of all the good that I do for them. They shall fear and tremble because of all the good and all the prosperity I provide for it.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Classes for all ages at 9:50 AM. Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Pastor King

Sermon Text

John 9:13-41

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Greco

"I Once Was Blind, But Now I See"

Hymn #460*



"Amazing Grace!"

THANKSGIVING

Giving

www.cckpca.org/give or text "CCKPCA" to 833-750-3171

Gloria Patri #735*



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Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen!

E-MAIL PRAYER CHAIN

The Christ Church email prayer chain may be activated by contacting the church office (281-392-0002 or prayerchain@ckpca.org). If you wish to receive emails from the prayer chain please contact the office.

Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Psalm 96A *

"O Sing a New Song"

The Benediction*

Pastor Greco

Announcements

Pastor King

EVENING WORSHIP

Conclude the Lord's Day with His people, tonight at 6:00 PM.

Call to Worship*

Opening Prayer*

Hymn #3*

Hymn #32

Hymn #97



"Give to Our God Immortal Praise"
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"
"We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator"

Scripture Reading* — Genesis 46:1-7, 26-34

Mr. Neal Hare

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text Matthew 21:33-46

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Mr. Curt Mire

"The Parable of The Tenants"

Hymn #348*



"Jesus, with Thy Church Abide"

The Benediction*

Post-Service Fellowship

Sandwich Supper

Next Week – Pastor King will be preaching on Micah 5:1-5a, "O Bethlehem Ephrathah."

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available for children up to the $4^{\rm th}$ birthday during the 8:30 and 11:00 AM services and Sunday School in rooms 110 and 111. Nursery care is not currently being provided at our evening service. Our nursery will send a text message to alert parents if needed. Please remember to keep your phone silenced but on vibrate so you will receive it. Thank you!

ESL SNACK

MERCY MINSTRYThose in need of this service

should contact Amy Wegener at mercyministry@

cckpca.org

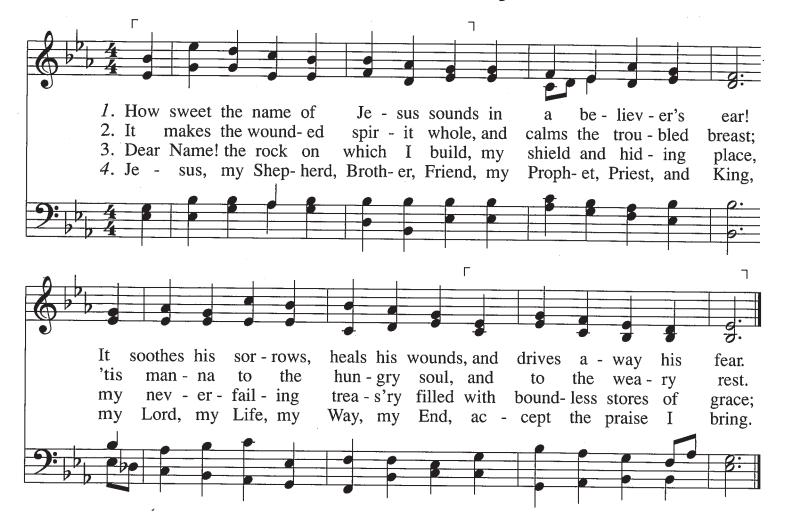
Sign up to donate food for the weekly ESL snack time: https://tinyurl.com/ cckpcaESL

DONATIONS

Praise the LORD. Praise the name of the LORD; praise him, you servants of the LORD. Ps. 135:1



Your name is like perfume poured out. Song of Sol. 1:3

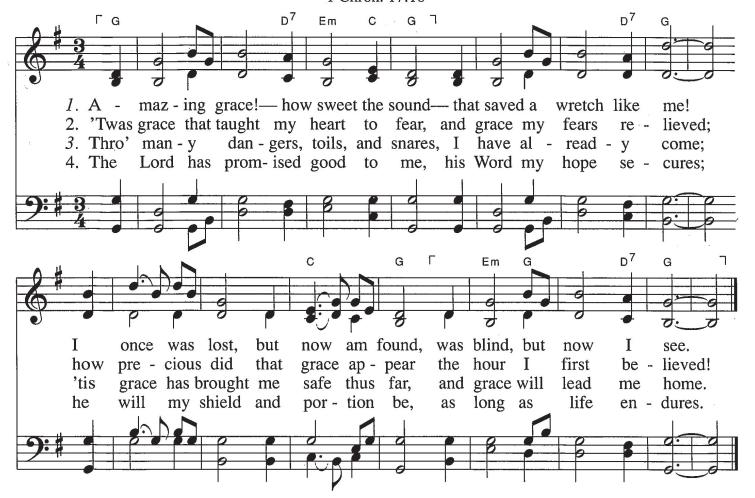


5. Weak is the effort of my heart, and cold my warmest thought; but when I see thee as thou art, I'll praise thee as I ought.

6. Till then I would thy love proclaim with every fleeting breath; and may the music of thy name refresh my soul in death.

Amazing Grace!

Who am I, O LORD God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far? 1 Chron. 17:16



- 5. And when this flesh and heart shall fail, and mortal life shall cease, I shall possess within the veil a life of joy and peace.
- 6. When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we've first begun.

Gloria Patri

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness. Ps. 29:2



96A Psalm 96:1-8

O Sing a New Song

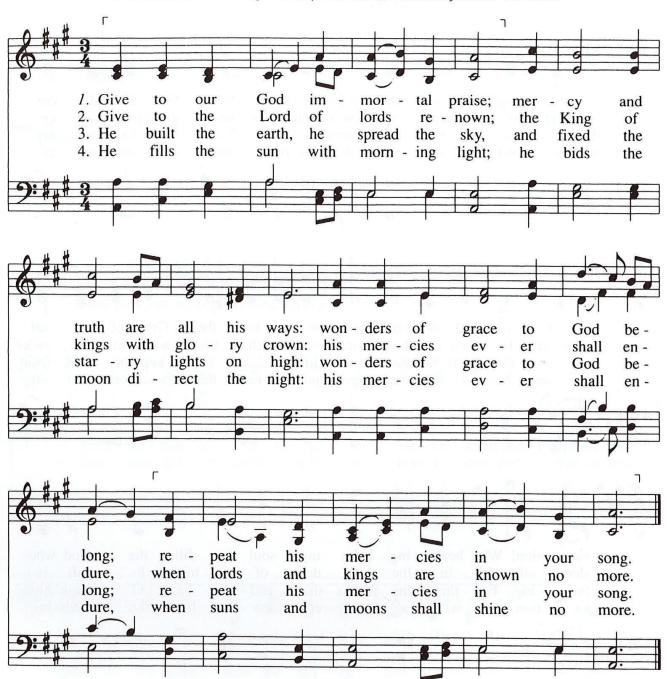
Woe to me if I do not preach the gospel!

—1 Corinthians 9:16



Give to Our God Immortal Praise

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good. His love endures forever. Ps. 136:1



- 5. He sent his Son with pow'r to save from guilt and darkness and the grave: wonders of grace to God belong; repeat his mercies in your song.
- 6. Through this vain world he guides our feet, and leads us to his heav'nly seat: his mercies ever shall endure, when this vain world shall be no more.

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Because of the LORD's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail. They are new every morning; great is your faithfulness. Lam. 3:22, 23



Our Redeemer—the LORD Almighty is his name—is the Holy One of Israel. Is. 47:4



Jesus, with Thy Church Abide

The church of the living God, the pillar and foundation of the truth. 1 Tim. 3:15



- church a bide, her Sav - ior, be Lord, and Guide, 1. Je - sus, with thy
- life and doc-trine pure; grant her pa-tience 2. Keep her en - dure. to
- doc trine be, one in truth and 3. May she one in char - i - ty,
- she guide the poor and blind, seek the lost un she find, 4. May



- 5. Save her love from growing cold, make her watchmen strong and bold, fence her round, thy peaceful fold: we beseech thee, hear us.
- 6. May her lamp of truth be bright, bid her bear aloft its light through the realms of heathen night: we beseech thee, hear us.
- 7. Arm her soldiers with the cross, brave to suffer toil or loss, counting earthly gain but dross: we beseech thee, hear us.
- 8. May she holy triumphs win, overthrow the hosts of sin, gather all the nations in: we beseech thee, hear us.

TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

"I Once Was Blind, But Now I See" John 9:13-41 Fred Greco April 30, 2023

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8:30 AM – Morning Worship 9:50 AM – Sunday School 11:00 AM – Morning Worship 6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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