

May 7, 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 • May 7, 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*

"Remember this,

eternal, sovereign power is wielded

> by one, and through one,

that has nail

prints in his hands." (Doug Kelly) James 4:8

* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible

Minister: Draw near to God, and He will draw near to you. Cleanse

your hands, you sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-

minded.

Prayer of Adoration*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #95*

"Though Troubles Assail Us"

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q11 Psalm 145:17; Psalm 104:24

Minister: What are God's works of providence?

People: God's works of providence are His most holy, wise

and powerful preserving and governing all His

creatures, and all their actions.

All: The Lord is righteous in all His ways and kind in all

His works.

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All:

O Lord, how manifold are Your works! In wisdom have You made them all; the earth is full of Your creatures.

——— CONFESSION —

Corporate Confession of Sin

The Rev. Mr. Jason Wegener

Heavenly Father, with full confidence in the promises You have made to Your people through the Gospel of Jesus Christ, we come before You this morning in our worship to confess and admit our sin. We realize that apart from the life, death, and resurrection of Christ we would have no hope of salvation, for we daily sin against You in our thoughts, words, and deeds. Forgive us, O Lord, and help us this day to glory in the cross of Christ, through which the crimson stain of our sin has been washed white as snow. Further grant that our love for Jesus would grow day by day and that we would find great joy in walking in fellowship with Him. Thank You for the grace of forgiveness, and the blessed hope of eternal life. All this we ask in the matchless name of Your Son, our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

1 Thessalonians 5:9-10

Hymn of Assurance #466



"I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew"

MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading* — Matthew 23:1-36

Mr. Mike Burns

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

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For God has not destined us for wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us so that whether we are awake or asleep we might live with Him.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

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

Mr. Burns

Sermon Text

Philippians 1:27-30

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Wegener

"Citizenship in the Kingdom"

Hymn #434*



"Lord, Thou Lov'st the Cheerful Giver"

THANKSGIVING

Giving

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

Doxology #731*



Old Hundredth

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Hymn #617*



"My Anchor Holds"

The Benediction*

Pastor Wegener

Announcements

Mr. Burns

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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.

EVENING WORSHIP

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

Call to Worship*

Opening Prayer*

Hymn #166* Hymn #321

Hymn #201

"Wondrous King, All-Glorious"
"Great God, What Do I See and Hear!"
"O Little Town of Bethlehem"

Scripture Reading* — Genesis 47:1-12

Pastor Wegener

Pastoral Prayer

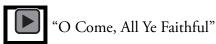
Sermon Text Micah 5:1-5

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Mr. David King

"O Bethlehem Ephrathah"

Hymn #208*



The Benediction*

<u>Next Week</u> – Pastor Wegener will be preaching on Zechariah 6:12-15, "*The Priest on His Throne.*"

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available for children up to the 4th 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!

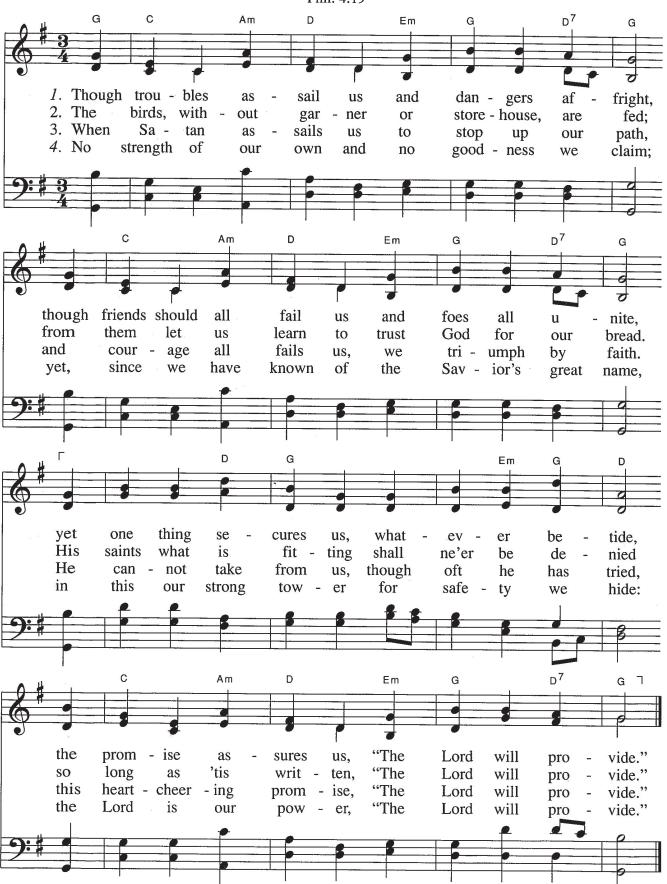
MERCY MINSTRYThose in need of this service

should contact Amy Wegener at mercyministry@

cckpca.org

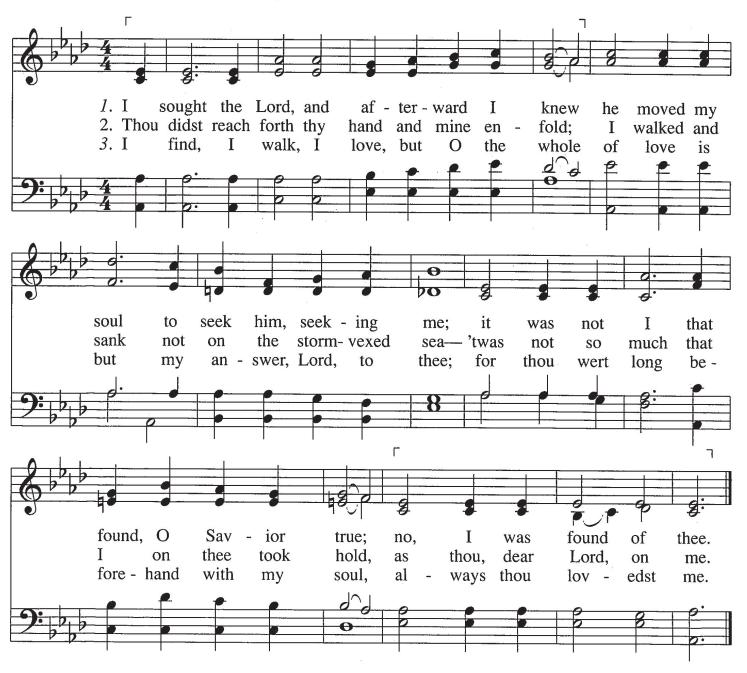
ESL SNACK DONATIONS Sign up to done

Sign up to donate food for the weekly ESL snack time: https://tinyurl.com/ cckpcaESL My God will meet all your needs according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. Phil, 4:19



I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew

We love because he first loved us. 1 John 4:19



Anon., 1878

PEACE 10.10.10.6. George W. Chadwick, 1893 God loves a cheerful giver. 2 Cor. 9:7



Doxology

Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Ps. 150:6



Thomas Ken, 1709

OLD HUNDREDTH L.M. Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551

My Anchor Holds

We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. Heb. 6:19



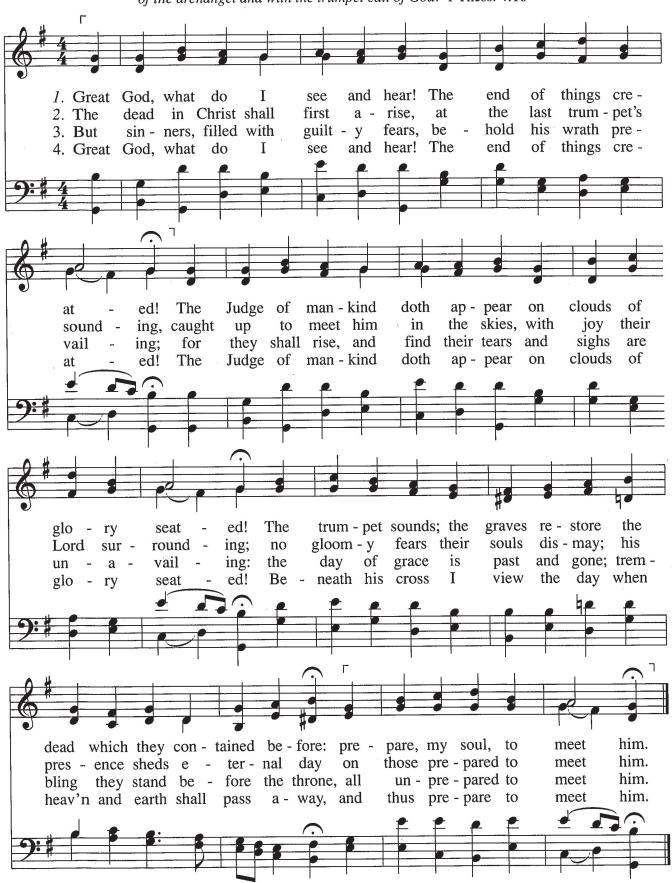


Wondrous King, All-Glorious

Christ, who is God over all, forever praised! Rom. 9:5



The Lord himself will come down from heaven, with a loud command, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet call of God. 1 Thess. 4:16



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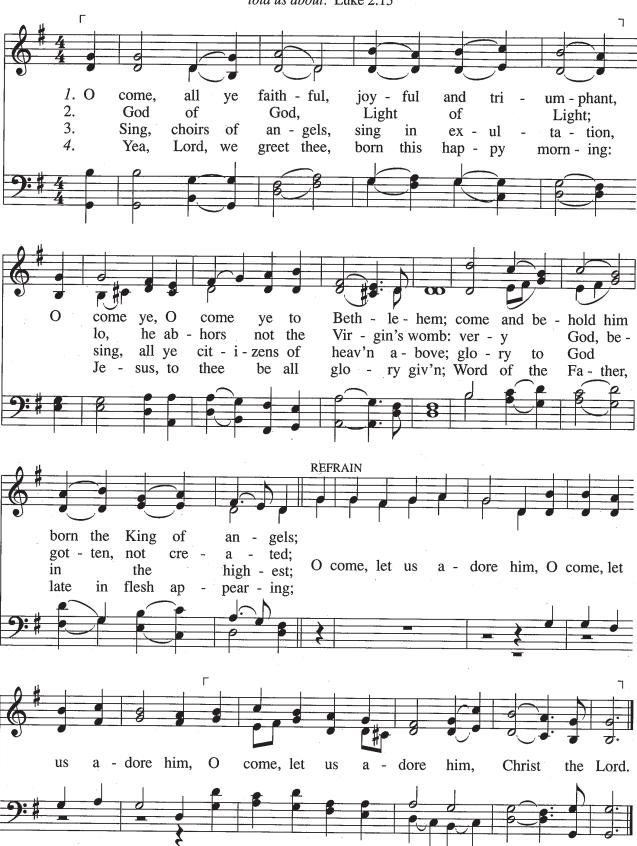
O Little Town of Bethlehem

Bethlehem Ephrathah, though you are small ... out of you will come for me one who will be ruler over Israel, whose origins are from of old, from ancient times. Mic. 5:2



O Come, All Ye Faithful

Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about. Luke 2:15



TODAY'S SERMON NOTES



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