## **SERVICE OF WORSHIP | CPC**

## prelude

As the music plays, please quietly prepare your heart and mind for worship, lifting your thoughts up from the cares of this world.

# preparing our hearts

This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all.

– 1 John 1:5 <sub>FSV</sub>

# \*\* call to worship

Leader: Praise the LORD! I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart, in the

company of the upright, in the congregation.

All: Great are the works of the LORD, studied by all who delight in them.

Leader: Full of splendor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

All: He has caused his wondrous works to be remembered; the LORD is gracious

and merciful.

- Psalm 111:1-4 <sub>ESV</sub>

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please stand if you are able

## THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD

This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears, All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres. This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise, The morning light, the lily white, declare their Maker's praise. This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair; In the rustling grass I hear him pass, he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world. Oh, let me ne'er forget
That though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father's world: the battle is not done;
Jesus who died shall be satisfied, and earth and heaven be one.

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# \*\* prayer of invocation

Leader:

Father, you have said the heavens are your throne and the earth is your footstool; so we have gathered here that you might dwell with us and reign over our hearts. We pray that because of Jesus' name we would have a welcome place here; grant in your Spirit and in your truth, that we might truly worship you today. Amen.

## \*\* affirmation of faith

Leader: And [Jesus] said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and

with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment.

All: And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these

two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets."

- Matthew 22:37-40 ESV

Leader: Wh

What does the law of God require?

All:

Personal, perfect, and perpetual obedience; that we love God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; and love our neighbor as ourselves. What God forbids should never be done and what God commands should always be done.

- New City Catechism, Q&A 7

### I WILL GLORY IN MY REDEEMER

I will glory in my Redeemer, whose priceless blood has ransomed me.

Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails and hung him on that judgment tree.

I will glory in my Redeemer, who crushed the power of sin and death;

My only Savior before the Holy Judge:

The Lamb who is my righteousness; the Lamb who is my righteousness.

I will glory in my Redeemer; my life he bought, my love he owns.

I have no longings for another; I'm satisfied in him alone.

I will glory in my Redeemer; his faithfulness my standing place.

Though foes are mighty and rush upon me,

My feet are firm, held by his grace; my feet are firm, held by his grace.

I will glory in my Redeemer, who carries me on eagle's wings. He crowns my life with lovingkindness; his triumph song I'll ever sing. I will glory in my Redeemer, who waits for me at gates of gold; And when he calls me, it will be paradise — His face forever to behold; his face forever to behold.

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## renewing our hearts

## CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Leader: Return, O Israel, to the LORD your God, for you have stumbled because of

your iniquity.

- Hosea 14:1 ESV

Let us confess our sins to the Lord.

All: Immortal and Eternal God, Almighty and Everlasting Father,

Forgive the smallness of my faith and the unbelief I harbor.

I am so easily distracted by the worries and concerns of this world;

I am readily tempted by the glittering fool's gold around me.

It is because I forget that you are with me;

It is because I forget that you are powerful to punish sin

And to carry to glory those whom you love.

I am sorry for my sin, and I believe; help my unbelief.

Let me set aside every weight and sin and run to you.

Set my eyes on Jesus, the founder and perfecter of my faith,

Who for the joy set before him endured the cross for my sake.

All these mercies I ask for Jesus' sake,

Who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

Now and forever, Amen

Please reflect and silently confess your sins.

## ASSURANCE OF GRACE \*\*

Leader: For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it

is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.

All: For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which

God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them.

- Ephesians 2:8-10 <sub>ESV</sub>

## \*\* hymn of gratitude

## JESUS, I COME

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into thy freedom, gladness and light, Jesus, I come to thee. Out of my sickness into thy health; out of my wanting and into thy wealth, Out of my sin and into thyself, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of my shameful failure and loss, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into the glorious gain of thy cross, Jesus, I come to thee. Out of earth's sorrows into thy balm; out of life's storms and into thy calm, Out of distress into jubilant psalm, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of unrest and arrogant pride, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into thy blessed will to abide, Jesus, I come to thee. Out of myself to dwell in thy love; out of despair into raptures above, Upward forever on wings like a dove, Jesus, I come to thee.

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb, Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come. Into the joy and light of thy home, Jesus, I come to thee. Out of the depths of ruin untold, into the peace of thy sheltering fold, Ever thy glorious face to behold, Jesus, I come to thee.

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## scripture reading

Leader: Psalm 105:1-11

This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

prayer

An officer of the church prays for the world, nation, community, and church.

Leader: All these mercies we ask in the name of Jesus, who prayed saying,

All: Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be your name;

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors,

Do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.

\*\* passing the peace

Leader: Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." In a world filled with

trouble, let us encourage one another to look to the one who has overcome the

world. May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

Children's Worship is on break and will resume August 6.

If you would like to hear more about CPC or would like to let us know of a prayer need, please include your contact information or prayer request in the welcome pad when it comes around to you.

An elder will lead the passing of the peace. If you are joining us from your home, please unmute yourself so that you can greet one another. If you are gathered here with us today, greet one another warmly with the peace of Christ.

#### about our guest speaker | DANNY MORGAN

Danny has served Redeemer Presbyterian Austin as an assistant pastor for the past year. Before moving with his family to Austin, he served Redeemer Presbyterian Orange County. He and his wife of seven years have two young children. Danny has been ordained since 2018 and has worked in ministry since 2012.

**Sermon** | "The Power of Memory"

July 30, 2023

**2 Timothy 2:8-13**  $_{ESV}$  | 8 Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel, 9 for which I am suffering, bound with chains as a criminal. But the word of God is not bound! 10 Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory. 11 The saying is trustworthy, for:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him; 12 if we endure, we will also reign with him; if we deny him, he also will deny us; 13 if we are faithless, he remains faithful —

for he cannot deny himself.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

sermon notes

\*\* gospel charge

Leader: In response to the Gospel of grace, how shall we then live?

All: Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

## WELCOME TO HIS TABLE

The Lord's Supper is a family meal for Christians — a time when we delight in Christ and in the good news that His work alone has made us right with God. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, and seek strength to live more faithfully to Christ are invited to participate. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, please use this time to meditate on the following prayer.

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

Please remain seated for communion. As a symbol of our unity in Christ, wait until everyone has been served the elements, and we will all partake together. Once you are finished with your cup, please pass it to the inside aisles and the ushers will retrieve them.

If you have a gluten allergy, there are gluten-free wafers available in the center of the bread trays. During the celebration of communion, we will sing the printed hymn.

NOTE TO PARENTS: To receive communion, a child must have been baptized, publicly professed their faith in Christ, and been formally received as a communing member by the elders of this church or the governing body of the church to which you belong. We look forward to welcoming your children to the table when they come to this point and ask that you speak to the pastor when you feel your child is ready to begin the process of becoming a communing member.

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

And as they were eating, he took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to them, and said, "Take; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it. And he said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many."

- Mark 14:22-24 ESV

*Minister:* Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

*Minister:* Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Minister: Let us pray.

All: O Lord and heavenly Father, when we celebrate and observe this memorial your Son has commended to us, we remember his suffering and death, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension; and we await his coming again with power and great glory. God of Mercy, hear our prayer and by your Word and Holy Spirit bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine. Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Holy Name. Amen.

*Minister:* Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

*Minister:* Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life.

Lord Jesus, come in glory.

All: When we eat this bread and drink this cup,

We proclaim your death, Lord Jesus, until you come again.

Minister: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ

died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

## communion reflection & song

While the bread is distributed, please sing verses 1-4 of the printed hymn, then continue with verses 5-8 during the distribution of the cup.

#### FOR ALL THE SAINTS



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# **\*\* offering & song of thanksgiving**

The offering is a vital part of our response to God's grace provided for us in the preaching of his word and administration of the Lord's Supper. Our tithes and offerings represent the entirety of our lives being consecrated to the Lord Jesus Christ and the coming of his kingdom to this world. As God's grace is freely given to us, so we give freely in return; not in any way to add to Christ's supremely adequate atonement for us, but in joyful response to this work and in thanksgiving for such unmerited grace.

## ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall; Bring forth the royal diadem and crown him Lord of all; Bring forth the royal diadem and crown him Lord of all!

You chosen seed of Israel's race, you ransomed from the fall, Hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all; Hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all!

Let every kindred, every tribe on this terrestrial ball, To him all majesty ascribe and crown him Lord of all; To him all majesty ascribe and crown him Lord of all!

O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall; We'll join the everlasting song and crown him Lord of all; We'll join the everlasting song and crown him Lord of all!

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All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## CHURCH LIFE | CPC

#### for first-time visitors

Whether you are visiting us from out of town or looking for a church to call home, we're so glad to have you with us. Please fill out the visitor section in the attendance pad when it circulates.

#### **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP**

Classes will resume on **August 6**. We will be starting a wonderful new curriculum titled, "The Gospel Story" by Marty Machowski. A special thank you to each of our volunteers who serve year-round to help and to teach age-appropriate Bible lessons to our preschool children. We look forward to seeing your little ones again next week!

#### **ONLINE DIRECTORY**

Did you know that CPC has an online directory for members and regular attenders? If you are interested in learning how to access the online directory or update your picture and information in it, please email Adrienne Herron (office@cpcgeorgetown.org).

#### cpc playgroup

If you take care of kids during the day, come visit with friends from church while your children play! We would love to have you join planned and impromptu playdates around town. **Contact Joanna Sukup** (joannasukup@gmail.com) to be added to our email list.

## building what matters mid-year update

Total pledges (October 2021 thru September 2024)	\$1,829,232
Pledge total given as of January 31, 2022	\$967,696
Building fund giving for February-June 2023	\$176,299
Pledge total given as of June 30, 2023	\$1,480,692
Pledge total remaining after June 30, 2023	\$348,540