

ONE

LORD | FAITH | BAPTISM

Paul's Letter to the Ephesians

ORDER OF WORSHIP

MAY 09, 2021
THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

❖ CALL TO WORSHIP

from Psalm 86

Leader: There is none like you among the gods, O Lord,
nor are there any works like yours.

People: **All the nations you have made shall come
and worship before you, O Lord,
and shall glorify your name.**

❖ WE COME, O CHRIST, TO YOU

DARWALL, Edith Margaret Clarkson and John Darwall

We come, O Christ, to you, true Son of God and man,
By whom all things consist, in whom all life began.
In you alone we live and move
And have our being in your love.

You are the living truth; all wisdom dwells in you,
The source of every skill, the one eternal True!
O great I AM! in you we rest,
Sure answer to our every quest.

You only are true life, to know you is to live
The more abundant life that earth can never give.
O risen Lord! we live in you:
In us each day your life renew!

We worship you, Lord Christ, our Savior and our King;
To you our youth and strength adoringly we bring:
So fill our hearts that all may view
Your life in us and turn to you!

❖ PRAYER OF ADORATION

❖ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Westminster Catechism, #92 & #94

Leader: What is a sacrament?

People: **A sacrament is a holy ordinance
instituted by Christ;
wherein, by sensible signs, Christ,
and the benefits of the new covenant,
are represented, sealed,
and applied to believers.**

Leader: What is baptism?

People: **Baptism is a sacrament,
wherein the washing with water
in the name of the Father,
and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,
signifies and seals our ingrafting into Christ,
our partaking of the benefits
of the covenant of grace,
and our engagement to be the Lord's.**

❖ MORE THAN WE KNOW

Joe Deegan

When we walk through the desert for forty years straight
It may feel like the Lord doesn't care;
But the manna that feeds us day after day
Is the proof that he's always been there.
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Chorus:

*The Lord loves his children more than we know.
All that he does, he does to show
That he'll never forsake us, he'll never let go;
The Lord loves his children more than we know.*

When we stare down that giant standing so tall
As he's marching toward us on the field,
The Lord sends his champion to fight for us all
And his children need only be still;
His children need only be still. (*Chorus*)

When the hour grows dark, he closes his eyes
And our Savior breathes his last breath.
He pierces the darkness, he comes back to life
So his children don't have to fear death;
His children don't have to fear death. (*Chorus*)

SACRAMENT OF HOLY BAPTISM

9:00

Eleanor Grace Kramer
Covenant child of John and Ariane

10:30

James Duke Weatherford
Covenant child of Willis and Mary

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

HOW SWEET AND AWESOME IS THE PLACE

ST. COLUMBA, Irish hymn, Isaac Watts

How sweet and awesome is the place
With Christ within the doors,
While everlasting love displays
The choicest of her stores.

While all our hearts and all our songs
Join to admire the feast,
Each of us cry, with thankful tongue,
Lord, why was I a guest?

Tw'as the same love that spread the feast
That sweetly drew us in;
Else we had still refused to taste,
And perished in our sin.

We long to see your churches full,
Our hearts on thee to face;
Then, with one voice and heart and soul,
Sing your redeeming grace.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & CONFESSION

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord for our mothers.

**All: Father, we give you thanks for your goodness in giving to us our mothers.
Forgive us for neglecting to honor them out of reverence for you.**

Reflecting upon this, silently confess your sins.

All: Lord Jesus, forgive us for not pursuing you as our Lord and our God.

We claim to be strong only to find our lives broken and burdened.

We seek our significance in things, supposing those things could provide us lasting happiness. Yet, we are left exhausted and restless.

Have mercy on us, Lord, according to your unfailing love. In the strong name of Jesus Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.

❖ WORDS OF ASSURANCE

from Isaiah 49 & 63

Leader: Can a woman forget her nursing child,
or show no compassion for the child of her womb?
As a mother comforts her child,
so will I comfort you, says the Lord.

**People: Through Christ, our comforter, we are forgiven.
Thanks be to God!**

❖ HIS MERCY IS MORE

Matt Boswell and Matt Papa

*Chorus:
Praise the Lord! His mercy is more!
Stronger than darkness, new every morn;
Our sins, they are many, his mercy is more.*

What love could remember no wrongs we have done;
Omniscient, all-knowing, he counts not their sum;
Thrown into a sea without bottom or shore:
Our sins, they are many, his mercy is more. *(Chorus)*

What patience would wait as we constantly roam;
What Father, so tender, is calling us home;
He welcomes the weakest, the vilest, the poor;
Our sins, they are many, his mercy is more. *(Chorus)*

What riches of kindness he lavished on us;
His blood was the payment, his life was the cost;
We stood 'neath a debt we could never afford;
Our sins, they are many, his mercy is more. *(Chorus 2x)*

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❖ THE PEACE OF GOD

Leader: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you!**

THE OFFERING

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 4:4-16

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON

“E Pluribus Unum”

ONE: Paul’s Letter to the Ephesians

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion is an opportunity for all of us to seek the Lord. It is an occasion for baptized Christians to be strengthened by our Savior. All who trust alone in Christ as Savior and Lord, belong to (and are in good standing with) a church that embraces the gospel, live at peace with their neighbor, and seek strength to live more faithfully are welcome to partake. If you are not a Christian, please consider spending this time in prayer.

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

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

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

Minister: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: **Therefore, let us keep the feast.**

WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND PARTAKING OF THE ELEMENTS

Prayer of Seeking Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior. Amen.

❖ FOR ALL THE SAINTS

Christopher Miner and William W. How

For all the saints who from their labors rest,
To thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be forever blessed.
Alleluia, Allelu...

Thou was their rock, their fortress and their might;
Thou, Lord, their captain in the well fought fight;
Thou, in the darkness drear, their one true light.
Alleluia, Allelu...

The golden evening brightens in the west;
Soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
Sweet is the calm of paradise the blessed.
Alleluia, Allelu...

But lo! there breaks a yet more glorious day;
The saints triumphant rise in bright array;
The King of Glory passes on his way.
Alleluia, Allelu...

From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
Through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
Singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Alleluia, Alleluia! Alleluia, Alleluia!

❖ BENEDICTION

from Ephesians 3

Minister: I pray that out of God's glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith.

And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge – that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

People: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

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Worship Leaders

Joe Beam	drums
Daniel Campbell	keyboard & vocals
Conrad Guthrie	bass
Clay Holland	sermon
Taylor Leachman	liturgy
Carey Lewis	mandolin & guitar
Katie Reyes	guitar & vocals
Yvonne Smith	viola
Steven Wiggs	cello

Audio/Visual Team

Reese Dowiak	camera
Namath Naif	audio
George Ollre	camera
Arjan Voogt	projections
Natalie Voogt	video director

CCLI# 1268735



Let us know you're here!

Fill out the virtual Welcome Pad by scanning this code with your phone's camera.

*Welcome! We are so glad you are with us today.
For a full list of upcoming events, please visit
christtheking.com.*

5/12	Men's Breakfast	7:00 - 8:00 am
5/12	Open Fields at Christ the King	6:00 - 9:00 pm
5/16	Baptism Class	9:00 - 10:15 am
6/14 - 6/17	Ultimate Sports Camp	9:00 am - 12:00 pm
6/21 - 6/25	The Greatest Treasure Hunt	9:30 - 11:30 am
7/12 - 7/17	High School RYM	
7/14	Wet & Wild Water Day	9:30 - 11:30 am
8/2 - 8/5	Fun, Fitness & Creativity Camp	9:00 am - 12:00 pm
8/3 - 8/7	Middle School RYM	

Men's Breakfast

Wednesday, May 12, 7:00 - 8:00 am, The Great Hall

All men are invited to join us for breakfast, to meet other men and be encouraged.

Open Fields

Every Wednesday in May, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, The Fields at Christ the King
We invite everyone to take advantage of The Fields at Christ the King! Invite your friends and neighbors and bring your equipment to enjoy an evening outdoors. Think spikeball, kites, soccer and more!

Baptism Class

Sunday, May 16, 9:00 - 10:15 am, Room A300 (3rd Floor)

If you would like to have your child baptized, please join us for the baptism class. To reserve your spot, please email Patti Cunningham at patti.cunningham@christtheking.com.



Pastors at Christ the King

Our staff is excited to come alongside you as you grow in your worship of Christ and your love and care for one another. Please contact any of us with questions or needs.

Clay Holland
Jaime Jimenez
Taylor Leachman
Willis Weatherford
Andrés Zelaya

Senior Pastor
Pastor, Mission
Pastor, Family Ministry
Pastor, Student Ministry
Pastor, Adult Ministry

Sunday Morning at Christ the King

9:00 am

Worship Service

In-Person in the Sanctuary
Live-Streamed to the Patio
with Communion
Live-Streamed to Facebook
and our Website

Nursery Care

(Infant - 4 years)

Children's Worship

Kingdom Kids

(K-2nd grade)

Children will be dismissed from
the worship service.

Young Adults

Sunday Morning Class

(3rd Floor)

10:30 am

Worship Service

In-Person in the Sanctuary

Nursery Care

(Infant - 1 years)

Sunday School

2 - 4 years old (1st floor)

K - 3rd grade (2nd floor)

Code 45 - 4th & 5th graders

(1st floor, through the Great Hall,
and up the stairs)

Student Ministry

(3rd floor)

Adult Sunday

Morning Classes

(3rd Floor)

Adult Sunday Morning Classes

Sunday Morning Classes are places for you to participate and grow through topics that form you holistically as you follow Jesus. These classes are ongoing and everyone is welcome to join at any time!

Young Adults Class - Questions of the Faith

9:00 am, The Redeemer Room (3rd Floor)

Join us as we wrestle together through major cultural and philosophical push backs to Christianity.

The Ten Commandments - Blueprint for the Best Life Possible

10:30 - 11:30 am, Room A300 (3rd Floor)

The Ten Commandments are often mistakenly considered God's "rules" – his outdated list of do's and don'ts that add up to a guilt-ridden, legalistic way of life. In this class, we'll take a look at the purpose and true meaning of the Ten Commandments, discovering that they can aptly be called God's blueprint for the best life possible. We'll see how they address every arena of human life, giving us a portrait of life under the lordship of Jesus, who is the heart and soul of the commandments.

Technology in the Home

10:30 - 11:30 am, The Redeemer Room (3rd Floor)

Technology can be both a great gift and a personal or societal harm. How can we make good choices about technology in our homes that glorify God? Come learn about building biblical wisdom in the home around questions of technology for our families. We will discuss social media screen time internet pornography and gaming.

Ministry Budget Update

2021 Ministry Budget Goal	\$ 4,215,000
Expected Giving through 5/02/21	\$ 1,459,038
Received as of 5/02/21	\$ 887,481
Variance	\$ (571,557)