

# HOUSTON

## Order of Worship

JULY 11, 2021 THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

#### **\* CALL TO WORSHIP**

from Psalm 86

- Leader: There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours.
- All: All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

For you are great and do wondrous things, for you alone are God.

#### \* AS IT IS IN HEAVEN

Ed Cash and Matt Maher

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name Come and let your glory, come and let your glory fall Our Father who art in heaven The rocks cry out your fame Come and let your glory, come and let your glory fall

I will sing, sing a new song, I will sing, sing a new song I will sing, sing a new song to the Lord

Chorus: Let your kingdom come, let your will be done On earth as it is in heaven Every heart proclaim the mercy of your name On earth as it is in heaven

God give us new every morning mercy as daily bread In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray And lead us not to temptation But deliver us with your hand In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray I will sing, sing a new song, I will sing, sing a new song I will sing, sing a new song to the Lord (Chorus)

For the kingdom is yours and the power is yours And the glory forever amen (4x) (Chorus 2x)

#### **\* PRAYER OF ADORATION**

#### **\* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

Heidelberg Catechism, #120

- Leader: Why has Christ commanded us to address God as Our Father?
- All: That immediately, in the very beginning of our prayer, he might excite in us a childlike reverence for, and confidence in God, which are the foundation of our prayer: namely, that God has become our Father in Christ, and will much less deny us what we ask of him in true faith, than our parents will refuse us earthly things.

## **\* GREAT ARE YOU LORD**

David Leonard, Jason Ingram, and Leslie Jordan

You give life, you are love, you bring light to the darkness You give hope, you restore every heart that is broken And great are you Lord

Chorus: It's your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise It's your breath in our lungs So we pour out our praise to you only

You give life, you are love, you bring light to the darkness You give hope, you restore every heart that is broken And great are you Lord *(Chorus 2x)* 

And all the earth will shout your praise Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing Great are you Lord (3x) (Chorus 2x)

#### PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

#### WHEN I SURVEY THE WONDROUS CROSS, #252

HAMBURG, Gregorian chant, Isaac Watts

When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of glory died My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride

Forbid it Lord that I should boast Save in the death of Christ my God All the vain things that charm me most I sacrifice them to his blood

See from his head, his hands, his feet Sorrow and love flow mingled down Did e'er such love and sorrow meet Or thorns compose so rich a crown

Were the whole realm of nature mine That were a present far too small Love so amazing so divine Demands my soul, my life, my all

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, you have shown us the way of life through your Son, Jesus Christ.

We confess with shame our slowness to learn of him, our failure to follow him, and our reluctance to bear the cross.

Have mercy on us, Lord, and forgive us.

We confess the poverty of our worship, our neglect of fellowship and of the means of grace, our hesitating witness for Christ, our imperfect stewardship of your gifts.

Have mercy on us, Lord, and forgive us our sins. Amen.

#### **\* WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

Leader: Jesus was tempted in every way that we are, yet he was without sin.

Because we have a high priest who can sympathize with our weaknesses, we can approach the throne of grace with confidence to receive mercy and find grace.

In Christ, our sins are forgiven.

## People: Thanks be to God for his forgiveness and mercy!

## **\* 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)

Our sins they are many, his mercy is more Our sins they are many, his mercy is more

#### **\* THE PEACE OF GOD**

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

People: And also with you!

#### THE OFFERING

## SCRIPTURE READING

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

#### THE SERMON

"God Guides"

Daniel 1:1-7, p. 737

## **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.

People:	It is right to give him thanks and praise.
Minister:	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People:	We lift them up unto the Lord.
Minister:	Lift up your hearts.
People:	And also with you.
Minister:	The Lord be with you.

#### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

People:	Therefore, let us keep the feast.
Minister:	Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.
All:	Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
Minister:	Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

#### 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.

#### **Prayer of Humble Access**

I do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in my own goodness, but only in your righteousness credited to me. I am not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant me, therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by faith, that I may evermore live in him and he in me. Amen.

#### ALL MUST BE WELL

Mary Bowley-Peters and Matthew S. Smith

Through the love of God our Savior all will be well Free and changeless is his favor, all is well Precious is the blood that healed us Perfect is the grace that sealed us Strong the hand stretched forth to shield us All must be well

Though we pass through tribulation all will be well Ours is such a full salvation, all is well Happy still in God confiding Fruitful if in Christ abiding Steadfast through the Spirit's guiding All must be well

We expect a bright tomorrow, all will be well Faith can sing through days of sorrow, all is well

On our Father's love relying Jesus every need supplying Yes in living or in dying All must be well (Repeat)

#### **♦ BENEDICTION**

May the Sovereign Lord send you Minister: into the world to do his work as you worship him every moment of your life.

> And may the blessing of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, rest upon you always.

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

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#### Worship Leaders

Joe Beam Daniel Campbell keyboard & vocals Conrad Guthrie Katie Beth Harry Will McKee Scott Mochon Stefany Recinos Anna Thielemann guitar & vocals Andrés Zelaya

drums bass cello liturgy electric guitar vocals sermon

#### Audio/Visual Team

Reese Dowiak Ozzie Fong Michelle Hays Colette McMurtrey Namath Naif

camera camera proiections video director camera audio

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

7/14	Wet & Wild Water Day	9:30 - 11:30 am
7/13	Women's Weekday Brunch	9:30 - 11:00 am
7/21	Men's Gathering	
7/25	Blood Drive	8:00 am - 1:00 pm
8/1 & 8/8	Discover Your Calling	12:00 - 2:00 pm
8/2 - 8/5	Fun, Fitness & Creativity Camp	9:00 am - 12:00 pm
9/10	Sandra McCracken Concert	7:00 pm

#### Women's Weekday Brunch

#### Tuesday, July 13, 9:30 - 11:00 am

Join us for coffee and brunch at the church! Have little ones you can't leave at home? No problem! We will gather by the indoor playground area so that your kids can play while you hang out with other Christ the King women.

#### Wet & Wild Water Day

July 14, 9:30 - 11:30 am, Christ the King

We hope you will join us for our annual water day. We will have all kinds of outdoor activities and lots of water fun for children in Kindergarten and younger. Bring your friends! No registration necessary.



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 John Trapp Willis Weatherford Andrés Zelaya Associate Pastor Pastor, Mission Pastor, Family Ministry Senior Pastor 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 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. **10:30 am Worship Service** In-Person in the Sanctuary

> Nursery Care (Infant - 4years)





Sunday, July 25, 8:00 am - 12:30 pm Christ the King

reserve your time slot today!

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## **Ministry Budget Update**

2021 Ministry Budget Goal		4,215,000
Expected Giving through 7/04/21	\$	2,188,558
Received as of 7/04/21	\$	1,326,325
Variance	\$	(862,233)