

CROWN & CROSS

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Christ the King Presbyterian Church

JUNE 21, 2020
The Third Sunday after Pentecost

*Call to Worship *from Psalm 57:8-11*

Minister: Awake, O harp and lyre!
I will awake the dawn.

People: I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples,
I will sing praises to you among the nations.

Minister: For your steadfast love is as high as the heavens;
your faithfulness extends to the clouds.

People: Be exalted, O God, above the heavens.
Let your glory be over all the earth!

*Steadfast

I will build my house whether storm or drought,
On the rock that does not move.
I will set my hope in your love, O Lord,
And your faithfulness will prove.

Chorus:

You are steadfast, steadfast.

By the word you spoke; all the starry host
Are called out by name each night.
In your watchful care, I will rest secure
As you lead us with your light. (*Chorus 2x*)

I will not trust in the strength of kings,
On your promise I will stand.
I will shout for joy, I will raise my voice,
Hallelujah to the Lamb! (*Chorus 2x*)

In the moment of emptiness all was fulfilled;
In the hour of darkness your light was revealed;
In the presence of death your life was affirmed;
In the absence of holiness, you are still God. (*Chorus 4x*)

Music & Lyrics: Sandra McCracken, Leslie Jordan, and Josh Silverberg

*Prayer of Adoration

*Affirmation of Faith

Belgic Confession, Article XIII

Minister: What comfort does the truth that God is intimately
involved in what happens in our world give us?

People: This truth gives us unspeakable comfort since it shows
us that nothing can happen to us by chance but only by
the arrangement of our gracious heavenly Father.

He watches over us with fatherly care, keeping all creatures so under his power that not one of the hairs on our heads (for they are all numbered), nor a sparrow can fall to the ground without the will of our Father, in whom we do entirely trust; being persuaded that he so restrains the devil and all our enemies that without his will and permission they cannot hurt us.

**All Creatures of Our God and King*

All creatures of our God and King,
Lift up your voice and with us sing alleluia, alleluia!
Thou burning sun with golden beam,
Thou silver moon with softer gleam,
O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,
Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along, O praise him, alleluia!
Thou rising morn in praise rejoice,
Ye lights of evening, find a voice,
O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,
Make music for thy Lord to hear, Alleluia, Alleluia!
Thou fire so masterful and bright,
That givest man both warmth and light,
O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN, David Crowder
Lyrics: Francis of Assisi

Sacrament of Holy Baptism

8:45

Ellen Ann Surdo

Covenant child of Mary Margaret and Chris

10:30

Kendall James Dougan

Covenant child of Micaela and Ryan

Elaine "Lainey" Renee Vera

Covenant child of Lindsey and Jonathan

**All Creatures of Our God and King*

All ye who are of tender heart,
Forgiving others, take your part, O sing ye, alleluia!
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,
Praise God and on him cast your care,
O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,
And worship him in humbleness, O praise him, alleluia!
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
And praise the Spirit, three in one,
O praise him, O praise him, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Prayer for Christ's Church and the World

Abide with Me

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.
When fail my helpers, and my comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, abide with me.

Thou on my head in early youth didst smile;
And, though rebellious and perverse meanwhile,
Thou hast not left me, oft as I left thee.
On to the close, Lord, abide with me.

Be thou beside me every passing hour.
What but thy favor foils the tempter's pow'r?
Who else but thou, Lord, can my Captain be?
Through cloud and sunshine, abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes;
Shine in the twilight; point me to the skies.
Heav'n's morning opens, earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, Lord, abide with me.

Music: Justin Smith

Lyrics: Henry Lyte, Justin Smith, and Nils H. Jonsson

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God, in baptism you promise us forgiveness and new life,
making us a part of the body of Christ.

We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves,
failing to love our brothers and sisters in Christ as you have loved us,
and failing to love our neighbors as ourselves.

In your loving kindness, have mercy upon us, and free us from our sin.
Remind us of the promises made to us in baptism
so that we may be raised to new life and live in unity and love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Words of Assurance**

Galatians 4:4-5

Minister: When the fullness of time had come,
God sent his Son, born of a woman,
born under the law,
in order to redeem those who were under the law,
so that we might be adopted as children.

***Who You Say I Am**

Who am I that the highest King would welcome me?
I was lost, but he brought me in.
Oh his love for me, oh his love for me.

*Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed.
I'm a child of God, yes I am.*

Free at last, he has ransomed me; his grace runs deep.
While I was a slave to sin Jesus died for me; yes he died for me.

Chorus:

Who the Son sets free, oh is free indeed.

I'm a child of God, yes I am.

In my Father's house there's a place for me;

I'm a child of God, yes I am.

I am chosen, not forsaken; I am who you say I am.

You are for me, not against me; I am who you say I am. (*Repeat*)

I am who you say I am. (*Chorus*)

In my Father's house there's a place for me;

I'm a child of God, yes I am.

Music & Lyrics: Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan

*The Peace of God

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

People: **And also with you!**

The Offering

Scripture Reading

Mark 9:14-29

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

The Sermon “The More Risk, The More Reliance”
Crown and Cross

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

***Red Sea Road**

We've buried dreams, laid them deep into the earth behind us;
Said our goodbyes at the grave but everything reminds us.
God knows we ache, when he asks us to go on,
How do we go on?

Chorus:

*We will sing to our souls, we won't bury our hope.
Where he leads us to go, there's a red sea road.
When we can't see the way, he will part the waves;
And we'll never walk alone down a red sea road.*

How can we trust when you say you will deliver us from
All of this pain that threatens to take over us; well
This desert's dry, but the ocean may consume
And we're scared to follow you. (*Chorus*)

Oh help us believe, you are faithful, you're faithful;
When our hearts are breaking, you are faithful, you're faithful.
Oh, grant us eyes to see you are faithful, you're faithful.
Teach us to sing, you are faithful, you're faithful, you're faithful.
(*Chorus*)

*No, we'll never walk alone down a red sea road.
No, we'll never walk alone down a red sea road.*

Music & Lyrics: Ellie Holcomb, Christa Wells, and Nicole Witt

***Benediction**

Minister: May the blessing of our Triune God –
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – rest upon you.

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

*Musicians: Joe Beam, drums; Micaela Dougan, vocals; Conrad Guthrie, bass;
Luke Kirkwood, keyboard; Katie Reyes, guitar and vocals; Steven Wiggs, cello
Audio Team: Will McKee and Namath Naif
Video Team: Phil Betti, Abigail Cunningham, and Michelle Hays*

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MINISTRY BUDGET UPDATE

2020 Ministry Budget Goal	\$ 4,615,000
Expected Giving through 6/14/20	\$ 2,130,000
Received as of 6/14/20	\$ 1,469,362
Variance	\$ (660,638)

Congregational News

We give praise for the marriage of of Cameron Cuenod and Sage Klement on June 12. We extend our sympathy to Ryan and Micaela Dougan in the death of Ryan's grandfather on June 17.



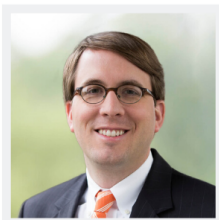
CHRIST THE KING CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
FAMILY MOVE NIGHT
JULY 10 • 6:00 PM

Families with children in 2nd-5th grade • The Great Hall
Register today christtheking.com/children!

Congregational Meeting

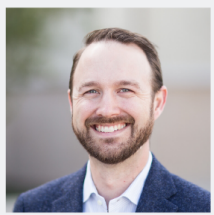
We will hold a congregational meeting on June 28 to elect deacons and trustees and to dissolve the pastoral relationship with Brad Wright in view of his call to Grace Presbyterian Church in The Woodlands. The deacons nominated are Patrick Coffey, Rob Hays and Travis McAfee. The trustees nominated are Raymond Cunningham, David Duren, George Shannon, Kevin Wells and Jeff Whittle.

Church members who attend the 8:45 or 10:30 am services will be able to vote in person by paper ballot. Church members who view the 10:30 am live stream will be able to vote online. Voting will end at the conclusion of the 10:30 am service.



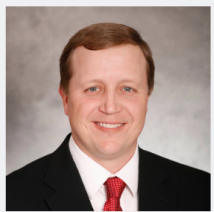
Patrick Coffey- DEACON

Spouse: Jaime
Children: Walter (10), Harry (9)
Occupation: Attorney
Years at Christ the King: 13
Ministry Emphasis: Media Ministry, Financial
Peace University, Welcome Ministry,
Men's Ministry



Rob Hays- DEACON

Spouse: Michelle
Children: Jack (6), Tucker (4)
Occupation: Vice President, TeleVoice, Inc.
Years at Christ the King: 15
Ministry Emphasis: Adult Sunday Morning
Classes, Men's Ministry



Travis McAfee- DEACON

Spouse: Holly
Children: Brooke (13), Ashley (11), Lauren (7)
Occupation: Commercial Property Manager
Years at Christ the King: 10
Ministry Emphasis: Men's Ministry,
Children's Ministry