



CROWN & CROSS

ORDER OF WORSHIP

SEPTEMBER 13, 2020
THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

❖ CALL TO WORSHIP

from Revelation 7

Minister: Salvation belongs to our God
who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!

People: **Blessing and glory and wisdom
and thanksgiving and honor and power
and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen.**

❖ COME, CHRISTIANS, JOIN TO SING

MADRID, Traditional Spanish melody, Christian H. Bateman

Come, Christians, join to sing, Alleluia! Amen!
Loud praise to Christ our King; Alleluia! Amen!
Let all, with heart and voice, before his throne rejoice;
Praise is his gracious choice. Alleluia! Amen!

Come, lift your hearts on high, Alleluia! Amen!
Let praises fill the sky; Alleluia! Amen!
He is our Guide and Friend; to us he'll condescend;
His love shall never end. Alleluia! Amen!

Praise yet our Christ again, Alleluia! Amen!
Life shall not end the strain; Alleluia! Amen!
On heaven's blissful shore, his goodness we'll adore,
Singing forevermore, "Alleluia! Amen!"

❖ PRAYER OF ADORATION

followed by the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever.
Amen.

❖ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism, #126

Minister: What do we ask for when we pray,
"Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors"?

People: **"Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors"
means, because of Christ's blood,
do not hold against us,
poor sinners that we are,
any of the sins we do
or the evil that constantly clings to us.**

**Forgive us just as we are fully determined,
as evidence of your grace in us,
to forgive our neighbors.**

❖ 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 FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

COME, YE SOULS BY SIN AFFLICTED

Kevin Twit and Joseph Swain

Come, ye souls by sin afflicted,
Bowed with fruitless sorrow down;
By the broken law convicted,
Through the cross, behold the crown;
Look to Jesus, look to Jesus; look to Jesus;
Mercy flows through him alone.

Take his easy yoke and wear it;
Love will make your obedience sweet;
Christ will give you strength to bear it,
While his grace shall guide your feet
Safe to glory, safe to glory, safe to glory,
Where his ransomed captives meet.

Blessed are the eyes that see him,
Blest the ears that hear his voice;
Blessed are the souls that trust him,
And in him alone rejoice;
His commandments, his commandments,
His commandments,
Then become their happy choice.

Sweet as home to pilgrims weary,
Light to newly opened eyes,
Like full springs in deserts dreary,
Is the rest the cross supplies;
All who taste it, all who taste it, all who taste it
Shall to rest immortal rise.

Look to Jesus; look to Jesus; look to Jesus;
Mercy flows through him alone.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Minister: Out of the depths I cry to you, O LORD.

People: Lord, hear my voice!

Minister: Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

**People: If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities,
Lord, who could stand?**

Minister: But there is forgiveness with you,
so that you may be revered.

**People: I wait for the LORD, my soul waits,
and in his word I hope;
my soul waits for the Lord
more than those who watch for the morning,
more than those who watch for the morning.**

Minister: O Israel, hope in the LORD!
For with the LORD there is steadfast love,
and with him is great power to redeem.
It is he who will redeem Israel from all its iniquities.

❖ AMAZING GRACE

AMAZING GRACE, Traditional American melody, John Newton

Amazing grace! – how sweet the sound –
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found –
Was blind, but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed!

Through many dangers, toils and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.

The Lord has promised good to me,
His Word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be,
As long as life endures.

And when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease,
I shall possess within the veil
A life of joy and peace.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun.

❖ THE PEACE OF GOD

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

People: And also with you!

THE OFFERING

SCRIPTURE READING

Mark 12:1-12

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

“The Cornerstone”
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 using the prayers printed below.

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.

❖ STEADFAST

Sandra McCracken, Leslie Jordan, and Josh Silverberg

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*)

❖ BENEDICTION

Minister: May the blessing of the eternal God be upon us,
and upon our work and worship;
his light to guide us,
his presence to strengthen us,
his love to unite us; now and always.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

Worship Leaders

Joe Beam	drums
Daniel Campbell	keyboard & vocals
Joe Deegan	guitar & vocals
Micaela Dougan	vocals
Conrad Guthrie	bass
Clay Holland	sermon
Jaime Jimenez	liturgy
Carey Lewis	electric guitar
Yvonne Smith	viola

Audio/Visual Team

Phil Betti	switcher
Ozzie Fong	broadcast audio
Namath Naif	house audio
Arjan Voogt	projections
Natalie Voogt	camera

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Welcome! We are so glad you are with us today. Here are a few things going on within the life of the church that we don't want you to miss. For a full list of upcoming events, please visit christtheking.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today	Fellowship Hall	11:30 am - 12:00 pm
Tonight	3D Virtual Kickoff Party	3:00 - 4:00 pm
Tonight	Code 45 Virtual Kickoff Party	4:00 - 5:00 pm
9/17	Outdoor Communion	7:00 pm
9/20	Young Adults Brunch	9:45 - 10:30 am
9/27	Relate Strong Webinar	4:00 - 6:00 pm
10/2 - 10/4	Middle School Fall Weekend	
10/4	Next Door as it is in Heaven	12:00 - 1:30 pm
10/11	Relate Strong Webinar	4:00 - 6:00 pm

Outdoor Communion

September 17, 7:00 pm, The Fields at Christ the King

Join us for a short worship service, including communion. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets to sit on the grass. We are looking forward to seeing you!

Mission Workshop

October 4, 12:00 - 1:30 pm, The Redeemer Room or via Zoom

No doubt we are living in unsettling times. But in addition to the challenges the current Covid-19 crisis has brought to our lives, we are also facing a unique opportunity as followers of Jesus to look up to him and follow his way by moving outward and extending his love to others. Join us for a workshop to hear from Brad Brisco (via Zoom), Director of Bivocational Church Planting for the North American Mission Board, and part of the leadership team for Forge America. He is also the author of numerous books. The workshop is available via zoom and in-person. Register at christtheking.com/serve/.

Counseling Webinar

Sunday, September 27, 4:00-6:00 pm, led by Todd Parish

Sunday, October 11, 4:00-6:00 pm, led by Caroline McKee

Marriage and family relationships have taken on a new meaning for all of us over the past few months. Counselors Todd Parish (Th.M., M.A.B.C., LPC-Intern) and Caroline McKee (M.A.B.C., LPC-Intern) will lead a Relate|Strong webinar to equip couples with tools such as conflict resolution, understanding your spouse, and working through past baggage. These tools will be presented through a process exploring how Gospel truth can transform painful relationship cycles as well as enhance problem solving and communication skills. Join us as we learn to relate better to each other in our marriage even in an age of uncertainty. The cost for this 2-hour seminar on Zoom is \$50 per couple. Register at christtheking.com/counseling/.

Next Door As It Is In Heaven

Loving your neighbor
in a time of pandemic

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VIA ZOOM AND IN-PERSON
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9:00 am

Worship Service

Nursery Care

(Infant - 2 years)

Children's Worship

Wee Worship (3-4 year olds)

Children will be dropped off and picked up in their Sunday School classrooms.

Kingdom Kids (K-2nd grade)

Children will be dismissed from the worship service.

10:30 am

Worship Service

Nursery Care

(Infant - 1 years)

Sunday School

2 - 4 years old (1st floor)

K - 3rd grade (2nd floor)

Code 45 - 4th & 5th graders

(past the playground,
and up the stairs)

Student Ministry (3rd floor)

Adult Sunday

Morning Class

(3rd Floor)

ADULT CONNECTION

Adult Sunday Morning Class, 10:30 am, The Redeemer Room

Join us in-person on Sunday mornings as we look into how God's plan of redemption culminated in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, the promised Rescuer - God himself - to realize that God's plan of redemption culminates not in an ending, but a new beginning - a new creation where God will live forever with his people.



MINISTRY BUDGET UPDATE

2020 Ministry Budget Goal	\$ 4,615,000
Expected Giving through 9/06/20	\$ 3,195,000
Received as of 9/06/20	\$ 2,081,944
Variance	\$ (1,113,056)