



*Easter
Sunday*

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Christ the King Presbyterian Church

APRIL 12, 2020

The Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ

***Call to Worship** *from Psalm 113:1-3*

Minister: Christ is risen from the dead!

People: **Alleluia!**

Minister: Praise the LORD!
Praise, O servants of the LORD,
praise the name of the LORD!

People: **Blessed be the name of the LORD
from this time forth and forevermore!
From the rising of the sun to its setting,
the name of the LORD is to be praised!**

***Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**

Christ the Lord is ris'n today, Alleluia!
Sons of men and angels say; Alleluia!
Raise your joys and triumphs high; Alleluia!
Sing ye heav'ns, and earth, reply: Alleluia!

Vain the stone, the watch, the seal; Alleluia!
Christ has burst the gates of hell: Alleluia!
Death in vain forbids his rise; Alleluia!
Christ hath opened Paradise. Alleluia!

Lives again our glorious King; Alleluia!
Where, O death, is now thy sting? Alleluia!
Once he died, our souls to save; Alleluia!
Where thy victory, O grave? Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, Alleluia!
Following our exalted Head; Alleluia!
Made like him, like him we rise: Alleluia!
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies. Alleluia!

Hail, the Lord of earth and heav'n! Alleluia!
Praise to thee by both be giv'n; Alleluia!
Thee we greet triumphant now; Alleluia!
Hail, the Resurrection thou! Alleluia!

Music: EASTER HYMN, *Lyra Davidica*
Lyrics: Charles Wesley

***Prayer of Adoration**

***Affirmation of Faith** *Westminster Shorter Catechism, Questions 27 & 28*

Minister: How did Christ humble himself?

People: **Christ humbled himself in his being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried and continuing under the power of death for a time.**

**Congregation stands*

‡Congregation kneels

Minister: How is Christ exalted?

People: Christ's exaltation consists in his rising again from the dead on the third day, in ascending up into heaven, in sitting at the right hand of God the Father, and in coming to judge the world at the last day.

****In Christ Alone***

In Christ alone - my hope is found;
He is my light, my strength, my song;
This cornerstone, this solid ground,
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm.
What heights of love, what depths of peace,
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease!
My comforter, my all in all - here in the love of Christ I stand.

In Christ alone, who took on flesh, fullness of God in helpless babe!
This gift of love and righteousness,
Scorned by the ones he came to save.
Till on that cross as Jesus died,
The wrath of God was satisfied;
For every sin on him was laid - here in the death of Christ I live.

There in the ground his body lay,
Light of the world by darkness slain;
Then bursting forth in glorious day, up from the grave he rose again!
And as he stands in victory, sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
For I am his and he is mine -
Bought with the precious blood of Christ.

No guilt in life, no fear in death - this is the pow'r of Christ in me;
From life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny.
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man,
Can ever pluck me from his hand;
Till he returns or calls me home -
Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand.

Music & Lyrics: Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

Prayer for Christ's Church and the World

Man of Sorrows

Man of sorrows, Lamb of God, by his own betrayed;
The sin of man and wrath of God has been on Jesus laid.

Silent as he stood accused, beaten, mocked, and scorned;
Bowing to the Father's will, he took a crown of thorns.

Chorus:

*Oh that rugged cross, my salvation,
Where your love poured out over me;
Now my soul cries out hallelujah,
Praise and honor unto thee.*

Sent of heaven, God's own Son, to purchase and redeem
And reconcile the very ones who nailed him to that tree. (*Chorus*)

Now my debt is paid; it is paid in full
By the precious blood that my Jesus spilled.
Now the curse of sin has no hold on me.
Whom the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed! (*Repeat*) (*Chorus*)

See the stone is rolled away, behold the empty tomb.
Hallelujah! God be praised; he's risen from the grave. (*Chorus*)

Music & Lyrics: Matt Crocker and Brooke Ligertwood

‡ Prayer of Confession

Most loving and merciful Father,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed, in what we have done,
and in what we have left undone.
There is no health in us.

Have mercy on us according to your great love.
Blot our sins from your remembrance,
and look on us as those who are clothed
in the perfect righteousness of your Son, Jesus Christ.

Stir up our hearts to more fully believe that Christ died for us,
rose again for us, and will come again for us.
Pour into our hearts such love for you,
that we, loving you above all things, may truly obtain your promises,
which exceed all we can desire. Amen.

*Words of Assurance

1 Corinthians 15:20-22

Minister: Christ has been raised from the dead,
the first fruits of those who have died.
For since death came through a man,
the resurrection of the dead has also come through a man;
for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ.

**Because He Lives (Amen)*

I believe in the Son, I believe in the Risen One;
I believe I overcome by the power of the blood.

Chorus:

Amen, amen; I'm alive, I'm alive because he lives.

Amen, amen: let my song join the one that never ends

Because he lives.

I was dead in the grave; I was covered in sin and shame.
I heard mercy call my name. He rolled the stone away. (*Chorus*)

Because he lives I can face tomorrow;
Because he lives every fear is gone.
I know he holds my life, my future, in his hand. (*Chorus 2x*)

Music & Lyrics: Chris Tomlin, Daniel Carson, Ed Cash,
Gloria Gaither, Jason Ingram, and Matt Maher

*The Peace of God

Minister: The peace of the Lord be always with you.
People: And also with you!

The Offering

Scripture Reading

Revelation 22:1-7

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Sermon

“Here at the End of All Things”

**Rising Sun*

Praise him, all you sinners.
Sing, oh sing, you weary.
Oh praise him all you children of God.

We lift high his glory,
Shown throughout our stories.
We praise him as the children of God.

Chorus:

*Our great Redeemer, glorious Savior,
Your name is higher than the rising sun.
Light of the morning, you shine forever.
Your name is higher than the rising sun.
Your name is higher than the rising sun.*

Praise his name forever.
Speak it loud and clear now.
Oh praise him all you children of God. (*Chorus*)

Alleluia, name above all,
Simply to speak your name is praise;
Alleluia, now and always,
Forever we lift your name in praise.
Alleluia, name above all,
Simply to speak your name is praise. (*Chorus*)

Your name is higher than the rising sun.

Music & Lyrics: David Leonard, Leslie Jordan, and Kyle Lee

*Benediction

Hebrews 13:20-21

Minister: Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Musicians: Joe Beam, drums; Daniel Campbell, vocals and keyboard;
Joe Deegan, guitar and vocals; Conrad Guthrie, bass; Katie Reyes, vocals
Sound Engineer: Namath Naif
Video Team: Phil Betti, Colby Hodges, Arjan Voogt, and Natalie Voogt*

MINISTRY BUDGET UPDATE

2020 Ministry Budget Goal	\$ 4,615,000
Expected Giving through 4/05/20	\$ 1,242,500
Received as of 4/05/20	\$ 817,298
Variance	\$ 425,202

CARE AT CHRIST THE KING

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYERS

Many of our members are currently facing difficult situations. Please be praying for those among us who:

- Are facing financial stress or job loss
- Are adjusting to radical changes in our schedule and juggling both work and school from home
- Have loved ones who have contracted COVID-19
- Work in the medical field or on the front lines of this crisis
- Are unable to be with family members due to COVID-19 preventative measures
- Are experiencing loneliness, fear, or excessive worry from social isolation
- Are grieving missed opportunities or cancelled events at school, work, and home

Can we pray for you? Let us know at christtheking.com/care.

CHRIST THE KING COUNSELING CENTER

In the midst of the COVID-19 pandemic, Christ the King Counseling Center is here to support our members and friends in the Houston community. We are currently offering video sessions to ensure safety while maintaining psychological and emotional health. To begin counseling and for more information, please contact counseling@christtheking.com.

DEACONS AT CHRIST THE KING

The deacons provide tangible help to members and regular attenders in times of need. The deacons come alongside members and regular attenders to assist with needs like encouragement and prayer, budgeting and financial coaching, helping widows and elderly, financial relief and other ministries of mercy and help. If you have a need and would like to speak with a deacon email deacons@christtheking.com.



How do you livestream?

We miss seeing our church family!
Send us a picture of you worshipping with us.
We will create a pre-service slideshow starting 4/19.

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