



CROWN & CROSS

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Christ the King Presbyterian Church

MAY 10, 2020

The Fourth Sunday of Easter

## \*Call to Worship *from Isaiah 9:2*

Minister: The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light;

People: **Those who dwelt in a land of deep darkness,  
on them has light shined!**

## \**Arise, Shine, for Your Light Has Come*

Arise, shine, for your light has come  
And the glory of God is on you.  
Arise, see though the earth grows dark,  
That the Lord will arise upon you,  
The Lord will arise upon you.

*Chorus:*

*Nations will come to your light, lift up your eyes and see.  
We'll gather together and come to you  
And your love will be all that we know,  
And your love will be all that we know.*

Arise, come to the open gates  
For the Father is welcoming you.  
Fear not, for the Lord brings peace  
And redemption to all who believe,  
And redemption to all who believe. (*Chorus*)

The sun will not shine cause you'll be all the light that we need  
And violence will end;  
All the wars that we wage will cease. (*Repeat*)

We will glorify your name,  
We will glorify your name. (*Chorus 2x*)

Music & Lyrics: Jered McKenna

## \*Prayer of Adoration

## \*Affirmation of Faith *Westminster Shorter Catechism, Question 22*

Minister: How did Christ, being the Son of God, become man?

People: **Christ, the Son of God, became man by taking to  
himself a true body, and a reasonable soul, being con-  
ceived by the power of the Holy Spirit in the womb of  
the virgin Mary, and born of her, yet without sin.**

## \**Boldly I Approach*

By grace alone somehow I stand where even angels fear to tread;  
Invited by redeeming love before the throne of God above.  
He pulls me close with nail-scarred hands into his everlasting arms.

When condemnation grips my heart and Satan tempts me to despair;  
I hear the voice that scatters fear. The Great I Am, the Lord, is here.  
Oh praise the one who fights for me and shields my soul eternally.

\*Congregation stands

‡Congregation kneels

*Chorus:*  
*Boldly I approach your throne;*  
*Blameless, now, I'm running home.*  
*By your blood I come, welcomed as your own*  
*Into the arms of majesty.*

Behold the bright and risen Son;  
More beauty than this world has known.  
I'm face to face with Love Himself, his perfect spotless righteousness.  
A thousand years, a thousand tongues  
Are not enough to sing his praise.  
(*Chorus 2x*)

This is the art of celebration; knowing we're free from condemnation.  
Oh praise the One, praise the One who made an end to all my sin.  
(*Repeat then Chorus*)

Music & Lyrics: Rend Collective

## RUF Updates

### Prayer for Christ's Church and the World

#### *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

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.

Music: HAMBURG, Gregorian chant  
Lyrics: Isaac Watts

### ‡Prayer of Thanksgiving and Confession

Minister: 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**

*Isaiah 1:18*

Minister: Though your sins are like scarlet, says the Lord,  
they shall be like snow;  
though they are red like crimson,  
they shall become like wool.

***\*Let Us Love and Sing and Wonder***

Let us love and sing and wonder,  
Let us praise the Savior's name,  
He has hushed the law's loud thunder,  
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame.  
He has washed us with his blood (3x)  
He has brought us nigh to God.

Let us sing though fierce temptation  
Threatens hard to bear us down.  
For the Lord, our strong salvation,  
Holds in view the conquerors crown.  
He who washed us with his blood, (3x)  
Soon will bring us home to God.

Let us wonder; grace and justice  
Join and point to mercy's store;  
When through grace in Christ our trust is,  
Justice smiles and asks no more:  
He who washed us with his blood (3x)  
Has secured our way to God.

Let us praise, and join the chorus  
Of the saints enthroned on high;  
Here they trusted him before us,  
Now their praises fill the sky:  
You have washed us with your blood; (3x)  
You are worthy, Lamb of God!

Music: Laura Taylor  
Lyrics: John Newton

**\*The Peace of God**

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

**The Offering**

## Scripture Reading

Mark 7:31-37

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

## The Sermon

“Who Has Ears to Hear?”

*Crown and Cross*

### \**Redeemed, Restored, Forgiven*

Once on a dreary mountain, we wandered far and wide;  
Far from the cleansing fountain, far from the pierced side.  
But Jesus sought and found us and washed our guilt away;  
With cords of love he bound us to be his own today.

*Chorus:*

*Redeemed, restored, forgiven  
Through Jesus' precious blood,  
Heirs of his home in heaven,  
Oh, praise our pardoning God.*

Dear Lord, receive the glory of each recovered soul.  
Oh who can tell the story of love that made us whole?  
Not ours, not ours, the merit, be yours alone the praise,  
And ours a thankful spirit to serve you all our days. (*Chorus*)

Now keep us, holy Savior, in your true love and fear,  
And grant us by your favor the grace to persevere.

Till in your new creation, when earth meets heaven's shore,  
We find our full salvation and praise you evermore.

*Chorus 2:*

*Redeemed, restored, forgiven  
Through Jesus' precious blood,  
Heirs of his home in heaven,  
Oh, praise our God.*

*Redeemed, restored, forgiven  
Through Jesus' precious blood,  
Heirs of his home in heaven,  
Oh, praise our pardoning God.  
Praise our God.*

Music: Matthew Smith and Jeff Pardo

Lyrics: Henry W. Baker

### \***Benediction**

Minister: May the love of the Lord Jesus draw us to himself; may the power of the Lord Jesus strengthen us in his service; may the joy of the Lord Jesus fill our souls; and may the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon us and remain with us always.

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

*Musicians: Daniel Campbell, vocals and keyboard; Joe Deegan, guitar and vocals;*

*Conrad Guthrie, bass; Luke Hubley, drums; Katie Reyes, vocals*

*Sound Engineer: Namath Naif*

*Video Team: Colby Hodges, Amber Saugier, and Titus Saugier*

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## MINISTRY BUDGET UPDATE

2020 Ministry Budget Goal	\$ 4,615,000
Expected Giving through 5/03/20	\$ 1,597,500
Received as of 5/03/20	\$ 1,074,120
Variance	\$ 523,380

## CARE AT CHRIST THE KING

### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYERS

We give praise for the birth of Bennett Joseph Bodine to Roxie and Austin on April 29.  
We give praise for the birth of Sarah Louise Meyer to Frank and Megan on May 7.

Let us know how we can pray for you at [christtheking.com/congregational-care](http://christtheking.com/congregational-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](mailto: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](mailto:deacons@christtheking.com).



A screenshot of the church's website showing a livestream section. On the left, a dark blue banner contains the text "LIVE STREAM ON OUR NEW WEBSITE!" and "CHRISTTHEKING.COM/LIVESTREAM". The main content area shows a "Livestream" header with a navigation menu (VISIT, CONNECT, CARE, SERVE, EVENTS, SERVE). Below the header is a countdown timer: "WATCH US LIVE IN 05DAYS : 22HRS : 12MINS : 19SECS". The featured livestream is titled "Guest Connection" in a cursive font, with a play button icon. Below the title is a description: "Join us after church to connect with a pastor and learn more about Christ the King via Zoom!". At the bottom, there are three buttons: "Download the Order of Worship" and "Give Your Tithes &amp; Offerings".