



# CHRIST THE KING

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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*Understand this, it is far better to be a Christian than a monk.*

Martin Luther

*Self-denial is often used as a way to become self-righteous.*

Phil Ryken

*In the same way that God may save the very worst of persons, he can consecrate the seemingly mundane.*

Robert Yarbrough

*My concern is that the activist impulse at the heart of evangelicalism can put an enormous burden on people to do big things when what we need most right now is to do the ordinary things better.*

Michael Horton

# Lord's Day Worship

## GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 150

Mr. Mark Husband

Leader: Praise the LORD! Praise God in his sanctuary;

**People: praise him in his mighty heavens!**

Leader: Praise him for his mighty deeds;

**People: praise him according to his excellent greatness!**

Leader: Praise him with trumpet sound;

**People: praise him with lute and harp!**

Leader: Praise him with tambourine and dance;

**People: praise him with strings and pipe!**

Leader: Praise him with sounding cymbals;

**People: praise him with loud clashing cymbals!**

Leader: Let everything that has breath praise the LORD!

**PEOPLE: Praise the LORD!**

\*SONG

ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

1

All creatures of our God and King

Lift up your voice and with us sing

O praise Him! Alleluia!

Thou, burning sun with golden beam

Thou, silver moon with softer gleam

O praise Him! O praise Him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

2

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!

3

All the redeemed washed by His blood  
Come and rejoice in His great love  
O Praise Him! Alleluia!  
Christ has defeated every sin  
Cast all your burdens now on Him  
O praise Him! O praise Him!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

4

He shall return in pow'r to reign  
Heaven and earth will join to say  
O praise Him! Alleluia!  
Then who shall fall on bended knee?  
All creatures of our God and King

O praise Him! O praise Him!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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\*PRAYER OF ADORATION (CONCLUDING WITH 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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Isaiah 55:1-2

Q. What are the delights of the life we have in Christ?

**A. Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.**

**GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN**

CONFESSION OF SIN

DANIEL 9:5

**We have sinned and done wrong and acted wickedly and rebelled, turning aside from your commandments and rules.**

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

John 10:28-29, Philippians 1:6

I give them eternal life, and they will never perish, and no one will snatch them out of my hand. My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all, and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

\*SONG

THY MERCY MY GOD

1

Thy mercy my God is the theme of my song  
The joy of my heart and the boast of my tongue  
Thy free grace alone from the first to the last  
Hath won my affections and bound my soul fast

2

Without Thy sweet mercy I could not live here  
Sin would reduce me to utter despair  
But through Thy free goodness my spirits revive  
And He that first made me still keeps me alive

3

Thy mercy is more than a match for my heart  
Which wonders to feel its own hardness depart  
Dissolved by Thy goodness I fall to the ground  
And weep for the praise of the mercy I found

4

Great Father of mercies Thy goodness I own  
And the covenant love of Thy crucified Son  
All praise to the Spirit whose whisper divine  
Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine  
All praise to the Spirit whose whisper divine  
Seals mercy and pardon and righteousness mine

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RECOGNITION OF NEW COMMUNICANT MEMBERS

9:30 AM

David Russell Raikes, Joselyn Quinn Raikes, William Ryker Raikes  
Micaela Danielle Little

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

9:30 AM

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## VOWS FOR NEW COMMUNING MEMBERS

1. Do you acknowledge yourselves to be sinners in the sight of God, justly deserving His displeasure, and without hope save in His sovereign mercy?
2. Do you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do you receive and rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel?
3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

## GOD FEEDS US FROM HIS WORD

\*BIBLE READING

1 Timothy 4:1-5

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Pastor Todd Gwennap

“Radically Ordinary”  
Letters for the Church

## GOD FEEDS US AT HIS TABLE

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

- *CTK welcomes all baptized believers who are communing members of gospel-believing churches to participate in the Supper.*
- *Come forward to receive the elements.*
- *The bread and the cup are stacked together in cups. The outer ring of each tray contains gluten-free bread.*
- *If you are not partaking, you may either remain in your seat or come forward and pass by the elements, whichever makes you most comfortable.*
- *If you are unable to come forward, an Elder will serve you the elements at your seat.*
- *Once you have been served, please take the elements back to your seat. We will eat and drink together once everyone has been served.*

\*SONG

WE WILL FEAST IN THE HOUSE OF ZION

*Chorus*

We will feast in the house of Zion  
We will sing with our hearts restored  
“He has done great things,”  
we will say together  
We will feast and weep no more

1

We will not be burned by the fire  
He is the Lord our God  
We are not consumed, by the flood  
Upheld, protected, gathered up

*Chorus*

2

In the dark of night, before the dawn  
My soul, be not afraid  
For the promised morning,  
Oh how long? O God of Jacob, be my strength

*Chorus*

3

Every vow we've broken and betrayed  
You are the Faithful One  
And from the garden to the grave  
Bind us together, bring shalom

*Chorus*

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**GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING**

\*BENEDICTION

1 Thessalonians. 5:23-24

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

DOXOLOGY/DISMISSAL

Praise God from Who all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below,  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*SERMON NOTES*

“Radically Ordinary”  
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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **Nursery is Returning**

Parents, the nursery will be reopening on March 21<sup>st</sup> for infants and children up to age 3. More information will be provided soon. Feel free to contact Emily Brewer (eamillar92@gmail.com) with any questions.

### **Youth Group Meeting**

There is NO Youth Group tonight.

### **Bridges Safe House**

Thank you for donating laundry products to Bridges Safehouse, a place of refuge for mothers and small children. As part of our ongoing ministry to Bridges, we will be now be collecting **picture/story books as well as educational books for infants and babies up to early elementary age children**. Books will be shared by the children who come and go, so please bring sturdy, new, or very gently used books.

You can bring the books to church and put it in the designated basket or call Karla Pollock (972-293-1472) to arrange for the items to be picked up. For more information contact Colton Brewer (469-328-8491) or Karla Pollock (972-293-1472).

If you prefer, donations of money can be sent directly to Bridges (Bridges Safehouse, Attn: Nicole Hernandez, 306 Hardy St, Cedar Hill, TX 75104).

### **Sermon Recordings**

We will no longer be video recording the sermons. Audio recording will be available on the web site Sunday afternoons.

**CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER REQUESTS**  
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