



# CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

June 4, 2023



“Creed in Chaos”

# Lord's Day Worship

## GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Matthew 5:3-12

Rev. Dave Lindberg

Leader: *Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.*  
**People:** ***Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.***  
Leader: *Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.*  
**People:** ***Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.***  
Leader: *Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.*  
**People:** ***Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.***  
Leader: *Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.*  
**People:** ***Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.***  
Leader: *Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account.*  
**All:** ***Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.***

\*SONG

GOD BE MERCIFUL TO ME

1

God, be merciful to me;  
On thy grace I rest my plea.  
Plenteous in compassion thou,  
Blot out my transgressions now.  
Wash me, make me pure within;  
Cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.

2

My transgressions I confess;  
Grief and guilt my soul oppress.  
I have sinned against thy grace,  
And provoked thee to thy face.  
I confess thy judgment just;  
Speechless, I thy mercy trust.

\*Please stand if you are able

3  
I am evil, born in sin;  
Thou desirest truth within.  
Thou alone my Savior art,  
Teach thy wisdom to my heart;  
Make me pure, thy grace bestow,  
Wash me whiter than the snow.

4  
Broken, humbled to the dust  
By thy wrath and judgment just,  
Let my contrite heart rejoice,  
And in gladness hear thy voice;  
From my sins O hide thy face,  
Blot them out in boundless grace.

5  
Gracious God, my heart renew,  
Make my spirit right and true.  
Cast me not away from thee,  
Let thy Spirit dwell in me;  
Thy salvation's joy impart,  
Steadfast make my willing heart.

6  
Sinners then shall learn from me,  
And return, O God, to thee.  
Savior, all my guilt remove,  
And my tongue shall sing thy love.  
Touch my silent lips, O Lord,  
And my mouth shall praise accord.

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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.***

Christians, what do you believe?

**We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.**

**And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, begotten from the Father before all ages,**

**God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made; of the same essence as the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; he became incarnate by the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and was made human. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried. The third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures. He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead. His kingdom will never end.**

**And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life. He proceeds from the Father and the Son, and with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified. He spoke through the prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic<sup>o</sup> and apostolic church. We affirm one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and to life in the world to come. Amen.**

<sup>o</sup>That is, the true Christian church of all times and all places

\*SONG

NOT WHAT MY HANDS HAVE DONE

1

Not what my hands have done  
 Can save my guilty soul;  
 Not what my toiling flesh has born  
 Can make my spirit whole.  
 Not what I feel or do  
 Can give me peace with God;  
 Not all my prayers, and sighs and tears  
 Can bear my awful load.

2

Thy work alone, O Christ,  
 Can ease this weight of sin  
 Thy blood alone O Lamb of God,  
 Can give me peace within.  
 Thy love to me, O God,  
 Not mine, O Lord, to Thee  
 Can rid me of this dark unrest, and set my spirit free!

3  
Thy grace alone, O God,  
To me can pardon speak;  
Thy power alone O Son of God,  
Can this sore bondage break.  
No other work, save Thine,  
No other blood will do,  
No strength save that, which is divine,  
Can bear me safely through.

4  
I bless the Christ of God;  
I rest on love divine;  
And with unfaltering lip and heart,  
I call this Savior mine.  
His cross dispels each doubt,  
I bury in His tomb  
My unbelief and all my fear  
Each lingering shade of gloom.

5  
I praise the God of Grace,  
I trust His truth and might.  
He calls me His, I call Him mine,  
My God, my joy, my light.  
‘Tis He who saveth me,  
And freely pardon gives.  
I love because He loveth me,  
I live because He lives!

## GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Rev. Mark Husband

**Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and apart from your grace, there is no health in us.**

**O Lord, have mercy upon us. Spare all those who confess their faults. Restore all those who are penitent, according to your promises declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of your holy Name. Amen.**

Book of Common Prayer

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 Timothy 1:15

*The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.*

**Leader:** In Christ you are forgiven.

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

SONG

PSALM 3

(Collection of tithes, gifts and offerings)

1

My God, how many are my fears!  
How fast my foes increase!  
Conspiring my eternal death,  
They break my present peace.

2

The lying tempter would persuade  
There's no relief in Heav'n;  
And all my swelling sins appear  
Too big to be forgiv'n.

3  
But Thou, my glory and my strength,  
Shalt on the tempter tread,  
Shalt silence all my threatening guilt,  
And raise my drooping head.

4  
I cried, and from His holy hill  
He bowed a listening ear;  
I called my Father, and my God,  
And He subdued my fear.

5  
He shed soft slumbers on mine eyes,  
In spite of all my foes;  
I woke, and wondered at the grace  
That guarded my repose.

6  
What though the hosts of death and hell  
All armed against me stood,  
Terrors no more shall shake my soul;  
My refuge is my God.

7  
Arise, O Lord, fulfill Thy grace,  
While I Thy glory sing;  
My God has broke the serpent's teeth,  
And death has lost his sting.

8  
Salvation to the Lord belongs;  
His arm alone can save;  
Blessings attend Thy people here,  
And reach beyond the grave.

Words by Isaac Watts

OLD TESTAMENT READING

2 Samuel 15

Elder Hugh Comer

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Mark Husband

## GOD FEEDS US FROM HIS WORD

\*SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 3

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SERMON

Rev. Dave Lindberg

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## 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.*
- ❖ *Gluten-free and nut-free bread is in a small box on the plate.*
- ❖ *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 DURING COMMUNION

IN CHRIST ALONE

1

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.

2

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 all my sin on Him was laid —  
Here in the death of Christ I live.



3

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.

4

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

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\*SONG

PRAISE TO THE LORD

1

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,  
the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise him,  
for he is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near;  
praise him in glad adoration.

2

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things  
so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee under his wings,  
yea, so gently sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how all your longings have been  
granted in what he ordaineth?

3  
Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper  
thy work and defend thee;  
surely his goodness and mercy here daily attend thee.  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
if with his love he befriend thee.

4  
Praise to the Lord!  
O let all that is in me adore him!  
All that hath life and breath,  
come now with praises before him.  
Let the Amen sound from his people again,  
gladly for aye we adore him!

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### **GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING**

\*BENEDICTION

2 Corinthians 13:14

*The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.*

\*DOXOLOGY/DISMISSAL

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

SERMON NOTES  
"Creed in Chaos"  
Psalm 3

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Women's Ministry

Ladies, let's gather together during the summer months on the second Tuesday of each month for dinner. Please join us at Jason's Deli in Cedar Hill on **June 13 at 6:30 pm**.

Also, mark your calendars for **July 1st**. You are invited to a Nesting Party at the home of Liesl Raikes as we help her prepare for the birth of baby Raikes. More details to follow.

### Corporate Prayer Wednesday, June 7

Everyone is welcome to join the Session for Corporate Prayer in the CTK office on the first, third and fifth Wednesdays. We will meet this Wednesday from 5:45 till 6:45 pm at 313 N. 9<sup>th</sup> St, Midlothian. There is much to pray for!

### Summer Break

We will not have any Sunday School or nursery at 9:30 am for the summer months to give our teachers and nursery care volunteers a needed break. Nursery will be available at 10:30 am on Sundays.

### Youth Group

The Youth Group for students in grades 6 to 12 is taking a break for the summer. Special events will be announced soon.

Questions? Contact Pastor Mark Husband @ 601-906-1227.

CTK Budget Update Year-to-Date March 2023  
General Fund Contributions and Expenses  
Budget \$82,500  
Contributions \$56,900  
Expenses (\$100,800)

### Set Up Team for June:

Paul & Carolyn Bush  
Calvin Pitts  
Tony Sok & sons

### Ushers for June 11:

Tony Sok  
Ian Sok

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