



CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lord's Day Worship

April 7, 2024

GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 92:1-2
Rev. Dave Lindberg

Leader: *It is good to give thanks to the LORD, to sing praises to your name, O Most High;*

People: *to declare your steadfast love in the morning and your faithfulness by night.*

*SONG

OH HOW GOOD IT IS

1
Oh how good it is, when the family of God
Dwells together in Spirit, in faith and unity
Where the bonds of peace,
of acceptance and love
Are the fruit of His presence here among us

Chorus
So with one voice we'll sing to the Lord
And with one heart we'll live out His Word
Till the whole world sees
the Redeemer has come
For He dwells in the presence of His people

2
Oh how good it is on this journey we share
To rejoice with the happy,
and weep with those who mourn
For the weak find strength,
the afflicted find grace
When we offer the blessing of belonging
chorus

3
Oh how good it is to embrace
His command
To prefer one another,
Forgive as He forgives
When we love as one,
we all share in the love
Of the Son with the Father and the Spirit
chorus

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*Please stand if you are able

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* 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.

*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

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.

4

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

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ, the light of the world. Amen.

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SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

1 John 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Leader: In Christ you are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SONG

(Collection of tithes, gifts and offerings)

GOD OF EVERY GRACE

1

O let not this world of sorrows steal
my only hope away
For the power of Your gospel shines within
this jar of clay
In affliction You bring wisdom that my
comforts can displace
How my true and greatest treasure is in You
the God of grace

Chorus

Now to the God of ev'ry grace
Who counts my tears,
Who holds my days
I sing through sorrow, sing with faith,
Oh praise the God of ev'ry grace

2

Weary with the weight I carry,
give me wings of faith to rise
For You know each grief that lingers
through the watches of the night
Surely You have borne our suff'rings,
at the cross took up our pain
And You lead us unto glory as we trust
You, God of grace
(chorus)

3

There's a dawning hope before us
that I know is soon to break
As I wait upon Your mercy which will
swallow ev'ry ache
Cries of joy and songs of vict'ry
when we enter Heaven's gates
All Your children home together, all with
You, the God of grace
(chorus x2)

*OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 18:15-22
Margaret Doria

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

PASTORAL 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.

GOD FEEDS US FROM HIS WORD

*SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 1:1 - 25

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Pastor Dave Lindberg

“At Last!”

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

1

When the path that I feared
Is the way He has set
And I long to give in and retreat
Still to Jesus I hold
As I face every step
For the Lord He will give me His peace

(chorus 1)

Bless the Lord He will give me His peace
Bless the Lord He will give me His peace
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord He will give me His peace

2

When the road that I tread
Fills my heart with despair
And it seems that my grief has no end
Still to Jesus I hold
Who will walk with me there
And the Lord He will give me His strength

IN THE VALLEY

(chorus 2)

Bless the Lord He will give me His strength
Bless the Lord He will give me His strength
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord He will give me His strength

3

On the road that You walked
With the weight of the cross
All my pain and my sorrow You held
So to You I shall hold
You redeem every loss
For my Lord You have given Yourself

(chorus 3)

Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself
Bless the Lord for he gives me Himself
And if I should remain in the valley today
Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself
(repeat chorus 3)
Bless the Lord for He gives me Himself

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*SONG

1

O come, O come, Emmanuel,
And ransom captive Israel,
That mourns in lonely exile here,
Until the Son of God appear.

Chorus

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come to thee, O Israel.

2

O come, thou Rod of Jesse, free
Thine own from Satan's tyranny;
From depths of hell thy people save,
And give them victory o'er the grave.
(chorus)

O COME, O COME EMMANUEL

3

O come, thou Dayspring from on high
And cheer us by thy drawing nigh;
Disperse the gloomy clouds of night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.
(chorus)

4

O come, thou Key of David, come
And open wide our heav'nly home;
Make safe the way that leads on high,
And close the path to misery.
(chorus)

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GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BENEDICTION

Numbers 6:24-26

*The LORD bless you and keep you;
the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.*

*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
“At Last!”
Matthew 1:1-25

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Small Groups – Boys Meet Tonight

Youth (grades 6 – 12) small groups meet on Sunday nights from 5 pm to 7 pm at the home of Brittany and Matt Thompson (645 Summer Grove Dr., Midlothian 76065). Boys meet on 1st and 3rd Sundays; girls meet 2nd and 4th Sundays. Please contact Pastor Dave with questions.

Crawfish Boil coming in May. Details to come!

Sunday Morning Sunday School from 9:30 to 10:20 am:

- *Lower Elementary* class (age 4 through 2nd grade)
- *Upper Elementary* class (grade 3 through 5)
Each Elementary Sunday School class will be going through the Gospel Story Curriculum. **Parents, please make sure you pick up your kids from Sunday School no later than 10:20** so our teachers can make it to their various other activities and responsibilities.
- *Youth* class (grades 6-12)
- *Adult* class - Hugh Comer teaching from The Sermon on the Mount

Come Pray Together

Corporate Prayer every First, Third and Fifth Wednesday.

We will meet to pray from 6:30 to 7:30 pm at the church office, 313 N. 9th St., Midlothian 76065

April 17

May 1

Men's and Women's Groups

For information on Men's and Women's ministries at CTK please contact margaret@ctktexas.com, 972-379-8788.

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