



CHRIST THE KING

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lord's Day Worship

July 14, 2024

GOD INVITES US TO WORSHIP HIM

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Exodus 34:6-8
Elder Hugh Comer

Leader: *The Lord passed before Moses and proclaimed,*

People: ***“The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness, keeping steadfast love for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children and the children’s children, to the third and the fourth generation.”***

Leader: *And Moses quickly bowed his head toward the earth and worshiped.*

*SONG

COME AND WELCOME

1
From the cross uplifted high
Where the Savior deigns to die
What melodious sounds I hear
Bursting on my ravished ear
Love’s redeeming work is done
Come and welcome, sinner, come

3
Spread for thee the festal board
See with richest dainties stored
To thy Father’s bosom pressed
Yet again a child confessed
Never from His house to roam
Come and welcome, sinner, come

2
Sprinkled now with blood the throne
Why beneath thy burdens groan
On my pierced body laid
Justice owns the ransom paid
Bow the knee and kiss the Son
Come and welcome, sinner, come

4
Soon the days of life shall end
Lo, I come, your Savior, Friend
Safe your spirit to convey
To the realms of endless day
Up to my eternal home
Come and welcome, sinner, come

*Please stand if you are able

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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

STRICKEN, SMITTEN AND AFFLICTED

1

Stricken, smitten, and afflicted,
See Him dying on the tree!
'Tis the Christ by man rejected;
Yes, my soul, 'tis He, 'tis He!
'Tis the long expected prophet,
David's Son, yet David's Lord;
By His Son, God now has spoken:
'Tis the true and faithful Word.

2

Tell me ye who hear His groaning,
Was there ever grief like His?
Friends thro' fear His cause disowning,
Foes insulting His distress;
Many hands were raised to wound Him,
None would interpose to save;
But the deepest stroke that pierced Him
Was the stroke that Justice gave.

3

Ye who think of sin but lightly
Nor suppose the evil great
Here may view its nature rightly,
Here its guilt may estimate.
Mark the Sacrifice appointed,
See Who bears the awful load;
'Tis the Word, the Lord's Anointed,
Son of Man, and Son of God.

4

Here we have a firm foundation,
Here the refuge of the lost;
Christ's the Rock of our salvation,
His the Name of which we boast.
Lamb of God for sinners wounded,
Sacrifice to cancel guilt!
None shall ever be confounded
Who on Him their hope have built.

GOD CLEANSSES US FROM OUR SIN

CONFESSION OF SIN

Elder Greg Gorman

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Book of Common Prayer

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Titus 3:4-7

When the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.

Leader: In Christ you are forgiven.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SONG

JESUS LOVER OF MY SOUL

(Collection of tithes, gifts and offerings)

1
Jesus lover of my soul
Let me to Thy bosom fly
While the nearer waters roll
While the tempest still is high
Hide me O my Savior hide
'Til life's storm is past
Safe into the haven guide
Receive my soul at last

2
Other refuge have I none
I helpless hang on Thee
Leave oh leave me not alone
Support and comfort me
All my trust on Thee is stayed
All help from Thee I bring
Cover my defenseless head
In the shadow of Thy wing

3
Thou O Christ are all I want
Here more than all I find
Raise the fallen cheer the faint
Heal the sick and lead the blind
Just and holy is Thy Name
I am all unrighteousness
False and full of sin I am
Thou art full of truth and grace

4
Plenteous grace with Thee is found
Grace to cover all my sin
Let the healing streams abound
Make and keep me pure within
Thou of life the fountain art
Let me take of Thee
Spring Thou up within my heart
For all eternity

*SCRIPTURE READING

Nehemiah 5:1-13
Karla Pollock

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God!**

PASTORAL PRAYER

Greg Gorman

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

*SERMON TEXT

Matthew 5:33-37; 23:16-22

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God!**

SERMON

Hugh Comer

“Right Relations with Others, Truth-Telling”

*SONG

AND CAN IT BE

1
And can it be that I should gain
An interest in the Savior's blood?
Died He for me who caused His pain!
For me who Him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be That
Thou, my God, should die for me?

Chorus
Amazing love! How can it be
That Thou, my God, should die for me!
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2
He left His Father's throne above,
So free, so infinite His grace!
Emptied Himself of all but love,
And bled for Adam's helpless race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free,
For O my God, it found out me!
(chorus)

3
Long my imprisoned spirit lay,
Fast bound in sin and nature's night;
Thine eye diffused a quickening ray;
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
My chains fell off, my heart was free,
I rose, went forth, and followed Thee.
(chorus)

4
No condemnation now I dread;
Jesus, and all in Him, is mine;
Alive in Him, my living Head,
And clothed in righteousness divine,
Bold I approach the eternal throne,
And claim the crown, through Christ my own
(chorus)

GOD SENDS US WITH HIS BLESSING

*BLESSING

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
“Right Relations with Others, Truth-Telling”
Matthew 5:33-37; 23:16-22

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Swim Party

There will be a Youth (grades 6 - 12) pool/game party this evening, **July 14, from 5-7 pm** at the home of the Fords, 100 Robin Glen Lane, Ovilla, 75154. Questions? Contact Amy Ford at 972-965-1750.

Summer Women's Fellowship

Ladies, please join us for fellowship on the third Friday of each month at Brittany Thompson's house, 645 Summer Grove Dr. Midlothian, at **7 pm**. Come and go as you please. No need to bring anything except your swimsuit and towel if you would like to swim. Snacks will be provided. The gatherings will be held rain or shine **July 19 and August 16**.

Bridges Resource Center

We are collecting different items each month for Bridges. Items needed for July are **diapers size 4, 5 and 6 and wipes** – any brand. Please check the Bridges table near the Welcome Desk for more information. Thank you for helping local families in need.

Church Wide Email

Keep abreast of happenings at CTK. Sign up for church-wide emails. Email margaret@ctktexas.com to be added to the list.

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:

July 17

July 31

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