



Christ Church Katy  
Missions Conference 2025

# For the Spread of God's Grace

*A covenantal approach to missions, highlighting  
the church's role in missions.*

February 28 – March 2, 2025

**March 2, 2025**

*Christ Church exists to make mature disciples who will worship, know and serve Christ  
so that His Church and Kingdom are powerfully extended in Katy and beyond.*

# CHRIST CHURCH

## Order for the Worship of God

The Lord's Day • March 2, 2025

*We also have live stream worship at [www.cckpca.org/livestream](http://www.cckpca.org/livestream) at 11:00 AM. Register at [cckpca.org/guest](http://cckpca.org/guest) so we can provide you with information about our church.*

Welcome & Silent Preparation

The Rev. Mr. Fred Greco

### PRAISE

Call to Worship\*

Malachi 1:11

*\* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

**Minister:** For from the rising of the sun to its setting My name will be great among the nations, and in every place incense will be offered to My name, and a pure offering. For My name will be great among the nations, says the Lord of hosts.

Prayer of Adoration\*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #467\*



"Wonderful Grace of Jesus"

Hymn of Praise #457



"Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Affirmation of Faith

From Psalm 96

**Minister:** Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; He is to be feared above all gods. For all the gods of the peoples are worthless idols, but the LORD made the heavens.

*"The Spirit of  
Christ is the  
spirit of missions,  
and the nearer  
we get to him the  
more intensely  
missionary we  
must become."  
(Henry Martyn)*

People: Splendor and majesty are before Him; strength and beauty are in His sanctuary. The LORD reigns! Yes, the world is established; it shall never be moved; He will judge the peoples with equity.

Minister: Let the heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice.

People: For He comes, for He comes to judge the earth. He will judge the world in righteousness, and the peoples in His faithfulness.

## CONFESSIO

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 103:2-4

## MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading\* — Philippians 2:1-11

Mr. Mark Becker

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Mr. Becker

Sermon Text

1 Corinthians 9:15-23

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

The Rev. Mr. Nate Shurden

*"To Be a Soul Winner"*

*Bless the Lord, O  
my soul, and forget  
not all His benefits,  
who forgives all  
your iniquity, who  
heals all your  
diseases, who  
redeems your life  
from the pit, who  
crowns you with  
steadfast love and  
mercy.*

Songbook #19\*

“Facing a Task Unfinished”

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## THANKSGIVING

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Giving

[www.cckpca.org/give](http://www.cckpca.org/give) or text “CCKPCA” to 833-750-3171

Doxology #733\*



*LAAST UNS ERFREUEN*

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below  
Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts,  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.  
O praise Him, O praise Him.  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer of Thanksgiving\*

Hymn #55\*



“To God Be the Glory”

The Benediction\*

Pastor Greco

Announcements

Mr. Becker

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**CHRISTIAN  
EDUCATION**  
*Classes for all  
ages at  
9:50 AM.*

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## EVENING WORSHIP

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*Conclude the Lord's Day with His people, tonight at 6:00 PM.*

Call to Worship\*

Opening Prayer\*

Hymn #80\*

Hymn #460

Hymn #598



"Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee"



"Amazing Grace!"

"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Scripture Reading\* — Matthew 9:1-17

Mr. Tom Ro

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text

Acts 2:42-47

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Rev. Shurden

*"God's House to Our House"*

Hymn #465\*



"Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord"

The Benediction\*

**NEXT WEEK** — Pastor Mire will be preaching on Acts 24:1-27, *"Testifying Before Rulers."*

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## NURSERY CARE

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Nursery care is available for children up to the 4<sup>th</sup> birthday during the 8:30 and 11:00 AM services and Sunday School in rooms 110 and 111. Nursery care is not currently being provided at our evening service. Our nursery will send a text message to alert parents if needed. Please remember to keep your phone silenced but on vibrate so you will receive it. Thank you!

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### **E-MAIL PRAYER CHAIN**

The Christ Church email prayer chain may be activated by contacting the church office (281-392-0002 or [prayerchain@cckpca.org](mailto:prayerchain@cckpca.org)). If you wish to receive emails from the prayer chain please contact the office.

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### **MERCY MEALS**

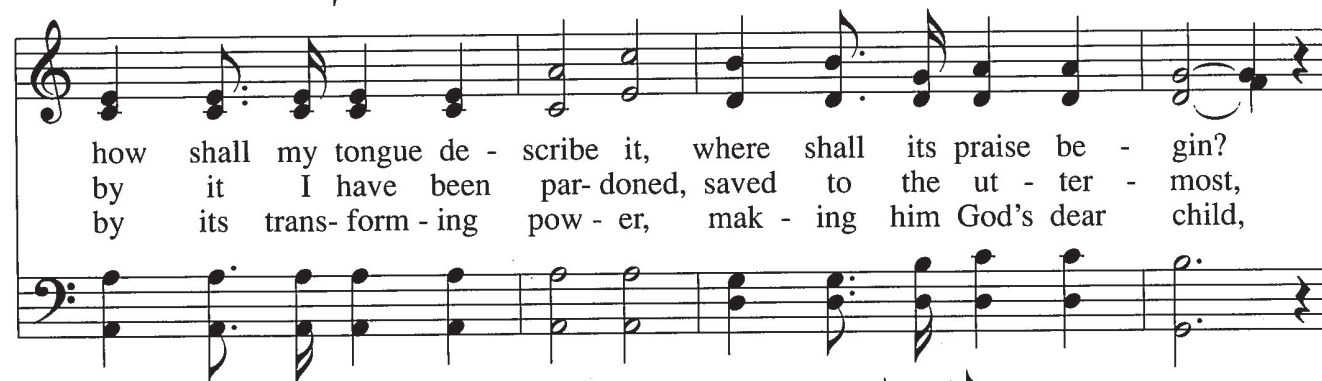
Those in need of this service should contact Diane Baker: [mercymistry@cckpca.org](mailto:mercymistry@cckpca.org)

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*Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst. 1 Tim. 1:15*




1. Won - der - ful grace of Je - sus, great - er than all my sin;  
2. Won - der - ful grace of Je - sus, reach - ing a might - y host,  
3. Won - der - ful grace of Je - sus, reach - ing the most de - filed,



how shall my tongue de - scribe it, where shall its praise be - gin?  
by it I have been par - doned, saved to the ut - ter - most,  
by its trans - form - ing pow - er, mak - ing him God's dear child,

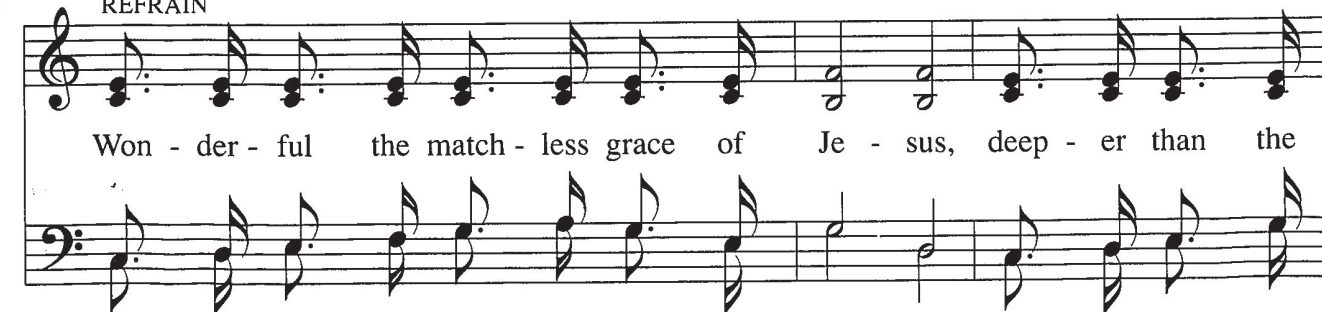


Tak - ing a - way my bur - den, set - ting my spir - it free;  
chains have been torn a - sun - der, giv - ing me lib - er - ty;  
pur - chas - ing peace and heav - en, for all e - ter - ni - ty;



for the won - der - ful grace of Je - sus reach - es me.  
for the won - der - ful grace of Je - sus reach - es me.  
and the won - der - ful grace of Je - sus reach - es me.

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Won - der - ful the match - less grace of Je - sus, deep - er than the

the roll - ing sea;

might - y roll - ing sea; won - der - ful  
High - er than the moun - tain,

This system contains the first two staves of music. The treble staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody starts on a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff begins with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The melody starts on a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. A long horizontal line with a diamond shape in the middle spans across the middle of the system, indicating a continuation of the melody.

grace, all - suf - fi - cient for  
spark - ling like a foun - tain, all - suf - fi - cient grace for e - ven

This system contains the third and fourth staves of music. The treble staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. A long horizontal line with a diamond shape in the middle spans across the middle of the system, indicating a continuation of the melody.

me, for e - ven me; broad - er than the scope of my trans -  
me;

This system contains the fifth and sixth staves of music. The treble staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. A long horizontal line with a diamond shape in the middle spans across the middle of the system, indicating a continuation of the melody.

gres - sions, great - er far than all my sin and shame;

This system contains the seventh and eighth staves of music. The treble staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. A long horizontal line with a diamond shape in the middle spans across the middle of the system, indicating a continuation of the melody.

O mag - ni - fy the pre - cious name of Je - sus, praise his name!

This system contains the ninth and tenth staves of music. The treble staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, and C5. The bass staff continues the melody from the previous system, starting with a half note G2, followed by quarter notes A2, B2, and C3. A long horizontal line with a diamond shape in the middle spans across the middle of the system, indicating a continuation of the melody.



# Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

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*Samuel ... named it Ebenezer, saying, "Thus far has the LORD helped us." 1 Sam. 7:12*

♯ D A<sup>7</sup> D A D G D A<sup>7</sup> D

1. Come, thou fount of ev - 'ry bless - ing, tune my heart to sing thy grace;  
 2. Here I raise my Eb - en - e - zer; hith - er by thy help I'm come;  
 3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be;

A<sup>7</sup> D A D G D A<sup>7</sup> D

streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise.  
 and I hope, by thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home.  
 let that grace now, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - d'ring heart to thee.

A<sup>7</sup> D G D A<sup>7</sup> D G D

Teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;  
 Je - sus sought me when a strang - er, wan - d'ring from the fold of God:  
 Prone to wan - der—Lord, I feel it—prone to leave the God I love:

A<sup>7</sup> D A D G D A<sup>7</sup> D

praise the mount! I'm fixed up - on it, mount of God's un - chang - ing love.  
 he, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed his pre - cious blood.  
 here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for thy courts a - bove.



## VERSE 1

Facing a task unfinished  
That drives us to our knees  
A need that undiminished  
Rebukes our slothful ease  
We who rejoice to know Thee  
Renew before Thy throne  
The solemn pledge we owe Thee  
To go and make Thee known

## Verse 2

Where other lords beside Thee  
Hold their unhindered sway  
Where forces that defied Thee  
Defy Thee still today  
With none to heed their crying  
For life and love and light  
Unnumbered souls are dying  
And pass into the night

## Chorus

We go to all the world  
With (His) kingdom hope unfurled  
No other name has power to save  
But Jesus Christ The Lord

## Verse 3

We bear the torch that flaming  
Fell from the hands of those  
Who gave their lives proclaiming  
That Jesus died and rose  
Ours is the same commission  
The same glad message ours  
Fired by the same ambition  
To Thee we yield our powers

# **Facing A Task Unfinished**

## **Verse 4**

O Father who sustained them  
O Spirit who inspired  
Saviour whose love constrained them  
To toil with zeal untired  
From cowardice defend us  
From lethargy awake  
Forth on Thine errands send us  
To labour for Thy sake

## 733

## Doxology

*Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Ps. 150:6*

Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all crea - tures

here be - low: al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Praise him a -

bove, ye heav'n - ly host, praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost:

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,

al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

## To God Be the Glory

*All the people were praising God for what had happened. Acts 4:21*

1. To God be the glo - ry, great things he has done! So loved he the  
 2. O per - fect re - demp - tion, the pur - chase of blood! To ev - 'ry be -  
 3. Great things he has taught us, great things he has done, and great our re -

world that he gave us his Son, who yield - ed his life an a -  
 liev - er the prom - ise of God; the vil - est of - fend - er who  
 joic - ing through Je - sus the Son; but pur - er and high - er and

tone - ment for sin, and o - pened the life - gate that we may go in.  
 tru - ly be - lieves, that mo - ment from Je - sus for - give - ness re - ceives.  
 great - er will be our won - der, our trans - port, when Je - sus we see.

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Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord,

praise the Lord, let the peo - ple re - joice! O come to the Fa - ther thro'

Je - sus the Son, and give him the glo - ry, great things he has done!

# Lord, with Glowing Heart I'd Praise Thee

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*To the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. Eph. 1:6*

1. Lord, with glow - ing heart I'd praise thee for the bliss thy love be - stows,  
 2. Praise, my soul, the God that sought thee, wretch-ed wan-d'r'er far a - stray;  
 3. Praise thy Sav - ior God that drew thee to that cross, new life to give,  
 4. Lord, this bo - som's ar - dent feel - ing vain - ly would my lips ex - press:

for the par-d'ning grace that saves me, and the peace that from it flows.  
 found thee lost, and kind - ly brought thee from the paths of death a - way.  
 held a blood - sealed par - don to thee, bade thee look to him and live.  
 low be - fore thy foot-stool kneel - ing, deign thy sup-pliant's pray'r to bless.

Help, O God, my weak en - deav - or; this dull soul to rap - ture raise:  
 Praise, with love's de - vout - est feel - ing, him who saw thy guilt - born fear,  
 Praise the grace whose threats a - larmed thee, roused thee from thy fa - tal ease;  
 Let thy love, my soul's chief trea - sure, love's pure flame with - in me raise;

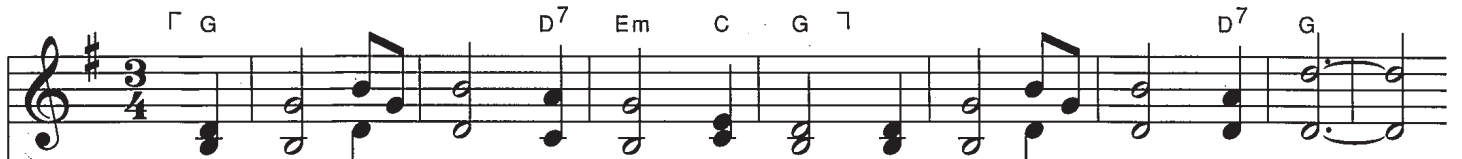
thou must light the flame, or nev - er can my love be warmed to praise.  
 and, the light of hope re - veal - ing, bade the blood-stained cross ap - pear.  
 praise the grace whose prom - ise warmed thee, praise the grace that whis-pered peace.  
 and, since words can nev - er mea - sure, let my life show forth thy praise.

# Amazing Grace!

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*Who am I, O LORD God, and what is my family, that you have brought me this far?*

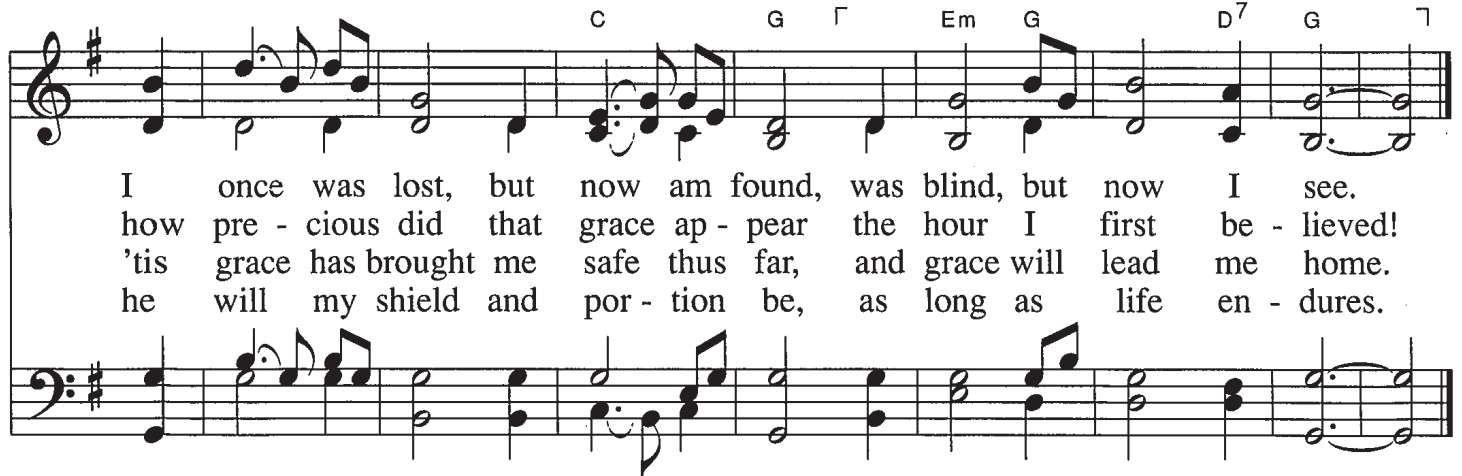
1 Chron. 17:16



1. A - maz - ing grace!— how sweet the sound— that saved a wretch like me!
2. 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears re - lieved;
3. Thro' man - y dan - gers, toils, and snares, I have al - read - y come;
4. The Lord has prom - ised good to me, his Word my hope se - cures;



I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.  
 how pre - cious did that grace ap - pear the hour I first be - lieved!  
 'tis grace has brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.  
 he will my shield and por - tion be, as long as life en - dures.



5. And when this flesh and heart shall fail,  
 and mortal life shall cease,  
 I shall possess within the veil  
 a life of joy and peace.
6. When we've been there ten thousand years,  
 bright shining as the sun,  
 we've no less days to sing God's praise  
 than when we've first begun.

St. 1-5, John Newton, 1779  
 St. 6, *A Collection of Sacred Ballads*, 1790

AMAZING GRACE C.M.  
 Traditional American melody  
 Arr. by Edwin O. Excell, 1900



## Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

*He will be our guide even to the end. Ps. 48:14*

1. Guide me, O thou great Je - ho - vah, pil - grim through this  
 2. O - pen now the crys - tal foun - tain, whence the heal - ing  
 3. When I tread the verge of Jor - dan, bid my anx - ious

bar - ren land; I am weak, but thou art might - y; hold me with thy  
 stream doth flow; let the fire and cloud - y pil - lar lead me all my  
 fears sub - side; Death of death, and hell's De - struc - tion, land me safe on

pow'r - ful hand; Bread of heav - en, Bread of heav - en,  
 jour - ney through; strong De - liv - 'rer, strong De - liv - 'rer,  
 Ca - naan's side; songs of prais - es, songs of prais - es

feed me till I want no more, feed me till I want no more.  
 be thou still my strength and shield, be thou still my strength and shield.  
 I will ev - er give to thee, I will ev - er give to thee.



## Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord

*Where sin increased, grace increased all the more. Rom. 5:20*

1. Mar - vel - ous grace of our lov - ing Lord, grace that ex - ceeds our  
 2. Sin and de - spair like the sea waves cold, threa - ten the soul with  
 3. Dark is the stain that we can - not hide, what can a - vail to

sin and our guilt, yon - der on Cal - va - ry's mount out - poured,  
 in - fi - nite loss; grace that is great - er, yes, grace un - told,  
 wash it a - way? Look! there is flow - ing a crim - son tide;

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there where the blood of the Lamb was spilt. Grace, grace,  
 points to the Ref - uge, the might - y cross. Mar - vel - ous grace,  
 whit - er than snow you may be to - day.

God's grace, grace that will par - don and cleanse with - in; grace,  
 in - fi - nite grace, mar - vel - ous

grace, God's grace, grace that is great - er than all our sin.  
 grace, in - fi - nite grace,

## TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

*"To Be a Soul Winner"*

1 Corinthians 9:15-23

Nate Shurden

March 2, 2025

Next Week: Pastor Greco with *"The Sign of Immanuel"* (Isaiah 7:1-23)

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8:30 AM – Morning Worship

9:50 AM – Sunday School

11:00 AM – Morning Worship

6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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