



CHRIST  
CHURCH

PCA



March 24, 2024

*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 24, 2024

*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\*

Psalm 24:7-10

*\* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

**Minister:** Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle! Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory!

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*“Christ hath told us He will come, but not when, that we might never put off our clothes, or put out the candle.”*  
*(William Gurnall)*

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Prayer of Adoration\*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #267\*



“The Day of Resurrection!”

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism 59-60  
Isaiah 66:23

**Q. 59:** Which day of the seven has God appointed to be the weekly Sabbath?

**Answer:** From the beginning of the world to the resurrection of Christ, God appointed the seventh day of the week to be the weekly Sabbath; and the first day of the week ever since, to continue to the end of the world, which is the Christian Sabbath.

**Q. 60:** How is the Sabbath to be sanctified?

**Answer:** The Sabbath is to be sanctified by a holy resting all that day, even from such worldly employments and recreations as are lawful on other days; and spending the whole time in the public and private exercises of God's worship, except so much as is to be taken up in the works of necessity and mercy.

**All:** From new moon to new moon, and from Sabbath to Sabbath, all flesh shall come to worship before Me, declares the LORD.

———— **CONFESSION** ————

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

2 Corinthians 5:21

———— **MEANS OF GRACE** ————

Scripture Reading\* — Jeremiah 22:11-30

Dr. Dave Morris

**Reader:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Dr. Morris

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*For our sake He  
made Him to be  
sin who knew no  
sin, so that in Him  
we might become  
the righteousness of  
God.*  
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Sermon Text

Luke 19:41-20:8

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Greco

*“The Road to Calvary”*

Hymn #254\* (v. 1-3)



“Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed”

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper

*Colored cups in each tray contain grape juice and clear cups contain wine.  
Hold each element until all have been served so we may partake together.*

Hymn #254\* (v. 4-5)

“Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed”

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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*

Prayer of Thanksgiving\*

Songbook #73\*

“The Power of the Cross”

The Benediction\*

Pastor Greco

Announcements

Dr. Morris

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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 #347\*

Hymn #460

Hymn #337



"The Church's One Foundation"



"Amazing Grace!"



"O Spirit of the Living God"

Scripture Reading\* — Isaiah 41:21-42:9

The Rev. Dr. Duncan Rankin

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text

Acts 4:32-5:11

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Mr. Dave Cias

*"The Remarkable Work of the Spirit"*

Hymn #538\*



"More about Jesus Would I Know"

The Benediction\*

NEXT WEEK – There will be no evening worship next week on Easter Sunday.

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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). If you wish to receive emails from the prayer chain please contact the office.

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#### MERCY MINISTRY

Those in need of this service should contact mercyministry@cckpca.org

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## The Day of Resurrection!

*Suddenly Jesus met them. "Greetings," he said. Matt. 28:9*

1. The day of res - ur - rec - tion! Earth, tell it out a - broad;  
 2. Our hearts be pure from e - vil, that we may see a - right  
 3. Now let the heav'ns be joy - ful, let earth her song be - gin;

the Pass - o - ver of glad - ness, the Pass - o - ver of God.  
 the Lord in rays e - ter - nal of res - ur - rec - tion light;  
 let the round world keep tri - umph, and all that is there - in;

From death to life e - ter - nal, from this world to the sky,  
 and lis - tening to his ac - cents, may hear, so calm and plain,  
 in - vis - i - ble and vis - i - ble, their notes let all things blend,

our Christ hath brought us o - ver with hymns of vic - to - ry.  
 his own "All hail!" and hear - ing, may raise the vic - tor strain.  
 for Christ the Lord hath ris - en, our joy that hath no end.

# Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed

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*He was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities. Is. 53:5*

♩ G C/G G G/D D<sup>7</sup> G 7 D

1. A - las! and did my Sav - ior bleed, and did my Sov - ereign die!  
 2. Was it for crimes that I had done he groaned up - on the tree!  
 3. Well might the sun in dark - ness hide, and shut his glo - ries in,  
 4. Thus might I hide my blush - ing face while his dear cross ap - pears;  
 5. But drops of grief can ne'er re - pay the debt of love I owe;

G D<sup>7</sup> Em G<sup>7</sup> C G D ♯ G C G G/D D<sup>7</sup> G 7

Would he de - vote that sa - cred head for such a worm as I!  
 A - maz - ing pit - y! Grace un - known! And love be - yond de - gree!  
 • when Christ, the might - y Mak - er, died for man the crea - ture's sin.  
 dis - solve my heart in thank - ful - ness, and melt mine eyes in tears.  
 here, Lord, I give my - self a - way, 'tis all that I can do.

Isaac Watts, 1707  
 Alt. 1961

MARTYRDOM C.M.  
 Hugh Wilson, ca. 1800  
 Arr. by Robert A. Smith, 1825

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## 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!



# The Power of the Cross

## VERSE 1

Oh to see the dawn of the darkest day  
Christ on the road to Calvary  
Tried by sinful men torn and beaten then  
Nailed to a cross of wood

## CHORUS 1

This the pow'r of the cross  
Christ became sin for us  
Took the blame bore the wrath  
We stand forgiven at the cross

## VERSE 2

Oh to see the pain written on Your face  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin  
Ev'ry bitter thought ev'ry evil deed  
Crowning Your bloodstained brow

## VERSE 3

Now the daylight flees now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its Maker bows His head  
Curtain torn in two dead are raised to life  
Finished the vict'ry cry

## VERSE 4

Oh to see my name written in the wounds  
For through Your suff'ring I am free  
Death is crushed to death life is mine to live  
Won through Your selfless love

## CHORUS 2

This the pow'r of the cross  
Son of God slain for us  
What a love what a cost  
We stand forgiven at the cross

*Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone. Eph. 2:20*

1. The church - 's one foun - da - tion is Je - sus Christ, her Lord;  
 2. E - lect from ev - 'ry na - tion, yet one o'er all the earth,  
 3. Though with a scorn - ful won - der men see her sore op - pressed,  
 4. The church shall nev - er per - ish! Her dear Lord to de - fend,

she is his new cre - a - tion by wa - ter and the Word:  
 her char - ter of sal - va - tion one Lord, one faith, one birth;  
 by schis - ms rent a - sun - der, by her - e - sies dis - tressed,  
 to guide, sus - tain, and cher - ish, is with her to the end;

from heav'n he came and sought her to be his ho - ly bride;  
 one ho - ly name she bless - es, par - takes one ho - ly food,  
 yet saints their watch are keep - ing, their cry goes up, "How long?"  
 though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale,

with his own blood he bought her, and for her life he died.  
 and to one hope she press - es, with ev - 'ry grace en - dued.  
 And soon the night of weep - ing shall be the morn of song.  
 a - gainst or foe or trai - tor she ev - er shall pre - vail.

5. 'Mid toil and tribulation,  
 and tumult of her war,  
 she waits the consummation  
 of peace forevermore;  
 till with the vision glorious  
 her longing eyes are blest,  
 and the great church victorious  
 shall be the church at rest.

6. Yet she on earth hath union  
 with God the Three in One,  
 and mystic sweet communion  
 with those whose rest is won:  
 O happy ones and holy!  
 Lord, give us grace that we,  
 like them, the meek and lowly,  
 on high may dwell with thee.

# 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

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## O Spirit of the Living God

*I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Acts 2:17*

1. O Spir - it of the liv - ing God, in all thy  
 2. Give tongues of fire and hearts of love to preach the  
 3. Be dark - ness, at thy com - ing, light; con - fu - sion,  
 4. O Spir - it of the Lord, pre - pare all the round

plen - i - tude of grace, where - e'er the foot of  
 rec - on - cil - ing word; give pow'r and unc - tion  
 or - der in thy path; souls with - out strength in -  
 earth her God to meet; breathe thou a - broad like

man hath trod, de - scend on our a - pos - tate race.  
 from a - bove, when - e'er the joy - ful sound is heard.  
 spire with might; bid mer - cy tri - umph o - ver wrath.  
 morn - ing air, till hearts of stone be - gin to beat.

5. Baptize the nations; far and nigh  
 the triumphs of the cross record;  
 the name of Jesus glorify,  
 till every kindred call him Lord.

6. God from eternity hath willed  
 all flesh shall his salvation see:  
 so be the Father's love fulfilled,  
 the Savior's sufferings crowned through thee.

# More about Jesus Would I Know

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*Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation. 1 Pet. 2:2*

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1. More a - bout Je - sus would I know, more of his grace to  
 2. More a - bout Je - sus let me learn, more of his ho - ly  
 3. More a - bout Je - sus; in his Word, hold - ing com - mu - nion  
 4. More a - bout Je - sus on his throne, rich - es in glo - ry

G Am D7 G Am

oth - ers show; more of his sav - ing full - ness see, more of his love who  
 will dis - cern; Spir - it of God, my teach - er be, show - ing the things of  
 with my Lord; hear - ing his voice in ev - 'ry line, mak - ing each faith - ful  
 all his own; more of his king - dom's sure in - crease; more of his com - ing,

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died for me.  
 Christ to me. More, more a - bout Je - sus, more, more a - bout Je - sus,  
 say - ing mine. Prince of Peace.

Am D7 G Am G D7 G 7

more of his sav - ing full - ness see, more of his love who died for me.

## TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

*"The Road to Calvary"*

Luke 19:41-20:8

Fred Greco

March 24, 2024

Next Week: Pastor Greco preaching *"The Essential Resurrection"* (1 Corinthians 15:12-28)

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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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