



CHRIST
CHURCH

PCA



April 2, 2023

*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 • April 2, 2023

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

Welcome & Silent Preparation

The Rev. Mr. Fred Greco

PRAISE

*“The chief point
simply is this,
that Jesus Christ,
God's Son,
offered himself
on the cross for
us, and there was
nothing else that
moved his heart
but our distress
and misery.”
(Martin Luther)*

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!

Prayer of Adoration*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #235*



“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q6
Matthew 28:19

Minister: How many persons are there in the Godhead?

People: There are three persons in the Godhead: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost; and these three are one God, the same in substance, equal in power and glory.

All: Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

CONFESSIO

Hymn of Confession #461



“Not What My Hands Have Done”

Corporate Confession of Sin

The Rev. Mr. Jason Wegener

God of glory, in Jesus Christ You have brought light to the nations. You have fulfilled Your promise to redeem Your people. We glory in the work You have done in sending Your Son in the form of a servant, in the likeness of men. But at the same time, we confess that we still choose darkness and cling to the things that obscure Your light. Too often, we fail to have our own hearts affected by the work of Jesus. In Your mercy, cleanse us of our sin, fill us again with Your Spirit, that, forgiven and renewed, we may show forth Your glory shining in the face of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 85:9-12

MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading* — Matthew 21:18-32

Mr. Neal Hare

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

*Surely His
salvation is near to
those who fear
Him, that glory
may dwell in our
land. Steadfast love
and faithfulness
meet; righteousness
and peace kiss each
other. Faithfulness
springs up from the
ground, and
righteousness looks
down from the sky.
Yes, the Lord will
give what is good,
and our land will
yield its increase.*

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Mr. Hare

Sermon Text

Acts 2:14-23

²² “Men of Israel, hear these words: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with mighty works and wonders and signs that God did through Him in your midst, as you yourselves know— ²³ this Jesus, delivered up according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of lawless men.”

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Greco

“God’s Marvelous Plan”

Hymn #141*



“God, in the Gospel of His Son”

THANKSGIVING

Giving

www.cckpca.org/give or text “CCKPCA” to 833-750-3171

Gloria Patri #735*



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Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Songbook #73*

“The Power of the Cross”

The Benediction*

Pastor Greco

Announcements

Mr. Hare

**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.*

(Music text printed by permission: CCLI # 1743047)

EVENING WORSHIP

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

Call to Worship*

Opening Prayer*

Hymn #302*

Hymn #305

Hymn #299



"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"



"Arise, My Soul, Arise"



"Look, Ye Saints, the Sight Is Glorious"

Scripture Reading* — Genesis 43:26-34

Mr. Dave Cias

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

The Rev. Mr. David King

"I Will Raise Up for David a Righteous Branch"

Hymn #520*



"Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness"

The Benediction*

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

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available for children up to the 4th 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!

MERCY MINISTRY

Those in need of this service should contact Amy Wegener at mercymistry@cckpca.org

ESL SNACK DONATIONS

Sign up to donate food for the weekly ESL snack time: <https://tinyurl.com/cckpcaESL>

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All Glory, Laud, and Honor

"Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the King of Israel!" John 12:13

1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King,
 2. The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;
 3. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring!
 our praise and prayer and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent:
 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King!

Thou art the King of Is - rael, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
 to thee, be - fore thy pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise;
 All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King,

who in the Lord's name com - est, the King and bless - ed One!
 to thee, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.
 to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring!

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Not What My Hands Have Done

He saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy.
Titus 3:5

1. Not what my hands have done can save my guilt - y soul;
2. Thy work a - lone, O Christ, can ease this weight of sin;
3. Thy grace a - lone, O God, to me can par - don speak;
4. I bless the Christ of God; I rest on love di - vine;
5. I praise the God of grace; I trust his truth and might;

not what my toil - ing flesh has borne can make my spir - it whole.
thy blood a - lone, O Lamb of God, can give me peace with - in.
• thy pow'r a - lone, O Son of God, can this sore bond - age break.
and with un - fal - t'ring lip and heart, I call this Sav - ior mine.
he calls me his, I call him mine, my God, my joy, my light.

Not what I feel or do can give me peace with God;
Thy love to me, O God, not mine, O Lord, to thee,
• No oth - er work, save thine, no oth - er blood will do;
His cross dis - pels each doubt; I bur - y in his tomb
'Tis he who sav - eth me, and free - ly par - don gives;

not all my prayers and sighs and tears can bear my aw - ful load.
can rid me of this dark un - rest, and set my spir - it free.
• no strength, save that which is di - vine, can bear me safe - ly through.
each thought of un - be - lief and fear, each lin - g'ring shade of gloom.
I love be - cause he lov - eth me, I live be - cause he lives.

God, in the Gospel of His Son

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The task of testifying to the gospel of God's grace. Acts 20:24

1. God, in the gos - pel of his Son, makes his e -
2. Here sin - ners of a hum - ble frame may taste his
3. The pris - 'ner here may break his chains; the wea - ry
4. Here faith re - veals to mor - tal eyes a bright - er
5. O grant us grace, al - might - y Lord, to read and

ter - nal coun - sels known; where love in all its
grace, and learn his name; may read, in char - ac -
• rest from all his pains; the cap - tive feel his
world be - yond the skies; here shines the light which
mark your ho - ly Word; its truths with meek - ness

glo - ry shines, and truth is drawn in fair - est lines.
ters of blood, the wis - dom, pow'r, and grace of God.
• bond - age cease; the mourn - er find the way of peace.
guides our way from earth to realms of end - less day.
to re - ceive, and by its ho - ly pre - cepts live.

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Gloria Patri

*Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; worship the LORD in the splendor
of his holiness. Ps. 29:2*

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the

Son, and to the Ho - ly Ghost; as it was in

the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

shall be, world with - out end. A - men, a - men.

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

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD. Ps. 95:1

1. Come, Chris - tians, join to sing Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 2. Come, lift your hearts on high, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 3. Praise yet our Christ a - gain, Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

loud praise to Christ our King; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 let prais - es fill the sky; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 life shall not end the strain; Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!

let all, with heart and voice, be - fore his throne re - joice;
 he is our Guide and Friend; to us he'll con - de - scend;
 on heav - en's bliss - ful shore, his good - ness we'll a - dore,

praise is his gra - cious choice. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 his love shall nev - er end. Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!
 sing - ing for - ev - er - more, "Al - le - lu - ia! A - men!"

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Arise, My Soul, Arise

He is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them. Heb. 7:25

1. A - rise, my soul, a - rise, shake off your guilt - y fears;
 2. He ev - er lives a - bove, for me to in - ter - cede,
 3. Five bleed - ing wounds he bears, re - ceived on Cal - va - ry;
 4. My God is rec - on - ciled; his par - d'ning voice I hear;

the bleed - ing Sac - ri - fice in my be - half ap - pears:
 his all - re - deem - ing love, his pre - cious blood to plead;
 they pour ef - fec - tual prayers, they strong - ly plead for me.
 he owns me for his child, I can no lon - ger fear;

be - fore the throne my Sure - ty stands, be - fore the throne my
 his blood a - toned for ev - 'ry race, his blood a - toned for
 "For - give him, O for - give," they cry, "for - give him, O for -
 with con - fi - dence I now draw nigh, with con - fi - dence I

Sure - ty stands, my name is writ - ten on his hands.
 ev - 'ry race, and sprin - kles now the throne of grace.
 give," they cry, "nor let that ran - somed sin - ner die!"
 now draw nigh, and "Fa - ther, Ab - ba, Fa - ther!" cry.

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Look, Ye Saints, the Sight Is Glorious

God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name.

Phil. 2:9



1. Look, ye saints, the sight is glo - rious: see the Man of Sor - rows now;
2. Crown the Sav - ior, an - gels, crown him; rich the tro - phies Je - sus brings;
3. Sin - ners in de - ri - sion crowned him, mock - ing thus the Sav - ior's claim;
4. Hark! those bursts of ac - cla - ma - tion! Hark! those loud tri - um - phant chords!



from the fight re - turned vic - to - rious, ev - 'ry knee to him shall bow.
 in the seat of pow'r en - throne him, while the vault of heav - en rings.
 saints and an - gels crowd a - round him, own his ti - tle, praise his name.
 Je - sus takes the high - est sta - tion; O what joy the sight af - fords!



Crown him! Crown him! Crowns be - come the Vic - tor's brow.
 Crown him! Crown him! Crown the Sav - ior King of kings.
 Crown him! Crown him! Spread a - broad the Vic - tor's fame!
 Crown him! Crown him! King of kings and Lord of lords.



Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness

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Justified freely by his grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus.
Rom. 3:24

1. Je - sus, thy blood and righ - teous - ness my beau - ty
2. Bold shall I stand in thy great day; for who aught
3. When from the dust of death I rise to claim my
4. Je - sus, be end - less praise to thee, whose bound - less
5. O let the dead now hear thy voice; now bid thy

are, my glo - rious dress; 'midst flam - ing worlds, in
to my charge shall lay? Ful - ly ab - solved through
• man - sion in the skies, ev'n then this shall be
mer - cy hath for me— for me a full a -
ban - ished ones re - joice; their beau - ty this, their

these ar - rayed, with joy shall I lift up my head.
these I am from sin and fear, from guilt and shame.
• all my plea, Je - sus hath lived, hath died, for me.
tone - ment made, an ev - er - last - ing ran - som paid.
glo - rious dress, Je - sus, thy blood and righ - teous - ness.

TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

"God's Marvelous Plan"

Acts 2:14-23

Fred Greco

April 2, 2023

Next Week: Pastor Greco preaching *"Death Could Not Hold Him"* (Acts 2:22-36)

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9:50 AM – Sunday School
11:00 AM – Morning Worship
6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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