



CHRIST  
CHURCH

PCA



April 16, 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 16, 2023

*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. Curt Mire

### PRAISE

Call to Worship\*

Exodus 15:1-2

*\* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

**Minister:** I will sing to the LORD, for He has triumphed gloriously; the horse and his rider He has thrown into the sea. The LORD is my strength and my song, and He has become my salvation; this is my God, and I will praise Him, my father's God, and I will exalt Him.

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*"Of love there be  
two principal  
offices, one to  
give, another to  
forgive."  
(John Boys)*

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Prayer of Adoration\*

The Rev. Mr. Jason Wegener

Hymn of Praise #297\*



"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!"

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism Q7  
Ephesians 1:4, 11

**Minister:** What are the decrees of God?

**People:** The decrees of God are, His eternal purpose, according to the counsel of His will, whereby, for His own glory, He has foreordained whatsoever comes to pass.

All: Even as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before Him.

All: In Him we have obtained an inheritance, having been predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will.

## CONFESSIO

Corporate Confession of Sin

Pastor Wegener

Gracious Lord, You have shown us great mercy and compassion. You desire for us to love You with all of our heart and strength, yet we continue to love ourselves more than You. You have provided for our needs in great ways, yet we have not been content with Your blessings; instead, we are often jealous of what You have given to others. Forgive us for our failures to care for those who are suffering, for treating the gifts of heaven as if they were unimportant, and for our neglect of Your gracious law. Help us to hate our sins enough to turn from them. We ask this in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Ezekiel 36:25-26

Psalm 103B (v. 1, 4)

“Bless the Lord, My Soul”

## MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading\* — Matthew 21:33-22:14

Dr. Dave Morris

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

*I will sprinkle  
clean water on you,  
and you shall be  
clean from all your  
uncleanesses, and  
from all your idols  
I will cleanse you.  
And I will give you  
a new heart, and a  
new spirit I will  
put within you.  
And I will remove  
the heart of stone  
from your flesh and  
give you a heart of  
flesh.*

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

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Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Dr. Morris

Sermon Text

Matthew 6:19-24

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Mire

*“Lay Up Treasures in Heaven”*

Hymn #432\*



“We Give Thee But Thine Own”

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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

Gloria Patri #735\*



*Greatorex*

Glory be to the Father,  
and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen. Amen!

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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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Prayer of Thanksgiving\*

Hymn #180\*



“I Will Sing the Wondrous Story”

The Benediction\*

Pastor Mire

Announcements

Dr. Morris

(Music text printed by permission: CCLI # 1743047)

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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 #600\*

Hymn #248

Hymn #473



"He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought!"



"Ah, Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended"



"Jesus Sinners Doth Receive"

Scripture Reading\* — Genesis 44:1-34

Mr. Mike Burns

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text

Ezekiel 34:11-24

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Wegener

*"The Good Shepherd of the Sheep"*

Hymn #464\*



"I Was a Wandering Sheep"

The Benediction\*

NEXT WEEK – Pastor Mire will be preaching on Daniel 7:9-14, *"The Son of Man and the Ancient of Days."*

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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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### MERCY MINISTRY

Those in need of this service should contact Amy Wegener at [mercymistry@cckpca.org](mailto:mercymistry@cckpca.org)

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### ESL SNACK DONATIONS

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

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# All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name.  
Phil. 2:9

1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall,  
2. Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of your God, who from his al - tar call,  
3. Ye seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran - somed of the fall,  
4. Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the gall,

let an - gels pros - trate fall; bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem,  
who from his al - tar call; ex - tol the Stem of Jes - se's rod,  
ye ran - somed of the fall, hail him who saves you by his grace,  
the worm - wood and the gall, go, spread your tro - phies at his feet,

♩ REFRAIN

and crown ..... him, crown him,  
and crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him, crown him,  
crown .....

crown him, crown him, and crown him Lord of all!  
..... him, and crown him

5. Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe  
on this terrestrial ball,  
on this terrestrial ball,  
to him all majesty ascribe,  
(Refrain)

6. O that with yonder sacred throng  
we at his feet may fall,  
we at his feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song,  
(Refrain)

# 103B

Psalms 103:1-13

## Bless the LORD, My Soul

*Where sin increased, grace increased all the more.*

—Romans 5:20

1. <sup>1</sup> Bless the LORD, my soul. My whole heart,  
2. <sup>5</sup> He with love and mer - cy crowns you,  
3. <sup>7</sup> He re - vealed His deeds to Is - r'el,  
4. <sup>11</sup> For as high as are the heav - ens

Ev - er bless His ho - ly name.  
Sat - is - fies your years with good;  
And made Mo - ses know His path.  
Far a - bove the earth be - low,

<sup>2</sup> Bless the LORD, my soul. For - get not  
So that you will, like the ea - gle,  
<sup>8</sup> LORD of grace and full of pit - y,  
Just as great to those who fear Him

All His bless - ings to pro - claim.  
With youth's vi - gor be re - newed.  
Rich in love and slow to wrath!  
Is the stead - fast love He'll show.

<sup>3</sup> He for - gives all your trans - gres - sions,  
<sup>6</sup> He shall in - ter - vene with jus - tice  
<sup>9</sup> He will not con - tin - ue striv - ing,  
<sup>12</sup> Far as east from west is dis - tant,

Your dis - eas - es all He heals.  
 For all those who are op - pressed;  
 Nor be an - gry con - stant - ly;  
 He has put a - way our sin.

<sup>4</sup> He re - deems you from de - struc - tion,  
 For their sake the LORD takes ac - tion,  
<sup>10</sup> Has not dealt with us as sin - ners,  
<sup>13</sup> Like the pit - y of a fa - ther,

And with you He kind - ly deals.  
 Gov - ern - ing in righ - teous - ness.  
 Pun - ish - ing in - iq - ui - ty.  
 Has the LORD's com - pas - sion been.



# We Give Thee But Thine Own

432

*Everything comes from you, and we have given you only what comes from your hand.*

1 Chron. 29:14

1. We give thee but thine own, what - e'er the gift may be:  
2. May we thy boun - ties thus as stew - ards true re - ceive,  
3. Our hearts are bruised and dead, and homes are bare and cold,  
4. And we be - lieve thy Word, though dim our faith may be,

all that we have is thine a - lone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.  
and glad - ly, as thou bless - est us, to thee our first - fruits give.  
and lambs for whom the Shep - herd bled are stray - ing from the fold.  
what - e'er for thine we do, O Lord, we do it un - to thee.

735

## 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.

## I Will Sing the Wondrous Story

*The song of the Lamb: "Great and marvelous are your deeds, Lord God Almighty."*

Rev. 15:3

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1. I will sing the wondrous story of the  
 2. I was lost: but Jesus found me, found the  
 3. Faint was I, and fears possessed me, bruised was  
 4. Days of dark - ness still may meet me, sor - row's  
 5. He will keep me till the riv - er rolls its

G<sup>7</sup> C

Christ who died for me, how he left the realms of  
 sheep that went a - stray, raised me up and gent - ly  
 • I from man - y a fall; hope was gone, and shame dis -  
 paths I oft may tread; but his pres - ence still is  
 wa - ters at my feet: then he'll bear me safe - ly

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glo - ry for the cross on Cal - va - ry.  
 led me back in - to the nar - row way.  
 • tressed me: but his love has par - doned all.  
 with me, by his guid - ing hand I'm led.  
 o - ver, made by grace for glo - ry meet.

REFRAIN <sup>G</sup> <sup>3</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>

Yes, I'll sing the won - drous sto - ry  
Yes, I'll sing the won-drous sto - ry

<sup>G7</sup> <sup>C</sup>

of the Christ who died for me,  
of the Christ who died for me,

<sup>G</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>3</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>G</sup> <sup>C</sup>

sing it with the saints in glo - ry,  
sing it with the saints in glo - ry,

<sup>G</sup> <sup>G7</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>F</sup> <sup>C</sup> <sup>7</sup>

gath - ered by the crys - tal sea.  
gath-ered by the crys - tal sea.

## He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought!

You hold me by my right hand. You guide me with your counsel. Ps. 73:23, 24

1. He lead - eth me: O bless - ed thought! O words with heav'n - ly  
 2. Some - times 'mid scenes of deep - est gloom, some - times where E - den's  
 3. Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine, nor ev - er mur - mur  
 4. And when my task on earth is done, when, by thy grace, the

com - fort fraught! What - e'er I do, - wher - e'er I be, still  
 bow - ers bloom, by wa - ters calm, o'er trou - bled sea, still  
 nor re - pine; con - tent, what - ev - er lot I see, since  
 vic - t'ry's won, e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, since

'tis God's hand that lead - eth me.  
 'tis his hand that lead - eth me. He lead - eth me, he lead - eth me;  
 'tis my God that lead - eth me.  
 God through Jor - dan lead - eth me.

by his own hand he lead - eth me: his faith - ful fol - l'wer

I would be, for by his hand he lead - eth me.

# Ah, Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended

248

*Surely he took up our infirmities and carried our sorrows, yet we considered him stricken by God, smitten by him, and afflicted. Is. 53:4*

1. Ah, ho - ly Je - sus, how hast thou of - fend - ed,  
 2. Who was the guilt - y who brought this up - on thee?  
 3. Lo, the Good Shep - herd for the sheep is of - fered;  
 4. For me, kind Je - sus, was thine in - car - na - tion,  
 5. There - fore, kind Je - sus, since I can - not pay thee,

that man to judge thee hath in hate pre - tend - ed? By foes de -  
 A - las, my trea - son, Je - sus, hath un - done thee. 'Twas I, Lord  
 • the slave hath sin - ned, and the Son hath suf - fered: for man's a -  
 thy mor - tal sor - row, and thy life's ob - la - tion: thy death of  
 I do a - dore thee, and will ev - er pray thee, think on thy

rid - ed, by thine own re - ject - ed, O most af - flict - ed.  
 Je - sus, I it was de - nied thee: I cru - ci - fied thee.  
 • tone - ment, while he noth - ing heed - eth, God in - ter - ced - eth.  
 an - guish and thy bit - ter pas - sion, for my sal - va - tion.  
 pit - y and thy love un - swerv - ing, not my de - serv - ing.

# Jesus Sinners Doth Receive

473

*This man welcomes sinners and eats with them. Luke 15:2*

1. "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive": word of sur - est con - so - la - tion;  
 2. On God's grace we have no claim, yet to us his pledge is giv - en;  
 3. When a help - less lamb doth stray, af - ter it, the Shep - herd, press - ing  
 4. Oh, how blest it is to know: were as scar - let my trans - gres - sion,  
 5. Now my con - science is at peace, from the Law I stand ac - quit - ted;

word all sor - row to re - lieve, word of par - don, peace, sal - va - tion!  
 he hath sworn by his own name, o - pen are the gates of heav - en.  
 • thro' each dark and dan - g'rous way, brings it back, his own pos - sess - ing.  
 it shall be as white as snow by thy blood and bit - ter pas - sion;  
 Christ hath pur - chased my re - lease and my ev - ery sin re - mit - ted.

Naught like this can com - fort give: "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive."  
 Take to heart this word and live: "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive."  
 • Je - sus seeks thee, O be - lieve: "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive."  
 for these words I now be - lieve: "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive."  
 Naught re - mains my soul to grieve— "Je - sus sin - ners doth re - ceive."

# I Was a Wandering Sheep

464

*We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. Is. 53:6*

1. I was a wan - d'ring sheep, I did not love the fold;  
 2. The Shep - herd sought his sheep, the Fa - ther sought his child;  
 3. Je - sus my Shep - herd is; 'twas he that loved my soul,  
 4. I was a wan - d'ring sheep, I would not be con - trolled;

I did not love my Shep - herd's voice, I would not be con - trolled.  
 they fol - lowed me o'er vale and hill, o'er des - erts waste and wild:  
 'twas he that washed me in his blood, 'twas he that made me whole;  
 but now I love my Shep - herd's voice, I love, I love the fold.

I was a way - ward child, I did not love my home;  
 they found me nigh to death, fam - ished and faint and lone;  
 'twas he that sought the lost, that found the wan - d'ring sheep,  
 I was a way - ward child, I once pre - ferred to roam;

I did not love my Fa - ther's voice, I loved a - far to roam.  
 they bound me with the bands of love, they saved the wan - d'ring one.  
 'twas he that brought me to the fold, 'tis he that still doth keep.  
 but now I love my Fa - ther's voice, I love, I love his home.



## TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

*"Lay Up Treasures in Heaven"*

Matthew 6:19-24

Curt Mire

April 16, 2023

Next Week: Pastor Mire preaching *"Do Not Be Anxious"* (Matthew 6:25-34)

# Christ Church PCA

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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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