



CHRIST  
CHURCH

PCA



August 17, 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 • August 17, 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

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*“Christ’s work in bringing a soul to God has not ended with the cross; He gives us the graces of His Holy Spirit, which make us fit for communion with God.”*  
*(Thomas Manton)*

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Call to Worship\*

Psalm 86:8-10

*\* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

**Minister:** There is none like You among the gods, O Lord, nor are there any works like Yours. All the nations You have made shall come and worship before You, O Lord, and shall glorify Your name. For You are great and do wondrous things; You alone are God.

Prayer of Adoration\*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #115\*



“All Creatures of Our God and King”

Songbook #16

“Create In Me a Clean Heart”

Affirmation of Faith

From Psalm 119

**Minister:** Let Your steadfast love come to me, O LORD, Your salvation according to Your promise.

**People:** Then shall I have an answer for him who taunts me, for I trust in Your word. I will also speak of Your testimonies before kings and shall not be put to shame, for I find my delight in Your commandments, which I love.

**Minister:** Remember Your word to Your servant, in which You have made me hope.

**People:** This is my comfort in my affliction, that Your promise gives me life. Your statutes have been my songs in the house of my sojourning. I remember Your name in the night, O LORD, and keep Your law.

## CONFESSIO

### Corporate Confession of Sin

Lord, we thank You that You are a God who does not wink at iniquity and sin, but that You judge sin for what it is: rebellion against You. When we think of sin, we cannot think of sin in the abstract. We cannot only think of others' sin, but we must think of our own sin, how we have rebelled against You. We think of how we have broken covenant with You, and of how many times we, who have named the name of Jesus Christ and profess to be Your children, have doubted Your goodness to us. We have doubted Your mercy, we have doubted Your grace and peace. For this we ask Your forgiveness. We ask that You would forgive us for doubting that You are not only our God, but that You are our great, loving, covenant God. We ask this in the name of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

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*Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, and by Him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.*

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### Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Acts 13:38-39

## MEANS OF GRACE

Sacrament of Baptism  
(11:00 AM)

Nicole Igubnova  
Daniel Igubnov  
*Being Received as Communicant Members*

Scripture Reading\* — Romans 2:1-29

Mr. Daryl Brister

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Mr. Brister

Sermon Text

Isaiah 27:1-13

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Greco

*“The Lost Return”*

Hymn #499\*



“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

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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 #731\*



*Old Hundredth*

Prayer of Thanksgiving\*

Hymn #465\*



“Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Lord”

The Benediction\*

Pastor Greco

Announcements

Mr. Brister

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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 #38\*

Hymn #194

Hymn #672



"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"



"O Come, O Come, Emmanuel"



"Trust and Obey"

Scripture Reading\* — Matthew 16:13-28

Mr. Tom Ro

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon Text

Colossians 2:13-15

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

The Rev. Mr. David King

*"The Triumph of the Cross"*

Hymn #691\*



"It Is Well with My Soul"

The Benediction\*

NEXT WEEK – Pastor Mire will be preaching on Colossians 2:16-23, *"Let No One Disqualify You."*

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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: [mercyministry@cckpca.org](mailto:mercyministry@cckpca.org)

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## All Creatures of Our God and King

All you have made will praise you, O LORD; your saints will extol you. Ps. 145:10

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1. All crea - tures of our God and King, lift up your voice and  
 2. Thou rush - ing wind that art so strong, ye clouds that sail in  
 3. Thou flow - ing wa - ter, pure and clear, make mu - sic for thy  
 4. And all ye men of ten - der heart, for - giv - ing oth - ers,  
 5. Let all things their Cre - a - tor bless, and wor - ship him in

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with us sing al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Thou burn - ing  
 heav'n a - long, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia! Thou ris - ing  
 • Lord to hear, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Thou fire so  
 take your part, O sing ye, al - le - lu - ia! Ye who long  
 hum - ble - ness, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia! Praise, praise the

sun with gold - en beam, thou sil - ver moon with soft - er gleam,  
 morn in praise re - joice, ye lights of eve - ning, find a voice,  
 • mas - ter - ful and bright, that giv - est man both warmth and light,  
 pain and sor - row bear, praise God and on him cast your care,  
 Fa - ther, praise the Son, and praise the Spir - it, three in one,

O praise him, O praise him, al - le - lu - ia,

**r** **7**

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

# Create In Me a Clean Heart

Keith Green

Cre ate in me a clean heart \_\_\_\_\_ O \_\_\_ God,

5 and re new a right spir it with in me. Cre\_\_ ate in me a

10 clean heart \_\_\_\_\_ O \_\_\_ God and re new a right spi rit with in

15 me Cast me not\_\_ a way from Thy pre sence O\_\_

20 Lord, and take not Thy Ho ly Spir\_\_ it from me. Re

25 store un to me the joy of Thy sal va tion and re new a right

30 spir it with in me \_\_\_\_\_

## Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

*That rock was Christ. 1 Cor. 10:4*

♯ A D A D A ♭ Bm<sup>7</sup> A E<sup>7</sup> A

1. Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee;  
 2. Not the la - bors of my hands can ful - fil thy law's de - mands;  
 3. Noth - ing in my hand I bring, sim - ply to thy cross I cling;  
 4. While I draw this fleet - ing breath, when mine eye - lids close in death,

E A E<sup>7</sup> A E A E<sup>7</sup> A

let the wa - ter and the blood, from thy riv - en side which flowed,  
 could my zeal no res - pite know, could my tears for - ev - er flow,  
 na - ked, come to thee for dress; help - less, look to thee for grace;  
 when I soar to worlds un - known, see thee on thy judg - ment throne,

D A D A ♭ Bm<sup>7</sup> A E<sup>7</sup> A ♭

be of sin the dou - ble cure, cleanse me from its guilt and pow'r.  
 all for sin could not a - tone; thou must save, and thou a - lone.  
 foul, I to the Foun - tain fly; wash me, Sav - ior, or I die.  
 Rock of A - ges, cleft for me, let me hide my - self in thee.

## Doxology

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

G D Em Bm Em D G 7  
 Praise God from whom all bless - ings flow; praise him, all

D Em C G D Em D G D G C D G  
 crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly host:

G D G Em D Am G D G 7 C G  
 praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Thomas Ken, 1709

OLD HUNDREDTH L.M.  
Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*, 1551

## 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,

## Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

*Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory  
for ever and ever. Amen. 1 Tim. 1:17*

1. Im - mor - tal, in - vis - i - ble, God on - ly wise,  
2. Un - rest - ing, un - hast - ing and si - lent as light,  
3. Great Fa - ther of glo - ry, pure Fa - ther of light,

in light in - ac - ces - si - ble hid from our eyes,  
nor want - ing, nor wast - ing, thou rul - est in might;  
thine an - gels a - dore thee, all veil - ing their sight;

most bless - ed, most glo - rious, the An - cient of Days,  
thy jus - tice like moun - tains high soar - ing a - bove  
all praise we would ren - der; O help us to see

al - might - y, vic - to - rious, thy great name we praise.  
thy clouds which are foun - tains of good - ness and love.  
'tis on - ly the splen - dor of light hid - eth thee!

# O Come, O Come, Emmanuel

*"The Redeemer will come to Zion, to those in Jacob who repent of their sins,"  
declares the LORD. Is. 59:20*

1. O come, O come, Em - man - u - el, and ran - som cap - tive  
 2. O come, O come, thou Lord of might, who to thy tribes, on  
 3. O come, thou Rod of Jes - se, free thine own from Sa - tan's  
 4. O come, thou Day-spring from on high, and cheer us by thy  
 5. O come, thou Key of Da - vid, come and o - pen wide our

Is - ra - el, that mourns in lone - ly ex - ile here,  
 Si - nai's height, in an - cient times didst give the law  
 • tyr - an - ny; from depths of hell thy peo - ple save,  
 draw - ing nigh; dis - perse the gloom - y clouds of night,  
 heav'n - ly home; make safe the way that leads on high,

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un - til the Son of God ap - pear.  
 in cloud and maj - es - ty and awe.  
 • and give them vic - t'ry o'er the grave. Re - joice! Re - joice! Em -  
 and death's dark shad - ows put to flight.  
 and close the path to mis - er - y.

man - u - el shall come to thee, O Is - ra - el.

## Trust and Obey

Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then out of all nations you will be my treasured possession. Ex. 19:5

Capo 3: F(D) C(A) F(D) C(A) F(D)

1. When we walk with the Lord in the light of his Word,  
 2. Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies,  
 3. Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share,  
 4. But we never can prove the delights of his love  
 5. Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet,

B $\flat$ (G) F(D) C(A) F(D) C $^7$ (A $^7$ ) F(D)

what a glory he sheds on our way! While we do his good will,  
 but his smile quickly drives it away; not a doubt or a fear,  
 but our toil he doth richly repay; not a grief nor a loss,  
 until all on the altar we lay; for the favor he shows,  
 or we'll walk by his side in the way; what he says we will do,

C(A) F(D) B $\flat$ (G) F/C(D/A) C $^7$ (A $^7$ ) F(D)

he abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey.  
 not a sigh nor a tear, can abide while we trust and obey.  
 not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey.  
 and the joy he bestows, are for them who will trust and obey.  
 where he sends we will go, never fear, on - ly trust and obey.

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 C(A) F(D) D(B) Gm(Em)

Trust and obey, for there's no other way

C $^7$ (A $^7$ ) F(D) F/C(D/A) C $^7$ (A $^7$ ) F(D) 7

to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

## It Is Well with My Soul

*The peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts  
and your minds in Christ Jesus. Phil. 4:7*

1. When peace, like a riv - er, at - tend - eth my way, when sor - rows like  
2. Though Sa - tan should buf - fet, though tri - als should come, let this blest as -  
3. My sin— O the bliss of this glo - ri - ous thought!—my sin, not in  
4. O Lord, haste the day when the faith shall be sight, the clouds be rolled

sea bil - lows roll; what - ev - er my lot, thou hast taught me to say,  
sur - ance con - trol, that Christ has re - gard - ed my help - less es - tate,  
part, but the whole, is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more;  
back as a scroll, the trump shall re - sound and the Lord shall de - scend,

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"It is well, it is well with my soul."  
and has shed his own blood for my soul. It is well  
praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul! It is well  
"E - ven so"— it is well with my soul.

with my soul; it is well, it is well with my soul.  
with my soul;

## TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

*"The Lost Return"*

Isaiah 27:1-13

Fred Greco

August 17, 2025

Next Week: Pastor Greco with *"The Precious Cornerstone"* (Isaiah 28:1-29)

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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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