

December 1, 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 • December 1, 2024

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

Call to Worship*

"God is best

known in Christ; the sun is not

seen but by the

light of the sun."

(William Bridge) Revelation 5:12-13

* Worshippers are asked to stand if possible

Minister:

"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honor and glory and blessing!" And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying, "To Him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"

Prayer of Adoration*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #195*



"Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come"

Songbook #79

"What Wonder Filled the Starry Night"

Affirmation of Faith

John 1:1-5

Minister: In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with

God, and the Word was God.

People: He was in the beginning with God. All things were made

through Him, and without Him was not any thing made

that was made.

Minister: In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.

All: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not

overcome it.

CONFESSION

Corporate Confession of Sin

O most merciful God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who pardons all who truly repent of their sin and turn to You; we humbly confess our sins to You this morning and implore Your mercy. Lord, we confess that we have not loved You with a pure heart fervently, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justly, nor loved mercy, nor walked humbly with You, our God. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, according to Your loving-kindness. According to the greatness of Your tender mercies, blot out our iniquity and forgive our sin. Create in us a clean heart O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Cast us not away from Your presence, and take not Your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of Your salvation, and uphold us by the power of Your gracious Spirit. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

John 5:24

Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever hears My word and believes Him who sent Me has eternal life. He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life.

MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading* — Luke 1:46-66

Mr. Tom Ro

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Mr. Ro

Sermon Text Psalm 2:1-12

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon Pastor Greco

"Christ the King"

Hymn #224*

CHRISTIAN EDUCATIONClasses for all

ages at 9:50 AM.



"Go, Tell It on the Mountain"

— THANKSGIVING

Giving www.cckpca.org/give or text "CCKPCA" to 833-750-3171

Doxology #731*



Old Hundredth

Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Hymn #218*



"Angels, from the Realms of Glory"

The Benediction* Pastor Greco

Announcements Mr. Ro

EVENING WORSHIP

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

Call to Worship*

Opening Prayer*

Hymn #598* Hymn #642 Hymn #197



Scripture Reading* — Matthew 1:17-25

Dr. Trevor Zuroff

Pastoral Prayer

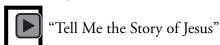
Sermon Text Acts 18:1-17

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon The Rev. Mr. Curt Mire

"Christ's Encouragement in Ministry"

Hymn #234*



The Benediction*

NEXT WEEK – Pastor Greco will be preaching on Acts 18:18-28, "Speaking Boldly in Antioch"

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!

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.

MERCY MINISTRY

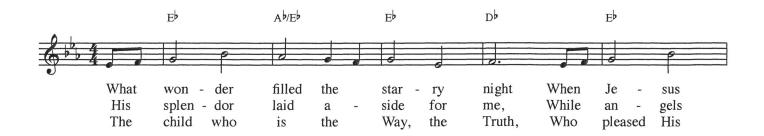
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Joy to the World! The Lord Is Come

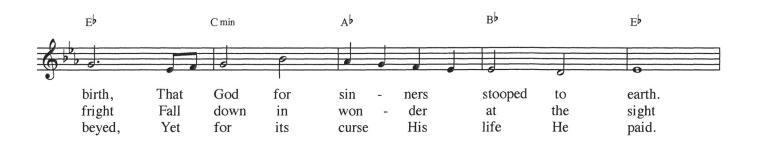
Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth. Ps. 98:4

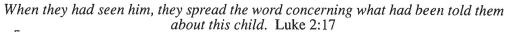


Text: Doug Bond, 2010 Music: Gregory Wilbur, 2014











Doxology

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



Thomas Ken, 1709

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

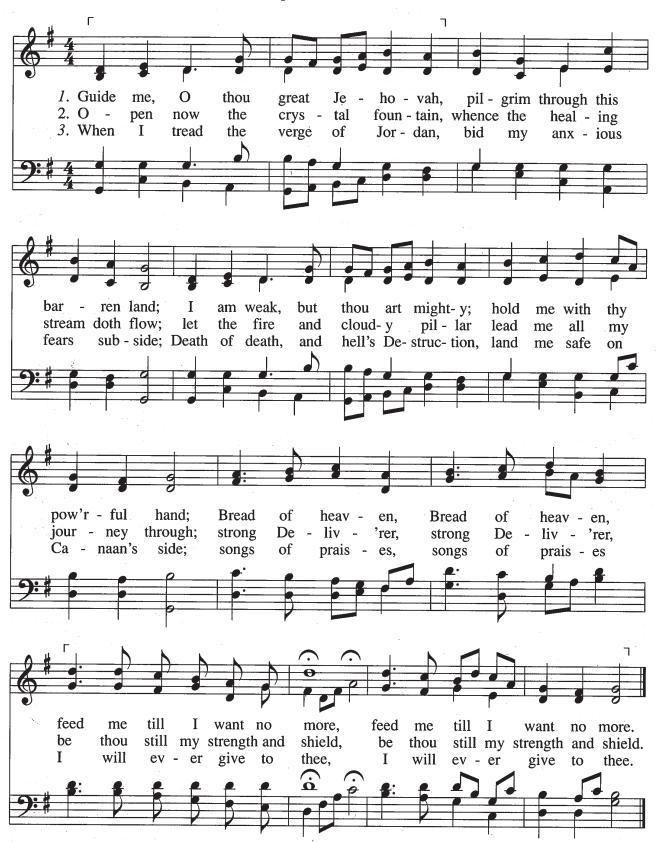
Angels, from the Realms of Glory

They saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshiped him. Matt. 2:11



Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

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



Whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. Phil. 3:7



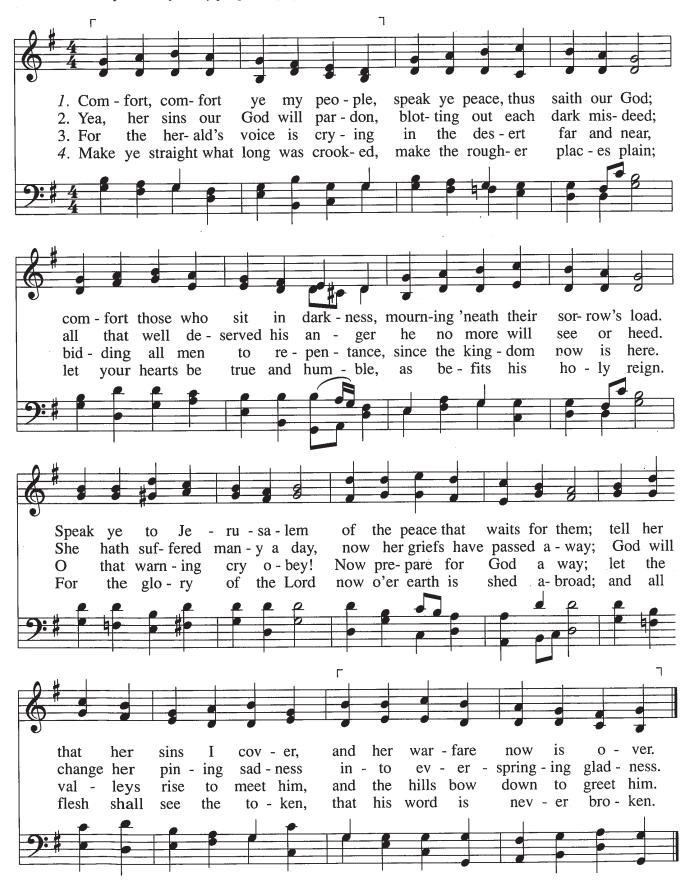
Ancient Irish poem, ca. 8th cent. Tr. by Mary E. Byrne, 1905 Versified by Eleanor H. Hull, 1912

SLANE 10.10.10.10.10. Traditional Irish melody Arr. by David Evans, 1927

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Comfort, Comfort Ye My People

Comfort, comfort my people, says your God. Speak tenderly to Jerusalem. Is. 40:1, 2



Tell Me the Story of Jesus

He explained to them what was said in all the Scriptures concerning himself. Luke 24:27



TODAY'S SERMON NOTES

"Christ the King" Psalm 2:1-12 Fred Greco December 1, 2024

Christ Church PCA

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America



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SUNDAY SERVICES

8:30 AM – Morning Worship 9:50 AM – Sunday School 11:00 AM – Morning Worship 6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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