

CHURCH CREEK PRESBYTERIAN



April 21, 2024

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Welcome to Church Creek Presbyterian

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

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9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship
10:45 a.m.

Evening Worship
5:30 p.m.

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The Order of Public Worship

April 21, 2024

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.



INTROIT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEDITATION VERSES

Mark 10:45

“For even the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 47:1-2, 5-7

Clap your hands, all peoples!
Shout to God with loud songs of joy!
For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared,
a great king over all the earth.
God has gone up with a shout,
the Lord with the sound of a trumpet.
Sing praises to God, sing praises!
Sing praises to our King, sing praises!
For God is the King of all the earth;
sing praises with a psalm!

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

✠ Congregation
Standing

✠ **HYMN OF PRAISE**

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

*The King of love my Shepherd is,
whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am his
and he is mine forever.*

*Where streams of living water flow
my ransomed soul he leadeth,
and where the verdant pastures grow,
with food celestial feedeth.*

*Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
but yet in love he sought me,
and on his shoulder gently laid,
and home, rejoicing, brought me.*

*In death's dark vale I fear no ill
with thee, dear Lord, beside me;
thy rod and staff my comfort still,
thy cross before to guide me.*

*Thou spread'st a table in my sight;
thine unction grace bestoweth;
and O what transport of delight
from thy pure chalice floweth.*

*And so through all the length of days
thy goodness faileth never:
Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise
within thy house forever. Amen.*

LAW OF GOD

Colossians 3:5-10

Put to death therefore what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. On account of these the wrath of God is coming. In these you too once walked, when you were living in them. But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator.

SILENT CONFESSION OF SIN

CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Almighty God, you are good beyond all thought, but we are sinful and often blind to the ways we sin against you and against others. Sin is our greatest evil; you are our greatest good. We have seen the beauty and purity of your Word, but we daily violate its precepts and commands. Your loving Spirit strives within us—bringing us your promises and warnings—yet we choose the desires of our own hearts and grieve Him. For all these sins, and many others, we mourn, lament, and ask for forgiveness. Work in us a more profound and abiding repentance, that we may see more clearly the glory and power of the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

NOTE: The Corporate Confession of Sin is prayed in unison by the congregation

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Ephesians 1:7

In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us, in all wisdom and insight.

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*Heidelberg Catechism
Q27*

Q. 27. What do you understand by the providence of God?

A. God's providence is His almighty and ever present power, whereby, as with His hand, He still upholds heaven and earth and all creatures, and so governs them that leaf and blade, rain and drought, fruitful and barren years, food and drink, health and sickness, riches and poverty, indeed, all things, come not by chance but by His fatherly hand.

OLD TESTAMENT TEXT

1 Kings 6:1-22

COLLECTION

Proverbs 11:24-25

One gives freely, yet grows all the richer; another withholds what he should give, and only suffers want. Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.

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OFFERTORY

Jesus, Strong and Kind

*Jesus said that if I thirst
I should come to him
No one else can satisfy
I should come to him*

*Jesus said if I am weak
I should come to him
No one else can be my strength
I should come to him*

**[Chorus] For the Lord is good and faithful
He will keep us day and night
We can always run to Jesus
Jesus, strong and kind**

*Jesus said that if I fear
I should come to him
No one else can be my shield
I should come to him [Chorus]*

*Jesus said if I am lost
He will come to me
And he showed me on that cross
He will come to me [Chorus]*

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON TEXT

1 Peter 5:1-5

Pastor Fred Greco

SERMON

Jesus Shepherds Through Elders

✠ HYMN

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord #353

*I love thy kingdom, Lord,
the house of thine abode,
the church our blest Redeemer saved
with his own precious blood.*

*I love thy church, O God:
her walls before thee stand,
dear as the apple of thine eye,
and graven on thy hand.*

*For her my tears shall fall,
for her my prayers ascend;
to her my cares and toils be giv'n,
till toils and cares shall end.*

*Beyond my highest joy
I prize her heav'nly ways,
her sweet communion, solemn vows,
her hymns of love and praise.*

*Jesus, thou Friend divine,
Our Savior and our King,
thy hand from ev'ry snare and foe
shall great deliv'rance bring.*

*Sure as thy truth shall last,
to Zion shall be giv'n
the brightest glories earth can yield,
and brighter bliss of heav'n.*

✠ **BENEDICTION**

2 Corinthians 13:14

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

✠ **RESPONSE**

Psalm 72:18-29 DUNDEE

*Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel,
For He alone doth wondrous works in glory that excel.*

*And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity:
The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be. Amen.*

✠ **POSTLUDE**



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Morning Sermon Notes

Pastor Fred Greco

"Jesus Shepherds Through Elders"

1 Peter 5:1-5

Announcements for Sunday, April 21

Sunday School and Nursery:

- Adult Sunday School is held in the main room of the Fellowship Hall at 9:30am. Starting on April 14, a rotation of teachers will be leading us through a series on "Miracles: The Signs of the Kingdom."
- Youth Sunday School for students 6th-12th grade is in the Middle/High School wing of the Fellowship Hall.
- Children's Sunday School for students 1st-5th grade is in the Children's Sunday School wing of the Fellowship Hall.
- Sunday School for K4-K5 is in the Sunday School room adjacent to the Nursery.
- Please sign children in at drop off in the Nursery.
- A prayer group led by Brodie and Kendall McKoy meets in Pastor Batzig's office during the Sunday School Hour.

Today: Please join this evening at 5:30pm for a joint Evening Service at Redeemer Presbyterian Church (43 Wentworth Street). Pastor Fred Greco will be preaching. There will be a dessert reception in Redeemer's Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.

Fellowship Meal: Please join us for a fellowship meal after the morning worship service **next Sunday, April 28th**! Brown sugar glazed ham, green beans, whipped potatoes, tossed salad with ranch and balsamic dressing, and banana pudding will be provided.

Men's Breakfast and Bible Study: The men of CCP meet *every other* Saturday morning in the Fellowship Hall for a Men's Breakfast and Bible Study. **They will meet again on Saturday, May 4, from 8:00 to 9:30am.** They are currently working through a Ligonier teaching series by Dr. Robert Godfrey on the book of Revelation. Breakfast will be provided!

Women's Bible Studies: The Women's Morning (9:30 AM) and Evening (6:30PM) Bible studies meet *every other* Wednesday in the Fellowship Hall. **They will meet again this Wednesday, April 24.** Childcare will be provided for the morning session. They are currently studying *Esther & Ruth: The Lord Delivers and Redeems* by Jon Nielson and Iain Duguid. Please email Katie Guffey at kgguffey23@gmail.com or Robin Cooper at robinjonescooper@yahoo.com if you would like to join.

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