## **SERVICE OF WORSHIP | CPC**

## prelude

As the music plays, please quietly prepare your heart and mind for worship, lifting your thoughts up from the cares of this world.

# preparing our hearts

Declare his glory among the nations, his marvelous works among all the peoples! For great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; he is to be feared above all gods.

- Psalm 96:3-4 ESV

# \*\* call to worship

Leader: Oh give thanks to the LORD; call upon his name;

All: Make known his deeds among the peoples!

Leader: Sing to him, sing praises to him;
All: Tell of all his wondrous works!

Leader: Glory in his holy name;

All: Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

- Psalm 105:1-3 <sub>FSV</sub>

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please stand if you are able

## FAIREST LORD JESUS

Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nature, O thou of God and man the Son, Thee will I cherish, thee will I honor, thou, my soul's glory, joy and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands, robed in the blooming garb of spring; Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight, and all the twinkling starry host; Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forever more be thine.

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## \*\* prayer of invocation

Leader:

Most Holy God, creator and sustainer of all things, you are worthy of our praise. For you have ransomed your people from the ravages of sin and raised up the horn of salvation for us. Your Son was delivered over to death so that we may be alive and free. Living Lord, breathe on us your peace, that our eyes may be opened to your glory, and that we may follow wherever you lead, now and forevermore. Amen.

## \*\* affirmation of faith

Leader:

How are you righteous before God?

All:

Only by true faith in Jesus Christ. Although my conscience accuses me that I have grievously sinned against all God's commandments, have never kept any of them, and am still inclined to all evil, yet God, without any merit of my own, out of mere grace, imputes to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ. He grants these to me as if I had never had nor committed any sin, and as if I myself had accomplished all the obedience which Christ has rendered for me, if only I accept this gift with a believing heart.

- Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 60

# WONDERFUL, MERCIFUL SAVIOR

Wonderful, merciful Savior, precious Redeemer and friend; Who would have thought that a Lamb could rescue the souls of men? Oh, you rescue the souls of men.

Counselor, Comforter, Keeper, Spirit we long to embrace' You offer hope when our hearts have hopelessly lost the way. Oh, we've hopelessly lost the way. \*

#### \* Chorus:

You are the One that we praise. You are the One we adore. You give the healing and grace our hearts always hunger for. Oh, our hearts always hunger for.

Almighty, infinite Father, faithfully loving your own; Here in our weakness you find us, falling before your throne. Oh, we're falling before your throne. \*

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## renewing our hearts

### CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN

Leader: Keep back your servant also from presumptuous sins; let them not have dominion

over me! Then I shall be blameless, and innocent of great transgression.

- Psalm 19:13 ESV

Let us confess our sins to the Lord.

All: God who reigns from everlasting to everlasting,

Though you should guide us, we try to inform ourselves;

Though you should rule us, we seek to control ourselves;

Though you should fulfill us, we love to console ourselves.

We think your truth too high, your will too hard,

Your power too remote, your love too free. But they are not!

And without them, we are of all people most miserable.

Now heal our confused minds with your Word,

Heal our divided wills with your moral law,

Heal our troubled consciences with your divine love,

Heal our anxious hearts with your presence,

Through your helping Spirit and for the sake of your beautiful Son,

Who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

Please reflect and silently confess your sins.

## ASSURANCE OF GRACE \*\*

Leader: The LORD is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

He does not deal with us according to our sins, nor repay us according to our

iniquities.

All: For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him.

– Psalm 103:8, 10-11 <sub>ESV</sub>

## \*\* hymn of gratitude

## BE STILL, MY SOUL

Be still, my soul: the Lord is on thy side.
Bear patiently the cross of grief or pain.
Leave to thy God to order and provide;
In every change, he faithful will remain.
Be still, my soul: thy best, thy heavenly Friend
Through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul: thy God doth undertake
To guide the future, as he has the past.
Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake;
All now mysterious shall be bright at last.
Be still, my soul: the waves and winds still know
His voice who ruled them while he dwelt below.

Be still, my soul: the hour is hastening on When we shall be forever with the Lord. When disappointment, grief and fear are gone, Sorrow forgot, love's purest joys restored. Be still, my soul: when change and tears are past All safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

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## scripture reading

Leader: Isaiah 52:1-3

This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

prayer

An officer of the church prays for the world, nation, community, and church.

Leader: All these mercies we ask in the name of Jesus, who prayed saying,

All: Our Father who is in heaven, hallowed be your name;

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread,

Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors,

Do not lead us into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever, Amen.

\*\* passing the peace

Leader: Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you." In a world filled with

trouble, let us encourage one another to look to the one who has overcome the

world. May the peace of Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

While your children are welcome and encouraged to worship with you, at this time they can be dismissed for an age-appropriate worship for ages 3-5.

If you would like to hear more about CPC or would like to let us know of a prayer need, please include your contact information or prayer request in the welcome pad when it comes around to you.

An elder will lead the passing of the peace. Greet one another warmly with the peace of Christ.

RICK BOX

**Sermon** | "Time to Wake Up"

June 9, 2024

Romans 13:11-14  $_{ESV}$  | 11 Besides this you know the time, that the hour has come for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we first believed. 12 The night is far gone; the day is at hand. So then let us cast off the works of darkness and put on the armor of light. 13 Let us walk properly as in the daytime, not in orgies and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and sensuality, not in quarreling and jealousy. 14 But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

*Leader:* This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God!

sermon notes

\*\* gospel charge

Leader: In light of the Word we have heard, how ought we live?

All: But as for you...pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, steadfastness, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called and about which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses.

### WELCOME TO HIS TABLE

The Lord's Supper is a family meal for Christians — a time when we delight in Christ and in the good news that his work alone has made us right with God. All baptized Christians who trust in Christ alone as their Savior, belong to a church that embraces the gospel, and seek strength to live more faithfully to Christ are invited to participate. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, please use this time to meditate on the following prayer.

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord. Amen.

Please remain seated for communion. As a symbol of our unity in Christ, wait until everyone has been served the elements, and we will all partake together. Once you are finished with your cup, please pass it to the inside aisles and the ushers will retrieve them.

If you have a gluten allergy, there are gluten-free wafers available in the center of the bread trays. During the celebration of communion, we will sing the printed hymn.

NOTE TO PARENTS: To receive communion, a child must have been baptized, publicly professed their faith in Christ, and been formally received as a communing member by the elders of this church or the governing body of the church to which you belong. We look forward to welcoming your children to the table when they come to this point and ask that you speak to the pastor when you feel your child is ready to begin the process of becoming a communing member.

### WORDS OF INSTITUTION

And as they were eating, he took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to them, and said, "Take; this is my body." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it. And he said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many."

- Mark 14:22-24 ESV

*Minister:* Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to our Lord God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Minister: Let us pray.

All: O Lord and heavenly Father, when we celebrate and observe this memorial your Son has commended to us, we remember his suffering and death, his mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension; and we await his coming again with power and great glory. God of Mercy, hear our prayer and by your Word and Holy Spirit bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine. Grant that all who share this bread and cup may become one body and one spirit, a living sacrifice in Christ, to the praise of your Holy Name. Amen.

*Minister:* Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

*Minister:* Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life.

Lord Jesus, come in glory.

All: When we eat this bread and drink this cup,

We proclaim your death, Lord Jesus, until you come again.

Minister: The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ

died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

# communion reflection & song

As the elements are distributed, sing as one body, affirming that in Christ we are united to him and to one another.

## O WORD OF GOD INCARNATE



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The offering is a vital part of our response to God's grace provided for us in the preaching of his word and administration of the Lord's Supper. Our tithes and offerings represent the entirety of our lives being consecrated to the Lord Jesus Christ and the coming of his kingdom to this world. As God's grace is freely given to us, so we give freely in return; not in any way to add to Christ's supremely adequate atonement for us, but in joyful response to this work and in thanksgiving for such unmerited grace.

## TO GOD BE THE GLORY

To God be the glory, great things he has done! So loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the life-gate that we may go in. \*

#### \* Chorus:

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, let the people rejoice! O come to the Father thro' Jesus the Son, And give him the glory, great things he has done!

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood! To ev'ry believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus forgiveness receives. \*

Great things he has taught us, great things he has done, and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; but purer and higher and greater will be our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. \*

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All: Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

## CHURCH LIFE | CPC

#### for first-time visitors

Whether you are visiting us from out of town or looking for a church to call home, we're so glad to have you with us. Please fill out the welcome pad when it comes to you.

#### welcome

Worshiping with us and preaching again today is Rick Box. He was born and raised in Texas. In 1991, Rick joined the Mission to the World church planting team and moved to Bogota, Colombia. After 29 years of service, Rick retired from Mission to the World in 2020. If you have the opportunity, please greet Rick, and express our thanks for his service to us these past three weeks.

### children's worship break

Parents, please note that there will be no children's worship on Sunday, July 7.

#### 2024 BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER ENDS NEXT SUNDAY

Join us in supporting the work of the Pregnancy Help Center of Williamson County! You will help to provide free parenting classes, spiritual encouragement, maternity and baby supplies, and a hand of friendship to local men and women in crisis. Most importantly, you enable the center to continue sharing the hope & love of Christ with those considering abortion, helping them to choose life for their unborn children. **Please pick up a baby bottle today and begin filling it with coins, cash and/or a check.** Return bottles by **Sunday, June 16** (Father's Day). Visit www.phcwc. com for more information about this life-giving ministry or to give an online donation! You may also make your donation on the CPC giving page designating it for PHC-WC by selecting the fund for the Pregnancy Help Center Baby Bottle Fundraiser (www.cpcgeorgetown.org/giving).

### **GET READY FOR "WHAT A MESS. VBS"**

Things are about to get messy! Kids and parents, mark your calendars and start telling your friends about VBS this year. We will be holding it at the church, **Thursday, July 25 - Saturday, July 27, 9-1230p**, for kids ages 4 years old to grade 5. At "What A Mess, VBS" kids will learn about why this world can be such a mess, and what Jesus has done about it (Romans 3:23, 5:8)! Kids will enjoy games, crafts, skits, songs, snacks, lunch, and lessons each day. **If you would like to volunteer and help, please let Korina Slabach** (kids@cpcgeorgetown.org) know or sign up at the Kids' check in area in the lobby. **You can register via the weekly newsletter or at www.cpcgeorgetown.org**. We can't wait to see you there!

#### **MEN'S PORCH NIGHT | JUNE 15**

Men, join us for food and fellowship at the Joffrions' home, **Saturday, June 15, 630-930p**. **Respond to the evite or email James Schell** (men@cpcgeorgetown.org) if you can make it or have questions. You can also email James to get on the men's ministry events list.

#### airls middle school bible study

Poem Turner is leading a girls middle school Bible study. The study is open to any young ladies (and their friends!) who just completed grades 6-8. The study will meet Wednesday mornings in the Elementary school room from 10-1115a. Attendance is very flexible and we would love to see you even if you can only make a couple of meetings. **Email Poem Turner** (poem.turner@gmail. com) for more information or to sign up. The book, "A Young Woman's Guide to Discovering Her Bible," by Elizabeth George, can be ordered on Amazon.

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#### scripture reading volunteers

If you are looking for an easy way to serve the church and have a knack for public speaking, sign up to read Scripture during service! **You can email Adrienne Herron** (adrienne@cpcgeorgetown. org) for more information or to sign up. We thank you for serving!

#### new music coordinator

Let's give a warm welcome to **Suzanne Schell** as she steps into the Music Coordinator position. Suzanne came to CPC in July of 2023 and has since been involved in the music ministry of our church as the choir director and a member of the Music Team. As she takes on the task of music coordination, Suzanne brings with her more than 30 years of experience in the music ministry and a willing heart to serve Christ and his church at CPC. We are blessed to have her as our new Music Coordinator!

### thank you

Also, please give heartfelt thanks to **Rob and Rose Castro** as they step out of the Music Coordinator position and pass the torch to Suzanne. They have done a wonderful job over the last few years, and we appreciate their love for and faithfulness to CPC!