

CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

October 6, 2024

Making disciples who love Christ, his Word and his Church, through the ordinary means of grace.

Christ Presbyterian Church

Order for the Worship of God Lord's Day October 6, 2024

Welcome and Announcements

To all who are weary and need rest, to all who mourn and long for comfort, to all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares, to all who fail and desire strength, to all who sin and need a Savior, to all who hunger and thirst for righteousness and to whoever will come this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Call to Worship

Psalm 96:7-9

Minister: Ascribe to the Lord, O families of the peoples, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength!

All: Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts! Worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness; tremble before him, all the earth!

The Solid Rock

My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus' blood and righteousness I dare not trust the sweetest frame But wholly lean on Jesus' name

When darkness veils His lovely face I rest on His unchanging grace In every high and stormy gale My anchor holds within the veil

Chorus

On Christ, the solid Rock I stand All other ground is sinking sand All other ground is sinking sand

His oath, His covenant, His blood Support me in the whelming flood When all around my soul gives way He then is all my hope and stay

Chorus

When He shall come with trumpet sound Oh may I then in Him be found Dressed in His righteousness alone Faultless to stand before the throne

Chorus

Prayer of Invocation

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Gloria Patri

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

Affirmation of Faith

The Nicene Creed

Minister: Christians what do we believe?

All: We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic* and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*The term catholic refers to the church universal, knowing no racial, economic, geographical, or language barriers.

The King In All His Beauty

O lift your eyes to Heaven see, the Holy One eternal Behold the Lord of Majesty exalted in His temple As symphonies of angels' praise now strain to sound His glory Come worship fall before His grace, the King in all His beauty

Chorus

How worthy, how worthy, how worthy The King in all His beauty

Now see the King who wears a crown, one made of shame and splinters The sacrifice for ruined man, the substitute for sinners As Earth is stained with royal blood and quakes with love and fury He breathes His last and bows His head, the King in all His beauty

Chorus

Now see the Savior lifted up, the Lamb who reigns in splendor The hope of every tribe and tongue, His kingdom is forever Bring praise and honor to His courts, bring wisdom power blessing For endless ages we'll adore, the King in all His beauty

Chorus 2x

Call to Confession

Galatians 5:16-21

"Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God."

Confession of Sin

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: We praise you, O God, the Father Almighty. We praise you, O God, you who are the adored, true, and only Son. We praise you, O God, the Holy Spirit, our Comforter, the Lord and Giver of Life. We praise you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, one God. Blessed be your glorious name forever and ever. We acknowledge and confess before you that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; that we have not loved you with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. We plead with you, O God, to forgive what we have been, to help us to amend what we are, and of your mercy to direct what we shall be, so that from now on we may walk in the way of your commandments, and to walk in those ways which are pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Romans 3:21-24

"But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus."

Hear and receive the good news of the gospel: in Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

All: Thanks be to God!

Christ The Sure And Steady Anchor

Christ the sure and steady anchor In the fury of the storm When the winds of doubt blow through me And my sails have all been torn In the suffering in the sorrow, When my sinking hopes are few I will hold fast to the anchor It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and stady anchor While the tempest rages on When temptation claims the battle And it seems the night has won Deeper still then goes the anchor Though I justly stand accused I will hold fast to the anchor It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor Through the floods of unbelief Hopeless somehow O my soul now Lift your eyes to Calvary This my ballast of assurance See His love forever proved I will hold fast to the anchor It shall never be removed

Christ the sure and steady anchor As we face the wave of death When these trials give way to glory And we draw our final breath We will cross that great horizon Clouds behind and life secured And the calm will be the better For the storms that we endured

Christ the shore of our salvation Ever faithful ever true We will hold fast to the anchor It shall never be removed

Prayer of Intercession

Mr. Mark Fullerton

Tithes and Offerings

The Doxology

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.

The Preaching of God's Word

Rev. Nolan Williamson

"Justified by Faith Alone"

Galatians 2:15-16

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

See insert for liturgy

All People That on Earth Do Dwell

All people that on earth do dwell Sing to the LORD with cheerful voice Serve him with joy, his praises tell Come now before him and rejoice!

Know that the LORD is God indeed He formed us all without our aid We are the flock he surely feeds The sheep who by his hand were made

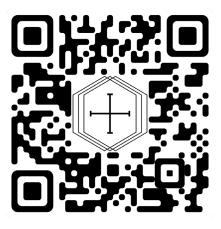
O enter then his gates with joy Within his courts his praise proclaim! Let thankful songs your tongues employ O bless and magnify his name!

Because the LORD our God is good His mercy is forever sure His faithfulness at all times stood And shall from age to age endure

Benediction



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SUNDAY SERVICE

10:30 am - The Don Walker Education Center at the Sam Houston Memorial Museum

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