



# CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

February 19, 2023

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*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 February 19, 2023

## 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 150:1-2, 6

"Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!...Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!  
Praise the Lord!"

## Come, Ye Sinners

Come, ye sinners, poor and wretched  
Weak and wounded, sick and sore  
Jesus, ready, stands to save you  
Full of pity, joined with power  
He is able, He is able  
He is willing; doubt no more

Come ye needy, come, and welcome  
God's free bounty glorify  
True belief and true repentance  
Every grace that brings you nigh  
Without money, without money  
Come to Jesus Christ and buy

Come, ye weary, heavy laden  
Bruised and broken by the fall  
If you tarry 'til you're better  
You will never come at all  
Not the righteous, not the righteous  
Sinners Jesus came to call

Let not conscience make you linger  
Nor of fitness fondly dream  
All the fitness He requires  
Is to feel your need of Him  
This He gives you, this He gives you  
'Tis the Spirit's rising beam

Lo! The Incarnate God, ascended  
Pleads the merit of His blood  
Venture on Him; venture wholly  
Let no other trust intrude  
None but Jesus, none but Jesus  
Can do helpless sinners good.

### **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**

1 Timothy 1:12-17

**Minister:** What does the Bible teach us about our sinfulness?

**All: I thank him who has given me strength, Christ Jesus our Lord, because he judged me faithful, appointing me to his service, though formerly I was a blasphemer, persecutor, and insolent opponent. But I received mercy because I had acted ignorantly in unbelief, and the grace of our Lord overflowed for me with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus. The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the foremost. But I received mercy for this reason, that in me, as**

**example to those who were to believe in him for eternal life. To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen.**

### **Grace Greater Than All Our Sin**

Marvelous grace of our loving Lord  
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt  
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured  
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilled

Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold  
Threaten the soul with infinite loss  
Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold  
Points to the refuge, the mighty cross

### **Chorus**

Grace, grace, God's grace  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within  
Grace, grace, God's grace  
Grace that is greater than all our sin!

Dark is the stain that we cannot hide  
What can avail to wash it away?  
Look! There is flowing a crimson tide  
Whiter than snow you may be today

### *Chorus*

Marvelous, infinite, matchless grace  
Freely bestowed on all who believe  
You that are longing to see His face  
Will you this moment His grace receive?

### *Chorus*

### **Call to Confession**

1 John 1:6

"If we claim to have fellowship with him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live out the truth."

## Confession of Sin

**Minister:** Let us confess our sins together.

**All:** Holy Father, we acknowledge that we know the truth of your law. Your Son our Lord Jesus Christ teaches us your perfect law in summary in Mark 12:30-31, "And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." O Lord, we confess that we have broken your holy law. We have not loved you with all our heart, all our soul, all our mind, and all our strength. We have often failed to love those around us as you have called us to. Instead, we have been quick to forget your law and we have broken your Word in thought, word, and deed. Foolishly we have believed the empty promises made by the temptations of sin and found ourselves suffering from its consequences and reaping what we have sowed. Forgive us we cry! We plead for your mercy based on the merit of our Lord Jesus Christ alone. Restore to us the joy of salvation and grant to us new obedience. Amen.

## Silent Confession

### Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

1 Peter 2:24

"He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed."

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

**All: Thanks be to God!**

## When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

When I survey the wondrous cross  
On which the Prince of glory died  
My richest gain I count but loss  
And pour contempt on all my pride

Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast  
Save in the death of Christ my God  
All the vain things that charm me most  
I sacrifice them to His blood

See from His head, His hands, His feet  
Sorrow and love flow mingled down  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet  
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Were the whole realm of nature mine  
That were a present far too small  
Love so amazing, so divine  
Demands my soul, my life, my all

**Prayer of Intercession**

Mr. Clint Allen

## **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

### **"Severe Mercy"**

Jonah 1:4-16

## **Behold Our God**

Who has held the oceans in His hands  
Who has numbered every grain of sand  
Kings and nations tremble at His voice  
All creation rises to rejoice

### **Chorus**

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him

Who has given counsel to the Lord  
Who can question any of His words  
Who can teach the One who knows all things  
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

### **Chorus**

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
Behold our King nothing can compare  
Come let us adore Him

Who has felt the nails upon His hands  
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man  
God eternal humbled to the grave  
Jesus Savior risen now to reign

### **Chorus**

Behold our God seated on His throne  
Come let us adore Him  
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*Repeat Chorus*

## **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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