

# CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 22, 2026

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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 March 22, 2026

## 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 19:1-3, 14

Minister: "The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims his handiwork."

**All: "Day to day pours out speech, and night to night reveals knowledge. There is no speech, nor are there words, whose voice is not heard...Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my rock and my redeemer."**

## O The Deep Deep Love Of Jesus

O the deep deep love of Jesus  
Vast unmeasured boundless free  
Rolling as a mighty ocean  
In its fullness over me  
Underneath me all around me  
Is the current of Thy love  
Leading onward leading homeward  
To my glorious rest above

O the deep deep love of Jesus  
Spread His praise from shore to shore  
How He loveth ever loveth  
Changeth never nevermore  
How He watches o'er His loved ones  
Died to call them all His own  
How for them He intercedeth  
Watches over them from the throne

O the deep deep love of Jesus  
Love of every love the best  
'Tis an ocean vast of blessing  
'Tis a haven sweet of rest  
O the deep deep love of Jesus  
'Tis a heaven of heavens to me  
And it lifts me up to glory  
For it lifts me up to Thee

### **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 Westminster Creed; Part 3

Minister: What do we believe?

**All: I believe we are made partakers of the redemption purchased by Christ, by the effectual application of it to us by His Holy Spirit, I believe God requires of us faith in Jesus Christ, and repentance unto life to escape the wrath and curse of God due to us for sin; I believe by His free grace we are effectually called, justified, and sanctified, and gathered into the visible church, out of which there is no ordinary possibility of salvation. I believe that in Christ we are given in this life benefits accompanying salvation such as assurance of God's love, peace of conscience, joy in the Holy Spirit, increase of grace,**

and perseverance therein to the end; that at death, we are made perfect in holiness, and immediately pass into glory; and our bodies, being still united in Christ, rest in their graves, till the resurrection, and at the resurrection, we shall be raised up in glory, we shall openly be acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.

## Psalm 42

As pants the deer for flowing streams  
So longs my soul for You, O God  
I thirst for God, the living God  
When can I go and meet with God?

My constant tears have been my food  
Both in the night and in the day  
While all day long insistently  
“Where is your God?” to me they say

Why are you downcast, O my soul?  
Why are you so disturbed in me?  
But hope in God, for Him I’ll praise  
My Savior God alone is He

Deep calls to deep, as with a roar  
Your rushing waters plunge and roll  
Your waves and breakers fall on me  
They overwhelm my very soul

By day the LORD directs His love  
His song remains with me at night  
A prayer to Him who is my God  
My only source of life and light

Why are you downcast, O my soul?  
Why are you so disturbed in me?  
But hope in God, for Him I’ll praise  
My Savior God alone is He

## Call to Confession

Romans 2:1, 4

“Therefore, you have no excuse, O man, every one of you who judges. For in passing judgment on another you condemn yourself, because you, the judge, practice the very same things...Or do you presume on the riches of his kindness and forbearance and patience, not knowing that God’s kindness is meant to lead you to repentance?”

## Confession of Sin

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

**All: Oh Lord our God who is gracious and merciful and abounding in steadfast love and who relents from disaster we confess before you this day our sin. The evidence of sin is all around us. Each day we are reminded that things are not the way they are supposed to be. Creation itself groans because of its subjection to the sinfulness of mankind. We confess that we are sinners not because we sin, but we sin because we are by nature sinners. We know that if you had not been merciful to us by your free and sovereign grace, we could have never freed ourselves from the bondage of sin. If you had not sent your only Son, our Lord Jesus Christ to atone for our sins we could have never escaped the penalty of sin. We give you praise this day that we have been saved by grace through faith in Christ alone! Father, forgive us for sins in thought, word and deed and give us hearts of compassion for the lost around us who do not know their right hand from their left. Cause us by your Spirit to walk in the newness of life that has been purchased for us. Amen.**

## Silent Confession

### Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Romans 5:1-2

“Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.”

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

### All: Thanks be to God!

## **How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds**

How sweet the Name of Jesus sounds  
In a believer's ear!  
It soothes his sorrow, heals his wounds  
And drives away his fear

It makes the wounded spirit whole  
And calms the troubled breast  
'Tis manna to the hungry soul  
And to the weary, rest

Dear Name, the rock on which I build  
My shield and hiding place  
My never failing treasury, filled  
With boundless stores of grace!

By Thee, my prayers acceptance gain  
Although with sin defiled  
Satan accuses me in vain  
And I am owned a child

Jesus, my Shepherd, Brother, Friend  
My Prophet, Priest, and King  
My Lord, my life, my way, my end  
Accept the praise I bring

## **Prayer of Intercession**

Mr. Sam Massey

## **Tithes and Offering**

### **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

**"Telling the Truth"**

Matthew 5:33-37

**Christ Is All**

I've found a treasure that can't be taken  
Found a well that won't run dry  
O worldly pleasure be now forsaken  
Behold what love what life is mine

Could endless striving now make me righteous  
Could all my works now grant me hope  
Oh hallelujah the blood of Jesus  
My only plea my only boast

**Chorus**

Christ is all Christ is all  
And my song will ever be  
Christ is all, all in all  
And my song will ever be, Christ is all

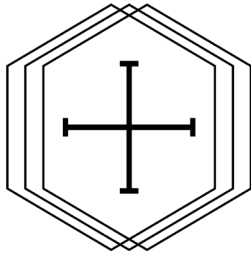
And in the trial when storms are raging  
Though tears may fall my soul will rise  
For there's a peace that is mine unchanging  
There is a joy that never dies

*Chorus*

When life is passing and strength is fading  
I'll see the One that I adore  
Let this world vanish oh give me Jesus  
My great desire my true reward

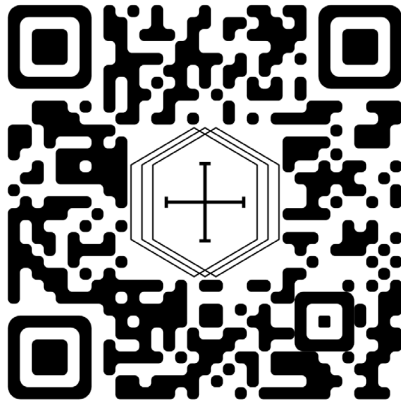
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**Benediction**



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