

CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

July 6, 2025

*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 July 6, 2025

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

Zephaniah 3:14-15

Minister: "Sing aloud, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel! Rejoice and exult with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem!"

People: "The Lord has taken away the judgments against you; he has cleared away your enemies. The King of Israel, the Lord, is in your midst; you shall never again fear evil."

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

O Love that will not let me go
I rest my weary soul in Thee
I give Thee back the life I owe
That in Thine ocean depths its flow
May richer fuller be

O Light that followest all my way
I yield my flick'ring torch to Thee
My heart restores its borrowed ray
That in Thy sunshine's blaze its day
May brighter fairer be

O Joy that seekest me through pain
I cannot close my heart to Thee
I trace the rainbow through the rain
And feel the promise is not vain
That morn shall tearless be

O Cross that liftest up my head
I dare not ask to fly from Thee
I lay in dust life's glory dead
And from the ground there blossoms red
Life that shall endless be

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 and God's mercy?

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 the foremost, Jesus Christ might display his perfect patience as an 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.

Jesus! What a friend for sinners!

Jesus! What a friend of sinners
Jesus! Lover of my soul
Friends may fail me, foes assail me
He, my Savior, makes me whole

Chorus

Hallelujah! What a Savior!
Hallelujah! What a friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving
He is with me to the end

Jesus! What a strength in weakness!
Let me hide myself in Him
Tempted, tried, and sometimes failing
He, my strength, my victory wins

Chorus

Jesus! What a help in sorrow!
While the billows o'er me roll
Even when my heart is breaking
He, my comfort, helps my soul

Chorus

Jesus! I do now receive Him
More than all in Him I find
He hath granted me forgiveness
I am His, and He is mine

Chorus

Call to Confession

Romans 6:1-4

"What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it? Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life."

Confession of Sin

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: O Lord, you are our Father. We are the clay, you are the potter; we are all the work of your hands. Forgive us, Lord, for how we have corrupted your good creation. Gracious Lord, you alone are righteous and holy, and in your presence no one can stand. Your gracious mercy is our only hope and we ask for your forgiveness. We pray for your cleansing touch to wash away our corruption, clothe us in righteousness, and for your hands to rework our lives anew. We pray these things in Jesus Christ's holy name. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

Hebrews 8:12

"For I will be merciful toward their iniquities, and I will remember their sins no more."

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

All: Thanks be to God!

Psalm 32

How blest are they whose trespass has freely been forgiv'n,
Whose sins are wholly covered before the sight of heav'n.
Blest they to whom the LORD God does not impute their sin,
Who have a guileless spirit, whose heart is true within.

While I kept guilty silence, my strength was spent with grief
Your hand was heavy on me; my soul found no relief
But when I owned my trespass and did not hide my sin
Then you forgave my guilt, LORD, restored my life within

So let the godly seek Thee in time when Thou art near
No whelming floods shall reach them, nor cause their hearts to fear
In Thee, O Lord, I hide me, Thou savest me from ill
And songs of Thy salvation my heart with rapture thrill

"I graciously will teach thee the way that thou shalt go
And with My eye upon thee My counsel make thee know
But be ye not unruly or slow to understand
Be not perverse, but willing to heed My wise command"

Prayer of Intercession

Mr. Mike Kirkwood

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.

The Preaching of God's Word

Rev. Nolan Williamson

"A Morning Prayer"

Psalm 5

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

See insert for liturgy

How Great Is Our God

The splendor of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
And trembles at His voice

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God

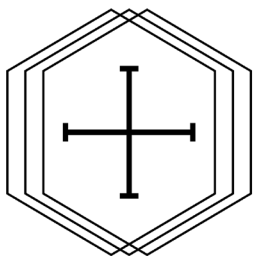
And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End
The Godhead three in one
Father, Spirit, Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

Chorus

Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

Chorus

Benediction



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