

# CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 10, 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 August 10, 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**

Matthew 11:28-30

Minister: "Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."

People: "Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

# My Faith Has Found a Resting Place

My faith has found a resting place From guilt my soul is free I trust the Ever-living One His wounds shall plead for me.

## Chorus

I need no other argument
I need no other plea
It is enough that Jesus died
And that He died for me

My heart is leaning on the Word The written Word of God Salvation by my Savior's name Salvation through His blood

Chorus

My great physician heals the sick
The lost He came to save
For me His precious blood He shed
For me His life He gave

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 Westminster Larger Catechism Q&A 178-180

Minster: What is prayer?

All: Prayer is an offering up of our desires unto God, in the name of Christ, by the help of His Spirit; with confession of our sins, and thankful acknowledgment of His mercies.

Minister: Are we to pray unto God only?

All: God only being able to search the hearts, hear the requests, pardon the sins, and fulfill the desires of all; and only to be believed in, and worshiped with religious worship; prayer, which is a special part thereof, is to be made by all to Him alone, and to none other.

Minister: What is it to pray in the name of Christ?

All: To pray in the name of Christ is, in obedience to His command, and in confidence on His promises, to ask mercy for His sake; not by bare mentioning of His name, but by drawing our encouragement to pray, and our boldness, strength, and hope of acceptance in prayer, from Christ and His mediation.

#### All Must Be Well

Through the love of God our Savior, All will be well Free and changeless is His favor, All is well Precious is the blood that healed us Perfect is the grace that sealed us Strong the hand stretched forth to shield us All must be well

Though we pass through tribulation, All will be well
Ours is such a full salvation, All is well
Happy still in God confiding
Fruitful if in Christ abiding
Steadfast through the Spirit's guiding
All must be well

We expect a bright tomorrow; All will be well Faith can sing through days of sorrow, All is well On our Father's love relying Jesus every need supplying Yes in living or in dying All must be well

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**Call to Confession** Romans 5:12

"Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned—"

#### **Confession of Sin**

Adapted from the Genevan Liturgy of 1542

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: O Lord God, Eternal God and Almighty Father, we confess and acknowledge most sincerely before Your holy majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in iniquity and corruption, prone to evil, incapable of any good, and that in our depravity we transgress Your holy commandments without end or ceasing: Wherefore we purchase for ourselves, through Your righteous judgment, our ruin and perdition. Nevertheless, O Lord, we are grieved that we have offended You; and we condemn ourselves and sins with true repentance, beseeching Your grace to relieve our distress. O God and Father, most gracious and full of compassion, have mercy upon us in the name of Your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ. And as You blot out our sins and stains, magnify and increase in us day by day the grace of Your Holy Spirit: that as we acknowledge our unrighteousness with all our heart, we may be moved by that sorrow which will bring forth true repentance in us, mortifying all our sins, and producing in us the fruits of righteousness and innocence which are pleasing unto You; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

## **Silent Confession**

# **Assurance of Pardon and Comfort**

Isaiah 55:6-7

"Seek the Lord while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon."

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

# All: Thanks be to God!

#### Psalm 42

Why are you so full of heaviness? Why are you disquieted within? O my soul, O my soul

As the deer longs for the water brooks So my soul it longs, it thirsts for You O my God, O my God

#### Chorus

Put your trust in God
I will yet give thanks to Him
Put your trust in God
I will yet give thanks to Him
Put your trust in God
I will yet give thanks to Him
My help, my God

Deep calls unto deep like ocean waves All Your floods and rapids on me break O my soul, O my soul

I will say unto my God, my strength "How is it You have forgotten me?
O how long?"

Chorus

Yahweh grants His kindness in the day Through the night His song, it is with me O my soul, O my soul

Chorus

**Prayer of Intercession** 

**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

#### "The LORD Is On His Throne"

Psalm 11

#### He is Exalted

He is exalted the King is exalted on High I will praise Him He is exalted forever exalted And I will praise His name

He is the Lord
Forever His truth shall reign
Heaven and Earth
Rejoice in His holy name
He is exalted the King is exalted on high

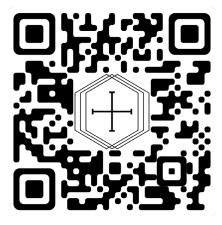
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#### **Benediction**



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# **SUNDAY SERVICE**

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

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