



CHRIST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

August 18, 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 August 18, 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 68:32-35

Minister: "O kingdoms of the earth, sing to God; sing praises to the Lord, to him who rides in the heavens, the ancient heavens; behold, he sends out his voice, his mighty voice."

All: "Ascribe power to God, whose majesty is over Israel, and whose power is in the skies. Awesome is God from his sanctuary; the God of Israel—he is the one who gives power and strength to his people. Blessed be God!"

Man of Sorrows, What a Name

Man of sorrows what a name
For the Son of God, who came
Ruined sinners to reclaim
Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Bearing shame and scoffing rude
In my place condemned he stood
Sealed my pardon with his blood
Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Chorus

Hallelujah, what a Savior, Thou took my sin on Thee
Hallelujah, what a Savior, Thy righteousness to me

Guilty, vile, and helpless we
Spotless Lamb of God was He
Full atonement, can it be?
Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Lifted up was He to die
"It is finished" was his cry
Now in heav'n exalted high
Hallelujah, what a Savior!

Chorus

When he comes, our glorious King
All his ransomed home to bring
Then anew yhis song we'll sing
Hallelujah, what a Savior!
Hallelujah, what a Savior!

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

WCF 14.2; John 1:12-13

Minister: What is true, saving faith?

All: By this faith a Christian believes whatever is revealed in the word to be the true, authentic, authoritative statement of God himself. By this faith the believer also acts according to what particular passages in the word say. By faith the believer humbly submits to and obeys God's various commands.

He trembles at God's awesome threats, and eagerly embraces his promises about this life and the life to come. But the chief actions of saving faith are accepting, receiving, and resting on Christ alone for justification, sanctification, and eternal life, in the power of the covenant of grace.

**All: "But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God, who were born, not of blood nor of the will of the flesh nor of the will of man, but of God."
Christ The True And Better**

Christ the True and Better

Christ the true and better Adam, Son of God and Son of man
Who when tempted in the garden, never yielded never sinned
He who makes the many righteous, brings us back to life again
Dying He reversed the curse then rising crushed the serpent's head

Christ the true and better Isaac, humble son of sacrifice
Who would climb the fearful mountain, there to offer up his life
Laid with faith upon the altar, Father's joy and only Son
There salvation was provided, oh what full and boundless love

Chorus

Amen, amen, from beginning to end
Christ the story, his the glory
Alleluia, amen

Christ the true and better Moses, called to lead a people home
Standing bold to earthly powers, God's great glory to be known
With his arms stretched wide to heaven, see the waters part in two
See the veil is torn forever, cleansed with blood we pass now through

Chorus

Christ the true and better David, lowly shepherd mighty King
He the champion in the battle, where o death is now thy sting?
In our place He bled and conquered, crown Him Lord of majesty
His shall be the throne forever, we shall e'er His people be

Chorus

Call to Confession

1 Timothy 1:15

“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.”

Confession of Sin Adapted from John Calvin’s ‘Form of Church Prayers’

Minister: Let us confess our sins together.

All: Lord God! Eternal and Almighty Father, we acknowledge and confess before Your holy Majesty that we are poor sinners, conceived and born in guilt and in corruption, prone to do evil, unable of ourselves to do any good, who, by reason of our depravity, transgress without end Your holy commandments. Therefore, we have drawn upon ourselves, by Your just sentence, condemnation and death. But, Oh Lord! With heartfelt sorrow, we repent and deplore our offenses. We condemn ourselves and our evil ways, with true penitence, beseeching that Your grace may relieve our distress. Be pleased to have compassion on us, O most gracious God, Father of all mercies, for the sake of Your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. And in removing our guilt and our pollution, grant us the daily increase of the grace of Your Holy Spirit, that acknowledging from our inmost heart our own unrighteousness, we may be touched with sorrow that shall work true repentance, and that Your spirit, mortifying all sin within us, may produce the fruits of holiness and righteousness well pleasing in Your sight. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon and Comfort

1 Timothy 1:16-17

“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.”

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

All: Thanks be to God!

Psalm 110

The LORD said to my Lord: "At my right hand take your seat
until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet"

The LORD will make your reign extend from Zion's hill
with mighty scepter rule your foes who fight against your will

Chorus

When you display your pow'r, your people flock to you
at dawn, arrayed in holiness, your youth will come like dew

The LORD has sworn an oath and will not change his mind
"You are a priest forever, like Melchizedek in kind"

The Lord's at your right hand, and there will ever stay
He on his day of wrath will crush the kings who bar his way

Chorus

The nations he will judge; the dead in heaps will lie
The mighty chiefs of all the earth he'll shatter and destroy

A brook beside the way his thirst will satisfy
and, thus refreshed, by water he will lift his head on high

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

"The Depraved Levite"

Judges 19:1-30

Jesus, I Come

Out of my bondage, sorrow and night
Jesus, I come; Jesus I come
Into Thy freedom, gladness and light
Jesus, I come to Thee
Out of my sickness into Thy health
Out of my wanting and into Thy wealth
Out of my sin and into Thyself
Jesus, I come to Thee

Out of my shameful failure and loss
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross
Jesus, I come to Thee
Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm
Out of life's storms and into Thy calm
Out of distress into jubilant psalm
Jesus, I come to Thee

Out of unrest and arrogant pride
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come
Into Thy blessed will to abide
Jesus, I come to Thee
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love
Out of despair into raptures above
Upward forever on wings like a dove
Jesus, I come to Thee

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb
Jesus, I come; Jesus, I come
Into the joy and light of Thy home
Jesus, I come to Thee
Out of the depths of ruin untold
Into the peace of Thy sheltering fold
Ever Thy glorious face to behold
Jesus, I come to Thee
Jesus, I come to Thee
Jesus, I come to Thee

Benediction



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