

# **Cypress Ridge PCA**

February 27, 2022

Join our 10:30 am Worship Service at CRPC or Livestream!

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# WELCOME

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. It is our hope that today's service will be a fresh encounter with God's love and grace. This bulletin will guide you as we worship together.

# OUR PURPOSE

Cypress Ridge PCA exists to **glorify God** *through*: <u>Exalting</u> God's Glory, <u>Equipping</u> God's People, and <u>Extending</u> God's Kingdom.

CRPC is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America: pcanet.org

# VISITOR/PRAYER REQUEST CARD

<u>Visitors</u>: We would like to get to know you. Therefore, we ask that you please fill out the Visitor Card and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like additional information about CRPC, we encourage you to look at our website for further information. Website is: www.cypressridge-pca.org.

<u>Prayer Requests</u>: After recording your prayer requests, please place the card in the offering plate.

# CHILDREN

We offer numerous options for children during worship:

- Children are welcome to remain in the Sanctuary for the entire service. (Approximately one hour and 15 minutes.)
- There is a nursery and pre-school room. The nursery is for infants through 1 year olds. The pre-school room is for 2-3 year olds.
- Children's Prayer: Children of all ages will be invited to come forward for prayer during our worship service. After the prayer, children may return to their seats or go to Children's Worship.
- Children's Worship is offered for those from age 4 through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. Children return to the Sanctuary before Communion.
- There is a cry room at the back of the Sanctuary where parents can take their child(ren) during the service.

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Scripture: Scripture in the service is from the ESV translation, unless otherwise noted.

### THE LORD GATHERS THE NATIONS

We believe that the Triune God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – calls the world to worship Him. As a Christian community, we gather together on the first day of each week to worship Him as we are led by the Spirit. As we worship, we bring our praise and our concerns, our joys and our sorrows, our hopes and our troubles.

#### Prelude

\*Please silence your electronic devices

Announcements

### **Reflection on Worship**

Because your steadfast love is better than life, my lips will praise you. So I will bless you as long as I live; in your name I will lift up my hands.

- Psalm 63:3-4

### **Call to Worship**

from Psalm 50

**Leader:** The Mighty One, God the Lord, speaks and summons the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

**Response:** The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge!

**Leader:** "Hear, O my people, and I will speak ... I am God, your God ... for the world and its fullness are mine."

**Response:** "Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and perform your vows to the Most High."

**Leader:** "And call upon me in the day of trouble; I will deliver you, and you shall glorify me."

#### This is My Father's World

Words: Maltbie D. Babcock. Music: Arranged by Franklin Sheppard. UBP CCLI #3038781.

This is my Father's world; and to my listening ears All nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres This is my Father's world; I rest me in the thought Of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; His hand the wonders wrought

This is my Father's world; O let me ne'er forget That though the wrong seems oft so strong; God is the ruler yet This is my Father's world; the battle is not done Jesus Who died shall be satisfied; and earth and Heav'n be one

#### **Everlasting God**

Authors, Brenton Brown & Ken Riley. UBP CCLI #3038781.

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord We will wait upon the Lord, we will wait upon the Lord (2x)

> Our God, You reign forever Our hope, our strong deliverer

You are the everlasting God, the everlasting God You do not faint, You won't grow weary You're the defender of the weak You comfort those in need You lift us up on wings like eagles

#### Arise, My Soul, Arise

Words by Charles Wesley and music by Kevin Twitt © 1996 Kevin Twit Music. UBP CCLI #3038781.

> Arise, my soul, arise, shake off your guilty fears The bleeding sacrifice, in my behalf appears Before the throne my Surety stands Before the throne my Surety stands My name is written on His hands

(Men) Arise, (Women) Arise (Men) Arise, (Women) Arise, (Men) Arise (Unison) Arise, my soul, arise (2x) Shake off your guilty fears and rise

He ever lives above, for me to intercede His all redeeming love, His precious blood, to plead His blood atoned for every race His blood atoned for every race And sprinkles now the throne of grace

Chorus

My God is reconciled; His pardoning voice I hear He owns me for His child; I can no longer fear With confidence I now draw nigh With confidence I now draw nigh And "Father, Abba, Father," cry

Chorus

#### **Monthly Memory Verse**

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

**Prayer for Children** [Children's Worship is available for children 4 years to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade]



Romans 3:23

### THE LORD REVEALS HIMSELF TO THE WORLD

God calls the nations to follow him primarily through the reading and exposition of His inspired, infallible, and inerrant word as contained in the Old and New Testaments. We believe that the Scriptures teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God requires of man.

#### Sermon

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

Remember...

### *Ephesians 2:11-18 (ESV)* Pew Bible p. 976 Large Print Bible p. 1217

I. Remember Who You Were

II. Remember Who You Are

III. Remember What You Have

#### He Knows My Name

Author, Tommy Walker © 1996 Doulos Publishing; UBP CCLI #3038781.

I have a Maker; He formed my heart Before even time began; My life was in his hands

He knows my name; He knows my every thought He sees each tear that falls; And hears me when I call

I have a Father; He calls me His own He'll never leave me; No matter where I go

Chorus

#### Before the Throne of God Above

Words & Music by Charitie Lees Bancroft & Vikki Cook. UBP CCLI #3038781

Before the throne of God above; I have a strong, and perfect plea A great High Priest whose name is Love Who ever lives and pleads for me My name is graven on His hands; my name is written on His heart I know that while in heav'n He stands No tongue can bid me thence depart (2x)

Behold Him there, the risen Lamb; my perfect, spotless righteousness The great unchangeable I Am; the King of glory and of grace One with Himself I cannot die; my soul is purchased with His blood My life is hid with Christ on high With Christ, my Savior and my God (2x)

# THE LORD CALLS HIS PEOPLE TO PRAY

*Throughout Scripture, God's people are called to pray through adoration, confession, thanksgiving, and supplication. As we come to the Lord in prayer, we are placing our dependence and trust in the One who forgives, who cares, and who strengthens.* 

### **Congregational Prayer**

Ephesians 2:12-13

Leader: Remember that you were at that time separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers to the covenants of promise, having no hope and without God in the world. But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

### The following prayer may be used as an example.

Heavenly Father, my sin separated me from Your presence, yet in Christ, I am reconciled to You. Despite this gift of grace, I often choose to fulfill my sinful, selfish desires. Forgive me Lord! Thank You, Jesus, for giving me direct access to the Father. Holy Spirit, cause my heart to desire to follow You and walk in Your ways. In Jesus' name. Amen.

*Mission of the Month:* LifeChoice Pregnancy Center. See pages 12 & 14 for more details on how you can support this ministry.

Battling Cancer: Curtis Guise & Susie Fuday

*Health Issues:* Vicki Jones, Maira Aviles, Judy McGuire, Vera Castleberry, Kerry Smith, Rick & Rosie DeCoito, Bill & Dulce Roldan, Pat Moss

### **Ministry Moment**

Rodney Barton Game Day – March  $5^{th}$  – 3:30 pm

### THE LORD PROVIDES OUR DAILY BREAD

Worship includes returning to God and His work a portion of our material possessions as tithes and offerings. We ask Him to use the generosity of His people to continue and to advance the work of His church.

### **Offertory Scripture**

1 Chronicles 16:29

**Leader:** Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him! Worship the Lord in the splendor of holiness.

#### **Living Hope**

Music by B. Johnson & P. Wickham. Phil Wickham Music & Bethel Music Pub. UBP CCLI #3038781.

How great the chasm that lay between us How high the mountain I could not climb In desperation I turned to heaven; and spoke Your name into the night Then through the darkness Your loving kindness Tore through the shadows of my soul The work is finished, the end is written; Jesus Christ, my living hope

Who could imagine so great a mercy What heart could fathom such boundless grace The God of ages stepped down from glory; to wear my sin and bear my shame The cross has spoken, I am forgiven The King of Kings calls me His own Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever; Jesus Christ, my living hope

> Hallelujah! Praise the One who set me free Hallelujah! Death has lost its grip on me You have broken ev'ry chain, there's salvation in Your name Jesus Christ, my living hope

Then came the morning that sealed the promise Your buried body began to breathe; out of the silence, the roaring Lion Declared the grave has no claim on me; Jesus, Yours is the victory

*Chorus Jesus Christ, my living hope; God, You are my living hope* 

# THE LORD COMMUNES WITH HIS PEOPLE

The climax of our worship is sitting at the Table with the Lord. We come to the Table full of thankfulness and joy because of His grace. As the perfect Lamb of God, Jesus' sacrifice reconciled us to the Father so that we are in a right relationship with him.

### Distribution of the Bread and Cup

Bread: Gluten free bread is located in the cups within the basket. Cup: The outer ring is grape juice, the inner rings are wine.

#### What is Communion?

Communion is also known as the Lord's Supper. The bread represents the broken body of Christ and the cup represents the blood Jesus poured out as the Sacrificial Lamb (*see 1 Corinthians 11:23-26*).

When we celebrate this feast, we commune with the risen Lord Jesus who stands as our host to offer spiritual nourishment, renewal and life. We also participate together in the reconciling grace of God.

#### Who can take Communion?

We warmly welcome to the table all who have publicly professed their faith in Jesus – trusting in His once-for-all sacrificial death upon the cross.

At Cypress Ridge, we ask children to wait to take communion until they have met with the elders to share their faith in Jesus.

If you have not yet professed faith in Jesus, we encourage you to spend this time reflecting on the prayers below.

#### Prayer for those searching for the truth

Lord Jesus, You claim to be the way, truth and life. If what You claim is true, please guide me and teach me. Give me an understanding of who You are, and open up my heart so that I may have faith in You. Amen.

#### Prayer of faith

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am more sinful than I ever believed, but through You, I am more loved and accepted that I ever dared to hope. I thank You for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross. Knowing that You have also been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive You as my Savior. Amen.

## THE LORD SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

God does not save us simply from something. He saves us to something ... to be His messengers of redemption to a lost and fallen world. He sends us out redeemed, loved, and with a purpose. We are called to bear witness to what He is doing in our lives where we live, work, and play. Praise be to God!

#### Benediction

Romans 15:5-6

May the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

### **Unison Response:**

Christ has died! Christ has risen! Christ will come again!!!

**Choral Response** 

Tri-fold Amen

# **CRPC FAMILY EVENTS**

# TODAY ...

- Sunday School: At 9:15 am, offered for all ages.
- Inquirer/New Member Class: At 9:15 am.
- Worship Service at CRPC & Livestream: At 10:30 am.
  - Each service is recorded and will be available to watch following the service on YouTube.

## THIS WEEK ...

- Monday Afternoon: Girls' D-Group at 4:15 pm.
- Tuesday Morning: Women's Bible Study at 9:30 am.
- **Tuesday Evening:** Women's Bible Study at 7 pm.
- **Thursday Evening:** The Boathouse (7 12<sup>th</sup> graders) at 6:30 pm. *Burger Bash at the Luchenbill home!*
- Saturday Morning: Men's Sunrise Bible Study at 7 am.
- Saturday Afternoon: Game Day from 3:30 6:30 pm. Games for ALL ages (dominoes, cornhole, etc.)! Invite a friend to come and join us, and bring a side dish to share. Hot dogs will be provided.

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# BIBLE READING THIS WEEK ...

As you read, ask these questions:

1) What does this teach me about God? 2) What does this teach me about how I should live?

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Monday	Isaiah 9:8-21	Hosea 7:8-10; Psalm 147:10-11; James 3:1-12
Tuesday	Isaiah 10:1-19	2 Kings 19
Wednesday	Isaiah 10:20-34	Romans 9:1-29
Thursday	Isaiah 11	Acts 13:13-25; Luke 3:1-22; Romans 15:8-13
Friday	Isaiah 12	Psalm 118:14-16; John 4:1-14; Psalm 105:1-6
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# ON THE HORIZON ...

• Men's Breakfast: Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 9 am.

FYI ...

- **Baby Bottle Campaign:** Return the bottles to Anna by March 6<sup>th</sup> filled with cash, coin, or check (checks should be written directly to LifeChoice Pregnancy Center). Thank you ☺.
- Visitor/Prayer Request Card: If you are a visitor, please fill out the card, under the seat in front of you, and place it in the offering plate. Any prayer requests may also be put on this card.



# THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE ...

### **SERVING IN FEBRUARY 2022**

Deacon of the Month: Charles Burkett Usher: Art Gilkey Communion Preparation: Bob & Barb Luchenbill Nursery Volunteers: 2/27 - Lois Adair & Lori Brousseau Children's Worship Volunteers: 2/27 - Ginger Andersen & Renae Anderson

### This Week's Birthdays

2/28 - John Hunt 3/2 - Lloyd Deuley

### **SERVING IN MARCH 2022**

Deacon of the Month: Dave Holdener Usher: Matt Sanders (3/6); Joe Johnston (3/13, 3/20, 3/27) Communion Preparation: Dave Cruz

Nursery Volunteers:

- 3/6 Jessica Sanders & Lori Brousseau
- 3/13 Kay Smith & Lori Brousseau
- 3/20 Ginny Vander Zee & Lori Brousseau
- 2/27 TBD

Children's Worship Volunteers:

- 3/6 Mary Jones & Sheryl Bacheldor
- 3/13 Anna Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart
- 3/20 Linda Paris & TBD
- 3/27 Ginger Andersen & Renae Anderson



# **February Mission of the Month**

# LifeChoice Pregnancy Center

LifeChoice provides counseling, pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, and much more for women facing unexpected pregnancies. You can read more about this ministry at: www.lifechoicepregnancycenter.com.

<u>Annual Fundraiser</u>: LifeChoice's annual fundraiser is being held on Friday, April 22, 2022 at 6:30 pm.

To register for the event, visit this web address online and follow the prompts: https://lifechoicewh.com/events. You can also register to attend the fundraiser by calling the office at 863-293-0955.



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