



# Why Trust Jesus?

Mark 1:14-45

**Cypress Ridge PCA**

August 14, 2022

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

*[cypressridge-pca.org](http://cypressridge-pca.org)*

# 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*: **Exalting** God's Glory, **Equipping** God's People, and **Extending** God's Kingdom.

CRPC is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America: [pcanet.org](http://pcanet.org)

## VISITOR/PRAYER REQUEST CARD

Visitors: 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](http://www.cypressridge-pca.org).

Prayer Requests: 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.*

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### **Prelude**

*\*Please silence your electronic devices*

### **Announcements**

### **Reflection on Worship**

*“Take time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;  
Abide in Him always, and feed on His Word.  
Make friends of God’s children; help those who are weak.  
Forgetting in nothing His blessing to seek.”*

*- William D. Longstaff*

### **Prayer of Invocation**

Elder David Reyes

### **Call to Worship**

Psalm 95:1-3

**Leader:** Oh come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

**Response:** Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

**Leader:** For the Lord is a great God.

**Response:** And a great King above all gods.

## **Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing**

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Come, Thou Fount of every blessing; tune my heart to sing Thy grace  
Streams of mercy, never ceasing; call for songs of loudest praise  
Teach me some melodious sonnet; sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise His name, I'm fixed upon it; name of God's redeeming love

O to grace how great a debtor; daily I'm constrained to be  
Let Thy goodness, like a fetter; bind my wandering heart to Thee  
Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it; prone to leave the God I love  
Here's my heart, O take and seal it; seal it for Thy courts above

## **How Firm A Foundation**

*Words by Robert Keene. Arr. by David B. Hampton ©1998 Community Worship Music. UBP CCLI#3038781.*

How firm a foundation; ye saints of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith in His excellent Word  
What more can He say than to you He hath said  
To you who for refuge to Jesus have fled

Fear not, I am with thee; O be not dismayed  
For I am thy God, and will still give thee aid  
I'll strengthen thee, help thee, and cause thee to stand  
Upheld by My righteous, omnipotent hand

## Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer

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Jesus draw me ever nearer  
As I labor through the storm  
You have called me to this passage  
And I'll follow though I'm worn

*May this journey bring a blessing  
May I rise on wings of faith  
And at the end of my heart's testing  
With Your likeness let me wake*

Jesus guide me through the tempest  
Keep my spirit staid and sure  
When the midnight meets the morning  
Let me love You even more

### *Chorus*

May the treasures of the trial  
Form within me as I go  
And at the end of this long passage  
Let me leave them at Your throne

### *Chorus*

## Monthly Memory Verse

Proverbs 4:23

Keep your heart with all vigilance, for from it flow the springs of life.

## Prayer for Children

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



# 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.*

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**Sermon**

Pastor Rodney Barton

*Why Trust Jesus?*

*Mark 1:14-45 (ESV)*

Pew Bible p. 836

Large Print Bible p. 1044

*Our trust is in Jesus because He has authority to:*

*I. Call*

*II. Cure*

*III. Cleanse*

## **Jesus, Your Name**

*Words & Music by Keith & Kristyn Getty and Ian Hannah. UBP CCLI #3038781.*

Jesus, Your name, Prince of Peace  
Quiets my soul, treasures the least  
In perfect rest You will keep all whose hope is in You  
Jesus, Your name can silence the storms  
The strivings that trouble our world  
Jesus, Your name reveals You as Lord  
Oh, powerful name

Jesus, Your name, Counsellor  
Wonderful Way, Life's Comforter  
Spirit of Truth defending me, though in me was the blame  
Jesus, Your name has stood in my place  
And freed me from hopeless shame  
Jesus, Your name now father's me  
With joy I bear His name

Jesus, Your name, Mighty God  
All Pow'rful One, ruling in love  
There is a King upon the throne earth cannot overthrow  
Jesus, Your name great banner of hope  
Steadies the knees of the weak  
Jesus, the name all nations will praise  
Oh, glorious name

## 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.*

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### Congregational Prayer

Romans 3:10b-12

**Leader:** None is righteous, no, not one; no one understands; no one seeks for God. All have turned aside; together they have become worthless; no one does good, not even one.

### Prayer:

“Almighty God, Jesus showed us true humility by becoming one of us, yet too often we practice pride. ... He loved those who were weak, despised, or cast out, yet too often we love those who will bring us notoriety and social respect. Jesus freely forgave and healed, yet too often we hold grudges and cause pain. ... Forgive us, Lord, so that we will shine with your glory. In Jesus' name. Amen.”

[adapted from *The Worship Sourcebook*, © 2004, CRC Publications, pp. 134-135]

*[Silent Confession]*

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***Mission of the Month:*** Renew Polk, see page 14.

***Battling Cancer:*** Curtis Guise & Susie Fuday

***Health Issues:*** Steve Dortman, Lillian Steverson Kelder, Marilyn Smith, Blossom Warren, Rick & Rosie DeCoito, Pat Moss, Brenda Donnell

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## 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.*

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### Offertory Scripture

Proverbs 3:9

**Leader:** Honor the Lord with your wealth and with the firstfruits of all your produce.

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### Jesus Paid it All

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I hear the Savior say, thy strength indeed is small  
Child of weakness, watch and pray; find in Me thine all in all

*Jesus paid it all, all to Him I owe  
Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow*

Lord, now indeed I find; Thy pow'r, and Thine alone  
Can change the leper's spots, and melt the heart of stone

*Chorus*

For nothing good have I, whereby Thy grace to claim  
I'll wash my garments white, in the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb

*Chorus*

## 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.*

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### **Distribution of the Bread and Cup**

*Bread: Gluten free bread is located in the cups within the basket.*

*Cup: The outer ring is wine, the inner rings are juice.*

#### ***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 than 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!*

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### **Benediction**

Numbers 6:24-26

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

### **Unison Response:**

Christ has died!

Christ has risen!

Christ will come again!!!

### **Choral Response**

*Tri-fold Amen*

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# CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

## TODAY ...

- **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 ...

- **Thursday Evening:** Boathouse at 6:30 pm.
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Sunrise Bible Study at 7 am.
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Breakfast at 9 am.

## BIBLE READING THIS WEEK ...

	<u>Bible Reading</u>	<u>Cross References</u>
<b>Monday</b>	Micah 1:1-9	Psalm 11:4-7; Psalm 95:1-5
<b>Tuesday</b>	Micah 1:10-16	2 Samuel 1:17-27; Amos 3:1-10
<b>Wednesday</b>	Micah 2:1-13	Psalm 36:1-4; Deuteronomy 12:8-14
<b>Thursday</b>	Micah 3:1-3	Ezekiel 34:1-3; Psalm 14:1-4
<b>Friday</b>	Micah 3:4-12	Jeremiah 23:13, 32; Isaiah 58:1-2

## ON THE HORIZON ...

- **Kidz Night Out:** Join us on 2<sup>nd</sup> Fridays from 6-7:30 pm, beginning September 9<sup>th</sup>. KNO is a fun night for our children (nursery – 6<sup>th</sup> grade). We have a great time learning from God’s Word, playing games, and eating yummy snacks.
- **Sunday School:** Classes will resume for all ages on September 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 am.

## FYI ...

- **God’s Provision Through July 2022:**

July General Fund Giving:	\$29,361
YTD July GF Giving:	\$192,999
YTD July Exp. Paid:	\$229,766
YTD Budget:	\$226,335
YTD Mercy Fund:	\$8,980
- **Israel Tour 2023:** Have you ever dreamed of walking where Jesus walked? Have you imagined seeing Bethlehem or the empty tomb? Do you want to understand your Bible more and grow deeper in your relationship with God? Now is the time! Join us for this life-changing trip to Israel, April 22 – May 3, 2023. Grab an info packet from the Welcome Center, or see Bob Wood!
- **Resource Table:** We provide free copies of *Our Daily Bread* (large print and regular print) and *Tabletalk* at our Resource Table located at the back of the sanctuary.
- **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 box. Any prayer or visitation request may also be put on this card.
- **Post-Service Prayer:** If you would like prayer after the service, there will be leaders at the front of the sanctuary, by the piano, available to meet and pray with you

## THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE ...

### **SERVING IN AUGUST 2022**

*Usher of the Month:* Terry Schmucker

*Usher:* Art Gilkey

*Communion Preparation:* Sheryl Bacheldor

*Nursery Volunteers:*

8/14 - Abby Babcock & Lori Brousseau

8/21 - Brenda Knappenberger & Carolyn Holdener

8/28 - Jessica Sanders & Lori Brousseau

*Children's Worship Volunteers:*

8/14 - Sheryl Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart

8/21 - Betty Parmerter & Phil Baier

8/28 - Ginger Andersen & Renae Anderson

### **THIS WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES & BIRTHDAYS**

8/14 - David & Cindy Luchenbill

8/15 - Mary Lou Shafer

8/17 - Philip Baier

8/19 - Bob Wood

8/20 - Gabrielle Jean-Bart



# MISSION OF THE MONTH

## RENEW POLK



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Renew Polk is a missional partnership of churches, existing to catalyze funds and resources for PCA church planting in Polk County.  
To learn more about Renew Polk visit: [www.renewpolk.org](http://www.renewpolk.org).

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