



Cypress Ridge PCA

August 2, 2020

**Join our In-House & Live Stream Worship Service
at 10:30 am!**

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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 handout will guide you as we worship together.

OUR PURPOSE

Cypress Ridge PCA exists to be a God centered, worshipping community that disciples God's people and extends God's kingdom.

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

VISITOR/PRAYER REQUEST CARD

Please send all new information and prayer requests to info@cypressridge-pca.org

About the Cover: *The Return of the Prodigal Son* by Rembrandt, between 1626-1669

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

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**Please silence your electronic devices*

Announcements

Reflection on Worship

God made us for Himself, and our heart is restless until it rests in Him.

- Augustine

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! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

All Hail the Power of Jesus Name

Words; Edward Perronet 1780, adapted by John Rippon. Music: Oliver Holden

All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all

Let every kindred every tribe, on this terrestrial ball
To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all
To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all

O that with yonder sacred throng, we at His feet may fall
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown Him Lord of all
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May the Peoples Praise You

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You have called us out of darkest night, into Your glorious light
That we may sing the wonders of the risen Christ

May our every breath retell the grace that broke into our strife
With boundless love and deepest joy, with endless life

*May the peoples praise You, let the nations be glad!
All Your blessing comes that we may praise
May praise the name of Jesus*

All the earth is Yours and all within, each harvest is Your own
And from Your hand we give to You, to make Christ known

May the seeds of mercy grow in us for those who have not heard
May songs of praise build lives of grace to spread Your Word

Chorus

This our holy priv'lege to declare Your praises and Your Name
To every nation, tribe and tongue Your church proclaim

Chorus

Holy, Holy, is the Lord Almighty
Worthy, worthy is the Lamb who was slain
Holy, Holy, is the Lord Almighty
All creation praise Your glorious Name

Chorus

Monthly Memory Verse

Colossians 3:23-24

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

Prayer for Children

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

Guest Speaker, Brandon Porter

Luke 15:25-32

Pew Bible p. 875

Large Print Bible p. 1092

Sermon Title: The Prodigal Son

I. The Signs of Self-Righteousness

II. The Reasons of Self-Righteousness

III. The Remedy to Self-Righteousness

Our God

Composers: Jonas Myrin, Matt Redman, Jesse Reeves, and Chris Tomlin

Water you turned into wine
Opened the eyes of the blind
There's no one like You
None like You

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

*Our God is greater
Our God is stronger
God You are higher than any other
Our God is healer
Awesome in power our God
Our God*

Into the darkness You shine
Out of the ashes we rise
There's no one like You
None like You

Chorus

And if our God is for us
Then who could ever stop us
And if our God is with us
Then what could stand against
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Chorus

Leader: O God, you know my folly; the wrongs I have done are not hidden from you.

Please use the following questions as a guide as you spend time silently confessing your sins.

- Am I trusting in my sinful works or Christ’s righteous sacrifice to pay for my sin?
 - Are my thoughts, words, and deeds pleasing to my Heavenly Father?
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Prayers for Missionaries and the Congregation

- *August Missionaries of the Month: Bruce & Jaye Hansen.* The Hansen’s work with Literacy & Evangelism International coordinating ESL classes and teacher training in the Caribbean. They just moved to Charlotte, NC on 7/14/20 and hope to move into their new home soon. Charlotte is a very culturally diverse city and there are multiple nearby Haitian churches. Please pray:
 - That God will guide them to the right place(s) to teach literacy with immigrant populations.
 - That they will be able to find Haitian adults who would like to learn how to read.
 - For future opportunities to work in Haiti and for God to lead them in finding someone they can mentor to carry on the work in Haiti.
- ShaRon Griffin – diagnosed with pancreatic and liver cancer. Started treatments last week.
- Bob Wood – diagnosed with prostate cancer, currently undergoing treatment.
- Barbara Smith – receiving treatment for cancer.
- Muriel Baker – struggling with health issues.



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

Proverbs 3:9

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

Jesus Messiah

Words & Music by Daniel Carson, Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash and Jesse Reeves

He became sin, who knew no sin
That we might become His righteousness
He humbled Himself and carried the cross
Love so amazing, love so amazing

*Jesus Messiah, name above all names
Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel
The rescue for sinners, the ransom from heaven
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all*

His body the bread, His blood, the wine
Broken and poured out all for love
The whole earth trembled, and the veil was torn
Love so amazing, love so amazing

Chorus

All our hope is in You, all our hope is in You
All the glory to You, God, the light of the world

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.

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.

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 15:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound in hope.

Unison Response:

Christ has died!

Christ has risen!

Christ will come again!!!

Choral Response

Tri-fold Amen

CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

TODAY ...

- **Livestream Worship Service:** @ 10:30 am
 - The service will be uploaded to the church website on Monday morning.

THIS WEEK ...

- **Friday:** Virtual VBS Craft Pick Up from 9 am – 4 pm
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Sunrise Bible Study from 7 – 8 am

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?

	<u>Old Testament</u>	<u>Cross References</u>
Monday	Psalm 115:1-8	Ez. 36:22-23; Jer. 10:1-6; Acts 19:21-41
Tuesday	Psalm 115:9-18	Proverbs 3:5-6; Deuteronomy 1:1, 9-11
Wednesday	Psalm 116	Matthew 11:25-30; 2 Corinthians 4:7-18
Thursday	Psalm 117	Romans 15:8-13
Friday	Psalm 118	Jonah 2:1-2; Heb. 13:1-6; Is. 35:8-10; Mark 12:1-12

FYI ...

- **School Supplies:** We are collecting gift cards (Walmart, Target, Dollar Tree, etc.) and paper (regular & cardstock) for our teachers. Any donations can be dropped off at the office through August 16.
- **Virtual Vacation Bible School:** August 10-13th at 10 am, through our church's livestream or watch the recording on our website. RSVP for a craft packet at cypressridgekidz@gmail.com by tomorrow, August 3rd.
- **Church Shirts for Purchase:** We will be putting an order in this week! Cost: \$17/Adult Polo, \$7/Children's T-Shirt. Cash or Checks are acceptable. See Anna for more details.
- **God's provision from July 26:**
 General Fund Giving: \$3,606
 YTD to General Fund: \$177,513
 YTD Budgeted Needs: \$183,466

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

August Deacon of the Month: David Holdener

August Ushers: Art Gilkey & Bill Roldan

August Communion Preparation: Ginger Andersen & Betty Jones

This Week's Birthdays & Anniversaries

8/2 Mike Lohret (Birthday)

8/2 Sharon Porter (Birthday)

8/5 Brenda Donnell (Birthday)

8/7 Bob & Barb Luchenbill (Anniversary)



8/7 Connie Mahoney (Birthday)

8/7 Bob & Debbie McKee (Anniversary)

8/8 Keith Steverson (Birthday)

Today's Guest Speaker: Brandon Porter



Brandon serves as the Community Life Director at Strong Tower Church in Lakeland. He and his wife, Garricka, have an adorable 1 yr. old son, Mason. Brandon is under care to become a pastor in the PCA and enjoys engaging the community and introducing them to the Gospel. Welcome back to Cypress Ridge, Brandon, we are so happy to have you!