



**Mark 11:27-12:12**

**Cypress Ridge PCA**

February 5, 2023

**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! Please fill out the Visitor Card and put it in the offering box. We also encourage you to look at our website for further information: [www.cypressridge-pca.org](http://www.cypressridge-pca.org).

Prayer Requests: Please record your prayer request on the Visitor Card and put it in the offering box.

## 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**

*“All places are places of worship to a Christian.  
Wherever he is, he ought to be in a worshipping frame of mind.”*

*— Charles Spurgeon*

### **Prayer of Invocation**

#### **Call to Worship**

Psalm 111:1, 9-10

**Leader:** Praise the Lord! I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

**Response:** He sent redemption to his people; he has commanded his covenant forever. Holy and awesome is his name!

**Leader:** The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom; all those who practice it have a good understanding.

**Response:** His praise endures forever!

## **New Doxology**

*Authors: Thomas Ken, Thomas Miller. UBP CCLI #3038781.*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him, all creatures here below  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Let earth and heavenly saints proclaim  
The power and might of His great Name  
Let us exalt on bended knee; praise God, the Holy Trinity

*Praise God, praise God, praise God; who saved my soul  
Praise God, praise God; praise God from Whom all blessings flow*

## **Arise, My Soul, Arise**

*Words by Charles Wesley. Music by Kevin Twitt © 1996 Kevin Twitt Music.  
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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*

## **It Is Well with My Soul**

*Horatio G. Spafford. Music: Philip P. Bliss. Arr. by David B. Hampton © 1998  
Community Worship Music. UBP CCLI #3038781.*

When peace, like a river, attendeth my way  
When sorrows like sea billows roll  
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say  
It is well, it is well with my soul

*It is well, with my soul  
It is well, it is well with my soul*

My sin, oh, the bliss of this glorious thought  
My sin, not in part but the whole  
Is nailed to the cross, and I bear it no more  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord, O my soul

*Chorus*

And, Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight  
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll  
The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend  
Even so, it is well with my soul

*Chorus*

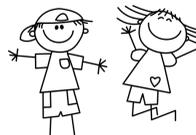
### **Monthly Memory Verse**

Joshua 1:9

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be frightened, and do not be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.

### **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

## *Stumbling Upon Hope*

*Mark 11:27-12:12*

Pew Bible p. 848

Large Print Bible p. 1058

*Since God is gracious, we have hope.*

I. *Hope in God's Provision*

II. *Hope in God's Patience*

III. *Hope in God's Plan*

### **Questions to Consider**

1. What provisions has God put in your life to help you bear fruit?  
How do they help you love Him more? Obey Him more?
2. How have you seen God's patience play out in your life?
3. Why is it a "marvelous thing" that Jesus was rejected?
4. Who can you share God's provision, patience & plan with?

## **Cornerstone**

*Authors: Edward Mote, Eric Lilero, Jonas Myrin, Reuben Morgan & William Bradbury.  
UBP CCLI #3038781.*

My hope is built on nothing less, than Jesus' blood and righteousness  
I dare not trust the sweetest frame, but wholly trust in Jesus' name

*Christ alone, Cornerstone  
Weak made strong; in the Savior's love  
Through the storm; He is Lord, Lord of all*

When darkness seems to hide his face, I rest on His unchanging grace  
In every high and stormy gale, my anchor holds within the veil

*Chorus*

## **Come People of the Risen King**

*Authors, Keith & Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend. ©2008 Thankyou Music/Adm. By  
worshiptogether.com songs. UBP CCLI #3038781.*

Come people of the Risen King; who delight to bring Him praise  
Come all and tune your hearts to sing; to the Morning Star of grace  
From the shifting shadows of the earth; we will lift our eyes to Him  
Where steady arms of mercy reach; to gather children in

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, young and old from every land; men and women of the faith  
Come, those with full or empty hands; find the riches of His grace  
Over all the world, His people sing; shore to shore we hear them call  
The Truth that cries through every age; "Our God is all in all"!

*Chorus*

## 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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### Confession of Sin

Psalm 32:3-5

**Leader:** For when I kept silent, my bones wasted away through my groaning all day long. For day and night your hand was heavy upon me; my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer. I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord," and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

**Prayer:** Heavenly Father, we confess that we do not always recognize or rest in Your authority over our lives. Too often we reject Your ways and live for our own pleasure. Forgive us and cause us to humbly submit to Your Sovereign rule. We give You our fears, and find rest knowing You will guide us with patience. May we stand firmly in Christ as our ever-gracious Cornerstone. In Christ's name. Amen.

[Silent Confession]

### Assurance of Pardon

Colossians 2:13-14

**Leader:** You, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.

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### Apostles' Creed

**Leader:** Christians, what do you believe?

**Unison:** I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven & earth. And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## 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

Psalm 96:8

**Leader:** Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts!

### Elder Prayer

**Mission of the Month:** LifeChoice Pregnancy Center – see pg. 14.

**Battling Cancer:** Susie Fuday & Tom Cammidge

**Health Issues:** Bob Wood, Steve Dortman, Rick & Rosie DeCoito, Pat Moss, Brenda Donnell

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### You Alone Can Rescue

*Authors, Jonas Myrin & Matt Redman. UBP CCLI #3038781.*

Who, O Lord, could save themselves; their own soul could heal  
Our shame was deeper than the sea; Your grace is deeper still

*You alone can rescue, You alone can save  
You alone can lift us from the grave  
You came down to find us, led us out of death  
To You alone belongs the highest praise*

You, O Lord, have made a way; the great divide You healed  
For when our hearts were far away, Your love went further still  
Yes, Your love goes further still

*Chorus*

We lift up our eyes, lift up our eyes  
You're the giver of life (3x)

*Chorus*

*To You alone belongs the highest praise*

## 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**

2 Corinthians 13:14 (NIV)

“May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.” ... both now and forevermore!

### **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 ...

- **Sunday School:** At 9:15 am, classes available for all ages.
- **Worship Service at CRPC & Livestream:** At 10:30 am.
  - Each service is recorded and will be available to watch following the service on YouTube.
- **Kidz Service Club:** Meeting after the worship service, in the Children's Worship room. KSC is for 3-6<sup>th</sup> graders.
- **Connect Group:** Contact a leader to learn more about their upcoming meetings!
  - Bob Wood (419-969-4056): February 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> at 12:15 pm, at Cypress Ridge.
  - David Reyes (863-206-8278): February 5<sup>th</sup> & February 19<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm, at Cypress Ridge.
  - Leopold Jean-Bart (863-521-3136): February 12<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm, at Sheryl Bacheldor's home.
  - Rodney Barton (407-375-2756): February 5<sup>th</sup> & February 19<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm, at the Barton home.
  - Tom Luchenbill (863-632-3241): February 12<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm, at the Luchenbill home.

## THIS WEEK ...

- **Monday Afternoon:** Girl's D-Group (7-12<sup>th</sup> grade) at 4:15 pm.
- **Thursday Evening:** Boathouse (7-12<sup>th</sup> grade) at 6:30 pm.
- **Friday Evening:** Kidz Night Out at 6 pm (infant – 6<sup>th</sup> grade).
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Sunrise Bible Study at 7 am.
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Breakfast at 9 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?*

### **Bible Reading & Cross Reference(s)**

Monday: Job 8:11-22; Proverbs 11:5-7; Psalm 35:24-28

Tuesday: Job 9:1-12; Romans 3:9-20

Wednesday: Job 9:13-24; Ecclesiastes 9:1-2

Thursday: Job 9:25-35; Psalm 39:7-13; Romans 9:19-26

Friday: Job 10:1-14; Isaiah 64:6-9

## ON THE HORIZON ...

- **Community Fest Winter Haven:** Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>. More details to come!

## FYI ...

- **Congratulations to the Anderson Family:** Sara Nicole Anderson was born February 1<sup>st</sup> at 11:50 am. She weighs 7 lbs. 14 oz, 20.5 inches. A meal train has been set up – see Anna for details.
- **God's Provision Through January 2023:**

January General Fund Giving:	\$51,740
YTD January GF Giving:	\$51,740
YTD January Exp. Paid:	\$27,479
YTD Budget:	\$29,333
YTD Mercy Fund:	\$8,951
- **Baby Bottle Campaign:** To help support our mission of the month, LifeChoice Pregnancy Center, we have provided baby bottles at the Welcome Center. Return the bottles to the office by March 5<sup>th</sup> filled with cash, coin, or check (checks should be written directly to LifeChoice Pregnancy Center). Thank you ☺.
- **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 FEBRUARY 2023

*Usher of the Month:* Terry Schmucker

*Usher:* Art Gilkey

*Communion Preparation:* Bob & Barb Luchenbill

*Nursery Volunteers:*

2/5 - Kay Smith & Lois Adair

2/12 - Brenda Knappenberger & Carolyn Holdener

2/19 - Betty Parmerter & Abby Babcock

2/26 - Jessica Sanders & Briana Campos

*Children's Worship Volunteers:*

2/5 - Sheryl Bacheldor & Melissia Pletcher

2/12 - Anna Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart

2/19 - Linda Paris & Sherry Sakko

2/26 - Ginger Andersen & Terri Jefferies

### THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS

2/6 - Leopold Jean-Bart

2/8 - Mike Mahoney

2/10 - Ansleigh Barton

2/10 - David Campos



## **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.lifechoicewh.com](http://www.lifechoicewh.com)*

#### ***Look Up!***

- Pray for the unborn babies.
- Pray for the unsaved mothers/parents to know Jesus as their Savior.

#### ***Look Out!***

*Baby Bottle Campaign:* To help support LifeChoice, we have provided baby bottles at the Welcome Center. Return the bottles to the office by March 5<sup>th</sup> filled with cash, coin, or check (checks should be written directly to LifeChoice Pregnancy Center).

*Annual Fundraiser:* LifeChoice's annual fundraiser "Not Alone" is being held on Friday, April 21, 2023. If you are interested in attending this event, contact LifeChoice at 863-293-0955 or visit [lifechoicewhevent.com](http://lifechoicewhevent.com)



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