



Cypress Ridge PCA

March 7, 2021

**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 handout will guide you as we worship together.

OUR PURPOSE

Cypress Ridge PCA exists to **Exalt** God's Glory, **Equip** God's People, and **Extend** God's Kingdom.

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

VISITOR/PRAYER REQUEST

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

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Scripture: All Scripture used 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

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**Please silence your electronic devices*

Announcements

Reflection on Worship

*The Spirit-filled life is not a special, deluxe edition of Christianity.
It is part and parcel of the total plan of God for His people.*

- A. W. Tozer

Call to Worship

Psalm 150:1-2, 6a

Leader: Praise the Lord! Praise God in his sanctuary.

Praise him in his mighty heavens! Praise him for his mighty deeds.

Praise him according to his excellent greatness!

Let everything that has breath praise the Lord!

Everlasting God

Authors, Brenton Brown & Ken Riley

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*

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

Words and Music: George Matheson & Albert Lister Peace

O love, that will not let me go, I rest my weary soul in Thee
I give Thee back the life I owe, that in Thine ocean depths its flow
May richer, fuller be

O Joy, that seekest me through pain, I cannot close my heart to Thee
I trace the rainbow through the rain, and feel the promise is not vain
That morn shall tearless be

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Text: Matthew Bridges & Godfrey Thring Music: George J. Elvey & Mark Hayes

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne
Hark! How the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee
And hail Him as thy matchless King thru all eternity

Crown Him the Lord of life: who triumphed o'er the grave
Who rose victorious to the strife for those He came to save
His glories now we sing, who died and rose on high
Who died eternal life to bring and lives that death may die

Crown Him the Lord of heav'n: one with the Father known
One with the Spirit thru Him giv'n from yonder glorious throne
To Thee be endless praise, for Thou for us hast died
Be Thou, O Lord, thru endless days adored and magnified

Monthly Memory Verse

Zephaniah 3:17

The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty one who will save; he will rejoice over you with gladness; he will quiet you by his love; he will exult over you with loud singing.

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

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

An Honorable Life in a Foreign Land

1 Peter 2:11-17

Pew Bible p. 1015 (ESV)

Large Print Bible p. 1260 (ESV)

I. A Life of Integrity

II. Submit to Earthly Authority

Beautiful Savior

Author, Stuart Townend;

All my days I will sing this song of gladness
Give my praise to the fountain of delights
For in my helplessness, You heard my cry
And waves of mercy poured down on my life

*Beautiful Savior, Wonderful Counselor
Clothed in majesty, Lord of history
You're the way, the truth, the life
Star of the morning, glorious in holiness
You're the risen One, heaven's Champion
And You reign, You reign over all*

I will trust in the cross of my Redeemer
I will sing of the blood that never fails
Of sins forgiven, of conscience cleansed
Of death defeated and life without end

Chorus

I long to be where the praise is never ending
Yearn to dwell where the glory never fades
Where countless worshipers will share one song
And cries of "Worthy" will honor the Lamb

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.

Confessional & Congregational Prayer

Acts 3:19

Leader: Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out.

The following questions may be used as a guide as you spend time silently confessing your sins.

- When is it a difficult to live a life of integrity?
 - In what areas of my life do I struggle to submit to earthly authority?
 - Do I struggle with embracing God's master plan? If so, when?
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Prayers for Missionaries and the Congregation



- *Missionaries of the Month: Roger & Shirley Brown.*
 - Receiving treatments for cancer: Barbara Smith.
 - Health Issues: Brenda Donnell, Bill Roldan, Ken Harrison, Gabrielle Jean-Bart, Paul Smith, Gilberto Rios, Vicki Johnston, Bobbie Razor, Bruce Engstrom, Muriel Baker, and Larry & Pat Moss.
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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.

Offertory Scripture

Psalm 96:8

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

**Congregation may stay seated*

No Need to Fear

Graham Kendrick

No need to fear when times of trouble come
Oppression's storm beats at your door
No need to fear
No need to fear though evil seems so strong
Their pride and power is not for long

*Be still, my soul, and trust in God
And place your life into His hands
For He will never fail you
And in the morning you'll see His face
No need to fear, don't fear*

No need to fear the envy and the scorn
Of those who boast in what they own
No need to fear
For what remains when life's brief day is done
Their glories are a setting sun

*But as for me, of this I'm sure
God will redeem my soul from death
And He will never fail me
And in the morning I'll see His face*

*And He will never fail you
No-one can tear you from His love
And He will never forsake you
And in the morning you'll see His face
No need to fear, don't fear*

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

Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Unison Response:

Christ has died!

Christ has risen!

Christ will come again!!!

Choral Response

Tri-fold Amen

CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

TODAY ...

- **Adult Sunday School:** @ 9:15 am. Elder Bob Wood will be teaching on the topic, “Seeing Jesus”. Social Distancing will be observed. Please wear a mask when entering and leaving the classroom. The current plan is to resume Sunday School for all ages in the fall.
- **Worship Service at CRPC & Livestream:** @ 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 pm.
- **Tuesday Morning:** Women’s Morning Bible Study via Zoom at 9:30 am. Contact Swan Lee at (863) 214-6632 for more details.
- **Tuesday Evening:** Women’s Evening Bible Study at 7 pm, held in the sanctuary. See Sandy Luchenbill for more details.
- **Saturday Morning:** Men’s Sunrise Bible Study at 7 am.

BIBLE READING THIS WEEK ...

	<u>New Testament</u>	<u>Cross References</u>
Monday	Acts 4:32-37	John 17:20-23; Romans 15:5-7
Tuesday	Acts 5:1-11	Jeremiah 23:23-24; Psalm 139:3-4; 1 Corinthians 10:6-13
Wednesday	Acts 5:12-42	Hebrews 2:1-4; James 3:13-18; Galatians 3:10-14
Thursday	Acts 6	1 Timothy 3:8-13; Luke 21:10-19
Friday	Acts 7	Josh. 24:1-13; Ps. 105:27-45; Ps. 11:4; Is. 66:1-2

FYI ...

- **God’s provision through February 2021:**
February General Fund Giving: \$39,809
Through Feb. GF Giving: \$63,237
Through Feb. Exp. Paid: \$56,583
Through Feb. Budgeted: \$55,701
- **Thank you from Sherry:** I would like to thank my Cypress Ridge family for all the cards and gifts that I have received. I am truly blessed to have all of you in my life.
- **Directories:** Church Directories are available at the Welcome Center! If you are live-streaming from home, feel free to come by the church during the week to pick up a copy.

- **Sharon Porter:** Sharon has recently moved in with her son to Plant City. Her current address is 1112 Warnell St. Plant City, FL 33563. Her future plans include a move to Kentucky to be with more family. She sends her love to her CRPC church family!
- **Baby Bottle Campaign:** Just a reminder to please return your baby bottles for LifeChoice Pregnancy Center to Anna by March 14th.
- **Good Friday Service:** Friday, April 2nd at 6:30 pm
- **Easter Eggztra-ordinaire:** CRPC Kidz are invited to a fun morning of celebrating our risen Savior on April 3rd at 10 am. See Anna for details.

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE ...

March Deacon of the Month: David Holdener

March Ushers: Philip Baier & Paul Pletcher

March Communion Preparation: Ginger Andersen & Betty Jones

March Nursery: see Nursery Coordinator, Kay Smith, for schedule

March Children's Church:

7 - Anna Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart

14 - Mary Jones & Faviola Genisse

21 - Zulema Miguele & Dulce Roldan

28 - Ginger Andersen & Becky Steverson

This Week's Birthdays & Anniversaries

3/8 Steven Harrison (Birthday)

3/11 Joshua Barton (Birthday)

3/11 Buck Jones (Birthday)

3/11 Linda Paris (Birthday)

3/12 Jeremy Reyes (Birthday)



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