

Cypress Ridge PCA

February 6, 2022

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

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

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 3rd 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

Every time the reverent heart reads the Bible, its words come fresh from the lips of God, always new.

-D.L. Moody

Call to Worship

Psalm 108:1, 3-5

Leader: My heart is steadfast, O God! I will sing and make melody with all my being!

Response: I will give thanks to you, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to you among the nations.

Leader: For your steadfast love is great above the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

Response: Be exalted, O God, above the heavens! Let your glory be over all the earth!

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

Text by L.M.R. Stead; music by W. J. Kirkpatrick; © 1986 WORD Music. UBP CCLI #3038781.

'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus; just to take Him at His word Just to rest upon His promise; just to know "Thus saith the Lord"

Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him; how I've proved Him o'er and o'er Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus; O for grace to trust Him more

Yes, 'tis sweet to trust in Jesus; just from sin and self to cease Just from Jesus simply taking; life and rest, and joy and peace

Chorus

This is Amazing Grace

Music by Phil Wickham. UBP CCLI #3038781.

Who breaks the power of sin and darkness Whose love is mighty and so much stronger The King of Glory, the King above all kings

Who shakes the whole earth with holy thunder And leaves us breathless in awe and wonder The King of Glory, the King above all kings

This is amazing grace, this is unfailing love
That You would take my place, that You would bear my cross
You laid down your life, that I would be set free
Jesus I sing for all that You've done for me

Who brings our chaos back into order Who makes the orphan a son and daughter The King of Glory, the King of Glory

Who rules the nations with truth and justice Shines like the sun in all of its brilliance The King of Glory, the King above all kings

Chorus

Our God

Composers: Jonas Myrin, Matt Redman, Jesse Reeves, and Chris Tomlin. UBP CCLI#3038781.

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 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

Chorus

Monthly Memory Verse

Romans 3:23

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 3rd 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.

Sermon

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

Look! See What God Has Done...WOW!

Ephesians 1:7-14 (ESV) Pew Bible p. 976 Large Print Bible p. 1216

WOW Factor

I. Redeemed By Grace

II. Predestined To An Inheritance

III. Sealed With The Holy Spirit

In Christ Alone

Words and Music by Keith Getty & Stuart Townend. UBP CCLI #3038781.

In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone, Who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless Babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
'Til on the cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then, bursting forth in glorious day
Up from the grave He rose again!
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His, and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life, no fear in death
This is the pow'r of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No pow'r of hell, no scheme of man
Can ever pluck me from His hand
'Til He returns or calls me home
Here in the pow'r of Christ I'll stand

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 1:7-8a

Leader: In him [Jesus] we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of his grace, which he lavished upon us.

The following prayer may be used as an example.

Almighty God, thank You for redeeming me. I confess that despite all that You have done for me, I still struggle with sin. Too often I walk past the awesomeness of what You've done for me and focus solely on my needs and wants. Holy Spirit, cleanse my heart and cause it to be eager to see Your amazing work. And in response, may I yearn to follow You. 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: Susie Fuday

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

Ministry Moment

Sandy Luchenbill

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

2 Corinthians 9:7

Leader: Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

Victory in Jesus

Author, Eugene M. Bartlett, Sr. UBP CCLI #3038781.

I heard an old, old story, how a Savior came from glory How He gave His life on Calvary, to save a wretch like me I heard about His groaning, of His precious blood's atoning Then I repented of my sins and won the victory

O victory in Jesus, my Savior, forever He sought me and bought me, with His redeeming blood He loved me ere I knew Him, and all my love is due Him He plunged me to victory, beneath the cleansing flood

I heard about His healing, of His cleansing power revealing How He made the lame to walk again, and caused the blind to see And then I cried, "Dear Jesus, come and heal my broken spirit" And somehow Jesus came and brought to me the victory

Chorus

I heard about a mansion, He has built for me in glory And I heard about the streets of gold, beyond the crystal sea About the angels singing, and the old redemption story And some sweet day I'll sing up there the song of victory

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.

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.
- Worship Service at CRPC & Livestream: At 10:30 am.
 - o Each service is recorded and will be available to watch following the service on YouTube.

THIS WEEK ...

- Monday Afternoon: Girl's D-Group (7 12th grade) at 4:15 pm.
- **Thursday Evening:** The Boathouse (7 12th graders) at 6:30 pm.
- Friday Evening: Kidz Night Out (infants 6th grade) at 6 pm.
- Saturday Morning: Men's Sunrise Bible Study at 7 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 References
Monday	Isaiah 1:1-8	Deuteronomy 32:6-15; Jeremiah 8:4-7; Psalm 38
Tuesday	Isaiah 1:9-31	Ezekiel 16:44-58; 1 Samuel 15:22-23; Proverbs 1:24-33; 1 Peter 3:8-12
Wednesday	Isaiah 2:1-5	Micah 4:1-5; Zechariah 8:20-23; Hosea 2:14-23
Thursday	Isaiah 2:6-22	Micah 5:10-15; Jeremiah 2:26-28; Psalm 18:25-27; Psalm 146
Friday	Isaiah 3	Ecclesiastes 10:16-17; Micah 7:1-7; Psalm 73:1-9; 1 Peter 3:1-4

ON THE HORIZON ...

- Women's Bible Study: Beginning Tuesday, February 15th at 9:30 am and 7 pm. Sandy Luchenbill will be leading the study of, *The Promised One: Seeing Jesus in Genesis* by Nancy Guthrie. The books will be provided at the study for \$12.
- Men's Breakfast: Saturday, February 19th at 9 am.
- **Family Game Day:** Saturday, March 5th from 3:30 6:30 pm. Invite a friend to join you for a day of fun: corn hole tournament, potato sack races and more! Hot dog dinner will be provided, bring a side dish to share.

FYI ...

- 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 Anna by March 6th 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:

2/6 - Betty Parmerter & Lori Brousseau

2/13 - Brenda Knappenberger & Lori Brousseau

2/20 - Ginny Vander Zee & Lori Brousseau

2/27 - Lois Adair & Lori Brousseau

Children's Worship Volunteers:

2/6 - Mary Jones & Mizza Del Valle

2/13 - Anna Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart

2/20 - Philip & Jeanie Baier

2/27 - Ginger Andersen & Renae Anderson

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.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 to register: https://lifechoicewh.com/events. You can also register to the attend the fundraiser by calling the office at 863-293-0955.



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