



Cypress Ridge PCA
August 19, 2018

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 folder 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/PRAAYER 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.

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 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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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

*If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above,
where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God.*

Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth.

For you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God.

- Colossians 3:1-3

Call to Worship

from Psalm 47

Leader: Shout to God with loud songs of joy! For the Lord, the Most High, is to be feared, a great king over all the earth.

Response: Sing praises to God, sing praises! For God is the King of all the earth; sing praises with a psalm!

Leader: God reigns over the nations; God sits on his holy throne.

Response: The princes of the peoples gather as the people of the God of Abraham. For the shields of the earth belong to God; he is highly exalted!

Holy, Holy, Holy

Authors: John Bacchus Dykes & Reginald Heber

Holy, Holy, Holy; Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning, our song shall rise to Thee
Holy, Holy, Holy; merciful and mighty
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity

Holy, Holy, Holy; all the saints adore Thee
Casting down their golden crowns, around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim, falling down before Thee
Which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be

Holy, Holy, Holy; though the darkness hide Thee
Though the eye of sinful man, Thy glory may not see
Only Thou art holy, there is none beside Thee
Perfect in power, in love and purity

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Words and Music by Robert Robinson, John Wyeth

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

Hither to Thy love has blest me; Thou hast bro't me to this place
And I know Thy hand will bring me; safely home by Thy good grace
Jesus sought me when a stranger; wandering from the fold of God
He, to rescue me from danger; bought me with His precious blood

Hosanna (Praise is Rising)

Authors, Brenton Brown, Francis Castañeda, Mario Ríos, Mark Young & Paul Baloche

Praise is rising, eyes are turning to You; we turn to You
Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for You; we long for You
'Cause when we see You; we find strength to face the day
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away; washed away

*Hosanna, Hosanna
You are the God Who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna, Hosanna
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You here, Lord Jesus*

Hear the sound of hearts returning to You; we turn to You
In Your Kingdom broken lives are made new; you make us new
'Cause when we see You; we find strength to face the day
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away; washed away

Chorus

Prayer for Children

[Children ages 4 through 3rd grade may leave for Children's Worship]

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

Matthew 16:21-23

Pew Bible p. 822

Large Print Pew Bible p. 1026

Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone

Words by John Newton; Chris Tomlin, Louie Giglio Lyrics for "My Chains Are Gone"

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me
I once was lost, but now am found
Was blind, but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear
And grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

*My chains are gone, I've been set free
My God, my Savior has ransomed me
And like a flood His mercy reigns
Unending love, amazing grace*

Through many dangers, toils and snares
I have already come
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far
And grace will lead me home

Chorus

When we've been there ten thousand years
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun

Chorus

THE LORD FORGIVES OUR SINS

We respond to God's revelation by acknowledging that we are not perfect. Therefore, we need the Savior, Jesus Christ. He invites us to bring Him all our faults and brokenness. Because of His gracious love, He forgives all our sins.

Confession of Sin

adapted from 1 John 2:1-2

Leader: My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, who is the Lord Jesus Christ. He is the propitiation for our sins.

Unison: Heavenly Father, we confess that too often we allow temptations to overcome us. We take our focus off of You and let our hearts drown in our fears, anxieties, and selfish desires. Forgive us, O Lord, for not trusting in Your plan for us. Forgive us for becoming stumbling blocks to others. Create in us clean hearts, O God! Holy Spirit, give us the strength we need to get rid of our temptations quickly. Cause our minds to remember Your truths. In Jesus' name. Amen.

[Silent Confession]

Assurance of Pardon

Acts 10:43

Leader: To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.

Through faith in Jesus the Messiah, your sins are forgiven.

Unison: Praise be to God!

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

Exodus 23:19a

Leader: The best of the firstfruits of your ground you shall bring into the house of the Lord your God.

Offertory

THE LORD CALLS US TO PRAY

*God calls us to pray. Through prayer we seek His good and perfect will. Our prayer time includes praying for our **August Missionaries of the Month: Ian & Heather Jones**. Ian and Heather are serving as teachers and theological trainers in Burkina Faso, West Africa. Please pray for the two families raising support to join Ian and Heather, for Ian and his teaching, and for the Jones' leaking roof through this rainy season.*

Prayer Scripture

Proverbs 3:5-6

Leader: Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

Elder Prayer

Elder Leopold Jean-Bart

The Wonderful Cross

Chris Tomlin, Isaac Watts, J.D. Reaves, Jessie Mason, Lowe

When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of Glory died
My richest gain I count but loss
And pour contempt on all my pride

See from His head, His hands, His feet
Sorrow and love flow mingled down
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet
Or thorns compose so rich a crown

*Oh the wonderful cross, oh the wonderful cross
Bids me come and die, and find that I may truly live
Oh the wonderful cross, oh the wonderful cross
All who gather here, by grace draw near, and bless Your name*

Were the whole realm of nature mine
That were an offering far too small
Love so amazing, so divine
Demands my soul, my life, my all

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

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

1 Timothy 1:17 (NIVO)

Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Unison Response:

Christ has died!
Christ has risen!
Christ will come again!!!

Choral Response

Tri-fold Amen

CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

TODAY ...

- **Fellowship and Snacks:** following the worship service

THIS WEEK ...

- **Monday Evening:** Officer/Leadership Training @ 6:30 pm
- **Tuesday & Wednesday:** Office Closed for Youth Staff Retreat
- **Wednesday Evening:** The Boathouse @ 6 pm
- **Thursday Evening:** Session Meeting @ 4:30 pm
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Sunrise Bible Study @ 7 am
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Bible Study at Brookdale @ 8 am
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Breakfast @ 9 am

BIBLE READING THIS WEEK ...

<i>As you read, ask these questions:</i>		
<i>1) What does this teach me about God?</i>		
<i>2) What does this teach me about how I should live?</i>		
	<u>New Testament</u>	<u>Old Testament</u>
Monday	Philippians 3:1	Psalms 9
Tuesday	Philippians 3:2-7	Psalms 22:16-20
Wednesday	Philippians 3:4-11	Jeremiah 9:23-24
Thursday	Philippians 3:12-16	Psalms 16
Friday	Philippians 3:17-21; 4:1	Hos. 4:6-7; Prov. 10:24-25

ON THE HORIZON ...

- **Bridge at the Ridge:** will resume in September!
- **Sunday School:** will resume September 9th at 9:15 am.
- **Sr. High & J-Hi Girl's D-Group:** will resume on September 10th.
- **Women's Bible Study:** will resume on September 10th & 11th.
- **Fall Festival:** will be held on Saturday, November 3rd.
- **Women's Christmas Celebration:** will be held Monday, December 3rd at 7 pm.

FYI ...

- **Fall Supper Club:** Sign up for Supper Club at the Welcome Center. Supper Club is a great avenue for fellowship, food, and fun.
- **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.
- **God's provision from August 12:**
General Fund Giving: **\$10,156**
YTD to General Fund: **\$183,786**
YTD Budgeted Needs: **\$189,908**

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

AUGUST 2018 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: David Reyes

Usher of the Month: Mike Sakko

Ushers: Tim Holdener, Philip Baier, Ken Harrison, Bob Baker

Greeters: 19 - Frantz & Violene Genisse

26 - Buck & Mary Jones

Sunday 19 - Kay Smith & Lori Brousseau

Nursery: 26 - Jessica Anderson & TBD

Children's 19 - Jon Parmerter & Renae Anderson

Worship: 26 - Lynne Knisley & TBD

Snacks: 19 - Vicki Johnston

26 - Johnnie Brown & Faviola Genisse

Counters: 19 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher

26 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher

Communion: Joe & Vicki Johnston

August Birthdays

8/19 Bob Wood

8/20 Gabrielle Jean-Bart

8/21 Walita Van Baren

8/22 David Holdener

8/22 Pat Moss

8/23 Brandon Del Valle

8/24 Rosemond Fening

8/26 Deryk Anderson

8/26 Leah Jostes

8/27 Kwame Fening

8/27 Tom Knisley

8/29 Valerie Williams

8/29 Betty Parmerter

August Anniversaries

8/21 Ken & Janice Harrison

8/22 Jim & Susie Fuday

8/23 Larry & Ginny Vander Zee

SEPTEMBER 2018 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Paul Bacheldor

Deacon of the Month: Charles Burkett

Ushers: Terry Schmucker, Joe Johnston, Tom Knisley, Bob Wood

Greeters: 2 - Bruce & Linda Engstrom
9 - Keith & Becky Steverson
16 - David & Susie Reyes
23 - Bill & Edna Kelder
30 - Philip & Jeanie Baier

Sunday Nursery: TBD

Children's 2 - Kim Schmucker & Esther Mendez
Worship: 9 - Anna Bacheldor & Gabrielle Jean-Bart
16 - Jon Parmerter & Renae Anderson
23 - Jessica Holdener & Violene Genisse
30 - Jeremy Reyes & TBD

Snacks: 2 - Keith & Becky Steverson
9 - TBD
16 - Bob & Pam Baker
23 - TBD
30 - TBD

Counters: 2 - Mike Sakko & Jon Parmerter
9 - Mike Sakko & Jon Parmerter
16 - Mike Sakko & Jon Parmerter
23 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher
30 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher

Communion: Bob & Pam Baker

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