

**BE PATIENT, THEREFORE, BROTHERS,
UNTIL THE COMING OF THE LORD.
SEE HOW THE FARMER WAITS
FOR THE PRECIOUS FRUIT OF THE EARTH,
BEING PATIENT ABOUT IT,
UNTIL IT RECEIVES THE EARLY AND THE LATE RAINS.**



**YOU ALSO, BE PATIENT. ESTABLISH YOUR HEARTS,
FOR THE COMING OF THE LORD IS AT HAND.
JAMES 5:7-8**

Cypress Ridge PCA

March 10, 2019

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, worshiping 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

*“Today you’ll face things bigger than you, but you needn’t be afraid because none is bigger than the One who rules them all for your sake.”
- Paul David Tripp*

Call to Worship

Psalm 99:1-5

Leader: The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.

Response: Let them praise your great and awesome name! Holy is he!

Leader: The King in his might loves justice. You have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob.

Response: Exalt the Lord our God; worship at his footstool! Holy is he!

Come People of the Risen King

Authors, Keith & Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend

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, those whose joy is morning sun
And those weeping through the night
Come, those who tell of battles won; and those struggling in the fight
For His perfect love will never change; and His mercies never cease
But follow us through all our days; with the certain hope of peace

Chorus

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

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

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall
Hail Him who saves you by His grace, and crown Him Lord of all
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[Hymn continues on the next page]

Let every kindred every tribe, on this terrestrial ball
To Him all majesty ascribe, and crown Him Lord of all
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It Is Well with My Soul

Horatio G. Spafford. Music: Philip P. Bliss

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

Prayer for Children

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

Monthly Memory Verse

John 14:15

If you love me, you will keep my commandments.

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

James 5:7-11

Pew Bible p. 1013

Large Print Pew Bible p. 1258

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*

How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Words and Music, Stuart Townend

How deep the Father's love for us, how vast beyond all measure
That He should give His only Son, to make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss, the Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the chosen One, bring many sons to glory

Behold the Man upon a cross, my sin upon His shoulders
Ashamed I hear my mocking voice, call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there, until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life, I know that it is finished

I will not boast in anything; no gifts, no power, no wisdom
But I will boast in Jesus Christ; His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward, I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart, His wounds have paid my ransom

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

Psalm 51:3-4a

Leader: For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight.

Unison [Adapted from online prayer re-worship.blogspot.com]:

Heavenly Father, we confess there are times we forget what it's like to be patient. We find ourselves neglecting the needs of others because we spend too much time on our own needs. When we persistently make self-centered decisions rather than Christ-centered ones, our understanding of your goodness and faithfulness is weakened and our Christian witness lacks credibility. Gracious and merciful God, grant us your forgiveness and your love so that we may truly care for one another. In Jesus' name. Amen.

[Silent Confession]

Assurance of Pardon

Psalm 51:7, 12

Leader: Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Unison: Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

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

Galatians 6:9-10

Leader: And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up. So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith.

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 **March Missionaries of the Month: Tony & Amber Elswick.** Please pray for the Elswick family as they transition from life in Nicaragua to Panama.*

Prayer Scripture

Romans 12:12-13

Leader: Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

Elder Prayer

Elder Leopold Jean-Bart

Prayers for the Church Family

- Donna Luchenbill – healing from a broken arm
- Lee Donnell – moved to Winter Haven Health & Rehab



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

(Loaves of bread are made with Almond Milk)

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 ...

- **Sunday School:** @ 9:15 am
- **Fellowship and Snacks:** Following the worship service

THIS WEEK ...

- **Monday Afternoon:** 7-9th Girls D-Group @ 3:30 pm
- **Monday Evening:** Sr. High Girls D-Group @ 6 pm
- **Monday Evening:** Women's Bible Study @ 7 pm
- **Tuesday Morning:** Women's Bible Study @ 9:30 am
- **Tuesday Morning:** Women's Ministry Team @ 11 am
- **Wednesday Afternoon:** Mission Team Meeting @ 3 pm
- **Wednesday Afternoon:** JHi Boys D-Group @ 4:20 pm
- **Wednesday Evening:** Bridge at the Ridge @ 6 pm
- **Friday Morning:** Prayer Meeting @ 11:45 am
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Sunrise Bible Study @ 7 am
- **Saturday Morning:** Men's Bible Study at Brookdale @ 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	Genesis 6:9-22	Psalms 53:1-3
Tuesday	Genesis 7:1-10	Hebrews 11:1-3, 7
Wednesday	Genesis 7:11-24	2 Peter 3:1-7
Thursday	Genesis 8:1-19	Psalms 98:1-3
Friday	Genesis 8:20-9:17	Isaiah 54:9-10

ON THE HORIZON ...

- **3-6th Grade Girls Hiking Day:** March 17th. See Anna for more details.
- **Session Meeting:** Tuesday, March 19th at 4:30 pm
- **Men's Breakfast:** Saturday, March 23rd at 9 am
- **Boathouse Spring Retreat:** March 24-26th
- **Mercy Fund Collection:** Sunday, March 31st
- **Church Work Day:** Saturday, April 6th. More details to come.
- **Easter Eggztravaganza:** Saturday, April 20th at 9:30 am
- **Vacation Bible School:** June 10-14th, 9am-Noon

FYI ...

- **Congratulations to the Thornton Family:** Congratulations on the birth of Judah Clark Thornton, son of Bo & Mary Thornton. Judah was born on Sunday, March 3rd, weighing 9 lb. 7 oz, 22 inches long.
- **Membership/Inquirer's Class:** If you are interested in learning more about the ministries of Cypress Ridge or interested in becoming a member, we encourage you to attend this class! Sign up at the Welcome Center.
- **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 March 3:**
General Fund Giving: **\$8,764**
YTD to General Fund: **\$53,276**
YTD Budgeted Needs: **\$55,385**

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

MARCH 2019 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Leopold Jean-Bart

Usher of the Month: Mike Sakko

Ushers: Tim Holdener, José Del Valle, Joe Johnston, Bob Wood

Greeters: 10 - Don & Linda Paris
17 - Tom & Lynne Knisley
24 - Buck & Mary Jones
31 - Karen Brown

Sunday 10 - Kay Smith & Lori Brousseau
Nursery: 17 - Kim Schmucker & Lori Brousseau
24 - Ginny Vander Zee & Lori Brousseau
31 - Ginger Andersen & Lori Brousseau

Children's 10 - Anna Bachelder & Gabrielle Jean-Bart
 Worship: 17 - Jon Parmerter & Renae Anderson
 24 - Jessica Holdener & Violene Genisse
 31 - Jeremy Reyes & TBD

 Snacks: 10 - Janice Harrison
 17 - Cypress Landing Ladies
 24 - Playhouse Sunday School Class
 31 - Betty Jones & Ginger Andersen

 Counters: 10 - Mike Sakko & Jon Parmerter
 17 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher
 24 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher
 31 - Ken Harrison & Paul Pletcher

 Communion: Don & Roxanne Copeland
 Wed. Nursery: March 13th, 20th, 27th – Kay Smith & Lori Brousseau

March Birthdays

3/11	Buck Jones	3/23	Kimberly Reyes
3/11	Linda Paris	3/26	Mary Jones
3/12	Jeremy Reyes	3/27	Pam Baker
3/19	David Warren	3/28	Jason Frodge
3/22	Patty Smith	3/29	Leon Anderson
3/23	Richard MacCrea		

March Anniversaries

3/19 Gilberto & Dolca Rios-Ruiz
 3/19 David & Blossom Warren
 3/22 Tom & Lynne Knisley

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