



Christ the King
Presbyterian Church

walking the ancient paths together

*And on the seventh day God finished his work that he had done,
and he rested on the seventh day from all his work that he had
done. So God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because
on it God rested from all his work that he had done in creation.*

-Genesis 2:2-3

August 9, 2020
Morning Worship Service

Christ The King Presbyterian Church is a Congregation of the
Presbyterian Church in America

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Welcome and Announcements

If you are a visitor with us this morning, we warmly welcome you to this worship service of Christ The King.

Prelude

"And Can It Be" arranged by Lynette Maynard

*Call to Worship

Matthew 11:28-30

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. ²⁹Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. ³⁰For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

*Invocation

Confession of Sin

Holy Father, forgive us. Though you should guide us, we inform ourselves. Though you should rule us, we control ourselves. Though you should fulfill us, we console ourselves. For we think your truth too high, your will too hard, your power to remote, your love too free. But they are not! And without them, we are of all people most miserable. Heal our confused mind with your word, heal our divided will with your law, heal our troubled conscience with your love, heal our anxious hearts with your presence, all for the sake of your Son, who loved us and gave himself for us. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin (Silent)

Promise of Forgiveness

Hebrews 4:14-16

Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

First Reading

Hebrews 3:7-19

7 Therefore, as the Holy Spirit says,
“Today, if you hear his voice,
8 do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion,
on the day of testing in the wilderness,
9 where your fathers put me to the test
and saw my works for forty years.
10 Therefore I was provoked with that generation,
and said, ‘They always go astray in their heart;
they have not known my ways.’
11 As I swore in my wrath,
‘They shall not enter my rest.’”

12 Take care, brothers, lest there be in any of you an evil, unbelieving heart,
leading you to fall away from the living God. 13 But exhort one another every
day, as long as it is called “today,” that none of you may be hardened by the
deceitfulness of sin. 14 For we have come to share in Christ, if indeed we hold
our original confidence firm to the end. 15 As it is said,

“Today, if you hear his voice,
do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.”

16 For who were those who heard and yet rebelled? Was it not all those who
left Egypt led by Moses? 17 And with whom was he provoked for forty years?
Was it not with those who sinned, whose bodies fell in the wilderness? 18 And
to whom did he swear that they would not enter his rest, but to those who
were disobedient? 19 So we see that they were unable to enter because of
unbelief.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Affirmation of Faith

Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the

right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers for the Church and the World

Musical Offering

"Chopin" by Schumann

Second Reading

Hebrews 4:1-13

Therefore, while the promise of entering his rest still stands, let us fear lest any of you should seem to have failed to reach it. ²For good news came to us just as to them, but the message they heard did not benefit them, because they were not united by faith with those who listened. ³For we who have believed enter that rest, as he has said,

“As I swore in my wrath,
‘They shall not enter my rest,’”

although his works were finished from the foundation of the world. ⁴For he has somewhere spoken of the seventh day in this way: “And God rested on the seventh day from all his works.” ⁵And again in this passage he said,

“They shall not enter my rest.”

⁶Since therefore it remains for some to enter it, and those who formerly received the good news failed to enter because of disobedience, ⁷again he appoints a certain day, “Today,” saying through David so long afterward, in the words already quoted,

“Today, if you hear his voice,
do not harden your hearts.”

⁸For if Joshua had given them rest, God would not have spoken of another day later on. ⁹So then, there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God, ¹⁰for whoever has entered God's rest has also rested from his works as God did from his.

11 Let us therefore strive to enter that rest, so that no one may fall by the same sort of disobedience. 12 For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. 13 And no creature is hidden from his sight, but all are naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must give account.

Preaching of the Word

Rev. Eric Huber

A Place of Rest

Hymn of Response # 535

O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

***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.

Postlude

Rundgesang by Schumann

Additional Passages on the Theme of *A Place of Rest*

Exodus 33:14

And he said, "My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest."

Deuteronomy 12:9

For you have not as yet come to the rest and to the inheritance that the LORD your God is giving you.

Joshua 21:43-44

⁴³ Thus the LORD gave to Israel all the land that he swore to give to their fathers. And they took possession of it, and they settled there. ⁴⁴ And the LORD gave them rest on every side just as he had sworn to their fathers. Not one of all their enemies had withstood them, for the LORD had given all their enemies into their hands.

Psalms 132:13-14

¹³ For the LORD has chosen Zion;
he has desired it for his dwelling place:
¹⁴ "This is my resting place forever;
here I will dwell, for I have desired it.

1 Kings 8:56

⁵⁶ "Blessed be the LORD who has given rest to his people Israel, according to all that he promised. Not one word has failed of all his good promise, which he spoke by Moses his servant.

Hymn Selections:

455 And Can It Be That I Should Gain

And can it be that I should gain
an int'rest in the Savior's blood?
Died he for me, who caused his pain?
For me, who him to death pursued?
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?
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'Tis myst'ry all! Th'Immortal dies:
who can explore his strange design?
In vain the firstborn seraph tries
to sound the depths of love divine.
'Tis mercy all! Let earth adore,
let angel minds inquire no more.
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

He left his Father's throne above
(so free, so infinite his grace!),
humbled himself (so great his love!),
and bled for all his chosen race.
'Tis mercy all, immense and free;
for, O my God, it found out me.
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

Long my imprisoned spirit lay
fast bound in sin and nature's night;
thine eye diffused a quick'ning ray;
I woke, the dungeon flamed with light;
my chains fell off, my heart was free;
I rose, went forth, and followed thee.
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

No condemnation now I dread;

Jesus, and all in him, is mine!
Alive in him, my living Head,
and clothed in righteousness divine,
bold I approach th'eternal throne,
and claim the crown, through Christ my own.
Amazing love! How can it be
that thou, my God, shouldst die for me?

535 O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus

O the deep, deep love of Jesus!
Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free;
rolling as a mighty ocean
in its fullness over me.
Underneath me, all around me,
is the current of thy love;
leading onward, leading homeward,
to thy glorious rest above.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus!
Spread his praise from shore to shore;
how he loveth, ever loveth,
changeth never, nevermore;
how he watches o'er his loved ones,
died to call them all his own;
how for them he intercedeth,
watcheth o'er them from the throne.

O the deep, deep love of Jesus!
Love of ev'ry love the best;
'tis an ocean vast of blessing,
'tis a haven sweet of rest,
O the deep, deep love of Jesus!
'Tis a heav'n of heav'ns to me;
and it lifts me up to glory,
for it lifts me up to thee.

Announcements

Sunday Evening Schedule for August:

Aug 9 - Evening Service

Aug 16 - Evening Prayer, online

Aug 23 - Evening Service

Aug 30 - Evening Prayer, online

Deacons: The deacons want to assure you that we are available to help with the ongoing physical needs of the congregation. These are days of deep concern for all of us especially with so much uncertainty surrounding issues of health and finances. Please feel free to call or email one of the deacons with any of your concerns. Grace and Peace, Dave Hudson, Nick Kirkland, Jay Signorino, Peter Stahl, Joshua Tyson.

Gathered Worship: We are currently offering two morning worship services at 9 and 11. They are basically the same with the exception that we are doing some singing in the latter service. **As a reminder, masks are now required at both services.** Safety protocols are available in the back of the church at the "Welcome Center." We will also continue to live-stream the 9:00 service. Please check your email and the website for additional details. The Evening service **will follow the same mask requirements as the morning service** and there will not be singing.

This Week: Christ The King Presbyterian Church

Sunday, August 9th

9: 00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

11:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

Sunday, August 16th

9: 00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

11:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

6:00 pm – Evening Prayer, online

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