

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the Lord require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

- Micah 6:8

And let our people learn to devote themselves to good works, so as to help cases of urgent need, and not be unfruitful.

- Titus 3:14

# January 31, 2021 Morning Worship Service

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

#### **Morning Worship Service**

#### **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** 

The Church's One Foundation
-arr. by Mark Hayes

#### \*Call to Worship

Psalm 122

- <sup>1</sup>I was glad when they said to me, "Let us go to the house of the Lord!"
- <sup>2</sup> Our feet have been standing within your gates, O Jerusalem!
- <sup>3</sup> Jerusalem—built as a city that is bound firmly together,
- <sup>4</sup> to which the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord,

as was decreed for Israel,

to give thanks to the name of the Lord.

- <sup>5</sup>There thrones for judgment were set, the thrones of the house of David.
- <sup>6</sup> Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!
  "May they be secure who love you!
- <sup>7</sup> Peace be within your walls and security within your towers!"
- 8 For my brothers and companions' sake I will say, "Peace be within you!"
- <sup>9</sup> For the sake of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek your good.

#### \*Invocation

#### The Reading of God's Law

Exodus 20:1-17

And God spoke all these words, saying,

<sup>2</sup> "I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

<sup>3</sup> "You shall have no other gods before me.

<sup>4</sup> "You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth. <sup>5</sup> You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, <sup>6</sup> but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

<sup>7</sup> "You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

<sup>8</sup> "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. <sup>9</sup> Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, <sup>10</sup> but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. <sup>11</sup> For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

<sup>12</sup> "Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

<sup>13</sup> "You shall not murder.

<sup>14</sup> "You shall not commit adultery.

<sup>15</sup> "You shall not steal.

<sup>16</sup> "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

<sup>17</sup> "You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor's."

#### Deuteronomy 6:1-5

<sup>1</sup> "Now this is the commandment—the statutes and the rules—that the Lord your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, <sup>2</sup> that you may fear the Lord your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long. <sup>3</sup> Hear therefore, O Israel, and be careful to do them, that it may go well with you, and that you may multiply greatly, as the Lord, the God of your fathers, has promised you, in a land flowing with milk and honey.

<sup>4</sup> "Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. <sup>5</sup> You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your might.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

#### Confession of Sin

Our Father in heaven, we confess that we have sinned in many ways against you and your commandments. We have put our trust more in men than in you, our God and Creator. We have made idols in our hearts, and bowed down to serve them. We have neglected your worship on the Lord's Day, and we have complained about the work that you have given us for the other six days. We have been angry with our neighbors whom we are to love. Our thoughts and words are often impure. We are self-indulgent rather than self-disciplined. We have distorted and denied the truth. We have coveted the good gifts you have given to others. O Lord God, have mercy on us! Forgive our inclination toward evil, and all our sins, through Jesus Christ, your dear Son. Keep us in your ways by the power of your Holy Spirit, and help us to live according to your will.

Private Confession of Sin (Silent)

#### **Promise of Forgiveness**

Hebrews 10:15-17

And God assures us of our forgiveness; for after saying, "This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds," he also adds, "I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more.

#### **Affirmation of Faith**

Heidelberg Catechism

Questions 54 & 55

Q: What do you believe concerning "the holy catholic church?"

A: I believe that the Son of God through his Spirit and Word, out of the entire human race, from the beginning of the world to its end, gathers, protects, and preserves for himself a community chosen for eternal life and united in true faith. And of this community I am and always will be a living member.

Q: What do you understand by "the communion of the saints?"

A: First, that believers one and all, as members of this community share in Christ and in all his treasures and gifts.

Second, that each member should consider it a duty to use these gifts readily and cheerfully for the service and enrichment of the other members.

Prayers for the Church and the World

**Musical Offering** 

Sermon Text Titus 1:4-9

<sup>4</sup>To Titus, my true child in a common faith:

Grace and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Savior.

<sup>5</sup>This is why I left you in Crete, so that you might put what remained into order, and appoint elders in every town as I directed you— <sup>6</sup> if anyone is above reproach, the husband of one wife, and his children are believers and not open to the charge of debauchery or insubordination. <sup>7</sup> For an overseer, as God's steward, must be above reproach. He must not be arrogant or quick-tempered or a drunkard or violent or greedy for gain, <sup>8</sup>but hospitable, a lover of good, self-controlled, upright, holy, and disciplined. <sup>9</sup> He must hold firm to the trustworthy word as taught, so that he may be able to give instruction in sound doctrine and also to rebuke those who contradict it.

**Preaching of the Word** 

**Rev. Eric Huber** 

A Lover of Good

Ordination and Installation of Church Officers

Hymn of Response #353

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

\*Benediction

2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

Postlude

**Hymn Selections:** 

#### 347 The Church's One Foundation

The church's one foundation is Jesus Christ, her Lord; she is his new creation by water and the Word; from heav'n he came and sought her to be his holy bride; with his own blood he bought her and for her life he died.

Elect from ev'ry nation, yet one o'er all the earth, her charter of salvation one Lord, one faith, one birth; one holy name she blesses, partakes one holy food, and to one hope she presses, with ev'ry grace endued.

Though with a scornful wonder men see her sore oppressed, by schisms rent asunder, by heresies distressed, yet saints their watch are keeping, their cry goes up, "How long?" And soon the night of weeping shall be the morn of song.

The church shall never perish! Her dear Lord to defend, to guide, sustain, and cherish, is with her to the end; though there be those that hate her, and false sons in her pale, against or foe or traitor she ever shall prevail.

'Mid toil and tribulation, and tumult of her war, she waits the consummation of peace forevermore; till with the vision glorious her longing eyes are blest, and the great church victorious shall be the church at rest.

Yet she on earth hath union with God the Three in One, and mystic sweet communion with those whose rest is won; O happy ones and holy! Lord, give us grace that we, like them, the meek and lowly, on high may dwell with thee.

353 I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

I love thy kingdom, Lord, the house of thine abode, the church our blest Redeemer saved with his own precious blood.

I love thy church, O God; her walls before thee stand, dear as the apple of thine eye, and graven on thy hand.

For her my tears shall fall, for her my prayers ascend; to her my cares and toils be giv'n, till toils and cares shall end.

Beyond my highest joy I prize her heav'nly ways, her sweet communion, solemn vows, her hymns of love and praise.

Jesus, thou Friend divine, our Savior and our King, thy hand from ev'ry snare and foe shall great deliv'rance bring.

Sure as thy truth shall last, to Zion shall be giv'n the brightest glories earth can yield, and brighter bliss of heav'n.

**Announcements** 

**Ordination and Installation:** Our service today is a celebration of God's care and provision for his church! Having been nominated and elected by the congregation, we will ordain and install Nicolas Kirkland to the office of ruling elder, and Patrick Canale and Nicholas Thomson to the office of deacon. We give thanks to the Lord for these brothers. The procedures for ordination are found in the PCA's Book of Church Order Chapter 24, and the description of the offices and qualifications for them are found in Chapters 8 & 9.

**Session Meeting:** In accordance with the Book of Church Order (Ch 24-6), our service this morning includes a convened meeting of the session of Christ the King Church for the purpose of ordaining and installing those elected to office.

**Morning Worship:** The session has made the decision that beginning from this Sunday we will consolidate our two morning worship services into one. The service will be at 10:00 am and will be livestreamed. We will maintain the Covid safety protocols that have been in place. Based on the amount of people we have had attending both services, we believe we can be together and continue to maintain social-distancing in the seating arrangement. We will monitor this decision as the weeks go by and make any adjustments needed along the way.

#### **Sunday Evening Schedule for February:**

Feb 7 - Online Prayer Meeting

Feb 14 - Evening Worship, Rev. Rick Tyson preaching

Feb 21 - Online Prayer Meeting

Feb 28 - Evening Worship, Mr. Joel Richards preaching

**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.

**Home Fellowship Groups**: These groups will continue to meet. Visit the website and search under Church Life - Home Fellowship Group section for locations and leader information.

#### **This Week: Christ The King Presbyterian Church**

#### Sunday, January 31

10:00 am - Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

- Officer Ordination and Installation

No evening worship or prayer meeting

#### Tuesday, February 2

7:00 pm – Joint Meeting of Elders and Deacons

#### Sunday, February 7

10:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

- Lord's Supper

6:00 pm - Online Prayer Meeting

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#### **Deacons**

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## **Service Times**

Sunday Morning (9:00am and 11:00 am) Sunday Evening (6:00 pm)

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