



walking the ancient paths together

*And you shall remember the whole way that the Lord your God has led you these forty years in the wilderness, that he might humble you, testing you to know what was in your heart, whether you would keep his commandments or not. And he humbled you and let you hunger and fed you with manna, which you did not know, nor did your fathers know, that he might make you know that man does not live by bread alone, but man lives by every word that comes from the mouth of the Lord.*

-Deuteronomy 8:2-3

## **June 27, 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**

*Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven*  
-arr. by Stephen Nielson

### **\*Call to Worship**

**Psalm 34:1-3, 8-10**

- <sup>1</sup> I will bless the Lord at all times;  
his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
- <sup>2</sup> **My soul makes its boast in the Lord;  
let the humble hear and be glad.**
- <sup>3</sup> Oh, magnify the Lord with me,  
and let us exalt his name together!
- <sup>8</sup> **Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good!  
Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!**
- <sup>9</sup> Oh, fear the Lord, you his saints,  
for those who fear him have no lack!
- <sup>10</sup> **The young lions suffer want and hunger;  
but those who seek the Lord lack no good thing.**

### **\*Invocation**

### **Confession of Sin**

**Gracious God, we confess that we have longed too much for the comforts of this world. We have loved the gifts more than the giver. In your mercy, help us to see that all the things we pine for are fleeting shadows, but you are the lasting reality. We plead your forgiveness on the merits of Jesus Christ. Accept his worthiness for our unworthiness, his sinlessness for our transgressions, his fullness for our emptiness, his glory for our shame, his righteousness for our dead works, his death for our life. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**

### **Private Confession of Sin (Silent)**

### **Promise of Forgiveness**

**Micah 7:18-19**

*Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities under foot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.*

### Old Testament Reading

### Genesis 3:1-13

<sup>1</sup> Now the serpent was more crafty than any other beast of the field that the Lord God had made.

He said to the woman, "Did God actually say, 'You shall not eat of any tree in the garden?'" <sup>2</sup> And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat of the fruit of the trees in the garden, <sup>3</sup> but God said, 'You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree that is in the midst of the garden, neither shall you touch it, lest you die.'" <sup>4</sup> But the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. <sup>5</sup> For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." <sup>6</sup> So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate. <sup>7</sup> Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked. And they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loincloths.

<sup>8</sup> And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden. <sup>9</sup> But the Lord God called to the man and said to him, "Where are you?" <sup>10</sup> And he said, "I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked, and I hid myself." <sup>11</sup> He said, "Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten of the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?" <sup>12</sup> The man said, "The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit of the tree, and I ate." <sup>13</sup> Then the Lord God said to the woman, "What is this that you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

### Affirmation of Faith

### Westminster Shorter Catechism

### Questions 12-15

Q. What special act of providence did God exercise toward man in the estate wherein he was created?

**A. When God had created man, he entered into a covenant of life with him, upon condition of perfect obedience; forbidding him to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, upon pain of death.**

Q. Did our first parents continue in the estate wherein they were created?

**A. Our first parents, being left to the freedom of their own will, fell from the estate wherein they were created, by sinning against God.**

Q. What is sin?

**A. Sin is any want of conformity unto, or transgression of, the law of God.**

Q. What was the sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created?

**A. The sin whereby our first parents fell from the estate wherein they were created was their eating the forbidden fruit.**

### Prayers for the Church and the World

### Musical Offering

*Prelude in C Major, BWV 846*

-J.S. Bach

### New Testament Reading

### Matthew 4:1-11

<sup>1</sup> Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. <sup>2</sup> And after fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. <sup>3</sup> And the tempter came and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread." <sup>4</sup> But he answered, "It is written,

"Man shall not live by bread alone,  
but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

<sup>5</sup> Then the devil took him to the holy city and set him on the pinnacle of the temple <sup>6</sup> and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down, for it is written,

"He will command his angels concerning you,"

and

"On their hands they will bear you up,  
lest you strike your foot against a stone."

<sup>7</sup> Jesus said to him, "Again it is written, 'You shall not put the Lord your God to the test.'" <sup>8</sup> Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all

the kingdoms of the world and their glory.<sup>9</sup> And he said to him, "All these I will give you, if you will fall down and worship me."<sup>10</sup> Then Jesus said to him, "Be gone, Satan! For it is written,

"You shall worship the Lord your God and him only shall you serve."

<sup>11</sup> Then the devil left him, and behold, angels came and were ministering to him.

**Preaching of the Word**

**Rev. Eric Huber**

*Food Tasting and Testing; The Gift Abused*

**Hymn of Response**

*That Man Is Blest Who, Fearing God*

The Psalter/"Irish"

**\*Benediction**

**1 Thessalonians 5:23-24**

*Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.*

**Postlude**

*"Sheep May Safely Graze"*

-J.S. Bach/E. Petri

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven,  
to his feet your tribute bring;  
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
who, like me, his praise should sing?  
Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him,  
praise the everlasting King.

Praise him for his grace and favor  
to our fathers in distress;  
praise him, still the same forever,  
slow to chide and swift to bless;  
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him,  
glorious in his faithfulness.

Father-like he tends and spares us;  
well our feeble frame he knows;  
in his hands he gently bears us,  
rescues us from all our foes;  
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him,  
widely as his mercy goes.

Frail as summer's flow'r we flourish,  
blows the wind and it is gone;  
but while mortals rise and perish,  
God endures unchanging on,  
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him,  
praise the High Eternal One.

Angels, help us to adore him;  
you behold him face to face;  
sun and moon, bow down before him,  
dwellers all in time and space,  
praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him,  
praise with us the God of grace.

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**Hymn Selections:**

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from sin restrains his feet,  
who will not stand with wicked men,  
who shuns the scorners' seat.

Yea, blest is he who makes God's law  
his portion and delight,  
and meditates upon that law  
with gladness day and night.

That man is nourished like a tree  
set by the rivers' side;  
its leaf is green, its fruit is sure,  
and thus his works abide.

The wicked like the driven chaff  
are swept from off the land;  
they shall not gather with the just,  
nor in the judgment stand.

The Lord will guard the righteous well,  
their way to him is known;  
the way of sinners, far from God,  
shall surely be o'erthrown.

#### Announcements

**Assisting in worship: Mr. Joel Richards**

**Rolling Back Covid Protocols:** The elders of the church met this week and decided that beginning in July we will roll back most of the Covid safety protocols that have been in place for so long now. Please look for an email detailing these changes. Our plan is to keep worship at 10:00am for the remainder of the summer. Our expectation is that the nursery will be up and running by next Sunday as well. More details to follow.

**Annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July Picnic:** We are excited to announce that this year's picnic will be held at the Kirklands' home on Monday, July 5th beginning at 1pm, and dinner will be served at 4:30pm. Bring lawn chairs, picnic blankets, and a side dish to share! We will enjoy a time of fellowship and outdoor yard games. Please RSVP to Bonnie by Friday, July 2nd if you plan to attend. We hope you can join us!

**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, June 27**

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

6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Dale Van Ness preaching

**Sunday, July 4**

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

- *Lord's Supper*

4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend, nothing in the evening

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**Service Times**

Sunday Morning (10:00 am)

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