



*The Lord is far from the wicked,  
but he hears the prayer of the righteous.*  
- Proverbs 15:29

*The end of all things is at hand; therefore be self-controlled and sober-  
minded for the sake of your prayers.*  
-1 Peter 4:7

**August 29, 2021**  
***Morning Worship Service***

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

**Morning Worship Service (11:00 am)**

**Welcome and Announcements**

If you are a visitor with us this morning, we warmly welcome you to this worship service of Christ The King. Please take a moment to fill out the welcome card and place it in the offering plate.

**Prelude**

**\*Call to Worship**

**Revelation 19:1-5**

<sup>1</sup> Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord!

<sup>2</sup> **O Lord, hear my voice!**

**Let your ears be attentive**

**to the voice of my pleas for mercy!**

<sup>3</sup> If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,  
O Lord, who could stand?

<sup>4</sup> **But with you there is forgiveness,  
that you may be feared.**

<sup>5</sup> I wait for the Lord, my soul waits,  
and in his word I hope;

<sup>6</sup> **my soul waits for the Lord  
more than watchmen for the morning,  
more than watchmen for the morning.**

<sup>7</sup> O Israel, hope in the Lord!

For with the Lord there is steadfast love,  
and with him is plentiful redemption.

<sup>8</sup> **And he will redeem Israel  
from all his iniquities.**

**\*Praise to Our Triune God**

**The Doxology**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below,  
Praise Him above ye heavenly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!  
Amen.**

**\*Invocation**

**\*Hymn of Praise # 166**

*Wondrous King, All-Glorious*

## Confession of Sin

**Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are gracious and full of compassion, slow to anger, and abounding in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Let your word abide with us until it has worked in us your holy will. Amen.**

## Private Confession of Sin (Silent)

### Promise of Forgiveness

**Colossians 2:13-14**

*And you, who were dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made alive together with him, having forgiven us all our trespasses, by canceling the record of debt that stood against us with its legal demands. This he set aside, nailing it to the cross.*

### Old Testament Reading

**1 Kings 18:20-39**

(Page 300 in Blue Bible)

<sup>20</sup> So Ahab sent to all the people of Israel and gathered the prophets together at Mount Carmel. <sup>21</sup> And Elijah came near to all the people and said, "How long will you go limping between two different opinions? If the Lord is God, follow him; but if Baal, then follow him." And the people did not answer him a word. <sup>22</sup> Then Elijah said to the people, "I, even I only, am left a prophet of the Lord, but Baal's prophets are 450 men. <sup>23</sup> Let two bulls be given to us, and let them choose one bull for themselves and cut it in pieces and lay it on the wood, but put no fire to it. And I will prepare the other bull and lay it on the wood and put no fire to it. <sup>24</sup> And you call upon the name of your god, and I will call upon the name of the Lord, and the God who answers by fire, he is God." And all the people answered, "It is well spoken." <sup>25</sup> Then Elijah said to the prophets of Baal, "Choose for yourselves one bull and prepare it first, for you are many, and call upon the name of your god, but put no fire to it." <sup>26</sup> And they took the bull that was given them, and they prepared it and called upon the name of Baal from morning until noon, saying, "O Baal, answer us!" But there was no voice, and no one answered. And they limped around the altar that they had made. <sup>27</sup> And at noon Elijah mocked them, saying, "Cry aloud, for he is a god. Either he is musing, or he is relieving himself, or he is on a journey, or perhaps he is asleep and must be awakened." <sup>28</sup> And they

cried aloud and cut themselves after their custom with swords and lances, until the blood gushed out upon them. <sup>29</sup> And as midday passed, they raved on until the time of the offering of the oblation, but there was no voice. No one answered; no one paid attention.

<sup>30</sup> Then Elijah said to all the people, "Come near to me." And all the people came near to him. And he repaired the altar of the Lord that had been thrown down.

<sup>31</sup> Elijah took twelve stones, according to the number of the tribes of the sons of Jacob, to whom the word of the Lord came, saying, "Israel shall be your name,"

<sup>32</sup> and with the stones he built an altar in the name of the Lord. And he made a trench about the altar, as great as would contain two seahs of seed. <sup>33</sup> And he put the wood in order and cut the bull in pieces and laid it on the wood. And he said, "Fill four jars with water and pour it on the burnt offering and on the wood." <sup>34</sup> And he said, "Do it a second time." And they did it a second time. And he said, "Do it a third time." And they did it a third time. <sup>35</sup> And the water ran around the altar and filled the trench also with water.

<sup>36</sup> And at the time of the offering of the oblation, Elijah the prophet came near and said, "O Lord, God of Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, let it be known this day that you are God in Israel, and that I am your servant, and that I have done all these things at your word. <sup>37</sup> Answer me, O Lord, answer me, that this people may know that you, O Lord, are God, and that you have turned their hearts back." <sup>38</sup> Then the fire of the Lord fell and consumed the burnt offering and the wood and the stones and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench. <sup>39</sup> And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces and said, "The Lord, he is God; the Lord, he is God."

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!**

### \*Hymn # 520

*Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness*

### \*Affirmation of Faith

**Westminster Shorter Catechism**

**Questions 105**

Q. What do we pray for in the fifth petition?

**A. In the fifth petition, which is, And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors, we pray, that God, for Christ's sake, would freely pardon all our sins; which we are the rather encouraged to ask, because by his grace we are enabled from the heart to forgive others.**

**Heidelberg Catechism**

**Question 126**

Q. What is the fifth petition?

**A. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. That is: For the sake of Christ's blood, do not impute to us, wretched sinners; any of our transgressions, nor the evil which still clings to us, as we also find this evidence of Thy grace in us that we are fully determined wholeheartedly to forgive our neighbor.**

### Prayers for the Church and the World

### The Collection

### New Testament Reading

**Matthew 6:5-15**  
(Page 811 in Blue Bible)

<sup>5</sup>“And when you pray, you must not be like the hypocrites. For they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and at the street corners, that they may be seen by others. Truly, I say to you, they have received their reward. <sup>6</sup>But when you pray, go into your room and shut the door and pray to your Father who is in secret. And your Father who sees in secret will reward you.

<sup>7</sup>“And when you pray, do not heap up empty phrases as the Gentiles do, for they think that they will be heard for their many words. <sup>8</sup>Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. <sup>9</sup>Pray then like this:

“Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.

<sup>10</sup>Your kingdom come,  
your will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

<sup>11</sup>Give us this day our daily bread,

<sup>12</sup>and forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.

<sup>13</sup>And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.

<sup>14</sup>For if you forgive others their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, <sup>15</sup>but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

### Preaching of the Word

**Mr. Joel Richards**

*Forgiven Forgivers*

### Hymn of Response # 725

*The Lord's Prayer*

### \*Benediction

**2 Thessalonians 3:16**

Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.

### \*Postlude

### Announcements

## **Assisting in worship: Rev. Eric Huber**

**Congregational Meeting:** The session is very thankful to call a congregational meeting on Sunday, September 26 following the morning worship service for the purpose of holding an election for Jack Newman to the office of ruling elder. Jack was nominated to the office by the congregation, has received instruction in the office, served an internship, and been examined and approved by the session as eligible for election.

**CTK Annual Labor Day Picnic!** Come One, Come All! Hosted by the Erickson's on Monday, September 6th. To RSVP and for all details, please visit the Perfect Potluck website at <https://www.perfectpotluck.com/meals.php?t=DVFW8073>

**Fellowship Dinner and Congregational Prayer:** On Wednesday September 1 there will be a fellowship dinner and congregational prayer meeting. The dinner begins at 5:30pm and is provided by the church.

- The adults meet for prayer from 6:30-7:30pm.
- There is a nursery provided for infants, toddlers and children under six years old.

**There will be no evening service** on Sunday September 5 due to Labor Day Weekend.

**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, August 29**

10:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Mr. Joel Richards preaching  
6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

### **Wednesday, September 1**

5:30 pm – Fellowship Dinner and Congregational Prayer

### **Sunday, September 5**

10:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching  
- *The Lord's Supper*  
Labor Day Weekend – no evening service

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## **Service Times**

Sunday Morning (10:00 am)  
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