

"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.
- Matthew 5:5

"Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

- Matthew 6:19-21

September 19, 2021 Morning Worship Service

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

Morning Worship Service (10:00 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

Goldberg-Variationen, BWV 988 I. *Aria* -I.S. Bach

*Call to Worship

Psalm 130

¹Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord!

O Lord, hear my voice!Let your ears be attentive to the voice of my pleas for mercy!

³ If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?

⁴ But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.

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

⁶ my soul waits for the Lord more than watchmen for the morning, more than watchmen for the morning.

⁷O Israel, hope in the Lord! For with the Lord there is steadfast love, and with him is plentiful redemption.

⁸ 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 # 521

My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less

Confession of Sin

God of grace and truth, in Jesus Christ you came among us as a light shining in darkness. We confess that we have stubbornly refused to see the depth of your great love for us revealed in Jesus. We have shut our eyes to your truth, lacked faith and hoped for little, and instead, trusted in ourselves to find our way. We have failed to reflect your glory to those you have put in our lives. Forgive our doubts, renew our hope and improve our conduct so that we may show we understand and live in the truth found in Christ our Lord. Amen.

Private Confession of Sin (Silent)

Promise of Forgiveness

Romans 5:1, 2

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 37:1-11 (Page 466 in Blue Bible)

fret not yourself over the one who prospers in his way, over the man who carries out evil devices!

⁸ Refrain from anger, and forsake wrath! Fret not yourself; it tends only to evil.

⁹ For the evildoers shall be cut off, but those who wait for the Lord shall inherit the land.

¹⁰ In just a little while, the wicked will be no more; though you look carefully at his place, he will not be there.

¹¹ But the meek shall inherit the land and delight themselves in abundant peace.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

*Hymn # 642

Be Thou My Vision

*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

The Collection

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross Arr. by Mark Hayes

Sermon Text

1 Peter 1:3-6

(Page 1014 in Blue Bible)

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ to an inheritance that is

¹ "Fret not yourself because of evildoers; be not envious of wrongdoers!

² For they will soon fade like the grass and wither like the green herb.

³ Trust in the Lord, and do good; dwell in the land and befriend faithfulness.

⁴Delight yourself in the Lord, and he will give you the desires of your heart.

⁵Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him, and he will act.

⁶He will bring forth your righteousness as the light, and your justice as the noonday.

⁷Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him;

imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials,

Preaching of the Word

Rev. Eric Huber

Living Hope!

Hymn of Response # 670

If Thou But Suffer God to Guide Thee

*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.

*Postlude

Prelude No. 6 in D minor, BWV 851 -I.S. Bach

Announcements

Assisting in worship: Mr. Joel Richards

Men's Book Study: The men in the church continue our study of Jonathan Edwards' *Charity and Its Fruits*. We will meet at the church on Saturday, September 25 from 8:00-9:15. Breakfast provided. We will consider Sermon 10: "Grace Tends to Holy Practice."

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.

Haitian Relief: The Presbyterian Church in America provides disaster relief to needy Haitians through its Mission to the World program. Information on the current catastrophe, Haitian missionaries and donation instructions can be found at mtw.org

Hurricane Relief: Relief support for hurricane Ida is provided through Mission to North America. Donation instructions and volunteer opportunities are described at: pcamna.org

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, September 19

9:00 am – Sunday School 10:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching 6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching

Saturday, September 25

8:00 am – Men's Book Study

Sunday, September 26

9:00 am – Sunday School 10:00 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching 11:30 am – Congregational Meeting 6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Rick Tyson preaching

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