



CROSS CREEK

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

*Oh come, let us worship and bow down,
let us kneel before the LORD our Maker!
for He is our God!*

Psalm 95:6-7a

JUNE 2, 2024

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Greeting

Call to Worship

Psalm 100:4-5

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Invocation

* Hymn Supplement pg. 2

“There Is a Higher Throne”

Call to Confession

Isaiah 53:6

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Isaiah 53:3-4

He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not. Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

* Hymn # 246

“Man of Sorrows! What a Name”

The Living Church: Baptism

Miller Robert Getty

* Hymn # 358

“For All the Saints”

* Old & New Testament Scripture Reading:

Law: *Genesis 2:15-17* (The Placement of Man in Heaven on Earth)

Writings: *Psalm 110* (The Seated, Sovereign Savior-King)

Epistles: *Hebrews 11:8-16* (Faith from Heaven for the Future)

Apocalypse: *Revelation 21:22-22:5* (Heaven on Earth Restored)

* **Pastor:** This is the Word of our God.

* **Congregation:** The grass withers, the flower fades, but the Word of our God stands forever.

Affirmation of Faith

The Westminster Confession of Faith, 1.5, Of Scripture's Persuasion

1.5. We may be moved and induced by the testimony of the Church to a high and reverend esteem of the Holy Scripture. And the heavenliness of the matter, the efficacy of the doctrine, the majesty of the style, the consent of all the parts, the scope of the whole (which is, to give all glory to God), the full discovery it makes of the only way of man's salvation, the many other incomparable excellencies, and the entire perfection thereof, are arguments whereby it doth abundantly evidence itself to be the Word of God: yet notwithstanding, our full persuasion and assurance of the infallible truth and divine authority thereof, is from the inward work of the Holy Spirit bearing witness by and with the Word in our hearts.

Pastoral Prayer

* Hymn # 38

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

Tithes and Offerings

* Hymn # 735

"Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end, amen, amen.

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

Sermon Series: Philippians

* Prayer for Illumination

* Sermon Text

Philippians 3:20-4:1

* **Pastor:** Thus far the reading of God's holy Word. And may God add His blessing to the reading of His Word.

* **Congregation:** Thanks be to God.

Sermon Title: "Heavenly Citizenship"

Rev. Dr. Michael Mock

Sermon Outline: Next page

Prayer for Transformation

Lord's Supper: Meal from Heaven

* Eucharistic Hymn, Hymn Supplement 63

"All Praise To Christ"

* **Benediction**

* **Departing Hymn # 737**

“Christ, We Do All Adore Thee”

Christ, we do all adore Thee, and we do praise Thee forever;
Christ, we do all adore Thee, and we do praise Thee forever;
For on the holy Cross hast Thou the world from sin redeemed.
Christ, we do all adore Thee, and we do praise Thee forever.
Christ, we do all adore Thee.

Sermon Outline:

Sermon Text: *Philippians 3:20-4:1* “Heavenly Citizenship”

Christ’s heavenly citizens have this citizenship now, eagerly expect the Son’s return, and so we stand firm in the Lord, our King.

1. Our Present Possession (3:20)

- a. Heavenly, NOT Worldly
- b. Citizenship
- c. **Application:** Our present citizenship, firmly fixed in heaven, is irrevocable.

2. Our Position of Eager Expectation (3:20-21)

- a. The Coming of the Christ (v. 20)
 - i. Rom. 8
 - ii. 1 Cor. 1:7
 - iii. Gal. 5:5
 - iv. Heb. 9:28

- b. The Consummation of the Christian (v. 21)
 - i. Phil. 2:6-7
 - ii. Rom. 8:29
- c. **Application:** The Resurrection-Power of Christ ensures our eager expectation.

3. Our Position of Firm Establishment (4:1)

- a. Oh the Love!
- b. **Application:** Heavenly citizens stand firm on earth, firmly fixed in heaven.

To follow along in our series by using reader-friendly, helpful, and brief commentaries, consider buying and reading:

Sinclair Ferguson, *Let's Study Philippians* (The Banner of Truth Trust)

David Strain, *Philippians* (The Lectio Continua Expository Commentary on the New Testament)

| 6-2-24 | Nursery Schedule | | 6-9-24 |
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| Sunday School | Carling & Stephannie | Sunday School | Carling & Elizabeth |
| Worship | Katie & Molly | Worship | Carling & Layla |

Today & Weekly

Today

Pre-Service Prayer Gathering: 9:00-9:15am in the Library

ABF: 9:30am –“Angels, Demons & Spiritual Warfare”. Next week a new Study on “The Sacraments” begins.

Sunday School: 9:30am

Morning Worship: 10:30am

Fellowship Meal: 5:30pm

Evening Worship: 6:30pm

Weekly

Choir Practice: Mondays, 7pm (childcare is provided.)

Men’s Bible Study: Saturdays, 8am

Women’s Bible Study: On break

Mission Team Meeting: 3rd Sunday monthly, 5:30pm (bring your own bagged meal.)

Evening Worship: 1st and 3rd Sunday evenings (and 5th when applicable), 6:30pm. On the first Sunday monthly at 5:30pm, a Fellowship Meal will precede the service and on the 3rd Sunday, the Lord’s Supper will be served.

Ladies: New Summer Women's Bible Study Starting Thursday, 6-13-24!

Our Women's Ministry Team is very excited for our Summer Women's Bible Study on the topic of Apologetics! This will be an 8-week study going through the book *Expository Apologetics: Answering Objections with the Power of the Word* by Voddie Baucham Jr. The study will meet on Thursday mornings from 10:00-11:30am at the church and will begin on **Thursday, 6-13-24** (Childcare will be provided). As usual, the church will provide the books for participants. Please join us as we engage in a topic that the apostle Peter instructs us to always be ready for - defending our faith! If you have any questions, feel free to contact Elizabeth Mock at (602) 418-2963 or sothisislove11@yahoo.com.

Vacation Bible School: The King is Coming!

The King is Coming! Join us for Vacation Bible School Monday, June 17th - Friday, June 21st, 9:00am-12:00pm and learn all about King Jesus! The Old Testament foretold His coming, the New Testament showed Him as the fulfillment of the prophecies, and Revelation tells us that He is coming again! In addition to daily Bible lessons, students will play games, sing songs, make crafts, and enjoy tasty snacks. Registration closes June 10th. To register your child, please fill out this Google Form <https://forms.gle/WXH3Mo4zdf2gBU1r9>. To volunteer to serve, or if you have any questions, please contact Celine Meloche at celineameloche@gmail.com.

Attention All Homeschool Families!

In recent years, several families at CCPC have participated in our very own Homeschool Co-op. Last year, the Co-op was on a temporary hiatus, but we'd love to start it up again for next year, if there are enough families to participate. That being said, we'd like to gauge what kind of interest there is in starting our Homeschool Co-op again. If you'd be interested in participating in a Homeschool Co-op here at CCPC with other CCPC families, please contact Eleonore Surles as soon as you're able at eleonoresurles@gmail.com or (909) 569-5523. If there's enough interest, then we'd like to start planning for next year as soon as possible!

AGAPE Pregnancy Services

AGAPE is in need of nonperishable foods, especially proteins (canned meats/fish/beans, dry beans, peanut butter, etc.).

Regarding announcement submissions: Please submit any information you wish to have printed in the worship folder No Later Than noon on Wednesdays.

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