



# 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*

JULY 7, 2024

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## Greeting

### Call to Worship

*Psalm 95:1-3*

Oh come, let us sing to the LORD; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise! For the LORD is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

## Invocation

### \* Hymn # 44

**“How Great Thou Art”**

### Call to Confession

*1 John 1:6*

If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth.

## Prayer of Confession

### Assurance of Pardon

*1 John 1:7*

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.

### \* Hymn # 32

**“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”**

### \* Old & New Testament Scripture Reading:

**Law:** *Genesis 3:14-24* (Trajectory of Grace)

**Writings:** *Psalm 77* (A Psalm of Salvation-History)

**Apocalypse:** *Revelation 22:6-11* (Grace Consummated)

\* **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, 1.10, Scripture as Judge***

**1.10.** The supreme judge by which all controversies of religion are to be determined, and all decrees of councils, opinions of ancient writers, doctrines of men, and private spirits, are to be examined, and in whose sentence we are to rest, can be no other but the Holy Spirit speaking in the Scripture.

## Pastoral Prayer

### \* Hymn (Greg Wilbur Tune – on back pg.)

**“The Son of God Goes Forth to War”**

## Tithes and Offerings

### \* Hymn # 731

**“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.

### \* Prayer of Thanksgiving

### Sermon Series: Nehemiah

### \* Prayer for Illumination

### \* Sermon Text

*Nehemiah 9*

\* **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: “Response to Pulpit Ministry”

Rev. Dr. Michael Mock

### Sermon Outline: Next page

### Prayer for Transformation

### Lord’s Supper: The Meal that Calls for Humble Confession

### \* Eucharistic Hymn, Hymn Supplement pg. 78

**“We Will Feast in the House of Zion”**

### \* Benediction

### \* Departing Hymn # 386 (first verse)

**“God Be with You Till We Meet Again”**

God be with you till we meet again; by His counsels guide, uphold you,  
with His sheep securely fold you: God be with you till we meet again.

Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus’ feet;  
till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

## **Sermon Outline:**

**Sermon Text:** *Nehemiah 9* “Response to Pulpit Ministry”

**As God’s gathered and restored people, we pray humbly for God’s ongoing deliverance, trusting in the riches of his redemptive history.**

### **1. A Prayer of Humility (vv. 1-5)**

- a. Fasting (v. 1)
- b. Separation (v. 2)
- c. Confession (vv. 2-3)
- d. Blessing (vv. 4-5)

### **2. A Prayer for Help (vv. 6-37)**

- a. God the Creator (v. 6)
- b. God the Covenanter (vv. 7-8)
- c. God the Redeemer (vv. 9-15)
- d. God the Savior (vv. 16-35)
- e. God the Liberator (vv. 36-37)

## Sermon Notes

7-7-24	Nursery Schedule		7-14-24
Sunday School	Carling & Hannah	Sunday School	Carling & Hannah
Worship	Katie & Molly	Worship	Carling & Ciahna

Today & Weekly

Today

- Pre-Service Prayer Gathering: 9:00-9:15am in the Library
- ABF: 9:30am – “The Sacraments”
- Sunday School: 9:30am
- Morning Worship: 10:30am
- Fellowship Meal: 5:30pm (Please bring a Main Dish AND a Side Dish OR Dessert to share.)
- Evening Worship: 6:30pm

Weekly

- Choir Practice: Mondays, 7pm (childcare is provided.)
- Men’s Bible Study: Saturdays, 8am “Church Membership”
- Women’s Bible Study: Thursdays, 10:00-11:30am (childcare is provided)

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

**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](mailto: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!

**Baby Shower for Laura Troxel**

There will be a Baby Shower for Laura Troxel on **Sat., July 20<sup>th</sup> from 10am-12pm.** Please bring a brunch item to share. Young ladies are welcome to attend with their mamas! Please sign up (along with your young ladies) by Thur., July 18<sup>th</sup> on the poster in the narthex, so we know how many to expect. Laura is registered on Amazon. Text Jodie with any questions. (561) 236-6062

# The Son of God Goes Forth to War

GREYOAKS (C.M.D.)

Gregory D. Wilbur, 1994

Reginald Heber, 1827

1. The Son of God goes forth to war, A king - ly crown to gain;  
2. The mar - tyr first, whose ea - gle eye Could pierce be - yond the grave;  
3. A glo - rious band, the cho - sen few On whom the Spir - it came,  
4. A no - ble ar - my, men and boys, The ma - tron and the maid,

His blood - red ban - ner streams a - far! Who fol - lows in His train?  
Who saw his Mas - ter in the sky, And called on Him to save.  
Twelve val - iant saints, their hope they knew, And mocked the cross and flame.  
A - round the Sav - ior's throne re - joice In robes of light ar - rayed.

Who best can drink His cup of woe, Tri - um - phant o - ver pain,  
Like Him, with par - don on His tongue, In midst of mor - tal pain,  
They met the ty - rant's bran - dished steel, The li - on's gor - y mane;  
They climbed the steep as - cent of heav'n, Through per - il, toil and pain;

Who pa - tient bears his cross be - low, He fol - lows in His train.  
He prayed for them that did the wrong! Who fol - lows in His train?  
They bowed their necks the death to feel: Who fol - lows in their train?  
O God, to us may grace be giv'n To fol - low in their train.

## Moment for Missions: Garry & Anita Chambers, Caribbean

Dear Partners in ministry,

Greetings from Belize! We just finished a good week with Gracepoint Presbyterian Church who served in Patchakan at Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church. The concrete roof is finished and the church will continue with plastering the wall and installing windows and doors to complete the upstairs youth Sunday School/meeting room. The team also visited local families in their homes together with church members and assisted the local church with Vacation Bible School. Church members gave the lessons and the team worked alongside team members to do crafts and games. Thank you to Gracepoint! The next team arrives on July 13<sup>th</sup>.

Sunday morning, we had a glimpse of Heaven with the Gracepoint team. The church service was in Spanish with some English songs. Pastor Lim, preached in Korean with Dr. Won Kim translating to English. It was a unique service with many people taking video clips to remember the occasion. Heaven will be a gathering of people from every nation, people, tribe, and tongue! What a glorious day that will be!

We would ask prayer for the southern Caribbean as Hurricane Beryl is scheduled to hit Saint Vincent and Grenada on Monday as a mega hurricane. Please pray that God will protect life and property and that the storm would not intensify over the next two days. The storm track goes near the Dominican Republic and Haiti, Tuesday night Wednesday morning, then a direct hit on Jamaica Wednesday afternoon. Then it will head towards northern Belize/Mexico (right where we are). Ask God to dissipate this storm and to protect people who are already facing food insecurity and other difficulties.

Anita is serving in the clinic helping with the two summer interns, a nurse and a nursing student. Also, other visitors Dr. Won Kim (internal medicine/pediatrics) and his wife, Dr. Jeannette Kim (a dentist) served at the clinic while the team served at the church. There are several other medical visitors coming this summer.

Garry will be preaching most Sundays that we are here along with board meetings, meetings with national pastors and church leaders, and seeking to help with future plans for ministry in Belize.

We appreciate your prayers for wisdom, health, strength, and sensitivity to the Holy Spirit's guidance in every aspect of the ministries we will do this summer. Thank you! The Belize Prayer Calendar is posted on your church Missions Wall, to assist you in praying for the ministry here.

Our appreciation goes to each one who contributes to the ministry that God has given us! Your faithfulness is a blessing from the Lord!

In His Service, Garry and Anita

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