

June 21, 2015



Cypress Ridge
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (PCA)

WELCOME

Thank you for joining us today. We would love for you to become a regular part of what God is doing in and through Cypress Ridge Church. If you would like more information about the CRPC church family, please fill out the information card and place it in the offering plate later in the service. We encourage you to check out our website which has more information about our church:
www.cypressridge-pca.org

WE HAVE SEVERAL OPTIONS IF YOU HAVE CHILDREN

1. Children are welcome to remain in the Worship Center for the entire service. Typically, our service is no longer than one hour and 15 minutes.
2. There is a fully staffed nursery and pre-school room. The nursery is for infants thru 1 year olds. The pre-school room is for 2-3 year olds.
3. Because children are so important to the Lord and to us, children of all ages are invited to come forward for prayer near the beginning of our worship service.
4. Following the Children's Prayer, children may return to their seats or go to Children's Worship.
5. Children's Worship is offered for those from age 4 thru 3rd grade. CW includes music, Bible teaching, craft, and a light snack. Children are brought back to the Worship Center before Communion.
6. There is a cry room at the back of the Worship Center where parents can take their child(ren) during the service.

If you have any questions concerning child care options, please speak to one of our ushers at the entrance of the Worship Center.

About the Cover: The artist of "Fear Not" is Nancy Raborn. She graduated from University of Central Florida and now resides in Lake City, Florida. She was the Art Director and Production Coordinator for Charisma Magazine.

The LORD Gathers The Nations

We believe that God, in His three-fold person of Father, Son, and Spirit, out of His grace and love for humanity calls the world to worship Him. Each week we come not in perfection, but with our troubles and questions. As a Christian community, we meet with God in a special way on the first day of the week. Community worship is vital to a healthy relationship with God.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

[Please silence your mobile devices]

Reflection

"Without worship, we go about miserable." — A. W. Tozer

[Prepare your hearts for worship in silent prayer/meditation]

Prayer of Invocation

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

†Call to Worship

Psalm 86:12-13

I give thanks to you, O Lord my God, with my whole heart

I will glorify your name forever.

For great is your steadfast love toward me

You have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.

†Hymn

O For a Thousand Tongues (Hallelujah)

O for a thousand tongues to sing

My great Redeemer's praise

The glories of my God and King

The triumphs of his grace

[Hymn continues on next page]

†Congregation stands

**If eloquence I could display
And every language sing
A thousand words could never say
The praise I have for Thee**

**Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah
All praise to our god
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah
All praise to our king**

**Before the throne we'll sing the song
With saints from every age
With thousands times ten thousand strong
We'll praise His holy name**

(Chorus)

**A thousand years will be as one
When face to face I see
The splendid beauty of the son
The One who died for me**

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†Hymn

Jesus Paid it All

**I hear the Savior say,
“Thy strength indeed is small!
Child of weakness, watch and pray,
Find in Me your all in all.**

**Jesus paid it all,
All to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow.**

**Lord, now indeed I find
Thy pow’r, and Thine alone,
Can change the leper’s spots
And melt the heart of stone.**

(Refrain)

[Hymn continues on next page]

**For nothing good have I
Whereby Thy grace to claim
I'll wash my garments white
In the blood of Calv'ry's Lamb.**

**Jesus paid it all,
All to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain
He washed it white as snow.**

**And when before the throne
I stand in Him complete
"Jesus died my soul to save,"
My lips shall still repeat.**

(Refrain)

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Prayer for Children

Leopold Jean-Bart

[Children ages 4 through 3rd grade may leave for Children's Church]
[Parents, please notify leaders of any food allergies]

The LORD Reveals Himself To The World

God calls the nations to follow him. He does this primarily through the reading and exposition of the Bible as contained in the Old and New Testaments. We typically read verses from both testaments to help us see and understand the continuity of God's redemptive plan to save His people.

Old Testament Reading (Pew Bible p. 528)

Proverbs 2:1-6

¹ My son, if you receive my words and treasure up my commandments with you, ² making your ear attentive to wisdom and inclining your heart to understanding; ³ yes, if you call out for insight and raise your voice for understanding, ⁴ if you seek it like silver and search for it as for hidden treasures, ⁵ then you will understand the fear of the LORD and find the knowledge of God. ⁶ For the LORD gives wisdom; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding.

New Test. Reading (Pew Bible pp. 820, 830) Matt. 14:28-29, 25:14-30

²⁸ And Peter answered him, "Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water." ²⁹ He said, "Come." So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus.

¹⁴ For it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted to them his property. ¹⁵ To one he gave five talents, to another two, to another one, to each according to his ability. Then he went away.

¹⁶ He who had received the five talents went at once and traded with them, and he made five talents more. ¹⁷ So also he who had the two talents made two talents more. ¹⁸ But he who had received the one talent went and dug in the ground and hid his master's money.

¹⁹ Now after a long time the master of those servants came and settled accounts with them. ²⁰ And he who had received the five talents came forward, bringing five talents more, saying, 'Master, you delivered to me five talents; here I have made five talents more.' ²¹ His master said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master.'

²² And he also who had the two talents came forward, saying, "Master, you delivered to me two talents; here I have made two talents more." ²³ His master said to him, "Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master."

²⁴ He also who had received the one talent came forward, saying, "Master, I knew you to be a hard man, reaping where you did not sow, and gathering where you scattered no seed, ²⁵ so I was afraid, and I went and hid your talent in the ground. Here you have what is yours." ²⁶ But his master answered him, "You wicked and slothful servant! You knew that I reap where I have not sown and gather where I scattered no seed? ²⁷ Then you ought to have invested my money with the bankers, and at my coming I should have received what was my own with interest. ²⁸ So take the talent from him and give it to him who has the ten

talents. ²⁹ For to everyone who has will more be given, and he will have an abundance. But from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away. ³⁰ And cast the worthless servant into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.”

Sermon

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

Notes

**This is how we know
This is how we know what love is
Just one look at Your cross
And this is where we see
This is where we see how love works
For You surrendered Your all**

**And this is how we know
That You have loved us first
This is where we chose
To love You in return**

**For You so loved the world
That You gave Your only Son
Love amazing, so divine
We will love You in return
For this life that You give
For this death that You have died
Love amazing, so divine
We will love You in reply, Lord**

**King Jesus we love You
For we have been loved (4 x)**

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The LORD Forgives Our Sins

We respond to God's revelation by acknowledging that we are not perfect. Therefore, we need the Savior, Jesus Christ. He invites us to bring Him all our faults and brokenness. Because of His gracious love, He forgives all our sins.

†Confession of Sin

Psalm 86:5-7

For you, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon you. Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer; listen to my plea for grace. In the day of my trouble I call upon you, for you answer me.

With confidence in God's amazing grace, let us confess our sins unto the Lord:

Heavenly Father, we bow our heads and confess that we often forget that we are yours. At times we live as if there is no God and fall short of being a witness for You. For these things we ask your forgiveness. Give us clear minds and open hearts so we may be witnesses of Your grace. Remind us to be whom You have created us to be, regardless of who we are with. Draw us ever to closer to You and may the Holy Spirit strengthen us. Amen.

[Silent time of confession]

† Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:1

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

In Christ, your sins are forgiven. Live in the peace that comes through him.

Praise be to the Savior, Christ Jesus our Lord!

† Greet One Another in Peace

† Gathering Song

Shout Hosanna

**To the King of glory and light, all Praises
To the only Giver of life, our Maker
The gates are open wide, we worship You
Come see what love has done, amazing
He bought us with His blood, our Savior
The cross has overcome, we worship You**

**Shout Hosanna, Jesus, He saves
Shout Hosanna, He rose from the grave
Come and lift Him up, Hosanna**

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The LORD Calls Us To Pray

God calls us to live a life of faith. Faith requires prayer. Through prayer we seek His will, trusting that He will do what is best for us.

MISSION OF THE MONTH: Our Missionaries for the month of June are David and Marcia who are MTW missionaries to difficult areas. They recently were on Home Assignment and were able to visit many friends, relatives (including our own Betty Jones and Jim and Ginger Andersen). Please pray for their ministry to people of other religions and for a young woman they call M. to find a place to stay so she can attend school.

Worship includes returning to God and His work a portion of our material possessions as tithes and offerings. We ask Him to use the generosity of His people to continue and to advance the work of His church.

Tribute to Dads

Valerie Jean-Bart

Congregational Prayer

Psalm 88:1-2

O LORD, God of my salvation; I cry out day and night before you. Let my prayer come before you; incline your ear to my cry!

[Individual prayers may be offered at this time]

Heavenly Father, thank you for hearing our prayers. We praise you, for you have shown your love by giving us your beloved Son, Jesus the Christ.

Choral Response

He is Lord

**He is Lord, He is Lord
He is risen from the dead, and he is Lord
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess
That Jesus Christ is Lord**

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And all God's people say, **Amen.**

You shall give to him freely, and your heart shall not be grudging when you give to him, because for this the LORD your God will bless you in all your work and in all that you undertake.

†Hymn

Remembrance

**Oh, how could it be
That my God would welcome me
Into this mystery?
Say 'eat this bread, take this wine'
Now the simple made divine
For any to receive**

**See his body, His blood-
Know that He has overcome
Every trial we will face
None too lost to be saved
None too broken or ashamed
All are welcome in this place.**

**By Your mercy,
We come to Your table,
By Your grace
You are making us faithful**

**Lord, we remember You,
And remembrance leads us to worship
And as we worship You,
Our worship leads to communion
We respond to Your invitation;
We remember You**

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The LORD Communes With His People

The climax of our worship with God is sitting at a Table with Him. We come to the Table full of thankfulness and joy because of His grace. God has moved us from death to life, from darkness to light, and from separation to communion.

Distribution of the Bread and Cup

The LORD Sends Us Out Into The World

God does not save us simply from something. He saves us to something ... to be His messengers of redemption to a lost and fallen world. He sends us out redeemed, loved, and with a purpose. We are called to bear witness to what He is doing in our lives where we live, work, and play. Praise be to God!

†Benediction

Psalm 121:7-8

The LORD will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life.
The LORD will keep your going out and your coming in from
this time forth and forevermore.

Christ has died!
Christ has risen!
Christ will come again!

†Benediction hymn

Gloria Patria

**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.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER EVENTS FOR KIDZ:

- **Picnic in the Park** - Meet us at the Downtown City Park on East Park Street in Auburndale Friday, June 26 for 12:30-2pm. BYO Lunch.
- **VBS: The King is Coming!** Dates/time for this years VBS are July 6-10 from 6-8 pm. VBS is for children 4 yrs. – 5th grade (completed). For registration information go to cypressridgekidz@gmail.com.
- **BBQ Pool Party:** Friday, August 14 is our Back 2 School BBQ Pool Party from 6:30-8 pm at the Baier's home. Bring a side dish to share. Please register at the e-mail above.

SUMMER EVENTS FOR THE BOATHOUSE:

- **Picnic in the Park** – Meet us at Central Park (downtown Winter Haven) for new & fun surroundings. Get ready for some Frisbee, food and fellowship Wednesday, June 24 and August 19 from 6-8 pm. BYO picnic supper.
- **Vacation Bible School** – Join us at Cypress Ridge on July 6-10 from 6-8 pm (volunteers need to be there by 5:15 pm) This is a fantastic way for youth to learn servant leadership in their church! Help us teach the younger crew about Jesus with songs, games, and more! Snacks are provided for volunteers. Please sign up with Anna Bacheldor.
- **Midnight Madness** – Get ready for some crazy games, snacks, and cosmic bowling at Cypress Ridge and Cypress Lanes Bowling on Wednesday, July 22 from 6 pm-Midnight. Please bring \$12.00 to cover costs.
- **Mission Trip 2.0** – This will take place in Winter Haven (lodgings at the Luchenbill's). Drop off at 6 pm on 8/2 and pick up no later than 10 am on 8/8. This is a fantastic way to show “Jesus with skin” to our local community!

30 DAYS OF PRAYER: Did you know that the Muslim 30 days of Ramadan begin this Thursday, and that millions of Christians around the world will be praying for the Muslim world during this time? If you'd be interested in joining this prayer effort, go to "30daysprayer.com" online, or see Bruce and Jaye Hansen.

VACATION: Sherry will be in vacation from June 19 – 28. She will be back in the office on June 29.

CONCERT OF PRAYER: This will be a time dedicated to prayer and will include intermixing songs and scripture. The prayer time will be focused on seeking God's direction for the CRPC family, followed by an Ice Cream Social. Please join us June 26 at 6:30 pm.

CRPC FAMILY OUTING: Join us for a Tampa Bay Rays vs. Baltimore Orioles baseball game on Saturday, July 25. Seats are \$18 per person. Invite your family and friends. RSVP and payment is due to Renae Anderson by July 12. Go Rays!

LOGO CONTEST: We are having a contest for a new updated logo for our church. Submit drawings, artwork or any logo you think would represent our church either by e-mail or give to Tom, Sandy or Sherry.

SNACK & CHAT: Please sign up on the table in the Fellowship Area if you are interested in serving our congregation in this way.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

General Operating Fund thru 06/14/15	Last Week	Y-T-D
Targeted Budget for 2015	5,135	123,231
Tithes & Offerings	3,870	114,969

THIS WEEKS EVENTS

Sunday	Worship.....	10:30 am
	College & Career (Luchenbill's)	7:00 pm
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday	The Boathouse	6:00 pm
	Picnic in the Park-Central Park- BYO Picnic supper	
Thursday	Session/Diaconate Meeting.....	7:00 pm
Friday	Picnic in the Park - Kidz	12:30-2:00 pm
	City Park – Auburndale – BYO lunch	
	Concert of Prayer	6:30 pm
Saturday	Men’s Sunrise Bible Study	7:00 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

PICNIC IN THE PARK-THE BOATHOUSE: JUNE 24

PICNIC IN THE PARK-KIDZ: JUNE 26

CONCERT OF PRAYER: JUNE 26

MIDNIGHT MADNESS: JULY 22

VBS DATES: JULY 6-10

CRPC FAMILY OUTING-RAYS/ORIOLES GAME: JULY 25

MISSION TRIP 2.0: AUGUST 2-8

BBQ POOL PARTY: AUGUST 14

PRAYER AND PRAISE UPDATES

Prayer –

- For the individual injured in the accident Wednesday, to heal completely.
- For strength and healing for Clyde Heath and strength and protection for Marlene.

Praise –

- That Heather and Autumn Kloth were not hurt.

JUNE MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Jim Andersen

Usher of the Month: Mike Sakko

Ushers: Bruce Hansen
Terry Schmucker
Frank Kockler
Alan Jostes

Greeters: 21 - Ginger Andersen & Betty Jones
28 - Charles & Shirley Burkett

Nursery: 21 - Preschool: David Holdener
Infant: Amber Smith
28 - Preschool: Ginger Andersen
Infant: Betty Jones

Snacks: 21 - Bill & Edna Kelder
28 - José & Mizza Del Valle

Communion: Frank & Terry Kockler

Counters: 21 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter
28 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter

Birthdays

6/23 Betty Young

6/26 Carla Howell

Anniversaries

6/23 Steve & Ellen Thornton

6/26 Bill & Edna Kelder

6/30 Buck & Mary Jones

JULY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Don Paris

Usher of the Month: Charles Burkett

Ushers: Bob Baker

Ken Harrison

Tim Holdener

Leopold Jean-Bart

Greeters: 5 - Mike & Sherry Sakko
12 - Steve & Ellen Thornton
19 - Franz & Violene Genisse
26 - Buck & Mary Jones

Nursery: 5 - Preschool: TBD
Infant: Jaye Hansen
12 - Preschool: TBD
Infant: Sheryl Bacheldor
19 - Preschool: David Holdener
Infant: TBD
26 - Preschool: Ginger Andersen
Infant: Betty Jones

Snacks: 5 - Cathy & Destin LeBlanc
12 - TBD
19 - TBD
26 - TBD

Communion: Alan & Kara Jostes

Counters: 5 - Ken Harrison & Mike Sakko
12 - Ken Harrison & Mike Sakko
19 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter
26 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter

Birthdays

7/12 Ken Harrison
7/18 Tim Holdener
7/19 Bill Kelder
7/20 Jeanie Baier
7/22 Cooper Howell
7/26 Terry Kockler
7/31 Bruce Hansen

Anniversaries

7/7 Philip & Jeanie Baier

CHURCH SEASON: PENTECOST

Pentecost has its roots in the Old Testament. “The word Pentecost is derived from the Greek word for fiftieth, *pentekostos*, for it was seven weeks after Passover that the ‘Feast of Weeks’ (Exodus 34:22) or ‘Feast of Harvest’ (Exodus 23:16) was observed. It marked the end of the barley harvest and the beginning of the wheat harvest.”¹ Of the three major feasts of the Jewish year, it was the least observed by the Jews. By the time Christ had come, the focus of the festival shifted from the celebration of the harvest to a commemoration of Moses receiving the Law on Mt. Sinai.

“In the New Testament, Pentecost symbolizes the completion of both the redemptive act of Good Friday and Easter, and the beginning of the harvest of the nations.”² John the Baptist spoke of Jesus baptizing his followers with the Holy Spirit and fire as recorded at Matthew 3:11. Jesus confirmed this promise as recorded at John 16:16, 26. Acts 2 records the Holy Spirit filling the disciples and the beginning of the harvest of the nations through the power of the Holy Spirit.

One additional point regarding Pentecost is this: It marks the shifting of God using only the nation of Israel for his redemptive work to now including peoples from all nations. Believers from every tribe and every tongue are called to “go and make disciples of all nations.”

¹ International Dictionary of the Christian Church, p. 763.

² Ibid

DAILY DEVOTIONAL READINGS

Day	Psalm	OT	NT
Mon.	78:1-20	Joshua 1	Acts 23:12-22
Tues.	78:21-41	Joshua 2:1-14	Acts 23:23-35
Wed.	78:42-55	Joshua 2:15-24	Acts 24:1-16
Thurs.	78:56-72	Joshua 3	Acts 24:17-27
Fri.	79	Joshua 4	Acts 25:1-12
Sat.	80	Joshua 5	Acts 25:13-27

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