



Cypress Ridge PCA

January 24, 2016

WELCOME

We are glad you chose to worship with us today. It is our hope that today's service will be a fresh encounter with God's love and grace. This folder will guide you as we worship together.

OUR PURPOSE

Cypress Ridge PCA exists to be a God centered, worshipping community that disciples God's people and extends God's kingdom.

CRPC is a member of the Presbyterian Church in America:
www.pcanet.org

VISITOR/PRAAYER REQUEST CARD

Visitors: We would like to get to know you. Therefore, we ask that you please fill out the Visitor Card and place it in the offering plate. If you'd like additional information about CRPC, we encourage you to look at our website for further information. Website is: www.cypressridge-pca.org.

Prayer Requests: After recording your prayer requests, please place the card in the offering plate.

CHILDREN

We offer numerous options for children during worship:

- Children are welcome to remain in the Sanctuary for the entire service. (Approximately one hour and 15 minutes.)
- There is a nursery and pre-school room. The nursery is for infants thru 1 year olds. The pre-school room is for 2-3 year olds.
- Children's Prayer: Children of all ages will be invited to come forward for prayer during our worship service. After the prayer, children may return to their seats or go to Children's Worship.
- Children's Worship is offered for those from age 4 thru 3rd grade. Children return to the Sanctuary before Communion.
- There is a cry room at the back of the Sanctuary where parents can take their child(ren) during the service.

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

Worship Team

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**Please silence your electronic devices*

Announcements

Reflection

God is to be praised with the voice, and the heart should go therewith in holy exultation." Charles H. Spurgeon

Prayer of Invocation

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

Call to Worship

Exodus 15:2

Leader: The LORD is my strength and my song, and he has become my salvation

Response: This is my God, and I will praise him, and I will exalt him.

Immortal, Invisible

Author: Walter C. Smith

Immortal, invisible, God only wise
In light inaccessible hid from our eyes
Most blessed, most glorious, the Ancient of Days
Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light
Nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rulest in might
Thy justice like mountains high soaring above
Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love

[Hymn continued on next page]

To all, life thou givest, to both great and small
In all life Thou livest, the true life of all
We blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree
And wither and perish, but naught changeth Thee

Great Father of glory; pure Father of light
Thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight
All praise we would render: O help us to see
'Tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee

Ancient of Days

Words and Music by Gary Sadler and Jamie Harvill

Blessing and honor, glory and power
Be unto the ancient of days
From every nation, all of creation
Bow before the Ancient of Days

Every tongue in heaven and earth, shall declare Your glory
Every knee shall bow at Your throne, in worship
You will be exalted oh God
And your kingdom shall not pass away
Oh Ancient of Days

Prayer for Children

[Children ages 4 through 3rd grade may leave for Children's Church]

THE LORD REVEALS HIMSELF TO THE WORLD

God calls the nations to follow him primarily through the reading and exposition of His inspired, infallible, and inerrant word as contained in the Old and New Testaments. To help us see and understand the continuity of God's redemptive plan to save His people, each week we read from the Old and New Testaments.

New Testament Reading (Pew Bible p. 983)

Colossians 1:1-8

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, ² To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father.

³ We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, ⁴ since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, ⁵ because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, ⁶ which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and increasing-- as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, ⁷ just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf ⁸ and has made known to us your love in the Spirit.

Sermon

Pastor Tom Luchenbill

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Words: Thomas O. Chisholm. Music: William M. Runyan

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father
There is no shadow of turning with Thee
Thou changest not, Thy compassions they fail not
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be

*Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness
Morning by morning new mercies I see
All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me*

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest
Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
Join with all nature in manifold witness
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love

Chorus

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
Thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside

Chorus

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 41:4

Leader: As for me, I said, "O LORD, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned against you!"

Know that God hears our prayers and is a gracious God, let us confess our sins to him:

Unison: Almighty God, grant that we may not indulge ourselves with wrongful desires. Move our hearts to carefully consider how often and in how many different ways we have sinned against you. Cause our hearts to truly repent of our sin. We deserve Your wrath, yet You sent Jesus, the Perfect Lamb of God, to turn Your wrath away from us and show us Your grace and mercy. Guide us daily so that we submit ourselves to You instead of indulging our self-centered tendencies. All praise be to You for You have reconciled us to Yourself through the only-begotten Son, Jesus the Christ. Amen.

[Silent Confession]

Assurance of Pardon

Joel 2:12-13 (NIVO)

Leader: "Even now," declares the LORD, "return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning." Rend your heart and not your garments. Return to the LORD your God, for he is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love, and he relents from sending calamity.

Through God's love and the gift of the Christ Jesus the Lord, our sins are forgiven.

Unison: Praise be to God for his indescribable gift!

Greet One Another in Peace

This is the Day

Words and Music: Les Garrett. © 1980 Maranatha! Music

This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord hath made, that the Lord hath made
We will rejoice, we will rejoice
And be glad in it, and be glad in it
This is the day that the Lord hath made
We will rejoice and be glad in it
This is the day, this is the day
That the Lord hath made

THE LORD CALLS US TO PRAY

*God calls us to pray. Through prayer we seek His good and perfect will. Our prayer time includes praying for our **Mission of the Month**. January's mission of the month is Heart for Winter Haven. H4WH is a faith-based organization committed to networking churches, non-profits and businesses to better care for the vulnerable in our community.*

Congregational Prayer

Psalm 4:1

Answer me when I call, O God of my righteousness! You have given me relief when I was in distress. Be gracious to me and hear my prayer!

[We now offer our individual prayers of thanksgiving and intercession]

Elder Prayer

Elder Don Paris

I Surrender All

Author: Judson Van De Venter

All to Jesus I surrender; Lord, I give myself to Thee
Fill me with Thy love and power, let Thy blessing fall on me

*I surrender all, I surrender all
All to Thee my blessed Savior, I surrender all*

THE LORD PROVIDES OUR DAILY BREAD

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.

Offering

1 Chronicles 16:29

Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come before him! Worship the LORD in the splendor of holiness.

Jesus Messiah

Words & Music by Daniel Carson, Chris Tomlin, Ed Cash and Jesse Reeves

He became sin, who knew no sin,
That we might become His righteousness
He humbled Himself and carried the cross
Love so amazing, love so amazing

*Jesus Messiah, name above all names
Blessed Redeemer, Emmanuel
The rescue for sinners, the ransom from heaven
Jesus Messiah, Lord of all*

His body the bread, His blood, the wine
Broken and poured out all for love
The whole earth trembled, and the veil was torn
Love so amazing, love so amazing

Chorus

All our hope is in You, all our hope is in You
All the glory to You, God, the light of the world

Chorus

THE LORD COMMUNES WITH HIS PEOPLE

The climax of our worship is sitting at the Table with the Lord. We come to the Table full of thankfulness and joy because of His grace. As the perfect Lamb of God, Jesus' sacrifice reconciled us to the Father so that we are in a right relationship with him.

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

Jude 24-25

Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

Unison Response:

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

Choral Response

Doxology

CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

TODAY ...

- **Sunday School Classes** for all ages, weekly @ 9:15 am
- **Congregational Meeting** – Today following church. The meeting will be preceded by a *Potluck Dinner* (drinks and table service are provided). The meeting will include presentations for the 2016 budget and vision thoughts for 2016.
- **College and Career D-Group** – Sundays @ 7:00 pm. Meet at the home of Tom and Sandy Luchenbill.

THIS WEEK ...

- **Monday Night Women's Bible Study** @ 7:00
- **Tuesday Morning Women's Bible Study** @ 9:30
- **The Back Room Connect Group** – Wednesdays @ 10:30 am. They meet at CRPC. Following a time of fellowship, Don Copeland leads a discussion regarding the Sunday sermon.
- **Worship Team Rehearsal** – Wednesdays @ 5:00 pm
- **The Boathouse** – Wednesdays from 6:00-8:00 pm @ CRPC. The Boathouse is for youth from 7-12th grades. It is a time where fun, food, fellowship, & discipleship are enjoyed by all.
- **Wednesday Night Men's Group** @ 7:00 pm
- **Men's Sunrise Bible Study at CRPC** – Saturdays @ 7:00 am
- **Men's Bible Study (at Brookdale)** – Saturdays @ 8:00 am

ON THE HORIZON ...

- **New Member Classes** – Interested in joining CRPC? The new member classes will begin, Sunday, January 31. Following church and fellowship time, those interested in joining CRPC will meet in the Adult Classroom for lunch and a discussion regarding membership at CRPC. Additional class dates and times TBD. Please sign-up on the Welcome Center counter in the foyer.
- **Baby Shower and Luncheon** – CRPC is hosting a baby shower and luncheon for Renae Anderson on February 14 following the worship service in the Adult Sunday School room.
- **Missions Conference** – CRPC's Third Annual Mission's Conference will take place the weekend of March 5 & 6. Additional details to follow.

FYI ...

- **Nursery Staff Position** – It is comforting for children when they see a consistent and familiar face. We are looking to hire such a person to serve weekly alongside our current volunteers. If you know of anyone whom you believe is qualified to fill the Nursery Staff Position, please contact Anna Bacheldor.
- **Daily Devotionals** – Tabletalk magazine and Our Daily Bread booklets are available.
- **Updated Church Directories and Missionary booklets** – Please feel free to pick-up these items on the Welcome Center counter in the foyer.
- **Snacks** – Please sign up at the Coffee Bar if you'd like to serve the CRPC family by providing snacks during our fellowship time.
- **God's provision from 1/17/15:**

General Fund Giving: **\$6,511**
YTD to General Fund: **\$12,506**
YTD Budgeted Needs: **TBD**

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

JANUARY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Jim Andersen

Usher of the Month: Charles Burkett

Ushers: Don Copeland

Ken Harrison

Garry Van Baren

Greeters: 24 - Franz & Violene Genisse

30 - Charles & Shirley Burkett

Nursery: 24 - Kara Jostes & Roxanne Copeland

30 - Terry Kockler & Betty Parmerter

Snacks: 24 - CRPC Family Potluck

30 - Gabrielle Jean-Bart

Communion: Bill & Edna Kelder

Counters: 24 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter

30 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter

Birthdays

1/25 Millie Williams

1/27 Christina Reyes

Anniversaries

1/20 Charles & Shirley Burkett

FEBRUARY MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Paul Bachelder

Usher of the Month: David Holdener

Ushers: Philip Baier

Tim Holdener

Bill Kelder

Greeters: 7 - Charles & Shirley Burkett
14 - Jerrod & Amber May
21 - Wayne & Renae Anderson
28 - Don & Roxanne Copeland

Snacks: 7 - Anna & Sheryl Bacheldor
14 - TBD
21 - TBD
24 - TBD

Communion: Karen Brown & Pam Cherkis

Counters: 7 - Ken Harrison & Mike Sakko
14 - Ken Harrison & Mike Sakko
21 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter
28 - Charles Burkett & Jon Parmerter

Birthdays

2/1 Bailey Parmerter
2/3 Clyde Heath
2/4 Landon Jostes
2/6 Leopold Jean-Bart
2/6 Roxanne Copeland
2/12 Tom Floyd
2/13 Betty Jones
2/13 Sherry Sakko
2/13 Johnny Brown
2/20 Steve Thornton
2/21 Renae Anderson
2/23 Steve McFarland
2/25 Jon Parmerter
2/26 Susie Reyes
2/28 Muriel Baker

Anniversaries

2/15 Fred & Rosemond Fening

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