



Cypress Ridge PCA

May 21st, 2017

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 through 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 through 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.

About the Cover: *Jesus Teaching by the Seashore* by James Tissot

THE LORD GATHERS THE NATIONS

We believe that the Triune God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – calls the world to worship Him. As a Christian community, we gather together on the first day of each week to worship Him as we are led by the Spirit. As we worship, we bring our praise and our concerns, our joys and our sorrows, our hopes and our troubles.

Prelude

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Announcements

Reflection on Worship

*What then is Apollos? What is Paul?
Servants through whom you believed, as the Lord assigned to each.
I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the growth.
So neither he who plants nor he who waters is anything,
but only God who gives the growth.
-1 Corinthians 3:5-7*

Call to Worship

Psalm 66:1-5

Leader: Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!

Response: Say to God, “How awesome are your deeds! So great is your power that your enemies come cringing to you.

Leader: All the earth worships you and sings praises to you; they sing praises to your name.”

Response: Come and see what God has done: he is awesome in his deeds toward the children of man.

Come, Thou Almighty King

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Come, Thou Almighty King
Help us Thy Name to sing; help us to praise
Father all glorious; O'er all victorious
Come and reign over us; Ancient of Days

Come, Thou Incarnate Word
Gird on Thy mighty sword; our prayer attend
Come, and Thy people bless; and give Thy Word success
Spirit of holiness; on us descend

Come, Holy Comforter
Thy sacred witness bear in this glad hour
Thou Who almighty art; now rule in every heart
And ne'er from us depart; Spirit of pow'r

To Thee, Great One in Three
Eternal praises be; hence, evermore
Thy Sov'reign majesty may we in glory see
And to eternity love and adore

I Will Glory in My Redeemer

Music and words by Steve & Vikki Cook

I will glory in my Redeemer
Whose priceless blood has ransomed me
Mine was the sin that drove the bitter nails
and hung Him on that judgment tree
I will glory in my Redeemer
Who crushed the power of sin and death
My only Savior before the Holy Judge
The Lamb who is my righteousness x 2

I will glory in my Redeemer
My life He bought, my love He owns
I have no longings for another
I'm satisfied in Him alone
I will glory in my Redeemer
His faithfulness my standing place
Though foes are mighty and rush upon me
My feet are firm, held by His grace x 2

I will glory in my Redeemer
who carries me on eagle's wings
He crowns my life with loving kindness
His triumph song I'll ever sing
I will glory in my Redeemer
who waits for me at gates of gold
And when He calls me it will be paradise
His face forever to behold x 3

Prayer for Children

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

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.

We believe that the Scriptures teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God requires of man.

Sermon Text (Pew Bible p. 921)

Acts 13:13-16, 26-31, 38-39, 44-45

¹³ Now Paul and his companions set sail from Paphos and came to Perga in Pamphylia. And John left them and returned to Jerusalem, ¹⁴ but they went on from Perga and came to Antioch in Pisidia. And on the Sabbath day they went into the synagogue and sat down. ¹⁵ After the reading from the Law and the Prophets, the rulers of the synagogue sent a message to them, saying, “Brothers, if you have any word of encouragement for the people, say it.” ¹⁶ So Paul stood up, and motioning with his hand said:

“Men of Israel and you who fear God, listen.”

²⁶ “Brothers, sons of the family of Abraham, and those among you who fear God, to us has been sent the message of this salvation. ²⁷ For those who live in Jerusalem and their rulers, because they did not recognize him nor understand the utterances of the prophets, which are read every Sabbath, fulfilled them by condemning him. ²⁸ And though they found in him no guilt worthy of death, they asked Pilate to have him executed. ²⁹ And when they had carried out all that was written of him, they took him down from the tree and laid him in a tomb. ³⁰ But God raised him from the dead, ³¹ and for many days he appeared to those who had come up with him from Galilee to Jerusalem, who are now his witnesses to the people.”

³⁸ “Let it be known to you therefore, brothers, that through this man forgiveness of sins is proclaimed to you, ³⁹ and by him everyone who believes is freed from everything from which you could not be freed by the law of Moses.”

⁴⁴ The next Sabbath almost the whole city gathered to hear the word of the Lord. ⁴⁵ But when the Jews saw the crowds, they were filled with jealousy and began to contradict what was spoken by Paul, reviling him.

Be Thou My Vision

Text: Anc. Irish hymn; tran. by Mary Byrne.

Music: Irish Folk mel.; arr. By David Allen

Be Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart
Naught be all else to me, save that Thou art
Thou my best thought, by day or by night
Waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light

Be Thou my wisdom, and Thou my true word
I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord
Thou my great Father, I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance, now and always
Thou and Thou only, first in my heart
High King of heaven, my treasure Thou art

High King of heaven, my victory won
May I reach heaven's joys, O bright heaven's sun
Heart of my own heart, whatever befall
Still be my Vision, O Ruler of all

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

1 John 1:8-9

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Trusting in the Lord's faithfulness, let us confess our sins.

Unison: Heavenly Father, we confess that too often we try to earn our salvation by good works. Our pride overshadows the simplicity of the Gospel. Sometimes we forget what You have already done for us. Forgive us for our pride. Cause us to find rest in Your gift of salvation. May Your Holy Spirit embolden us to share the news of Jesus Christ to those we see, where we live, work and play. In Jesus' name. Amen.

[Silent Confession]

Assurance of Pardon

based on 1 Peter 2:9-10

Leader: But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Unison: Once we were not a people, but now we are God's people; once we had not received mercy, but now we have received mercy. Praise be to Christ!

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.

Offertory Scripture

1 Chronicles 16:29

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

The ushers will now come forward to receive our tithes and offerings.

Offering

Mighty, Mighty Savior

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Music and Words: Mark Altrogge. 2004 Sovereign Grace Praise (BMI).

No one is good
No one is holy before God
I need someone to cleanse me
No one is pure
No one is righteous in Your sight
I need someone to save me
But I'm so glad You died and rose again
For helpless sinners like me

*What a mighty, mighty Savior You are
What a mighty, mighty Savior You are
You can wash away my sin
You can change my heart within
What a mighty, mighty Savior You are*

Sin is too strong
For me to conquer on my own
I need someone to help me
I am too weak
I cannot change my evil heart
I need someone to save me
But I'm so glad You died and rose again
For helpless sinners like me

*What a mighty, mighty Savior You are
What a mighty, mighty Savior You are
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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 **May Missionary of the Month: Andrew Newman.***

Andrew is currently serving as the RUF pastor at the University of South Florida. He received his M.Div. from RTS-Charlotte. Andrew and his wife, Meghan, have a two year old son, Knox. Please pray for them as they search for a house, for the USF RUF ministry, and for Andrew as he preps for the fall.

Congregational Prayer

Ephesians 6:18b-19

Leader: To that end keep alert with all perseverance, making supplication for all the saints, and also for me, that words may be given to me in opening my mouth boldly to proclaim the mystery of the gospel.

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

Elder Prayer

Elder David Reyes

Speak, O Lord

Words and Music: Keith Getty & Stuart Townend

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You
To receive the food of Your holy word
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness
That the light of Christ might be seen today
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith
Speak, O Lord, and fulfill in us
All Your purposes for Your glory

Teach us, Lord, full obedience
Holy reverence, true humility
Test our thoughts and our attitudes
In the radiance of Your purity
Cause our faith to rise; cause our eyes to see
Your majestic love and authority
Words of pow'r that can never fail
Let their truth prevail over unbelief

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time
That will echo down through eternity
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us
Speak, O Lord, till Your church is built
And the earth is filled with Your glory

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

Hebrews 13:20-21a

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will.

Unison Response:

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

Choral Response

Tri-fold Amen

CRPC FAMILY EVENTS

TODAY ...

- **Sunday School @ 9:15 am** *last week till September 10th*
- **Fellowship and Snacks** follow our worship service
- **College & Career** will resume on June 18th

THIS WEEK ...

- **Wednesday Evening: Family Olympics** Pizza @ 6 pm
(Suggested donation: \$2/adult, \$1/child) Games @ 6:30 pm
- **Saturday Morning: Men's Sunrise Bible Study @ 7 am**
- **Saturday Morning: Men's Bible Study at Brookdale @ 8 am**

ON THE HORIZON ...

- **Mission Basket** - We will be collecting items to support The Mission next Sunday. The collection basket will be at the back of the sanctuary. This will be the last collection till the fall.

Monthly Items Needed:

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| Crackers | Boxed Cereals | Mashed Potatoes |
| Pasta | Canned meats | Mac & Cheese |
| Shampoo | Chef Boyardee | Peanut Butter & Jelly |
| Toothpaste/brush | Deodorant | Razors |

- **Midnight Madness** – Calling all 7-12th graders: are you ready for a night of madness, games, and fun? Join us June 2nd from 7 pm – Midnight. Bring \$5 and a friend!

- **Kidz Park Day** – Meet us at the Trailhead Park on June 7th at 11 am for a fun park outing. Bring a bathing suit for the splash pad and your own sack lunch.
- **VBS: The Portal** – June 12-16th from 9 am - 12 pm. You can pre-register at vbsatcypressridge.eventbrite.com
- **VBS NEEDS:** Recyclable plastic bags, glue dots, sharpies (gold, silver), #2 Ticonderoga pencils, wide mouthed empty juice bottles, Elmer's glue, empty plastic water bottles (with lids!), dry erase markers (primary colors), water balloons, pipe cleaners, jingle bells, Publix gift cards, Prayer Warriors!
- **The Boathouse Mission Trip** – July 23-29th

FYI ...

- **Congratulations to the Baier's & Jean-Bart's** – Genavieve Ayla Jean-Bart was born to Hannah (Baier) & Jimmy Jean-Bart on May 9th. Genavieve weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz.
- **Summer Supper Club** – Sign up for summer supper club and enjoy a monthly potluck dinner with other families in the church. The sign up sheet is at the Welcome Center.
- **MTW PCA Compassion Offering** – Every year the PCA Compassion Fund gives help where help is needed most around the world. If you would like to give to this fund, please take the flyer and fill it out or go to mtw.org/compassion
- **Kidz Worship Bulletins** – Exciting news for our students: Kids bulletins are now available to make notes and illustrations through the sermon.
- **Volunteers Needed** –Some of our seniors need friendly drivers to pick them up for church on Sunday mornings. If you are interested, please talk to one of our deacons.

- **Live Streaming** – If you can't join us in person on Sunday mornings, you can still worship with us via live streaming! Go to cypressridge-pca.org and click on the Live Streaming link.
- **Stay Connected** – If you would like to be added to the church email blast or phone tree, please contact Anna at the church office.
- **Visitor/Prayer Request Card** – If you are a visitor, please fill out the card under the seat in front of you and place it in the offering plate. Any prayer requests may also be put on this card.
- **Daily Devotionals** – Tabletalk magazine and Our Daily Bread booklets are available. Our Daily Bread is now provided in regular and large print edition.
- **Hospitality Ministry** – A great way to serve at CRPC is by providing snacks on Sunday morning. You may sign-up as a family, with a friend, individually or with someone you'd like to get to know better. The sign-up sheet is at the coffee bar.
- **God's provision from May 14:**
 General Fund Giving: **\$6,460**
 YTD to General Fund: **\$114,775**
 YTD Budgeted Needs: **\$110,494**

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVE

MAY 2017 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Paul Bacheldor

Deacon/Usher of the Month: Mike Sakko

Ushers: Bob Baker, Tony Aviles, Ken Harrison, David Smith

Greeters: 21 - Keith & Becky Steverson
28 - David & Susie Reyes

Nursery: 21 - Kay Smith & Lori/Baileigh
28 - Marilyn Smith & Lori/Baileigh

Children's 21 - Jon Parmerter & Renae Anderson
Worship 28 - LeBlanc's & Johnnie Brown

Snacks: 21 - Betty Jones & Ginger Andersen
28 - Vicki & Joe Johnston

Communion: Destin & Cathy LeBlanc

Counters: 21 - Mike Sakko & Paul Pletcher
28 - Mike Sakko & Paul Pletcher

Birthdays

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| 5/25 | Wayne Anderson | 5/30 | Melissia Pletcher |
| 5/30 | Jim Andersen | 5/30 | Tosha Knisley |

Anniversaries

5/21 Leopold & Gabrielle Jean-Bart
5/28 David & Kay Smith
5/28 Bruce & Linda Engstrom

JUNE 2017 MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Elder of the Month: Paul Bacheldor

Deacon/Usher of the Month: Charles Burkett

Ushers: Philip Baier, Paul Pletcher, Tom Knisley, Johnnie Brown

Greeters: 4 - Destin & Cathy LeBlanc
11 - Frantz & Violene Genisse
18 - Ginger Andersen & Betty Jones
25 - Joe & Vicki Johnston

Nursery: 4 - TBD & Lori/Baileigh
11 - TBD & Lori/Baileigh
18 - TBD & Lori/Baileigh
25 - TBD & Lori/Baileigh

Children's 4 - Jeremy Reyes & Swan Lee
Worship 11 - Anna Bacheldor & Karyne Jean-Bart
18 - Jon Parmerter & Renae Anderson
25 - Lynne Knisley & Faviola Genisse

Snacks: 4 - TBD
11 - TBD
18 - Mizza & José Del Valle
25 - TBD

Counters: 4 - Ken Harrison & Jon Parmerter
11 - Ken Harrison & Jon Parmerter
18 - Bob Baker & Mike Sakko
25 - Paul Pletcher & Mike Sakko

Communion: Bob Baker & Pam Cherkis

Birthdays

6/3 Carolyn Holdener
6/5 Susie Fuday
6/6 Sonia Atallah
6/7 Larry Vander Zee
6/9 Tom Luchenbill
6/15 Rick Chaudoin (DeCoito)
6/19 Don Copeland
6/19 Adam Steverson
6/23 Betty Young
6/25 Brandon Jamerson
6/26 Bruce Engstrom
6/28 Mizza Del Valle

Anniversaries

6/3 David & Susie Reyes
6/5 Mike & Sherry Sakko
6/6 Tim & Jessica Holdener
6/7 José & Mizza Del Valle
6/19 Lee & Brenda Donnell
6/21 Keith & Becky Steverson
6/23 Steve & Ellen Thornton
6/26 Bill & Edna Kelder
6/30 Buck & Mary Jones

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