

CHRIST THE KING

AUGUSTA, GA



Welcome!

At Christ the King, We desire to be a church that knows God and His Word, that continues to learn and live out what it means to be in gospel community that truly does life on mission. We do so by joining together in worship on Sundays, sharing meals and life together during the week in Missional Communities, informal gatherings, and preaching the Gospel to one another in our DNA groups. These are the Gospel Rhythms of our church family.

We pray that God will use Christ the King to spiritually transform it's members and guests. Additionally, we pray for those that are called to visit and the few of those that will one day come to join us weekly in worship and in fellowship as a family. We pray that God will use CTK to bless you through the preaching of His word and the fellowship of believers.

We desire to be a people who spread a passion for the supremacy of God in all things through Jesus Christ. We believe it is the gospel of Jesus Christ that transforms us to be a people who love God and love our neighbor.

Grace and peace,

Kevin Figgins, Senior Pastor
Christ the King Church

worship guide

Sunday, July 1, 2018

OPENING SONG:

Our Song From Age to Age

Words and music by Joel Sczebel

The call to worship establishes the lines of communication in worship. God always comes to us before we come to God. Biblical worship is a response to God's gracious revelation of himself to his people.

Bold text is read together by the congregation. Plain text is read by the leader. Responsive readings remind us that during corporate worship God speaks to his people and we respond together as a community.

Welcome & Announcements

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Inspired by Psalm 66

Leader:
Come and celebrate!
Shout joyfully to the Lord, your God!
Glorify him with your praise!

People:
Everything on earth will worship you;
they will sing your praises,
shouting your name in joyful songs.

Leader:
Come and see what our God has done,
what awesome things he has done for us!

People:
Let the whole world bless our God and sing his praise.
For our lives are in his hands,
and he keeps our feet from stumbling.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Please stand.

I Love You Lord
Words and music by Laurie Klein

I Love You Lord
I love You, Lord
And I lift my voice
To worship You
O my soul, rejoice!

Take joy, My King, in what You hear,
Let it be a sweet, sweet sound
In Your ear.

I Stand Amazed (How Marvelous)

Words and music by Charles Hutchinson Gabriel and Chris Tomlin

I stand amazed in the presence
Of Jesus the Nazarene
And wonder how He could love me,
A sinner, condemned, unclean

How marvelous! How wonderful!
And my song shall ever be.
How marvelous! How wonderful!
Is my Savior's love for me!

He took my sins and my sorrows
He made them His very own;
He bore the burden to Calvary
And suffered and died alone

How marvelous! How wonderful!
And my song shall ever be.
How marvelous! How wonderful!
Is my Savior's love for me!

When with the ransomed in glory
His face I at last shall see
'Twill be my joy through the ages
To sing of His love for me

How marvelous! How wonderful!
And my song shall ever be.
How marvelous! How wonderful!
Is my Savior's love for me!

Please be seated. **PRAYER OF REPENTANCE:**

The call to repentance invites us to honest expression within the context of our covenant relationship with God, a relationship in which honesty about our sin is welcome and safe.

People:
We come seeking God in mighty earthquakes.
We come listening for God in resounding thunder.
We come expecting God in sweeping victories.

Leader:
Yet God is found in a baby's touch.
Yet God speaks in silence.
Yet God is found in the least of these.

People:
Save us, O God, from our aimless wandering.
Save us, O God, from our idols.
Save us, O God, from our self-induced chaos.

Leader:
God, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.
Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

Please stand. **WORDS OF ASSURANCE & THE PEACE:**

We greet one another with joy after the assurance of pardon because God's pardon of us sets us free to love and forgive one another.

Leader:
Hear the good news of God's love for us;
not in the earthquake, not in the storms, not in the mighty deeds
but in the silence, in the gentle touch, in the quiet rain
God says, again,
"You are my Beloved. I love you."
Leader: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.
People: And also with you.

Prayer of Repentance and Words of Assurance is inspired by 1 Kings 19.

Amazing Grace

Words and music by John Newton

Amazing grace how sweet the sound
that saved a wretch like me
I once was lost but now am found
was blind but now I see

Was grace that taught my heart to fear,
and grace my fears relieved
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come
His grace has brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home

The Lord has promised good to me,
His word my hope secures
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we first begun

Please be seated. **SCRIPTURE READING**

Acts 7:1-53

Reader: The Word of the Lord
People: Thanks be to God!

52 Questions and Answers for our hearts and minds based on the New City Catechism from The Gospel Coalition and Redeemer Presbyterian Church. There's also an app that you can download.

Please consider partnering with us in this Gospel work. There are a two ways to give: You may give in-person during our time of Giving this morning. Also, you may give online by visiting ctkaugusta.org/give.

Please also return your Connection Card at this time.

PROFESSION OF FAITH:

Leader:

Question 22: Why must the Redeemer be truly human?

People:

Answer: That in human nature he might on our behalf perfectly obey the whole law and suffer the punishment for human sin; and also that he might sympathize with our weaknesses. (Hebrews 2:17).

GIVING

Great Are You Lord

Words and music by David Leonard, Jason Ingram, and Leslie Jordan

You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore
Every heart that is broken
Great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

You give life, You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore
Every heart that is broken
Great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

All the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing
Great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise, we pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

NEW CITY CATECHISM

Please be seated.

PREACHING OF THE WORD:

Kevin Figgins

God's Plan

Acts 6:8-8:1a

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Prayer for those Searching for Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convicting, and the leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior and Lord. Amen.

Communion (i.e. the Lord's Supper or Eucharist) is a covenant renewal meal, instituted by Jesus the night before his crucifixion. It points back to the cross, forward to the return of the King, but also, when we receive it in faith, it is true fellowship with King Jesus, in his presence and at his table.

Please stand as you
are lead following
communion.

Man of Sorrows

Words and music by Brooke Ligertwood and Matt Crocker

Man of sorrows Lamb of God by His own betrayed
The sin of man and wrath of God has been on Jesus laid

Silent as He stood accused beaten mocked and scorned
Bowling to the Father's will he took a crown of thorns

Oh that rugged cross My salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out
Hallelujah
Praise and honor unto Thee

Sent of heaven God's own Son to purchase and redeem
And reconcile the very ones who nailed Him to that tree

Oh that rugged cross My salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out
Hallelujah
Praise and honor unto Thee

Now my debt is paid, it is paid in full
By the precious blood that my Jesus spilled
Now the curse of sin has no hold on me
Whom the Son sets free, oh is free indeed
Now my debt is paid, it is paid in full
By the precious blood that my Jesus spilled
Now the curse of sin has no hold on me
Whom the Son sets free, oh is free indeed

Oh that rugged cross My salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out
Hallelujah
Praise and honor unto Thee

See the stone is rolled away behold the empty tomb
Hallelujah God be praised, he's risen from the grave

Oh that rugged cross My salvation
Where Your love poured out over me
Now my soul cries out
Hallelujah
Praise and honor unto Thee

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

Words and music by Helen Howarth Lemmel

Turn your eyes upon Jesus
Look full in His wonderful face
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
in the light of His glory and grace

*Just as we begin with
with God's gracious
invitation, so we end
with God's promise
to always be with us.*

BENEDICTION:

Numbers 6:24-26

Leader:

The Lord bless you and keep you;
the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;
the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.

*It is appropriate
to raise our hands
to symbolize our
need and eagerness
to receive God's
blessing.*

LIFE TOGETHER

7/8/18 Kid's Ministry Volunteers: Abby Wigington, Seanette Epley, Soloman Nelms, and Scott Kennedy (extra).

Childcare: Nursery is available for children 0-5.

Women's Fellowship: Saturday, July 7th, 10am at Tara Figgins' home. Hand crafts and coffee, \$5.00 per person. RSVP required, fivefiggs@gmail.com.

CTK Family Dinner: Sunday, July 15th, following service, join us for our monthly family dinner. It is a catered dinner, so there's no need to bring anything.

Men's Fellowship: Friday, July 20th, 7pm at Buffalo Wild Wings. Come to eat wings but stay for the fellowship. For more info, contact Scott Kennedy.

Questions about Weekly Announcements: Feel free to stop at the Connections Table or visit our website for more information at www.ctkaugusta.org/

Ways to Connect at our CTK:

Missional Communities:

Grovetown Missional Community - Wednesday, 5:45 pm
2038 Magnolia Parkway, Grovetown, GA 30813

Augusta Missional Community - Wednesday, 6:00 pm
507 Cambridge Way, Augusta, GA 30907

Evans Missional Community - Thursday, 5:45 pm
183 Creekview Circle, Martinez, GA 30907

DNA Groups: DNA Groups are smaller (3-4) same gender groups that meet up throughout the month to study the Bible, pray together, and hold one another up in the grace and mercy of the Gospel.

Church Wide Communication: As our church grows we are seeking ways to communicate better and more effectively as a family. We are currently using the "Slack" app in order to help with this. Please see Ellie Benson at the Connections Table if you need help or assistance with getting connected.

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