

THE ORDER FOR THE CELEBRATION AND PUBLIC WORSHIP OF GOD ON

The Lord's Day, March 15, 2020
The Christian Year: The Third Sunday in Lent

10:30 AM Morning Service

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his saints." Psalm 116:15

[Please turn off cell phones and observe silence when the prelude begins.]

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

The Voluntary for Silent Prayer

*Call to Worship Psalm 23

Minister: The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

People: He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Minister: Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

People: You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

Unison: Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

*Hymn of Adoration No. 528

My Faith Looks Up to Thee
(verse 4 a cappella)

*Prayer of Adoration and Congregational Invocation

Lord, high and holy, meek and lowly, you have brought me to the valley of vision, where I live in the depths but see you in the heights; hemmed in by mountains of sin I behold

your glory. Lord, in the daytime stars can be seen from deepest wells, and the deeper the wells the brighter thy stars shine. Let me find your light in my darkness, your life in my death, your joy in my sorrow, your grace in my sin, your riches in my poverty, your glory in my valley. In the name of Jesus I pray. Amen.

From The Valley of Vision

*Confession of Faith HEIDELBERG CATECHISM Q&A 1

Minister: What is your only comfort in life and death?

People: That I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He has fully paid for all my sins with His precious blood and has set me free from all the power of the devil. He also preserves me in such a way that without the will of my heavenly Father not a hair can fall from my head; indeed, all things must work together for my salvation. Therefore, by His Holy Spirit He also assures me of eternal life and makes me heartily willing and ready from now on to live for Him.

Unison: Thanks be to God!

***Gloria Patri** Tune: Gloria Patri (Greatorex)
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.

Psalter Reading (responsive reading, p. 827) Psalm 116

Hymn of Gratitude No. 689
Be Still, My Soul

Public Confession

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature, prone to evil and slothful in good, and all our shortcomings and offenses. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts, in forgetting Your love. But, O Lord, have mercy upon us who are ashamed and sorry for all that has displeased You. Teach us to hate our errors; cleanse us from our secret faults; and forgive our sins for the sake of Your dear Son. And O most holy and loving Father, help us to live in Your light and walk in Your ways according to the commandments of our Lord Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Private Confession

Pastoral Prayer

Assurance of Pardon

Minister: What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave Him up for us all, how will He not also with Him graciously give us all things? Romans 8:31-32

Unison: Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless His holy name!

Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 499
Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me

Worship of God through Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology** Tune: Old Hundredth
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 and Dedication

***Reading of the Holy Scriptures** Genesis 23:1-20

*The Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Rev. Seth Wallace
"PRECIOUS IN THE SIGHT OF THE LORD"

***Hymn of Response** No. 87
The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want

*The Benediction

Postlude

**Denotes congregation standing, if able.*

If you would like someone to pray with you,
an Elder will be available at the front of the sanctuary
following the service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

➤ **Wedding Invitation**

Pat Geyer and Paul Patton invite you to celebrate their wedding on **Friday, March 27 at 6:00 p.m.** at Christ the King Presbyterian Church. A light meal will follow the ceremony. In lieu of gifts, please consider a donation to Christ the King. Please RSVP by March 23 to patriciajgeyer@gmail.com or or text/call Pat at 772-205-1995.

➤ **Walk for Life**

Saturday, March 28, is Care Net's annual Walk for Life.

➤ **Men's Prayer and Fellowship Time**

Men, you are invited to meet at C.J. Cannon's on **Wednesday, March 18 at 7:00 a.m.** for a time of fellowship and prayer.

➤ **Cookies & Catechism**

Our Cookies & Catechism program has finished until the fall. Thank you to our coordinator, Audrey Blanzole, and all the volunteer teachers who shared their time with our covenant children.

WELCOME

"Christ the King Presbyterian Church exists to be a visible manifestation of the invisible Kingdom of God as we *proclaim* the truth of the gospel, *practice* deeds of love and mercy, and *worship* our one Lord, Redeemer and Friend."

We welcome you to *Christ the King Presbyterian Church*, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America [The "PCA"]. We are delighted to have you with us this Lord's Day. Our prayer is that God will bless you richly through His Word and by his Holy Spirit so that you will increasingly see the beauty, sufficiency, and glory of Jesus Christ.

Please take a few moments to add your name to the Newcomer's Book located in the foyer. If you are interested in knowing more about Christ or are interested in membership, please contact one of the elders or the church office. Please join us immediately following the service for refreshments and fellowship.

Hearing aids are available upon request. Please see a deacon for assistance.

MINISTERS

The members of this church family who, in serving their Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ, extend His Kingdom in Vero Beach and to the world

SESSION

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Rev. Seth Wallace, Pastor

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Jane Van Istendal, piano

Ron Jewell, clarinet Trevor Klutz, violin

Alexis Wright, flute Grace Murphy, cello

Ministry of Service

	March 15	March 22	March 29
Refreshments	B. Aills C. Beckett F. Nickles	J. Johnson B. Bell A. Blanzole	D. Robart B. Bierens P. Shisler
Nursery	B/S Wisneski	R. Stewart TBD	M. Grevengoed E. Backus
Sound	D. Stewart	G. Lofaro	S. Smith
Greeters	P/K Dresser	G/P Shisler	D/J Johnson
Ushers	R. Fridley S. Long	R. Fridley S. Long	M. Viersma M. Parsons
Kitchen Crew	A. Chase J. Young	A. Chase J. Young	A. Chase J. Young

If you are unable to fulfill your ministry responsibility, please arrange for a substitute or call the church office.

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