

CHRIST THE KING

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY
FEBRUARY 4, 2024 10:30 AM MORNING WORSHIP

Prelude

Prayer (Collect) of Preparation:

*Deliver us when we draw near to You,
from coldness of heart and wanderings of mind:
Grant that with steadfast thoughts and kindled affections,
we may worship You in Spirit and in Truth. Amen*

Call to Worship

Matt Sherrill

Leader: Oh, taste and see that the LORD is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!

Congregation: Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat!

Leader: Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to the LORD, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food.

Congregation: Seek the LORD while he may be found; call upon him while he is near;

Leader: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that he may have compassion on him,

Congregation: And to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

– from *Psalm 34:8; Isaiah 55:1-2, 6-7*

Invocation

Preparation

We focus our hearts and minds in preparation to enter into the life-giving presence of God.

Call to Worship

God calls his people to assemble for worship; accordingly the church calls itself together.

God's people sing not only as an expression of our love for God but also to remind ourselves of our place in God's redemptive work.

The church is marked by its singing, from Israel's deliverance through the Psalms to our worship today.

Praise the Savior, Now and Ever

Words: V. Fortunatus,
trans. by A. Nelson;

Music: W. Moore, arr. by Benedict/Bradham

G D G G/B G

1. Praise the Sav-ior now and ev-er; praise him, all be-
2. Man's work fail-eth, Christ's a-vail-eth; he is all our
3. Sin's bond sev-ered, we're de-liv-ered; Christ has bruised the
4. For his fa-vor, praise for-ev-er un-to God the

4 G/D D7 G G G D7 G

neath the skies; pros-trate ly-ing suf-fring, dy-ing
5. righ-teous-ness; he, our Sav-ior, has for-ev-er
6. ser-pent's head; death no lon-ger is the strong-er
7. Fa-ther sing; praise the Sav-ior, praise him ev-er,

7 G G D G

on the cross, a sac-ri-fice. Vic-t'ry gain-ing
8. set us free from dire dis-tress. Through his mer-it
9. hell it-self is cap-tive led. Christ has ris-en
10. Son of God, our Lord and King. Praise the Spir-it;

10 D G G/B G G/D D7 G

life ob-tain-ing now in glo-ry he doth rise.
11. we in-her-it light and peace and hap-pi-ness.
12. from death's pris-on; o'er the tomb he light has shed.
13. through Christ's mer-it he doth us sal-va-tionbring.

My Soul Finds Rest In God Alone

Words and Music: Stuart Townend
and Aaron Keyes, based on Psalm 62



1. My soul finds rest in God alone, my rock and my sal - va - tion, a
2. Find rest, my soul, in God a lone a - mid the world's temp - ta - tions. When
3. I'll set my gaze on God a lone and trust in him complete - ly, with



for tress strong a - gainst my foes, and I will not be shak - en. Though
e - vil seeks to take a hold, I'll cling to my sal - va - tion. Though
ev - 'ry day pour out my soul, and he will prove his mer - cy. Though



lips may bless and hearts may curse, and lies, like ar - rows, pierce me, I'll
rich - es come and rich - es go, don't set your heart up - on them. The
life is but a fleet - ing breath, a sigh too brief to meas - ure, my



fix my heart on righ - teous - ness; I'll look to him who hears
fields of hope in which I sow are har - vest - ed in heav -
King has crushed the curse of death, and I am his for - ev -



me. O praise him, hal le - lu - jah, my De - light and my Re - ward. Ever
en.
er.



last - ing, nev - er - fail - ing; my Re - deem - er, my God.

Confession of Faith

We join the global and historic church in professing what we believe as Christians, to remind ourselves of the hope we have and the life that hope invites us to live.

**In this context, 'catholic' refers to the global, historic church.*

Confession of Sin

In God's presence, the evil that mars our lives – corporate and individual – comes to light. Through Jesus Christ, we are safe to be honest about ourselves because we fear no condemnation.

Assurance of Grace

God declares through his Church that all who repent and believe in Jesus Christ are completely forgiven from all their sins and their guilty consciences cleansed.

Confession of Faith

Leader: Christian, what do you believe?

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth,

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic* church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen. – Apostles' Creed

Confession of Sin

All: Awesome and compassionate God, you have loved us with unfailing, self-giving mercy, but we have not loved you. You constantly call us, but we do not listen. You ask us to love, but we walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns. We condone evil, prejudice, and greed. God of grace, as you come to us in mercy, we repent in spirit and in truth, admit our sin, and gratefully receive your forgiveness through Jesus Christ, our Redeemer. Amen.

Assurance of Grace

Leader: Now hear this promise of grace and forgiveness from the word of God, from Romans 8, verses 1 through 5:

There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death. For God has done what the law, weakened by the flesh, could not do. By sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh and for sin, he condemned sin in the flesh, in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

Leader: To those who repent of their sin and look to Jesus Christ for salvation, the forgiveness of sins is fully yours, by the grace of God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: Amen.

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious,

Congregation: slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness.

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,

Congregation: for his steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Congregation: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.

God, Be Merciful to Me

Words: Richard Redhead;
Music: Christopher Miner

(Capo II)



1. God, be mer - ci - ful to me, on thy grace I
2. My trans - gres - sions I con - fess, grief and guilt my
3. I am e - vil, born in sin; thou de - sir - est
4. Bro - ken, hum - bled to the dust by thy wrath and
5. Gra - cious God, my heart re - new, make my spir - it
6. Sin - ners then shall learn from me, and re - turn O



rest my plea; plen - teous in com - pas - sion thou,
soul op - press; I have sinned a - gainst thy grace
truth with - in. Thou a - lone my Sa - vior art,
judg - ment just, let my con - trite heart re - joice
right and true. Cast me not a - way from thee,
God to thee. Sa - vior, all my guilt re - move,



blot out my trans - gres - sions now; wash me, make me
and provoked thee to thy face; I con - fess thy
teach thy wis - dom to my heart; Make me pure, thy
and in glad - ness hear thy voice; from my sins O
let thy Spir - it dwell in me; thy sal - va - tion's
and my tongue shall sing thy love. Touch my si - lent



pure with - in, cleanse, O cleanse me from my sin.
judg - ment just, speech less, I thy mer - cy trust.
grace be - stow, wash me whi - ter than the snow.
hide thy face, blot them out in bound - less grace.
joy im - part, stead - fast make my wil - ling heart.
lips, O Lord, and my mouth shall praise ac - cord.

Offertory

We give back to God our wealth and talents in recognition that they all come from him. These gifts help support the mission and ministries of the church.

Offertory

Doxology

Words: Thomas Ken;
Music: Louis Bourgeois's *Genevan Psalter*

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all
crea - tures here be - low; praise him a - bove, ye heav'n - ly
host; praise Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Ghost. A - men.

Prayers of the People

We cry out together for grace and mercy in a time of need.

Prayers of the People

All: Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Passing of the Peace

We remind each other of the peace given us in the gospel – peace first between us and God, leading to reconciled relationships with each other.

Dismissal of Children and Passing of the Peace

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

Congregation: And also with you!

Life Together

We share important announcements and prayer requests for our church community.

Life Together

Offering Collectors:

Elizabeth Cantrell, Serena Jones, Chris Martin, Emily Stuntz

Scripture Reading

Luke 5:1-32, page 840 in pew Bible

Reader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Rev. David Augustine

Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy

Words: Joseph Hart;
Music: *The Southern Harmony*

1. Come, ye sin - ners, poor and need - y,
 2. Come, ye thirst - y, come and wel - come,
 3. Come, ye wea - ry, hea - vy lad - en,
 4. I will a - rise and go to Je - sus;

weak and wound - ed, sick and sore; Je - sus read - y
 God's free boun - ty glo - ri - fy; true be - lief and
 lost and ru - ined by the fall; if you tar - ry
 he will em-brace me in his arms; in the arms of

stands to save you, full of pi - ty, love, and pow'r.
 true re - pen - tance, ev' - ry grace that brings you nigh.
 till you're bet - ter, you will nev - er come at all.
 my dear Sa - vior, O there are ten thou - sand charms.

Scripture Reading

The public reading of God's Word is integral whenever God's people gather to worship. The first step to faith is listening to his Word.

Sermon

God has ordained the preaching of his Word to illuminate and apply the good news of Jesus Christ to our hearts that would remain dull and hard apart from the operation of his Holy Spirit

Lord's Supper

God meets us not only in hearing the Word, but also in visible, tangible form – uniting us with himself spiritually by faith in Christ.

Servers come forward as liturgy begins.

We ask that those in the balcony come forward first, followed by those on the main floor, starting in the back row.

Grape juice is available in the center of each wine tray and gluten-free wafers are in the center of each bread tray for those who desire such. Please hold the elements until all can partake together.

At the end of the service, please dispose of your cup as you exit the sanctuary.

Lord's Supper

Invitation

Words of Institution

Distributing of Elements

Prayer for Those Searching for Truth

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

Prayer for Those Desiring to Trust in Jesus Christ for the First Time

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed. And I know that through you I am more loved & accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross, and providing forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior and Lord and desire to live a life of loving and serving you. Amen.

Partaking of the Elements

May the Peoples Praise You

Words and Music: Keith and Kristyn Getty, Stuart Townend, Ed Cash, and David Zimmer

1. You have called us out of darkest night in - to your glorious light, that earth is yours and all with-in, each harvest is your own, and

we may sing the won-ders of the ris - en Christ. 2. May our from your hand we give to you, to make Christ known. 4. May the

ev - ery breath re - tell the grace that broke in - to our strife with seeds of mer - cy grow in us for those who have not heard, may ho - ly priv - lege to de - clare your prais - es and your name to

bound - less love and deep - est joy, with end - less songs of praise build lives of grace to spread your ev - ery na - tion, tribe and tongue your church pro -

Communion Servers:

Elizabeth Cantrell, Serena Jones, Chris Martin, Emily Stuntz

16 D G Bm A G D
 life. May the peo - ples praise you, let the na - tions be
 Word. claim.

20 A G/B A/C# D D/F# G
 glad! All your bless - ing comes that we may praise, may

24 G D/F# A D 1. 2. *D.S. al Fine*
 praise the name of Je - sus. 3.All the 5.This our

29 3. G A D/F# G
 Ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord Al - might - y.

34 G/B A/C# D Em7 G A
 Wor - thy, wor - thy is the Lamb who was slain. Ho - ly, ho - ly

40 D/F# G G/B A/C# D
 is the Lord Al - might - y. All cre - a - tion praise your glo - ri - ous

45 G G Bm A G D A
 Name. May the peo - ples praise you, let the na - tions be glad! All your

50 G/B A/C# D D/F# G G D/F# A D
 blessing comes that we may praise, may praise the name of Je - sus.

Benediction

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We depart with this 'good word' of God's calling upon our lives in the world.

*Please dispose of your communion cups as you exit the sanctuary. Thank you!
 Please join us in the social hall for refreshments immediately following the service.*

WELCOME

Welcome visitors! We're glad you could join us. Please fill out a digital visitor card at ctkcambridge.org/visit so we can get to know you better. Find out more by contacting office@ctkcambridge.org.

SUNDAYS

ADULT EDUCATION & SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Kindergarten through High School Sunday school classes and Adult Education are currently offered Sunday mornings from 9:15a-10:15a. The Adult Education class meets in the social hall.

FOR FAMILIES

Nursery

- Open during the service for children ages 6 months (and sitting) to 3 years. The room is behind the sanctuary through the doors on the right.
- Please contact children@ctkcambridge.org with questions.

Children's Worship

- Children 4 years through Grade 2 are dismissed from the service prior to the sermon to classes with teaching suited to their age. Parents must escort kids to class in order to check them in.
- Parents may pick up children during the song after the sermon. Please head to the back foyer (4y-Grade K) and Social Hall (Grades 1 & 2) and be sure to have your security tag with you.
- Please contact Dana Russell (dana@ctkcambridge.org) with any questions.

During the service

- Encourage children to participate in each part of the service. For non-readers, place your arms around your child and point to the words in the bulletin as they are read.
- There are 'Pew Pouches' containing writing and drawing supplies in the front foyer of the church, and sermon worksheets available for kids to pick up during the Passing of the Peace to the right of the stage.

During the week

- Reread the Scripture passage. For younger children, read from a storybook Bible or more accessible translation like International Children's Bible (ICB) or NIV available at biblegateway.com.
- Discuss the parts of the service as a family using the worship guide (ctkcambridge.org/worship-kids). Have everyone recall a part of the service that stood out to them.
- Listen to and discuss the songs from the service at ctkcambridge.org/songs. Visit this page to also preview songs to prepare for the upcoming service (songs are updated mid-week).

WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Now as always, Community groups are central to our life together at CTK as a way to study and pray together and serve each other and our communities. Some groups are meeting in person and some are meeting virtually. Please visit ctkcambridge.org/community-groups for a full listing with contact information.

FELLOWSHIP GROUPS AND MINISTRIES

Men's Bible Study: Andy Stuntz (astuntz@gmail.com)

Women's Ministry: Martha Olson (women@ctkcambridge.org)

Youth Ministry: Ariana Smartt (ariana@ctkcambridge.org)

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Meals Ministry: Erin Ward (meals@ctkcambridge.org)

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ONLINE RESOURCES

Samples of the songs for Sunday's worship service are posted on the website by the Wednesday before the service, along with **the coming Sunday's bulletin and Scripture passage**, at ctkcambridge.org/songs.

For **online giving**, visit ctkcambridge.org/giving.

Sermon recordings and Adult Ed classes can be found on the website at ctkcambridge.org/sermons and ctkcambridge.org/adulteducation, respectively.

For recommended **daily Bible reading plans** selected by pastoral staff, visit ctkcambridge.org/daily-bible-readings.

To sign up for the **CTK Reader**, our weekly e-newsletter, visit ctkcambridge.org/reader.

LIFE TOGETHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

For any verbal announcements you may have missed, please visit ctkcambridge.org/this-week.

New to CTK? **Discovering CTK is a newcomers class** for those interested in learning more about our church and denomination (PCA) and what it means to become a member. The next class will take place on Saturday, February 10th at 10:30a in the church social hall. Lunch will be provided. Registration is now open. Please register by Wednesday, February 7 so we can order the right amount of food.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT CTK:

For more details, see ctkcambridge.org/calendar, or email office@ctkcambridge.org

Sat, Feb 10, 10:30a :: **Discovering CTK** :: Social Hall
ctkcambridge.org/discovering-ctk

Fri, Feb 23, 7p :: **Middle School Game Night** :: Social Hall
ctkcambridge.org/youth

WEEKLY EVENTS AT CTK:

For more details, see ctkcambridge.org/weekly-events, or email office@ctkcambridge.org

Tue, 7a :: **Morning Prayer** :: Online
ctkcambridge.org/prayer

Thu, 9:30a :: **Women's AM Bible Study** :: Social Hall
ctkcambridge.org/women

Fri, 6:15a :: **Men's Morning Bible Study** :: Online
ctkcambridge.org/men

LINKS

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READER:



KIDS' SUNDAY SUMMARY:



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