

Prelude and Silent Prayer

By Him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of our lips giving thanks to His name. Hebrews 13:15

To prepare for worship, please be seated when the prelude begins.

* Denotes congregation standing.

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***God Calls His People to Worship:** Psalm 33:1-3

Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! For praise from the upright is beautiful. Praise the Lord with the harp; make melody to Him with an instrument of ten strings. Sing to Him a new song; play skillfully with a shout of joy. AMEN

God's People Respond to His Call to Worship

(Hymn 295)

Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne;
Hark! How the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own;
Awake, my soul and sing of Him who died for Thee,
And hail Him as Thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side,
Rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified;
No angel in the sky can fully bear that sight,
But downward bends his burning eye at mysteries so bright.

Crown Him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scepter sways
From pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise;
His reign shall know no end; and round His pierced feet
Fair flow'rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time;
Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime;
All hail, Redeemer, hail! for Thou hast died for me;
Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity. AMEN

*Responsive Reading: **Psalm 98**

Leader: Oh, sing to the Lord a new song! For He has done marvelous things; His right hand and His holy arm have gained Him the victory. The Lord has made known His salvation; His righteousness He has revealed in the sight of the nations.

Congregation: He has remembered His mercy and His faithfulness to the house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout joyfully to the Lord, all the earth; break forth in song, rejoice, and sing praises.

Leader: Sing to the Lord with the harp, with the harp and the sound of a psalm, with trumpets and the sound of a horn; shout joyfully before the Lord, the King. Let the sea roar, and all its fullness, the world and those who dwell in it;

Congregation: Let the rivers clap their hands; let the hills be joyful together before the Lord, for He is coming to judge the earth. With

righteousness He shall judge the world, and the peoples with equity. AMEN

***Book of Psalms for Singing**

Psalm 98A

God Calls His People to Repentance: Psalm 19:12-13

Who can understand his errors? Cleanse me from secret faults. Keep back Your servant also from presumptuous sins; let them not have dominion over me. Then I shall be blameless, and I shall be innocent of great transgression. AMEN

God's People Respond By Confessing Their Sins

Silent Confession followed by Corporate Confession

Leader: Let us confess our sins to Almighty God.

Congregation: Holy Lord, we have sinned times without number, and been guilty of pride and unbelief, of failure to find Thy mind in Thy Word, of neglect to seek Thee in our daily life. Our transgressions and short-comings present us with a list of accusations, but we bless Thee that they will not stand against us, for all have been laid on Christ. Deliver us from every evil habit, every accretion of former sins, everything that dims the brightness of Thy grace in us, everything that prevents us taking delight in Thee. Then we shall bless Thee, O Father, for helping us to be upright. For Christ's sake, AMEN.

God Assures His People of their Forgiveness

Jeremiah 33:8-9 I will cleanse them from all their iniquity by which they have sinned against Me, and I will pardon all their iniquities by which they have sinned and by which they have transgressed against Me. Then it shall be to Me a name of joy, a praise, and an honor before all nations of the earth, who shall hear all the good that I do to them: they shall fear and tremble for all the goodness and all the prosperity that I provide for it. AMEN

Leader: Our sins are forgiven!

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

***God's People Respond with Praise for the Forgiveness of Sins**

***What Wondrous Love Is This**

Hymn 261

*** The Apostles' Creed**

Trinity Hymnal, page 845

God Calls His People to Cast Their Cares upon Him

Philippians 4:6-7 Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus. AMEN

God's People Respond by Bringing Their Petitions

Prayer of Intercession followed by **The Lord's Prayer**

God's People Worship by Bringing Their Tithes and Offerings
Offertory, followed by **The Doxology

God Speaks to His People through His Word

*The Reading of the Scriptures: Genesis 1:1-5, 14-19, Revelation 10:5-6

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

The Sermon:

“The Christian View of Time”

***O Worship the King**

Hymn 2

God Communes with His People

Leader: God is good!

Congregation: All the time!

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. Let us pray.

Corporate Prayer of Thanksgiving

Congregation: Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before He suffered, did institute the Sacrament of His Body and Blood; mercifully grant that we may thankfully receive the same in remembrance of Him, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of life eternal; Your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who now lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. AMEN

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

***Be Thou My Vision**

Hymn 642

God Commissions His People I Thessalonians 3:12-13:

And may the Lord make you increase and abound in love to one another and to all, just as we do to you, so that He may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ with all His saints. AMEN

***Benediction**

Congregational Response

Christ, We Do All Adore Thee

(Hymn 737)

Opportunities for Fellowship and Service

- Men's Meeting at 6:30pm on Wednesday, March 11 – RSVP to Daniel Ferrill by Monday, March 9.

-Financial Peace University, date to be announced

To our guests: We are delighted that you have joined us for our covenant renewal worship! Our liturgy begins with God calling His people into His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise (Ps. 100:4). As we draw nearer to God, we confess our sins together and receive cleansing in the blood of Jesus (Eph. 2:11-14). Clothed in the covering of His righteousness, we proclaim our faith and offer our prayers as incense before the throne of God (Rev. 5:8). After hearing the Word of the Lord and its exhortation, we are consecrated to approach the throne of grace, commune with the Lamb of God, and renew our covenant with the Lord of glory at His table (Heb. 4:14-16). Finally, God sends us out into the world with His lessons to extend Jesus' kingdom on earth (John 17:17-18; Matt. 28:18-20).

All those baptized into Jesus Christ are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper as a means of renewing our faith and our vows of covenant love and fidelity with Christ, who is with us by His Spirit, and with the church, which is His Body. We serve both wine and grape juice for communion. If you have a preference, please inform the elder who is distributing the elements.

Morning worship is at **9:30 AM**, followed by coffee & fellowship. Men's Bible Study and Ladies' Meetings are held regularly; please ask for details.

For more information please check out our website at:
www.ChristChurchBranchCove.org

Elders: Keith Diamond and Ted Phillips
Deacons: Christopher Diamond, Daniel Ferrill, Chris King, John LaBreche, and Alan Marsh

Sunday Service Teams	Officer	Partner Families
March	D. Ferrill	McCoy, Porter, Reese
April	A. Marsh	Taylor, White, Brodock, J. Phillips
May	C. King	T. Phillips, Wheeler
June	C. Diamond	K. Diamond, Stephens, D. Phillips
July	J. LaBreche	Crawford, Vest, Anderson, Randall

Christ Church

**Worshiping Christ and equipping God's people
to extend His Lordship
down through our generations
and out into the world.**

Sermon Notes

**The Lord's Day
Covenant Renewal Service
March 8, 2015**