The Book of acts Grafted In

Order of Worship

NOVEMBER 14, 2021 THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

CALL TO WORSHIP

- Leader: The prophet Isaiah said, "In the year that King Uzziah died I saw the LORD sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up; and the train of his robe filled the temple. And the heavenly creatures called to one another and said:
- People: 'Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!'"

***** ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

LASST UNS ERFREUEN, David Crowder, Francis of Assisi

*** PRAYER OF ADORATION**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever. Amen.

***** AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

- Leader: Why has Christ commanded us to address God as Our Father?
- People: That immediately, in the very beginning of our prayer, he might excite in us a childlike reverence for, and confidence in God, which are the foundation of our prayer: namely, that God has become our Father in Christ, and will much less deny us what we ask of him in true faith, than our parents will refuse us earthly things.

The Lord's Prayer

Heidelberg Catechism, #120

#115 (vv. 1-3, 5)

from Isaiah 6

*** AS IT IS IN HEAVEN**

Ed Cash and Matt Maher

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name Come and let your glory, come and let your glory fall Our Father who art in heaven The rocks cry out your fame Come and let your glory, come and let your glory fall

I will sing, sing a new song, I will sing, sing a new song I will sing, sing a new song to the Lord

Chorus: Let your kingdom come, let your will be done On earth as it is in heaven Every heart proclaim the mercy of your name On earth as it is in heaven

God give us new every morning mercy as daily bread In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray And lead us not to temptation But deliver us with your hand In the name of Jesus, in the name of Jesus we pray

I will sing, sing a new song, I will sing, sing a new song I will sing, sing a new song to the Lord *(Ch)*

For the kingdom is yours and the power is yours And the glory forever amen (4x) (Ch 2x)

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

JESUS, WITH THY CHURCH ABIDE

Christopher Miner and Thomas Benson Pollock

Jesus with thy church abide Be her Savior, Lord, and Guide While on earth her faith is tried

> Chorus: We beseech thee, hear us We beseech thee, hear us

Keep her life and doctrine pure Grant her patience to endure Trusting in thy promise sure (Ch)

May she one in doctrine be One in truth and charity Winning all to faith in thee *(Ch)*

May she guide the poor and blind Seek the lost until she find And the brokenhearted bind (*Ch 3x*)

+ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake.

Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone.

Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we pray. Amen.

*** WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

1 John 3

Leader: How great is the love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God!

People: Thanks be to God for his amazing love!

GOD SO LOVED

Andrew Bergthold, Ed Cash, Franni Cash, Martin Cash, and Scott Cash

Come all you weary, come all you thirsty Come to the well that never runs dry Drink of the water, come and thirst no more

Come all you sinners, come find his mercy Come to the table, he will satisfy Taste of his goodness, find what you're looking for

Chorus 1:

For God so loved the world that he gave us His one and only Son to save us Whoever believes in him will live forever

Bring all your failures, bring your addictions Come lay them down at the foot of the cross Jesus is waiting there with open arms (*Ch 1*)

Chorus 2: The power of hell forever defeated Now it is well, I'm walking in freedom For God so loved, God so loved the world

Praise God, praise God From whom all blessings flow Praise Him, praise Him For the wonders of His love (2x)

> For God so loved the world that he gave us His one and only Son to save (*Ch 1, Ch 2*)

Bring all your failures, bring your addictions Come lay them down at the foot of the cross Jesus is waiting, God so loved the world

*** THE PEACE OF GOD**

Leader: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

THE OFFERING

SCRIPTURE READING

Acts 8:3, 9:1-19, p. 916

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

"Amazing Grace" The Book of Acts: Grafted In

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion is an opportunity for all of us to seek the Lord. It is an occasion for baptized Christians to be strengthened by our Savior. All who trust alone in Christ as Savior and Lord, belong to (and are in good standing with) a church that embraces the gospel, live at peace with their neighbor, and seek strength to live more faithfully are welcome to partake. If you are not a Christian, please consider spending this time in prayer.

Minister:	The	Lord	be	with you.	
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People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

- People: We lift them up unto the Lord.
- Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Minister: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

- People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.
- Minister: The gifts of God for the people of God. Come and feed on him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

Please let an usher know if it is difficult for you to come forward;

Prayer of Humble Access

I do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in my own goodness, but only in your righteousness credited to me. I am not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the same Lord whose manner is always to show mercy. Grant me, therefore, O Lord, the grace to commune now with Christ by faith, that I may evermore live in him and he in me. Amen.

* AMAZING GRACE

AMAZING GRACE, Traditional American melody, 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

Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come 'Tis 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

And when this flesh and heart shall fail And mortal life shall cease I shall possess within the veil A life of joy and peace

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've first begun *(repeat)*

*** BENEDICTION**

from Zephaniah 3

Minister: The Lord your God is with you, he is mighty to save, he will take great delight in you, he will quiet you with his love, he will rejoice over you with singing.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen.

*** AS IT IS IN HEAVEN**

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Worship Leaders

Joe Beam	drums
Daniel Campbell	keyboard & vocals
Joe Deegan	guitar & vocals
Kim Dolibois	prayer
Ryan Dougan	liturgy
Michelle Hays	violin
Carey Lewis	electric guitar
Conrad Guthrie	bass
John Trapp	sermon
Steven Wiggs	cello
Jessica Wrahel	vocals

Audio/Visual Team

Reese Dowiak	camera
Colette McMurtrey	camera
Namath Naif	audio
Arjan Voogt	projections
Natalie Voogt	video director

The artwork on the Order of Worship cover – titled "grafted" – is by artist Annie Whitehead Burdette.

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Welcome! We are so glad you are with us today. For a full list of upcoming events, please visit christtheking.com.

Today!	Kickball Tournament	The Fields	11:45 am
11/17	Young Adults Friendsgiving	The Barnes'	7:00 pm
11/21	Student Ministry Sunday Nights	Christ the King	6:00 - 7:30 pm
12/3	Children's Ministry Christmas Party	The Great Hall	9:30 - 11:30 am
12/18 - 12/22	High School Ski Trip	Winter Park, CO	
12/24	Christmas Eve Services	Christ the King	3:30 & 5:00 pm



Honor or remember loved ones with a donation toward the poinsettias in the Sanctuary.

Donors and honorees will be listed in the Christmas Eve Order of Worship.





Pastors at Christ the King

Our staff is excited to come alongside you as you grow in your worship of Christ and your love and care for one another. Please contact any of us with questions or needs.

Clay Holland Jaime Jimenez Taylor Leachman John Trapp Willis Weatherford Andrés Zelaya Associate Pastor Pastor, Mission Pastor, Family Ministry Senior Pastor Pastor, Student Ministry Pastor, Adult Ministry

Sunday Morning at Christ the King

9:00 am Worship Service

Nursery Care (Infant - 4 years)

Children's Worship

Kingdom Kids (K-2nd grade) Children will be dismissed from the worship service.

> **Adult Sunday** Morning Class (3rd Floor)

10:30 am **Worship Service**

Nursery Care (Infant - 1 years)

Sunday School

2 - 4 years old (1st floor) K - 3rd grade (2nd floor) Code 45 - 4th & 5th graders (Through the Great Hall, and up the stairs)

> Student Ministry (3rd floor)

Adult Sunday Morning Class (3rd Floor)

Adult Sunday Morning Classes

Gospel Fluency: Speaking the Truth of Jesus into the Everyday Stuff of Life

9:00 am, The Redeemer Room

We are all unbelievers: we slip in and out of believing God's word about us and trusting in his work on our behalf. We forget who he is, what he has done, and in light of that, who we are. Join us for an interactive class where we will learn to speak the truths of Jesus into the everyday stuff of life.

Teach Us To Pray: The Lord's Prayer

10:30 am, The Redeemer Room

Praying is a problem for many people. Christians often go through the motions of prayer because it is expected of them, but are often left wondering, "Did God hear me? Does he even care?" Join us as we learn and practice Jesus' pattern of prayer, his springboard to launch us into the refreshing waters of God's wisdom and strength.

Jonah: The Rebellious Prophet

10:30 am, Room A300

The story of Jonah is one of the most well-known stories in the Bible. But it is also the most misunderstood. It's a fascinating story about a rebellious prophet who defies God and tries to run away from him. But there's much more to Jonah's story than most of us realize. It is a story about God's persistent grace for rebellious people and it points forward to the true prophet, Jesus, who voluntarily offered his life to reach us with his love. Join us in the study of this short book from the Old Testament.

Ministry Budget Update

You can give by placing checks and cash in the offering basket at the entrance to the Sanctuary, by texting the word GIVE to (844) 664-7350 and following the prompts, and at christtheking.com/ giving/.

2021 Ministry Budget Goal		4,215,000
Expected Giving through 11/07/21	\$	3,647,596
Received as of 11/07/21	\$	2,427,040
Variance	\$	(1,220,556)