

# Welcome!

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we hope you will worship with us again! Please help us get to know you by filling out the friendship pad (located in the pew) during the welcome. Be sure to check out the "New to Us?" card in the pew rack for information about our worship service, children in worship, who we are, and more! Prayer request cards can be found in the pew and are used to share concerns with the prayer chain and/or the pastor.

## Prayer Concerns

**Illness:** Nancy Burroughs, Chuck Ridgeway, Waldo Renich

**Serving in the Military:** Col. Bryan J. Laske, U.S. Army; Matt Scherr, National Guard; Lt. Michael Thomas, Navy; Ryan Thomas; Sgt. Zachary Thomas; Lt. Jim Six, USAF; Todd Stubbs; Sarah Theeke, USAF.

## Staff & Leadership

**Ministers:** Every member of the congregation!

**Pastor:** The Rev. Scott W. Hoffman

**Music Director:** Joy Exner

**Accompanist:** Lorri Yawney

**Communications Coordinator:** Katie Foster

**Preschool Director:** Heather Gallagher

**Facilities and Property Manager:** Tito Baca

**Nursery Attendants:** Laura Holderman, Allison Miller

**Bell Choir Director:** Sally Berlowitz

**Sunday Experience Director:** Jane Preston

**LOGOS Director:** Carrie Jenkins

**Clerk of Session:** Janene Holzberg

**Moderator of Deacons:** Marilyn Mills

**Treasurer:** Tom Mawhinney

**Asst. Treasurer:** Bill Anderson

## Calendar:

<b>Sun 20</b>	10:30	Worship
	12:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21, 22
	2:00	Pakistani Worship, FH
	5:30	Eagle Scout Court of Honor, FH and Kitchen
<b>Mon 21</b>	6:15	Kickboxing Class, Rm. 18 and 21
	7:00	Session and Deacons, FH and Committee Room
<b>Tue 22</b>	11:00	Bible Basics, Committee Room
	7:00	Boy Scouts, FH and Downstairs Classrooms
<b>Wed 23</b>	7:00	Great Light PC, Rm. 21
	7:15	Trinity Choir, Sanctuary
<b>Thurs 24</b>	<b>Thanksgiving- Church Office Closed</b>	
<b>Fri 25</b>	<b>Church Office Closed</b>	
<b>Sat 26</b>	12:00	Music Director, Sanctuary
	6:00	Eagle Scout Court of Honor, FH and Kitchen



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The Word in Music, *10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*, was written and released in 2012 by British singer/songwriter Matt Redman and a Swedish friend, Jonas Mirin. They said they had Psalm 103 in mind while they were collaborating, in which David lists many reasons why his heart was full of worship for God; He forgives our sins, heals our diseases, redeems our lives from the pit, crowns us with love and compassion, satisfies our desires and gives righteousness and justice. So Redman and Myrin made a list of their own, noting they were barely scratching the surface of God's worth. "The point behind the song is this," explained Redman: "If you wake up one morning and you cannot think of a reason to bring God some kind of offering of thanks or praise, then you can be sure there's something wrong at your end of the pipeline, and not His. We live beneath an unceasing flow of goodness, kindness, greatness, and holiness, and every day we're given reason after reason why Jesus is so completely and utterly worthy of our highest and best devotion."

Another interesting side note is that the title of the song was meant to echo the "10,000 years" verse of *Amazing Grace*. Redman explained, "We already had the '10,000 reasons' lyric in verse two; so when it came to writing verse three, and we were on the theme of eternity, the idea came to mirror that '10,000' number and at the same time give a nod to the old hymn. The refrain: *Bless the Lord O my soul, O my soul; Worship His holy name. Sing like never before O my soul, I'll worship Your holy name.*

The music during the offering, *We Will Glorify/Glorify Thy Name*, is an arrangement that incorporates two praise songs that are meaningful for Christ the King Sunday. The first, *We Will Glorify*, was written by Twila Paris in 1982. The opening lyrics of the song: *We will glorify the King of kings, we will glorify the Lamb, we will glorify the Lord of lords, Who is the great I am.* The last verse: *Hallelujah to the King of kings, hallelujah to the Lamb, hallelujah to the Lord of Lords, Who is the great I am.*

The second part of the arrangement, *Glorify Thy (Your) Name*, was composed by Donna Adkins in 1976. The first verse: *Father, we love You, we worship and adore you; glorify your name in all the earth. Glorify Your name. Glorify Your name. Glorify Your name in all the earth.*



# Christ Memorial Presbyterian Church

**November 20, 2016, 10:30 a.m.**

## Order of Worship

\*\*indicates to stand as you are able.

**Prelude** *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* arr. A. Jordan

### Welcome and Announcements

### Passing of the Peace (L: Leader; P: People)

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

**P: And also with you.**

### \*\*Call to Worship

L: Worship Christ, Eternal Son of God;

**P: honor Christ, Incarnate Son of Mary;**

L: serve Christ, Glorious Ruler of creation;

**P: for to Christ belong the power and the glory of the Almighty.**

L: Let us worship God!

Liz Perraud

### \*\*Hymn – 367

*Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

### \*\*Silent Prayer of Confession

### \*\*Common Prayer of Confession

**Holy God, we confess that we have neglected to declare Jesus the king and model for our lives. We have been quick to call on others to follow the ways of Christ yet slow to do the same. We have been bold in demanding generosity, mercy, and forgiveness yet quiet when it comes to offering inclusion, love, and compassion. Forgive us, O God. Restore in us, yet again, the commitment to be more Christlike in word, in deed, and in spirit. Amen**

### \*\*Assurance of Pardon

L: Friends, this is the Good News of the Gospel...

**P: ...in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!**

### \*\*Response – 15

*All Creatures of Our God and King*

All who for love of God forgive,  
all who in pain or sorrow grieve,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Christ bears your burdens and your fears;  
so, even in the midst of tears,  
sing praises! Alleluia!  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

### Moment with Children

Marilyn Mills

### Sacrament of Baptism (See Insert)

Children ages preschool—second grade dismissed to Sunday Experience

**Word in Music** *10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)* arr. D. Williamson

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scriptures** Isaiah 12 OT Page 641  
1 Thessalonians 5: 12-22 NT Page 205

L: The Word of the Lord.  
P: **Thanks be to God.**

**Sermon** Thank God Rev. Scott Hoffman

**Prayer of Remembrance**  
*These dear friends have moved from the church militant to the church triumphant since we last called this roll:  
Margaret Smith, Salman Sadiq, Joe Burdis, and Aziz Bhatti*

**\*\*Hymn – 647** *Give Thanks*

**Offertory** *We Will Glorify/Glorify Thy Name* arr. C. Tornquist

**\*\*Doxology – 711** *Lord of All Good*  
Lord of all good, our gifts we bring to you;  
use them your holy purpose to fulfill,  
tokens of love and pledges brought anew,  
that our whole life is offered to your will.

**Prayers of Thanksgiving with The Lord’s Prayer (using “debts”)**

**\*\*Hymn – 719** *Come, Labor On*

**\*\*Benediction**

**\*\*Benediction Response** *Get All Excited* by W. Gaither

**\*\*Postlude** *Sing to the King* arr. C. Curry

This morning elder Maha Davies will be at the front of the sanctuary after worship to welcome you and answer questions about our congregation.

Thank you to Joe Marinelli for operating the sound board today!

**Worship Music this Week:**

Today during worship, we celebrate Christ the King Sunday and Thanksgiving. The prelude, *All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name*, is an interesting arrangement of three different tunes that are sung to words that were written in 1779 by Reverend Edward Perrone. A missionary living in India during the 1800s, Reverend E. P. Scott, used the song during a dangerous journey. At the prompting, Scott said, of the Holy Spirit, but against the advice of fellow missionaries, he set out alone to visit a remote village, determined to share the Gospel with a dangerous tribe.

Several days into his journey, Scott was met by a large group of warriors who quickly surrounded him, each one pointing a spear toward his heart. Expecting to die, Scott made a decision to use his last few breaths to glorify God and, hopefully, stir something within the hearts of his captors. He took out the violin that he always carried with him, closed his eyes, and began to play and sing *All Hail the Power of Jesus Name*, in the native language of the warriors. After singing the first, second, and third verses, he realized he was still standing, and that all around him was a calmness. Opening his eyes he saw every spear lowered. There stood the warriors with tears in their eyes. Throughout the remainder of his life, Reverend Scott spent time with the tribe, sharing the love of God. *All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name* has been hailed as the “National Anthem of Christendom.”

See if you can recognize the three different tunes, *Diadem*, the introduction, *Miles Lane*, a short portion before the main theme, and *Coronation*, which is the major tune in the arrangement (and the tune in our hymnal, #263.) The first verse: *All hail the power of Jesus’ name! Let angels prostrate fall; bring fourth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all! Bring fourth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all!* (continued on back page)

# Announcements and Upcoming Events

For a full list of upcoming events, visit [www.cmpcusa.org/events](http://www.cmpcusa.org/events)



## Greening of the Church

**Friday and Saturday, December 2nd and 3rd**

Love decorating for the Holidays? So do we and we could use your help! Come join us as we “deck the halls” and celebrate the Christmas season! Volunteers are needed on Friday, December 2nd from 10-11 a.m. to help unpack decorations for the Greening of the Church on Saturday, December 3rd at 9:30 a.m. We are also in need of enthusiastic tree trimmers (16+ please) who are willing to trim the large tree in the sanctuary. Please contact Shelley Clemens at [shelleyclemens57@gmail.com](mailto:shelleyclemens57@gmail.com) if you are interested.

**December GIFT and Mission Event  
Sunday, December 4th at 11:30 a.m.**

Join us after worship on Sunday, December 4th for our December GIFT event with our brothers and sisters from Trinity Presbyterian! We’ll be preparing personal hygiene kits for the homeless, sharing a meal, and singing Christmas carols. All ages are invited and encouraged to attend this inter-generational event. There is no charge, but donations toward the meal are accepted to help defray the cost. Please RSVP to [gift@cmpcusa.org](mailto:gift@cmpcusa.org) so we know how much to prepare.

## Committee Night

**Monday, December 5th at 6:30 p.m.**

The next Committee Night will be Monday, December 5th. Dinner will be at 6:30 and meetings begin at 7:00. Childcare will be provided.

## Men’s Breakfast

**Saturday, December 10th at 9:00 a.m. at Mimi’s Cafe**

Join the men of CMPC for fellowship and food at the Men’s Breakfast! All men over 18 are welcome and encouraged to bring a friend.



## Christmas Cantata

**Sunday, December 18th during worship**

The Christmas cantata, *Darkness into Light* by Mary McDonald will be offered during worship on December 18th. It is a beautiful work that explores the journey and the joy of the Christmas experience. There are original sacred songs and beloved carols, as well as very thoughtful narration.

## Longest Night Service

**Sunday, December 18th at 5 p.m.**

“The most wonderful time of the year” can often be difficult for some due to loss, illness, or other hardships. Come for a quiet meditative service of remembering, sharing our hurting places with God, and preparing our hearts for the coming of Christ.

## Christmas Caroling

**Sunday, December 18th at 6 p.m.**

Join us for an evening of caroling through the Allview community. Afterwards, we’ll come back to the church for pizza and hot chocolate!



## Cold Weather Shelter

**Monday, December 26th through Monday, January 2nd**

In coordination with Grassroots Crisis Intervention, CMPC provides a safe, warm place to sleep for 25 homeless guests for one week during the winter. The shelter could not happen without the large number of people who work shifts, and provide meals, transportation, and support in so many ways. Mark your calendar and plan to be part of this yearly opportunity.