



COVENANT

presbyterian church



LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

JUNE 8, 2025

ADORATION



PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP | Acts 2:17-21

“And in the last days it shall be, God declares,
that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,
and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,
and your young men shall see visions,
and your old men shall dream dreams;
even on my male servants and female servants
in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.
And I will show wonders in the heavens above
and signs on the earth below,
blood, and fire, and vapor of smoke;
the sun shall be turned to darkness
and the moon to blood,
before the day of the Lord comes, the great and magnificent day.
And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls upon the name of the Lord shall be
saved.’

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

HYMN OF ADORATION

Page 3 | *Holy, Holy, Holy*

Holy, Holy, Holy (#100)

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee
perfect in pow'r, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name in earth and sky and sea.
Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three Persons, blessed Trinity!

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CONFESSION



CONFESSION OF SIN | *from Acts 2:38-39 & “The Spirit’s Work” in Valley of Vision*

People of God, repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. For the promise is for you and for your children and all who are far off, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself.

O God, the Holy Spirit, you who proceed from the Father and Son, have mercy on me. When you first hovered over chaos, order came to birth, beauty robed the world, fruitfulness sprang forth. Move, I pray, upon my disordered heart; take away the infirmities of unruly desires and hateful lusts; tear the weeds of idolatry from my heart; take the things of Christ, plant them deeply in my soul, and there let them be watered by the dew of his mercies which flow afresh every morning. When the fog of sin sets in, then come in the wind, O breath of God, and lift the mists and darkness of unbelief; brighten my soul with the pure light of truth; make it fragrant as the garden of paradise, rich with every good fruit, beautiful with heavenly grace, radiant with rays of divine light. Then shall the sweetness of Your fruit show forth in me, and my life be purer praise to Christ.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | *from Ezekiel 36:24-28 & 2 Corinthians 1:20-22*

“I will take you from the nations and gather you from all the countries. I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean. I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and obey my word. You shall be my people, and I will be your God.”

All the promises of God find their Yes in Christ; this is why we utter the amen through him, to the glory of God. It is God who has put his seal upon us and given us his Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee. In Christ, by the power of the Spirit, we are redeemed! Praise God, from whom all blessings flow!

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

Page 5 | *Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners*

Jesus, What a Friend for Sinners (#498)

Jesus! what a Friend for sinners!
Jesus! lover of my soul;
friends may fail me, foes assail me,
he, my Savior, makes me whole.

Refrain:

Hallelujah! what a Savior!
Hallelujah, what a Friend!
Saving, helping, keeping, loving,
he is with me to the end.

Jesus! what a strength in weakness!
Let me hide myself in him;
tempted, tried, and sometimes failing,
he, my strength, my vict'ry wins.

Refrain

Jesus! what a help in sorrow!
While the billows o'er me roll,
even when my heart is breaking,
he, my comfort, helps my soul.

Refrain

Jesus! what a guide and keeper!
While the tempest still is high,
storms about me, night o'ertakes me,
he, my pilot, hears my cry.

Refrain

Jesus! I do now receive him,
more than all in him I find;
he hath granted me forgiveness,
I am his, and he is mine.

Refrain

FORMATION AND COMMISSION



CATECHESIS | New City Catechism

Q 22. Why must the redeemer be truly human?

A. That in human nature he might on our behalf perfectly obey the whole law and suffer the punishment for human sin; and also that he might sympathize with our weaknesses.

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER | Wes Buxton, Deacon

READING OF THE WORD | **Ephesians 1:1-2**

This is the Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God!**

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

#731 | Thomas Ken, 1709 | Louis Bourgeon's Genevan Psalter, 1551

SERMON

The Benediction | Rev. Mike Kelly

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Meditation | *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER†

Cups in the outer ring contain grape juice; remaining cups contain wine.

God of Grace (Page 7) & *There is a Higher Throne* (Page 8)

CLOSING HYMN

Page 9 | *O Love of God*

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

God of Grace

God of grace, amazing wonder,
Irresistible and free;
Oh, the miracle of mercy
Jesus reaches down to me.
God of grace, I stand in wonder,
As my God restores my soul.
His own blood has paid my ransom;
Awesome cost to make me whole.

God of grace, who loved and knew me
Long before the world began;
Sent my Saviour down from heaven;
Perfect God and perfect man.
God of grace, I trust in Jesus;
I'm accepted as His own.
Every day new grace sustains me,
As I lean on Him alone.

God of grace, I stand astounded,
Cleansed, forgiven and secure.
All my fears are now confounded
And my hope is ever sure.
God of grace, now crowned in glory,
Where one day I'll see Your face;
And forever I'll adore You
In Your everlasting grace.

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There is a Higher Throne

There is a higher throne
Than all this world has known,
Where faithful ones from ev'ry tongue
Will one day come.

Before the Son we'll stand,
Made faultless through the Lamb;
Believing hearts find promised grace—
Salvation comes.

Chorus:

Hear heaven's voices sing;
Their thund'rous anthem rings
Through em'rald courts and sapphire skies.
Their praises rise.

All glory, wisdom, pow'r,
Strength, thanks, and honor are
To God our King who reigns on high
Forevermore!

And there we'll find our home,
Our life before the throne;
We'll honor Him in perfect song
Where we belong.
He'll wipe each tear-stained eye
As thirst and hunger die
The Lamb becomes our Shepherd King;
We'll reign with Him.

Chorus

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O Love of God (#81)

O love of God, how strong and true!
eternal and yet ever new,
uncomprehended and unbought,
beyond all knowledge and all thought!
O love of God, how deep and great,
far deeper than man's deepest hate;
self-fed, self-kindled like the light,
changeless, eternal, infinite.

O heav'nly love, how precious still,
in days of weariness and ill,
in nights of pain and helplessness,
to heal, to comfort, and to bless!
O wide-embracing, wondrous love!
We read you in the sky above,
we read you in the earth below,
in seas that swell, and streams that flow.

We read you best in him who came
to bear for us the cross of shame;
sent by the Father from on high,
our life to live, our death to die.
We read your pow'r to bless and save,
e'en in the darkness of the grave;
still more in resurrection light
we read the fulness of your might.

O love of God, our shield and stay
through all the perils of our way!
Eternal love, in you we rest,
forever safe, forever blest.
We will exalt you, God and King,
and we will ever praise your name;
we will extol you ev'ry day,
and evermore your praise proclaim.

CALENDAR & EVENTS

Details about events available at cpcissaquah.org

SUNDAY

Sunday School will resume in the fall.

10:15a - Morning Worship (*also livestreamed*)

UPCOMING EVENTS

KidsChoir Musical

Sunday, June 8 | 6pm in the Sanctuary

The KidsChoir has been working diligently to learn their parts for the upcoming musical *Come Messiah Come*, a musical drama surrounding the sadness of Christ's death as well as the joy of Christ's resurrection and what that means for His followers. Please join us for this joyous event!

Installation Service for Rev. Mike Kelly

Sunday, June 22 | 6p

Followed by light refreshments; *please bring a dessert or fruit to share.*

Missionary Night of Prayer

Sunday, June 29 | 6p

Join us as we lift up the missionaries who CPC supports in prayer. We'll also be handing out the latest Missionary Prayer booklet.

INFORMATION

Nursery | Available during Sunday School and Worship, for children up to 4 years.



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