



**Sunday Morning Worship**  
**February 11, 2024**

# Welcome to City Reformed Presbyterian Church

We are glad to have you join us for worship today. If you would like more information, please contact us at [office@cityreformed.org](mailto:office@cityreformed.org) or visit our website: [cityreformed.org](http://cityreformed.org).

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## Reflections

"There is not a square inch in the whole domain of our human existence over which Christ, who is sovereign over all, does not cry: 'Mine!'"

– Abraham Kuyper

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## About Us

### Sunday Morning Worship Service

10:15AM  
Winchester Thurston Auditorium  
5059 Ellsworth Ave  
Pittsburgh PA, 15213  
LIVESTREAM: [tinyurl.com/CRPCLive](http://tinyurl.com/CRPCLive)

### Sunday Evening Worship Service

5:30PM  
Greenfield Chapel  
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# Morning Worship Service

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Presider: Elder Dave Snoko

## Call to Worship: Isaiah 11:1-4, 9-10

*Please stand for the Call to Worship if you are able.*

Leader There shall come forth a shoot from the stump of Jesse, and a branch from his roots shall bear fruit. And the Spirit of the LORD shall rest upon him,

People **The Spirit of wisdom and understanding, the Spirit of counsel and might, the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.**

Leader And his delight shall be in the fear of the LORD. He shall not judge by what his eyes see, or decide disputes by what his ears hear,

People **But with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth...**

Leader They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain; For the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.

People **In that day the root of Jesse, who shall stand as a signal for the peoples—of him shall the nations inquire, and his resting place shall be glorious.**

## Prayer of Invocation

## All Creatures of Our God and King

*(Words: St. Francis of Assisi 1225; Music: Lasst Uns Erfreun 16-1900s)*

All creatures of our God and King,  
Lift up your voice and with us sing,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou burning sun with golden beam,  
Thou silver moon with softer gleam,  
O praise Him, O praise Him,  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,  
Ye clouds that sail in heav'n along,  
O praise Him, Alleluia!  
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,  
Ye lights of evening, find a voice,  
O praise Him, O praise Him,  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,  
Make music for thy Lord to hear,  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Thou fire so masterful and bright,  
That givest us both warmth and light,  
O praise Him, O praise Him,  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

And all ye souls of tender heart,  
Forgiving others, take your part,  
O sing ye, Alleluia!  
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,  
Praise God, and on Him cast your care,  
O praise Him, O praise Him,  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship Him in humbleness,  
O praise Him, Alleluia!  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit, three in one,  
O praise Him, O praise Him,  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

# Scripture Reading: Psalm 96

## Psalm 96 | Christ is the Lord Redeemer and King

*(Words & Music: Daniel Snoke 2024)*

Sing to the LORD, Sing a new song  
To God whom the glory of nations belong  
Trust in the LORD and not empty praise  
For Great is the LORD and great are his ways

Give to the LORD O drifter and saint  
Give to the LORD both glory and strength  
Bring him your life and make it his throne  
Offer your heart and enter his home

*Say the LORD reigns, he's breaking the curse  
Here the LORD brings his kingdom to earth  
Now The LORD reigns! With heaven we sing  
Christ is the Lord Redeemer and King*

The heavens rejoice with earth and the sea  
They join in the song of true jubilee  
Creation proclaims the day of the Lord  
And kingdom shalom will soon be restored

*Say the LORD reigns! All nations and tribes  
Here the LORD reigns, The church as his bride  
Now The LORD reigns! Let everyone sing  
Christ is the Lord Redeemer and King*

# King of Kings

(Words & Music: Brooke Ligertwood, Jason Ingram, Scott Ligertwood 2018)

In the darkness we were waiting  
Without hope without light  
'Till from heaven you came running  
There was mercy in your eyes  
To fulfill the Law and Prophets  
To a virgin came the Word  
From a throne of endless glory  
To a cradle in the dirt

*Praise the Father praise the Son  
Praise the Spirit three in one  
God of glory majesty  
Praise forever to the King of Kings*

To reveal the kingdom coming  
And to reconcile the lost  
To redeem the whole creation  
You did not despise the cross  
Now we see that in your suff'ring  
You saw glory to behold  
Knowing you were our salvation  
Jesus for our sake you died

For the morning that you rose  
All of heaven held its breath  
'Till that stone was moved for good  
For the Lamb had conquered death  
Then the dead rose from their tombs  
And the angels stood in awe  
For the souls of all who'd come  
To the Father are restored

Then the Church of Christ was born  
And the Spirit lit the flame  
Now this gospel truth of old  
Shall not kneel shall not faint  
By his blood and in his name  
In his freedom I am free  
For the love of Jesus Christ  
Who has resurrected me

## **Call to Confession: Philippians 2:4-11**

Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

## **Prayer of Confession:**

**Father, we confess that we often look to our own interests first. Rather than following Jesus in humility and service we grasp and manipulate others. Forgive us and renew us.**

**Give us confidence in the resurrection of Jesus from the dead and ground us in the knowledge that Jesus has authority over all things. May the lives we live now, reflect the the Lordship of Christ in everything that we do. Amen.**

## **Silent Confession**

## **Assurance of Pardon: Philippians 4:20-21**

But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, who will transform our lowly body to be like his glorious body, by the power that enables him even to subject all things to himself.

## **Baptism: Kieran Emory Kai Rong Seah-Ashar**

## **Corporate Prayer**

# Song of Renewal

*We consider tithes & offering as an act of worship within the corporate family of Christ. Please take a moment during the brief interlude to fill out your Care Card to submit prayer requests and reflections of gratitude. Cards and donations can be placed in offering bags. Giving can also be directed online ([cityreformed.org/give](http://cityreformed.org/give)) or sent via mail (3929 Coleman St., 15207).*

## God The Uncreated One (King Forevermore)

*(Words & Music: Aaron Keyes and Pete James 2016)*

God the uncreated One  
The Author of salvation  
Wrote the laws of space and time  
And fashioned worlds to His design  
The One whom angel hosts revere  
Hung the stars like chandeliers  
Numbered every grain of sand  
Knows the heart of every man  
He is King forever  
He is King forever  
He is King forevermore

God our fortress and our strength  
The Rock on which we can depend  
Matchless in His majesty  
His power and authority  
Unshaken by the schemes of man  
Never changing Great I am  
Kingdoms rise and kingdoms fall  
He is faithful through it all  
Crown Him King forever  
Crown Him King forever  
Crown Him King forevermore



Mighty God in mortal flesh  
Forsaken by a traitor's kiss  
The curse of sin and centuries  
Did pierce the lowly Prince of Peace  
Lifted high the sinless man  
Crucified the spotless Lamb  
Buried by the sons of man  
Rescued by the Father's hand  
To reign as King forever  
Reign as King forever  
Reign as King forevermore

King eternal God of grace  
We crown You with the highest praise  
Heaven shouts and saints adore  
You're holy holy holy Lord  
What joy in everlasting life  
All is love and faith is sight  
Justice rolls and praises rise  
At the name of Jesus Christ  
King of kings forever  
King of kings forever  
King of kings forevermore

## **Pastoral Prayer**

*At this time, children ages 4-7 are invited to continue their worship at Children's Church. Please pick them up after the sermon from Children's Church.*

**Sermon: Zechariah 14:3-21**  
**"All Things New"**

- Reverend Matt Koerber

**T**hen the LORD will go out and fight against those nations as when he fights on a day of battle. <sup>4</sup>On that day his feet shall stand on the Mount of Olives that lies before Jerusalem on the east, and the Mount of Olives shall be split in two from east to west by a very wide valley, so that one half of the Mount shall move northward, and the other half southward.

<sup>5</sup>And you shall flee to the valley of my mountains, for the valley of the mountains shall reach to Azal. And you shall flee as you fled from the earthquake in the days of Uzziah king of Judah. Then the LORD my God will come, and all the holy ones with him.

<sup>6</sup>On that day there shall be no light, cold, or frost. <sup>7</sup>And there shall be a unique day, which is known to the LORD, neither day nor night, but at evening time there shall be light.

<sup>8</sup>On that day living waters shall flow out from Jerusalem, half of them to the eastern sea and half of them to the western sea. It shall continue in summer as in winter.

<sup>9</sup>And the LORD will be king over all the earth. On that day the LORD will be one and his name one.

<sup>10</sup>The whole land shall be turned into a plain from Geba to Rimmon south of Jerusalem. But Jerusalem shall remain aloft on its site from the Gate of Benjamin to the place of the former gate, to the Corner Gate, and from the Tower of Hananel to the king's winepresses. <sup>11</sup>And it shall be inhabited, for there shall never again be a decree of utter destruction. Jerusalem shall dwell in security.

<sup>12</sup>And this shall be the plague with which the LORD will strike all the peoples that wage war against Jerusalem: their flesh will rot while they are still standing on their feet, their eyes will rot in their sockets, and their tongues will rot in their mouths.

<sup>13</sup>And on that day a great panic from the LORD shall fall on them, so that each will seize the hand of another, and the hand of the one will be raised against the hand of the other.

<sup>14</sup>Even Judah will fight at Jerusalem. And the wealth of all the surrounding nations shall be collected, gold, silver, and garments in great abundance. <sup>15</sup>And a plague like this plague shall fall on the horses, the mules, the camels, the donkeys, and whatever beasts may be in those camps.

<sup>16</sup>Then everyone who survives of all the nations that have come against Jerusalem shall go up year after year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to keep the Feast of Booths.

<sup>17</sup>And if any of the families of the earth do not go up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the Lord of hosts, there will be no rain on them. <sup>18</sup>And if the family of Egypt does not go up and present themselves, then on them there shall be no rain; there shall be the plague with which the LORD afflicts the nations that do not go up to keep the Feast of Booths.

<sup>19</sup>This shall be the punishment to Egypt and the punishment to all the nations that do not go up to keep the Feast of Booths.

<sup>20</sup>And on that day there shall be inscribed on the bells of the horses, "Holy to the LORD." And the pots in the house of the LORD shall be as the bowls before the altar. <sup>21</sup>And every pot in Jerusalem and Judah shall be holy to the LORD of hosts, so that all who sacrifice may come and take of them and boil the meat of the sacrifice in them. And there shall no longer be a trader in the house of the LORD of hosts on that day.

Leader This is the Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

## Additional Scripture

Psalms 22:28 / For kingship belongs to the LORD, and he rules over the nations.

## Creedal Response: Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q 103. What do we pray for in the third petition of the Lord's Prayer?

A. In the third petition, which is, "May your will be done in earth as it is in heaven," we pray that God, by his grace, would make us able and willing to know, obey, and submit to his will in all things, as the angels do in heaven.

## Songs of Thanksgiving

### All Things New

(Words: Horatius Bonar 1779; Music: Clint Wells 2009)

Come Lord and tarry not  
Bring the long-looked-for day  
O why these years of waiting here  
These ages of delay?  
Come for your saints still wait  
Daily ascends their sigh  
The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come;"  
Do you not hear our cry?

*O come and make all things new  
Come and make all things new  
Come and make all things new  
Build up this broken earth  
Come and make all things new  
All things new*

Come for creation groans  
Impatient while you stay  
Worn out in labor pains of hope  
Still bound by earth's decay  
Come for love waxes cold  
Its steps are faint and slow  
Our faith is pressed by unbelief  
Hope's lamp burns dim and low

## To God Be The Glory

*(Words: Fanny Crosby 1875; Music: W. Howard Doane 1875)*

To God be the glory great things He has done  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin  
And opened the life gate that all may go in

*Praise the Lord praise the Lord  
Let the earth hear His voice  
Praise the Lord praise the Lord  
Let the people rejoice  
O come to the Father through Jesus the Son  
And give him the glory, great things he has done*

O perfect redemption the purchase of blood  
To every believer the promise of God  
The vilest offender who truly believes  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives

Great things He has taught us  
Great things He has done  
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son  
But purer and higher and greater will be  
Our wonder our transport when Jesus we see

## Benediction

*At tonight's Worship Service, Reverend Joseph Bianco will be preaching from Revelation 21:22-22:5, "No More Night."*

# Announcements

[www.cityreformed.org/events](http://www.cityreformed.org/events)

<p><b>Adult Sunday School</b> 9 - 10 AM, WT</p>	<p>The Adult Sunday School Spring class has restarted. Dr. Seulgi Byun is leading a host of presenters as we discuss the history of spiritual renewals in the church.</p>
<p><b>Women's Choice Network</b></p>	<p>Please join us as we participate in Women's Choice Network's baby bottle fundraiser. Take a baby bottle home, fill it with change, cash, or a check, and bring it back to church by March 10th or give online at <a href="http://myegiving.com/app/giving/wcn">myegiving.com/app/giving/wcn</a> and write City Reformed as the note. Contact Debbie Bacon with any questions.</p>
<p><b>Serve in Children's Church:</b></p>	<p>Children's Church now has two classes! We are still in need of 6 Lead Teachers and 2 Teacher Aides to have a full team. There are needs in Teach Me To Worship (for 6-7 year olds) and in Little Pillars (for 4-5 year olds). If you are interested in serving, please contact Becki: <a href="mailto:becki@cityreformed.org">becki@cityreformed.org</a>.</p>
<p><b>Children's Church Supply Drive</b></p>	<p>Help us gather supplies for our Children's Church classes! Do you have empty tissue boxes, old dress up clothes, paper towel tubes, stickers, yarn, newspaper, or thin ribbon at home that you'd be willing to donate? Contact Becki to arrange drop off (<a href="mailto:becki@cityreformed.org">becki@cityreformed.org</a>). Thank you!</p>
<p><b>Jubilee Professional:</b> February 16, 1:30-7PM Westin Hotel Pittsburgh</p>	<p>JP brings together Christian professionals and thought leaders from across the country to ask a single question: What does my work have to do with the Kingdom of God? Your work matters—<a href="http://www.jubileeprofessional.com">www.jubileeprofessional.com</a></p>
<p><b>Men's Retreat:</b> LCCC February 23-24</p>	<p>The winter retreat is Feb 23-24 (Fri-Sat) @ Ligonier Camp &amp; Conference Center. Join us for food, fun, and fellowship. Dave Kenyon and Dave Snoke will speak on being a bold man for Christ. The retreat is open to all men and boys. Start: Check-in at 5:30 PM on Fri. End: after dinner on Sat. Register by <b>Feb 19</b> using the link on CRPC events calendar or weekly church email. Cost: \$60 entire retreat; \$40 Saturday only. Students and youth 50% discount. Scholarships available. We do not want cost to be a barrier. Questions? Contact Adam Schwab (<a href="mailto:Ahs27@pitt.edu">Ahs27@pitt.edu</a>).</p>
<p><b>Save the Date:</b> <b>CRPC 20th Anniversary Dinner</b></p>	<p>April 27th, 2024, CRPC will be celebrating 20 years of life together @ St Nicholas Greek Orthodox Church in Oakland. Party RSVP Survey: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DYBP3ZV">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DYBP3ZV</a>. We will need some help! If you have gifts of decorating, photography, etc. please email Catherine at <a href="mailto:SST@cityreformed.org">SST@cityreformed.org</a> if interested.</p>

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# Regular Events

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<b>College Shuttle Schedule</b>	9:30AM- PPU: 201 Wood St; Contact: Kaia: kaianoeljohnson@gmail.com 9:45AM- Pitt: 4024 O'Hara St; Contact: Maya: mayakang523@gmail.com or David: DGT12@pitt.edu
<b>Agora Forum:</b> Every other Monday 7 PM: 3929 Coleman	We discuss theology and popular culture topics from a Christian perspective. We meet every other Monday at the Greenfield Chapel at 7 pm (3929 Coleman St). Contact Alex Main (amain8511@gmail.com).
<b>Bean Sprouts Ministry</b>	Although many of us are retired, anyone who is free for lunch once a month is welcome. Bonus Activity: Tour Bayernhof Museum on Feb 21 - please join us! Joe Stehle: joestehle@gmail.com.
<b>Mommies' Discipleship Group:</b> 2nd & 4th Thursdays 7-9 PM	Join us for a time of fellowship and encouragement as we pray for one another and study the book of Colossians. Contact Sandy for more info: sandy@cityreformed.org.
<b>Men's Discipleship</b>	Please contact Adam Schwab (ahs27@pitt.edu) if you are interested in getting more connected.
<b>Wednesday Prayer Meetings:</b> 8:30-9:30 AM	All are welcome to join our Wednesday prayer community. We begin with Scripture, move to a general opening prayer of adoration/thanksgiving, then share specific prayer requests and pray through them. Held on Zoom at: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/crpcwednesdayprayer">https://tinyurl.com/crpcwednesdayprayer</a> .
<b>Global Mission Prayer:</b> Mondays @ 9 PM	Join our church in prayer for missions partners. This week we will be praying for Rachel Bauserman in Japan. Held on Zoom: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/crpcglobalprayer">https://tinyurl.com/crpcglobalprayer</a> .
<b>Young Adult Women's Discipleship Group:</b> Bi-Weekly Wednesdays @ 7 PM	Meets at Amelia Morrissey's Home on the North Side. New study for winter/spring will begin on February 14: "Delight: A Walk through Psalms 1-30." For more info, contact Lindsay Karr (lindsay.karr@gmail.com).
<b>Youth Group:</b> Bi-Weekly Wednesdays 6:30-8:30 PM	All middle and high school youth are welcome to join us, 6th through 12th grade. Please contact Pastor John (john@cityreformed.org) for more information.
<b>CRPC Storytime:</b> Greenfield Chapel Every other Monday	Toddler/Preschooler Storytime and free play at the Greenfield Chapel. SPRING Semester Dates: February 19, March 4, 18, April 1, 15, 29. (10-11:30 AM). If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Taylor Kilbride taylorkilbride@gmail.com.
<b>Women's Informal Gatherings:</b> 223 Hester Ave, 15136	There are 3 upcoming opportunities to gather for informal time of fellowship. Feb 20 & March 14, 9:30-noon (Kid's Welcome!) & April 6, 1:30-4:30 (Women only)

**College Students** please refer to campus ministry contacts below:

- CMU: Chris Bollinger (cwbollinger@gmail.com)
- CCO at PPU: Matt Koerber (pastormatt@cityreformed.org)
- RUF at Pitt: Gavin Breeden & Callie Miller (gavin.breeden@ruf.org, callie.miller@ruf.org)
- [cityreformed.org/collegestudents](http://cityreformed.org/collegestudents)

**Specialty Groups** meet in particular areas of interest for Bible study, fellowship, learning, and service.

- *Agora Forum (amain8511@gmail.com)*
- *Men's New Hope (Joseph@cityreformed.org)*
- *Mommies' Group (Sandy@cityreformed.org)*
- *Wednesday Morning Prayer (Nameun@cityreformed.org)*
- *Men's Discipleship Committee (mdc@cityreformed.org)*
- *Young Women's Discipleship Group (lindsay.karr@gmail.com)*
- *Ultimate Frisbee (danielrtoney@gmail.com)*
- *Board Game Gatherings (gatcheson@gmail.com)*

## Employment and Volunteer Needs

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