

Organ Prelude	Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah - Hughes / Dickens	Pat Shroff
Call to Worship	Revelation 19:12-13, 16 (Responsive)	Rev. Tim Valentino Kaye Focht
Hymn	69: Crown Him with Many Crowns	Congregation
Prayer of Adoration		Rev. Tim Valentino
Scripture Readings		
The Old Testament Lesson:	Isaiah 62:1-5	Xavier Easy
The Response:	Psalms 36:5-12	Xavier Easy/Kaye Focht
The New Testament Lesson:	1 Timothy 6:17-21	Xavier Easy
Church Family Announcements		Rev. Tim Valentino
Missions Moment		Pat Strain
Worship in Giving	Exodus 25:1-2	Rev. Tim Valentino
Prayer Hymn	206: The Church's One Foundation (v. 1 only)	Congregation
Prayer		Rev. Tim Valentino
Worship Song	As The Deer / There is a Redeemer	Congregation
Sermon	The Gospel Unchained, Part 1: My Dear Son! (2 Timothy 1:1-2)w	Rev. Tim Valentino
Response Hymn	239: God Has Spoken by His Prophets	Congregation
Benediction		Rev. Tim Valentino
Organ Postlude	Life Everlasting - David Paxton	Pat Shroff

Organist	Pat Shroff	Hospital Visitor This Week:	Faye Hipkiss
Pianist	Shelley Miller	Children's Church	Maureen Logan
Flutist	Shirley Long	Sound Technician	Bob Long
Trumpeter, Pianist	Sonya Valentino	Video Technician	Andrew Valentino
Hymn Leader, Vocalist	Maureen Logan	Intern Youth Minister	Xavier Easy
Lector	Xavier Easy	Visitation Minister	Patricia Strain
Responder	Kaye Focht	Lead Pastor	Rev. Tim Valentino
Greeters	Kaye & Dave Focht		

Crown Him with Many Crowns 69



1. Crown Him with man - y crowns, The Lamb up - on His throne;
2. Crown Him the Son of God Be - fore the worlds be - gan,
3. Crown Him the Lord of life, Who tri - umphed o'er the grave,
4. Crown Him the Lord of love! Be - hold His hands and side,
Hark! how the heav'n - ly an - them drowns All mu - sic but its own!
And ye, who tread where He hath trod, Crown Him the Son of Man;
And rose vic - to - rious in the strife For those He came to save;
Those wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, In beau - ty glo - ri - fied:
A - wake, my soul, and sing Of Him who died for thee, And
Who ev - ery grief hath known That wrings the hu - man breast, And
His glo - ries now we sing, Who died and rose on high, Who
All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For Thou hast died for me: Thy
hail Him as thy match-less King Thro' all e - ter - ni - ty.
takes and bears them for His own, That all in Him may rest.
died e - ter - nal life to bring, And lives that death may die.
praise and glo - ry shall not fail Thro' - out e - ter - ni - ty. A - men.

WORDS: Matthew Bridges, 1851 and Godfrey Thring, 1874
MUSIC: George J. Elvey, 1868

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Call to Worship: **Revelation 19:12-13, 16** (Responsive)

His eyes are like blazing fire,
and on his head are many crowns.
He has a name written on him
that no one knows but he himself.
He is dressed in a robe dipped in blood,
and his name is the Word of God.
On his robe and on his thigh he has this name written:
KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.

The Old Testament Lesson: **Isaiah 62:1-5** (Xavier Easy)

¹ For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet,
till her vindication shines out like the dawn,
her salvation like a blazing torch.
² The nations will see your vindication,
and all kings your glory;
you will be called by a new name
that the mouth of the LORD will bestow.
³ You will be a crown of splendor in the LORD's hand,
a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
⁴ No longer will they call you Deserted,
or name your land Desolate.
But you will be called Hephzibah,
and your land Beulah;
for the LORD will take delight in you,
and your land will be married.
⁵ As a young man marries a young woman,
so will your Builder marry you;
as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride,
so will your God rejoice over you.

The Response: **Psalms 36:5-12** (Responsive)

⁵ Your love, LORD, reaches to the heavens,
your faithfulness to the skies.
⁶ Your righteousness is like the highest mountains,
your justice like the great deep.
You, LORD, preserve both people and animals.
⁷ How priceless is your unfailing love, O God!
People take refuge in the shadow of your wings.
⁸ They feast on the abundance of your house;
you give them drink from your river of delights.
⁹ For with you is the fountain of life;
in your light we see light.
¹⁰ Continue your love to those who know you,
your righteousness to the upright in heart.
¹¹ May the foot of the proud not come against me,
nor the hand of the wicked drive me away.
¹² See how the evildoers lie fallen—
thrown down, not able to rise!

The New Testament Lesson: **1 Timothy 6:17-21**

¹⁷ Command those who are rich in this present world not to be arrogant nor to put their hope in wealth, which is so uncertain, but to put their hope in God, who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment.
¹⁸ Command them to do good, to be rich in good deeds, and to be generous and willing to share. ¹⁹ In this way they will lay up treasure for themselves as a firm foundation for the coming age, so that they may take hold of the life that is truly life.
²⁰ Timothy, guard what has been entrusted to your care. Turn away from godless chatter and the opposing ideas of what is falsely called knowledge,
²¹ which some have professed and in so doing have departed from the faith.
Grace be with you all.

Worship in Giving: **Exodus 25:1-2**

¹ The LORD said to Moses, ² "Tell the Israelites to bring me an offering. You are to receive the offering for me from everyone whose heart prompts them to give.

206 The Church's One Foundation

1. The Church's one foun - da - tion Is Je - sus Christ her Lord;
She is His new cre - a - tion, By wa - ter and the word:
From heav'n He came and sought her To be His ho - ly bride;
With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died. A-men.

WORDS: Samuel J. Stone, 1868
MUSIC: Samuel S. Wesley, 1864

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As The Deer

As the deer panteth for the water
So my soul longeth after Thee
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship Thee

You alone are my strength, my shield
To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship Thee

I want You more than gold and silver
Only You can satisfy
You alone are the real joy giver
And on You I can rely

You alone are my strength, my shield
To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship Thee

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To You alone may my spirit yield
You alone are my heart's desire
And I long to worship Thee

There is a Redeemer

There is a Redeemer -
Jesus, God's own Son,
Precious Lamb of God,
Messiah, Holy One.

REFRAIN

*Thank you, O my Father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit till
The work on earth is done.*

Jesus, my Redeemer,
Name above all names,
Precious Lamb of God,
Messiah, O for sinners slain.

When I stand in Glory,
I will see His face;
There I'll serve my King forever
In that holy place.

239 God Hath Spoken by His Prophets

1. God hath spo - ken by His proph-ets, Spo - ken His un - chang - ing Word;
2. God hath spo - ken by Christ Je - sus, Christ, the ev - er - last - ing Son,
3. God yet speak - eth by His Spir - it—Speak - ing to the hearts of men,

Each from age to age pro - claim - ing God the One, the right - eous Lord!
Bright - ness of the Fa - ther's glo - ry, With the Fa - ther ev - er one;
In the age - long word de - clar - ing God's own mes - sage, now as then.

'Mid the world's de - spair and tur - moil One firm an - chor hold - ing fast,
Spo - ken by the Word In - car - nate, God of God ere time be - gan,
Through the rise and fall of na - tions One sure faith yet stand - eth fast:

God is on His throne e - ter - nal, He a - lone the First and Last.
Light of Light, to earth de - scend - ing, Man, re - veal - ing God to man.
God a - bides, His Word un - chang - ing, God a - lone the First and Last. A - men.

WORDS: George W. Briggs, 1952
MUSIC: Ludwig van Beethoven, 1824

HYMN TO JOY
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, January 16: Lector Workshop at 9:00 a.m. All lectors should plan to attend as well as anyone interested in becoming a lector at CCC.

Sunday, January 16: Church Luncheon in Zinn Commons @ 12 noon

Tuesday, January 18: Church Family Care Ministry meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, February 12: Church Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m.

Sunday, February 20: Church Luncheon in Zinn Commons @ 12 noon

ANNOUNCEMENTS & REMINDERS

Monthly Church Breakfasts: Our Fellowship & Hospitality Ministry is seeking volunteers to organizers each of our monthly breakfasts. Additionally, they are asking for volunteers to make and bring food for each breakfast. Please use the sign up sheet in the narthex to relay this information to them or talk to Grace Miller or Kaye & Dave Focht.

Local Sharing Cupboard: Thank you for placing non-perishable food items in grocery cart in the narthex. The food bank currently needs a supply of **SPAGHETTI SAUCE, CORN, SOUP & CANNED MEAT.**

Assistive Listening Devices: CCC has four assistive listening devices for those who need them during the worship service. See Pastor Tim or Bob Long if you need a unit.

Prayer Requests: If you any have any prayer requests for distribution, please send them to Pastor Tim at pastortim@christcomm.church or (484) 269-4313.

THE GOSPEL UNCHAINED, PART 1

MY DEAR SON

2 Timothy 1:1-2

The gospel of Jesus Christ is unchained and unstoppable.

Introduction

“Goodbye, my son . . .”

Background

Paul is in lonely, cold, and in prison—again.
Timothy needs instruction and encouragement—again.
Paul is preoccupied with the gospel—again.

Guard the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Guard the good deposit that was entrusted to you—guard it with the help of the Holy Spirit who lives in us.” (2 Timothy 1:14)

Endure hardship for the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Endure hardship with us like a good soldier of Christ Jesus . . . Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead . . . This is my gospel, for which I am suffering even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But God’s word is not chained.” (2 Timothy 2:3, 8-9)

Continue in the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“Evil men and impostors will go from bad to worse, deceiving and being deceived. But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have become convinced of.” (2 Timothy 3:13-14)

Share the GOSPEL of Jesus Christ.

“In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus . . . I give you this charge: Preach the Word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.” (2 Timothy 4:1-4)

Foreground

The gospel of Jesus Christ was “good news” for the Greeks and Romans, and it is “good news” for us, too.

Conclusion

The good in “goodbye”