

Welcome & Announcements		Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino
Organ Voluntary & Quiet Reflection	Calvary Conquered My Heart/ Springs of Living Water <i>Peterson / DeCou</i>	Pat Shroff
Call to Worship	Revelation 15:3, 4b <i>(Responsive)</i>	Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino Kaye Focht
Opening Hymn	34: Praise to the Lord the Almighty	Congregation
Prayer of Adoration		Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino
Scripture Readings		
The Old Testament Lesson:	Genesis 9:8-17	Shawn Garman
The Response:	Psalm 25:1-9	Shawn Garman/ Kaye Focht
The Gospel Lesson:	Luke 23:32-37 <i>(Please stand)</i>	Shawn Garman
Missions Moment		Pat Strain
Worship in Giving	Matthew 7:11-12	Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino
Prayer Hymn	409: Just When I Need Him Jesus is Near (v. 3 only)	Congregation
Praise & Worship	All My Boast is In Jesus / Meekness and Majesty	Congregation
Sermon	Thank God It's Friday 1: The Word of Forgiveness (Luke 23:32-37)	Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino
Closing Hymn	254: What Can Wash Away My Sin	Congregation
Benediction		Rev. Dr. Timothy Valentino
Organ Postlude	And Can It Be? <i>Campbell / Innes</i>	Pat Shroff

Hospital Visitor This Week: Faye Hipkiss, 717-813-4638

Lector	Shawn Garman	Children's Church Leader	Jenn Danielson & Sonya Valentino
Responder	Kaye Focht	Nursery	Lori & Jim Danielson
Organist	Pat Shroff	Narthex Greeters	Dave & Kaye Focht
Pianist	Shelley Miller	Sound Technician	Bob Long
Flutist	Shirley Long	Video Technician	Andrew Valentino
Trumpeter	Mel Leedom	Lead Pastor	Rev. Dr. Tim Valentin
Trumpeter, Pianist	Marcy Garman	Visitation Minister	Pat Strain
Trumpeter, Pianist	Sonya Valentino	Custodian	Gloria Graybill
Hymn Leader, Vocalist, Office Administrator	Maureen Logan	Director of Buildings & Grounds	Will Robertson



1. Praise to the Lord, the Al-might - y, the King of cre - a -
 2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so won-drous - ly reign-
 3. Praise to the Lord, who doth pros - per thy work and de - fend
 4. Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a - dore

tion! O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and sal-
 eth, Shel - ters thee un - der His wings, yea, so gen - tly sus-
 thee; Sure - ly His good - ness and mer - cy here dai - ly at-
 Him! All that hath life and breath, come now with prais - es be-
 va - tion! All ye who hear, Now to His tem - ple draw
 tain - eth! Hast thou not seen How thy de - sires e'er have
 tend thee. Pon - der a - new What the Al - might - y can
 fore Him! Let the A - men Sound from His peo - ple a -
 near; Join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 been Grant - ed in what He or - dain - eth?
 do, If with His love He be - friend thee.
 gain: Glad - ly for aye we a - dore Him. A - men.

WORDS: Joachim Neander, 1680; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1863
 MUSIC: Stralsund Gesangbuch, 1665

LOBE DEN HERREN
14.14.4.7.8

Call to Worship: **Revelation 15:3, 4b**

**Great and marvelous are your deeds,
Lord God Almighty.**

Just and true are your ways,
King of the nations.

**All nations will come
and worship before you,**

for your righteous acts have been revealed.

The Old Testament Lesson: **Genesis 9:8-17**

⁸Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him:

⁹“I now establish my covenant with you and with your descendants after you ¹⁰and with every living creature that was with you—the birds, the livestock and all the wild animals, all those that came out of the ark with you—every living creature on earth. ¹¹I establish my covenant with you: Never again will all life be destroyed by the waters of a flood; never again will there be a flood to destroy the earth.”

¹²And God said, “This is the sign of the covenant I am making between me and you and every living creature with you, a covenant for all generations to come: ¹³I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it will be the sign of the covenant between me and the earth. ¹⁴Whenever I bring clouds over the earth and the rainbow appears in the clouds, ¹⁵I will remember my covenant between me and you and all living creatures of every kind. Never again will the waters become a flood to destroy all life. ¹⁶Whenever the rainbow appears in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and all living creatures of every kind on the earth.”

¹⁷So God said to Noah, “This is the sign of the covenant I have established between me and all life on the earth.”

The Response: **Psalms 124:1-9**

**¹ In you, LORD my God,
I put my trust.**

²I trust in you;
do not let me be put to shame,
nor let my enemies triumph over me.

**³ No one who hopes in you
will ever be put to shame,
but shame will come on those
who are treacherous
without cause.**

⁴Show me your ways, LORD,
teach me your paths.

**⁵ Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my Savior,
and my hope is in you all day long.**

⁶Remember, LORD, your great mercy and love,
for they are from of old.

**⁷ Do not remember the sins
of my youth
and my rebellious ways;**

according to your love remember me,
for you, LORD, are good.

**⁸ Good and upright is the LORD;
therefore he instructs sinners
in his ways.**

⁹He guides the humble in what is right
and teaches them his way.

(PLEASE STAND)

The Gospel Lesson: **Luke 23:32-37**

³²Two other men, both criminals, were also led out with him to be executed. ³³When they came to the place called the Skull, they crucified him there, along with the criminals—one on his right, the other on his left. ³⁴Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.” And they divided up his clothes by casting lots.

³⁵The people stood watching, and the rulers even sneered at him. They said, “He saved others; let him save himself if he is God’s Messiah, the Chosen One.”

³⁶The soldiers also came up and mocked him. They offered him wine vinegar ³⁷and said, “If you are the king of the Jews, save yourself.”

Worship in Giving: **Matthew 7:11-12**

¹¹If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him! ¹²So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you, for this sums up the Law and the Prophets.

409 Just When I Need Him Jesus Is Near

3. Just when I need Him Je - sus is strong, Bear - ing my bur - dens
all the day long; For all my sor - row giv - ing a song,
Just when I need Him most. Just when I need Him most,
Just when I need Him most; Je - sus is near to
com - fort and cheer, Just when I need Him most.

WORDS: William C. Poole, 1907
MUSIC: Charles H. Gabriel, 1907

GABRIEL
9.9.9.6 Ref.

All My Boast Is in Jesus

What wonder of wonders, what love is this
That Christ would die for me
His goodness, His merit, His righteousness
This sinner's only plea

O foolish pride, be crucified
The work is finished

**All my boast is in Jesus
All my hope is His love
And I will glory forever
In what the cross has done**

Now fully forgiven, my life is filled
With graces undeserved
For mercy that flowed down that sacred hill
Let praises now return

Rise up my soul, and bless Lord
Who else is worthy?

**All my boast is in Jesus
All my hope is His love
And I will glory forever
In what the cross has done**

O praise the One forever blessed
Him alone my heart adores
And I will boast in less
Than the love of Christ my Lord

O praise the One forever blessed
Him alone my heart adores
And I will boast in less
Than the love of Christ my Lord

I boast not in riches, in strength or might
But in grace of God
I glory in weakness, to live is Christ
In plenty or in want

That I may know, that all may see
His pow'r within me

**All my boast is in Jesus
All my hope is His love
And I will glory forever
In what the cross has done**

Now I stand in this freedom
Ransomed, clean in His sight
And I cannot be ashamed for
My boast is Jesus Christ
My boast is Jesus Christ
Forever my boast is Jesus Christ

Meekness and Majesty

Meekness and majesty manhood and deity
In perfect harmony the Man who is God
Lord of eternity dwells in humanity
Kneels in humility and washes our feet

O what a mystery meekness and majesty
Bow down and worship for this is your God
This is your God

Father's pure radiance perfect in innocence
Yet learns obedience to death on a cross
Suffering to give us life
Conquering through sacrifice
And as they crucify prays Father forgive
O what a mystery meekness and majesty
Bow down and worship for this is your God
This is your God

Wisdom unsearchable God the invisible
Love indestructible in frailty appears
Lord of infinity stooping so tenderly
Lifts our humanity to the heights of His throne

O what a mystery meekness and majesty
Bow down and worship for this is your God
This is your God
This is your God

What Can Wash Away My Sin? 254

1. What can wash a - way my sin? Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus;
 2. For my par - don this I see— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus;
 3. Noth - ing can for sin a - tone— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus;
 4. This is all my hope and peace— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus;

What can make me whole a - gain? Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.
 For my cleans - ing, this my plea— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.
 Naught of good that I have done— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.
 This is all my right - eous - ness— Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.

Refrain
 O! pre - cious is the flow That makes me white as snow;

No oth - er fount I know, Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.

WORDS and MUSIC: Robert Lowry, 1876

PLAINFIELD
7.8.7.8 Ref.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday: MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY Online via Zoom @ 7:00 p.m.
Sundays: SUNDAY SCHOOL for all ages @ 9:00 a.m.
MORNING WORSHIP in Dech Chapel @ 10:30 a.m.

Today thru February 25: BABY BOTTLE BOOMERANG
 Christ Community Church will once again be participating in the Baby Bottle Boomerang, which supports Align Life Ministries. Please take a bottle, fill it with cash or a check over the next several weeks (instructions in bottles), and bring it back before Sunday, February 25. See Stephanie Hammer or Pat Strain if you have any questions. Thank you!

Thursday, February 22: WOMEN OF FAITH @ 7:00 p.m. in Zinn Commons
NEW STUDY: "Help Is Here" by Max Lucado. All ladies are welcome!!

Saturday, March 2: MONTHLY CHURCH BREAKFAST @ 8:30 a.m.
 Please sign up to let us know how many will be attending. If you plan to bring food, please add it to the sign-up sheet.

Monday, March 11: MINISTRY COUNCIL MEETING
 7 p.m. in Zinn Commons

Thursday, March 14: WOMEN OF FAITH @ 7:00 p.m. in Zinn Commons
MEN OF ADVENTURE @ 7:00 p.m. at the Keller home

Sunday, March 17: CHURCH DINNER @ 12:15 p.m. in Zinn Commons.
 Please sign up to let us know how many will be attending. If you plan to bring food, please add it to the sign-up sheet.

Sunday, March 17: ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
 @ 1:15 p.m. in Zinn Commons.

The list of **Sharing Cupboard** current food needs: **Prayer Requests:** If you have any prayer requests for distribution, please send them to Pastor Tim at pastortim@christcomm.church or (484) 269-4313.

- Snack food • Spaghetti Sauce • Peanut Butter
- Chips • Pretzels • Cookies • Crackers
- Toiletries • Other Regular Items

Easter Flower Order Forms & Payment due to Carol Keller by March 3rd

Prayer Walk for Our Neighborhood Steph Hammer would like to begin a prayer walk program where we gather, walk, and pray for our community. If you are interested in more information or would like to join this group please sign the sheet in the narthex and Steph will contact you with more information.

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to staff our nursery during Worship. Please note that we are still in need of willing helpers:

First Sunday of the Month: Jennifer Danielson
 Second Sunday of the Month: **NEEDED** (only once a month)
 Third Sunday of the Month: Lori and Jim Danielson
 Fourth Sunday of the Month: Jennifer Heinsey
 Fifth Sunday of the Month: **NEEDED** (only 4 times a year)

EASTER FLOWERS ORDER FORM Orders due to **Carol Keller** by **March 3, 2024**

FLOWER	FLOWER COLOR	FOIL COLOR	PRICE × QUANTITY	PRICE
Large Flowering Azaleas (6" pot, non-hardy)	PINK	LT GREEN	\$8.00 × _____	= _____
	WHITE	LT GREEN	\$8.00 × _____	= _____
Florist Mums (6" pot)	PINK	LT GREEN	\$6.98 × _____	= _____
	YELLOW	LT GREEN	\$6.98 × _____	= _____
	WHITE	LT GREEN	\$6.98 × _____	= _____
LILIES (6" pot, 5 to 6 blooms)	WHITE	LT GREEN	\$6.98 × _____	= _____
TOTAL PAYMENT INCLUDED: (Make checks payable to CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH)				\$ _____

Name Phone Number

In Honor of In Memory of _____ Name

