



Welcome to our church!

We're glad you're here! We hope you experience the warmth and welcome of Christ our Savior in this community.



If this is your first time visiting, please fill out a **Visitor's Card**, we would love to meet you and help you get connected. Please visit **tcpca.org/visitor** or scan the QR code to the left with your smartphone camera, or fill out the Visitor Card in your pew and place it in the Offering bowl.

Preparing Our Hearts for Worship...

"No more my God I boast no more
Of all the duties I have done
I quit the hopes I held before
To trust the merits of thy Son

Now for the love I bear his name
What was my gain I count my loss
My former pride I call my shame
And nail my glory to His cross"

- Isaac Watts

COVER ARTWORK

Summertime Flowers

Stefan Luchian

Liturgy Notes

Do you have questions about how we worship? This column answers the “what” and “why” of each element of our liturgy.

Call to Worship

The Call to Worship is traditionally the first element in a Christian liturgy, serving as the moment of consecration. God’s Word is used to invite us into the sacred time of corporate worship, and we respond with our voices as an answer to His call.

Congregational Singing

A unique aspect of Christian worship is that we sing together. Our singing is an expression of love for God and joy in His gospel. Singing strong hymns grounded in the truths of our theology raises our eyes from awe of the created to awe of the Creator. Scripture commands us to sing. Beautiful voices are not required, but a community joining together to sing truth and to sing it with passion and conviction is beautiful to our God.

Order of Worship

July 31, 2022 at 9:00AM and 11:15AM

REJOICE Declare the praises of God

Call to Worship from Psalm 106 and 111

LEADER: Praise the LORD! Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good, for His steadfast love endures forever!

PEOPLE: Praise the Lord! We will give thanks to the Lord without whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

ALL: Praise the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit!

Hymn of Rejoicing *O Church Arise* (Music on Page 10)

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O church arise and put your armor on
Hear the call of Christ our Captain
For now the weak can say that they are strong
In the strength that God has given
With shield of faith and belt of truth
We'll stand against the devil's lies
An army bold whose battle cry is Love
Reaching out to those in darkness

Our call to war to love the captive soul
But to rage against the captor
And with the sword that makes the wounded whole
We will fight with faith and valor
When faced with trials on every side
We know the outcome is secure
And Christ will have the prize for which He died
An inheritance of nations

Come see the cross where love and mercy meet
As the Son of God is stricken
Then see His foes lie crushed beneath His feet
For the Conqueror has risen
And as the stone is rolled away
And Christ emerges from the grave
This victory march continues till the day
Every eye and heart shall see Him

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So Spirit come put strength in every stride
Give grace for every hurdle
That we may run with faith to win the prize
Of a servant good and faithful
As saints of old still line the way
Retelling triumphs of His grace
We hear their calls and hunger for the day
When with Christ we stand in glory

Welcome & Announcements

Pastoral Prayer

Pray for those impacted by the flooding in Eastern Kentucky.

The Lord's Prayer

UNISON: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

RENEW Receive the grace of God

Scripture Reading James 4:13-17 (Pew Bible p. 1013)

LEADER: All men are like grass, their glory like flowers of the field. The grass withers and the flowers fall...

PEOPLE: ...but the Word of the Lord stands forever.

Confession of God's People

UNISON: Lord, we confess to You our ongoing sin of pride. We humble ourselves before You. We acknowledge our desperate need of You. We ask that, by the power of the Holy Spirit, You will help us see ourselves the way You see us. Help us to know our constant need for You and lead us to walk in Your ways.

- Silent Prayers of Confession -

Repentance of God's People

LEADER: Has your arrogance failed you?

PEOPLE: Always.

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Confession of God's People

In the Confession of Sin we humbly agree with Scripture's claim that all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. This is the most honest moment of our week, as we confess our sin and shame together. We do this corporately through a unison litany or prayer and individually through a moment of silence for private confession.

Repentance of God's People

Our time of confession becomes a time of fresh commitment through corporate repentance. Together we boldly turn from all evil and offer our lives again to God. Only say these words if you are indeed willing to repent of your sins.

LEADER: Has your Savior's love ever failed you?

PEOPLE: Never.

LEADER: Do you return again to the Lord's good and perfect will?

PEOPLE: We do.

Assurance of God's Pardon from Psalm 130-3-4

LEADER: If you, O LORD, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand?
But with You there is forgiveness, that You may be revered.

Greeting of the Peace of Christ

Hymn of Renewal *Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery* **(Music on Page 11)**

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Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

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Assurance of God's Pardon

Confession and repentance is always met with the surety of God's grace. The minister proclaims to the penitent community words of pardon from Scripture, assuring our hearts of the grace that is already ours in Christ Jesus.

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

RESPOND Embrace the call of God

Confession of Faith The Nicene Creed

UNISON: We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made; who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; He suffered and was buried; and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father; and He shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end. And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic[†] and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

[†] *Worldwide communion of faith, past, present, and future.*

Doxology

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

Offertory Prayer

Confession of Faith

We confess together the convictional truths of orthodoxy by reciting the ancient creeds of our faith. We share these words with saints throughout the centuries as well as those throughout the world today. This also serves as a bold proclamation to the watching world of what we believe is true.

Offering

The offering is received, not merely as a way to pay the bills, but as an act of worship. In response to the God from whom all blessings flow, we give freely, joyfully, and sacrificially to His beloved bride, the Church.

Offertory Solo *Be Ye Glad*

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In these days of confused situations; in this night of a restless remorse; when the heart and the soul of a nation lay wounded and cold as a corpse; from the grave of the innocent Adam comes a song bringing joy to the sad, oh, your cry has been heard and the ransom has been paid up in full, be ye glad. Oh, be ye glad! Oh, be ye glad! Every debt that you've ever had has been paid up in full by the grace of the Lord. Be ye glad, be ye glad, be ye glad. Now from your dungeon a rumor is stirring, though you've heard it again and again. Now but this time your cell keys are turning and outside there are faces of friends. Though your body lay weary from wasting, and your eyes show the sorrow they had, oh the love that your heart is now tasting has opened the gate be ye glad! So be like lights on the rim of the water giving hope in a storm sea of night. Be a refuge amidst the slaughter of these fugitives in their flight. For you are timeless and part of a puzzle, you are winsome and young as a lad; and there is no disease or no struggle that can pull you from God, be ye glad!

GOSPEL STORYTIME

At this time, children ages 4 - Kindergarten may be dismissed to Room 103 for prayer, singing, and a lesson from the Gospel Story Bible. They will return to the Sanctuary at the end of the sermon to be with their families during Communion.

Scripture Reading Proverbs 27:1 (Pew Bible p. 548)

LEADER: The Word of the Lord. **PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Rev. Mark Randle

“What Are You Doing Tomorrow?”

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

PLEASE NOTE:

You will be released from your pew to come forward and receive the communion elements, and we will take the elements together once everyone has been served.

Words of Institution

MINISTER: Let us together proclaim the hope of the Church:

UNISON: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ shall come again!

MINISTER: I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when He was betrayed took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it, and said, “This is my body which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” In the same way, after supper, He took the cup saying, “This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.” For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until He comes.

Sermon

The preaching of God’s Word in the context of holy worship is the primary means of God’s voice to His people. Our trust is not in the ability of the preacher, but in the promise that God, by His Spirit working in and through His word, is speaking to us in exceptional ways. Therefore, we open our minds and hearts to the uniquely formative power of ordained preaching.

Communion

The sacrament of the Lord’s Supper is a holy ordinance, wherein Christ and his gospel are represented and applied to His people. Though the bread and wine are not literally the body and blood of Jesus, this meal is far more than a sentimental reminder. It is spiritual nourishment to our souls and a means of growth in His grace. Communion is the family meal of Christians, and all followers of Jesus who are in good standing with His Church are invited to partake.

Holy Communion

Hymn of Response *My Worth Is Not In What I Own*

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My worth is not in what I own
Not in the strength of flesh and bone
But in the costly wounds of love at the cross
My worth is not in skill or name
In win or lose in pride or shame
But in the blood of Christ that flowed at the cross

REFRAIN:

**I rejoice in my Redeemer
Greatest treasure Wellspring of my soul
I will trust in Him no other
My soul is satisfied in Him alone**

As summer flowers we fade and die
Fame youth and beauty hurry by
But life eternal calls to us at the cross
I will not boast in wealth or might
Or human wisdom's fleeting light
But I will boast in knowing Christ at the cross (**REFRAIN**)

Two wonders here that I confess
My worth and my unworthiness
My value fixed my ransom paid at the cross (**REFRAIN**)

Benediction

MINISTER: Go love your God; **PEOPLE: Go love your neighbor.**



Giving Report For more information, visit tcpca.org/give.

June Giving: \$178,079

June Goal: \$155,870

Difference: +\$22,209

Total FY Giving (Oct-Jun): \$1,944,460

Giving Goal (Oct-Jun): \$1,918,572

Difference: +\$25,888

Prayer Chain

If you would like to share prayer requests with our church prayer chain, we would love to pray for you. Please feel free to send an email to:

Kathryn Lyon
KRL40502@aol.com

Janet Whitley
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Announcements

Fall Kickoff and Kickball

Join us on the evening of August 21 for a church-wide gathering with FREE food, lots of games and activities, and an action-packed kickball tournament. This is a great way to celebrate the start of a new ministry year and school year together as a church family. If you already know you're going to attend, please RSVP so we can plan ahead for food!



Summer Nursery Schedule

The nursery will be operating on a summer schedule through August 14th. The nursery will be available for the 9:00 service and closed for the 11:15 service. Gospel Story Time will continue to be offered during both 9:00 and 11:15 services.

Parish Group Signups Are Now Open!

Parish Groups will begin meeting again this September! Parish Groups are multi-generational gatherings of people that live near you. These gatherings take place on a consistent basis throughout the year, and often involve food, fellowship, and discussion about that week's sermon. Scan this QR code to sign up, and please sign up by August 30! This helps us plan well for these groups and place people in the best group according to where they live.



Summer Youth Group

Our final Summer Youth Group is this tonight from 7:00 - 8:30PM at TCPC. We hope you'll join us!

Foundations on August 26-27

Registration is open for our next "Foundations" membership class on August 26 and 27. The sessions will take place Friday night and Saturday morning, with Friday dinner and Saturday breakfast provided. We invite anyone who is interested in pursuing membership and learning more about our church history and theology. To sign up, scan this QR code. Please email Nate Jones with any questions at njones@tcpca.org.



Women's Bible Study

MORNING BIBLE STUDY

The Wednesday Morning Women's Bible Study will begin meeting in early September, each Wednesday at 9:00 AM. We'll be using Jen Wilkin's study on 1 Samuel in the fall and 2 Samuel in the spring (materials have been ordered in bulk to save money and will be available for purchase). Childcare is offered in the nursery. Scan this QR code to sign up, and send questions to Julia Meadors at jamat10215@aol.com.

EVENING BIBLE STUDY

The Wednesday Evening Women's Bible Study will also begin meeting in early September on Wednesdays at 7:00 PM, continuing our study of "Saints and Scoundrels in the Story of Jesus" by Nancy Guthrie. Scan this QR code to sign up, or email questions to Kay Sox at kayrsox@gmail.com.



Mom's Day Out Teacher Positions Open

TCPC's Mom's Day Out program is looking for teachers for the 2022-2023 school year. These positions are perfect for college students or others who have experience with kids and would like part-time work. Moms who teach may enroll their children in the program free of charge. Teacher hours are 8:00am -1:00pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Contact Nicole Dorton (ndorton@tcpca.org) for more information.

O Church Arise

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O church, a - rise, and put your ar - mor on, hear the
Our call to war: to love the cap - tive soul, but to
Come see the cross where love and mer - cy meet as the
So Spi - rit come, put strength in ev - 'ry stride, give —



call of Christ our Cap - tain. For now the weak can say that
rage a - gainst the cap - tor. And with the sword that makes the
Son of God is strick - en. Then see His foes lie crushed be -
grace for ev - 'ry hur - dle. That we may run with faith to



they are strong in the strength that God has gi - ven. With shield of
woun - ded whole, we will fight with faith and va - lor. When faced with
neath His feet, for the Con - quer - or has ri - sen. And as the
win the prize of a ser - vant good and faith - ful. As saints of



faith and belt of truth, we'll stand a - gainst the dev - il's lies, an ar - my
trials on ev - ery side, we know the out - come is se - cure. And Christ will
stone is rolled a - way, and Christ e - merg - es from the grave, this vic - t'ry
old still line the way, re - tell - ing tri - umphs of His grace, we hear their



bold, whose bat - tle cry is Love, reach - ing out to those in dark - ness.
have the prize for which He died, an in - her - i - tance of na - tions.
march con - tin - ues till the day ev - 'ry eye and heart shall see Him.
calls and hun - ger for the day when with Christ we stand in glo - ry.

Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery

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1. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry: in the dawn - ing of the King. He, the
2. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry: He the per - fect Son of Man. In His
3. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry: Christ the Lord up - on the tree; In the
4. Come be - hold the won-drous mys - t'ry: Slain by death, the God of life; But no



theme of heav-en's praise - es, robed in frail hu - man-i - ty. In our
liv - ing, in His suf - f'ring, nev - er trace nor stain of sin. See the
stead of ru - ined sin - ners hangs the Lamb in vic-to - ry. See the
grave could e'er re - strain Him, Praise the Lord! He is a - live! What a



long - ing, in our dark - ness, now the light of life has
true and bet - ter Ad - am come to save the hell-bound
price of our re - demp - tion; see the Fa - ther's plan un -
fore - taste of de - liv - 'rance; how un - wav - er - ing our



come; Look to Christ, who con - de - scend - ed, took on flesh to ran - som us.
man, Christ, the great and sure ful - fill - ment of the law, in Him we stand.
fold, bring - ing man - y sons to glo - ry, grace un - meas - ured, love un - told!
hope: Christ in pow - er, res - ur - rect - ed, as we will be when He comes!

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