

Traditional Worship



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A member of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church

September 24, 2023
8:45 am



Pentecost

Worship Notes

...making our worship more meaningful & understandable

If you are tuning in to Cherry Creek, welcome and thank you for worshipping with us on this Sunday morning.

Valuing Membership. At CCPC, we value membership in our church for a whole host of reasons, but mostly because it is biblical. Our day and age is suspicious of membership and authority, and we recognize that a deep commitment to Christ and His church is something that is becoming increasingly counter-cultural. Our conceptions of “membership” are often tainted by the types of membership we find in culture—Costco, country clubs, credit cards, etc. But *biblical membership* is something totally different.

Greeting...not merely shaking hands. Our most distinguishing feature as Christians ought to be seen in the ways we love each other. As we welcome new members into our congregation today, we are all reminded of our covenantal responsibilities to love God and each other. May we think lovingly, speak gently and act kindly toward one another. Our love for each other is our strongest witness to the world that the life, the death and the resurrection of Jesus are true and that they mean something to us!

God Gathers Us

Prelude

Prière à Notre-Dame - Léon Boëllmann

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship & Invocation

Introit

Holy Spirit, Ever Dwelling - Baldwin

Gathering Hymn

Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

We Respond to God's Presence

Gloria Patri no. 733 - MEINEKE

Anthem

The Call (Come My Way, My Truth, My Life) - White

Worship Through Giving

Video

Prayer of Intercession

Doxology no. 34

New Member Recognition

New Members Being Welcomed Today

Elyssa Ammon, Matthew Ammon, Judith Christensen, David Christensen, Kathy Curry, Elizabeth Foland, Scott Foland, Duke Follistein, Kaye Lynn Fote, Cody Fox, Jen Fox, Carole Gossner, Jerry Gossner, Katherine Holthaus, Caroline Trevor

Greeting

After the Greeting, kids Preschool—5th grade may be sent to kids church.

God Reveals His Word to Us

Song of Illumination

Speak, O Lord - Getty

Sermon Rev. Phil Bremerman

Scripture: John 14:5-14 (page 1675 in pew Bible)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
All: Thanks Be to God!

Series: The Wrong Jesus: Seven of Today's Favorite Heresies

Message: #7 Jesus isn't the only way to God.

We Go Forth in Joy

Hymn of Response

#405 My Hope is Built on Nothing Less

Benediction

Postlude

Toccat-Suite Gothique - Léon Boëllmann

Our Strategic Initiatives

What do we desire to see improve or grow in the next five years, Lord willing?

1. Lord Jesus, may there be an INCREASE IN THE JOY and HOPE in all of our services, please?
2. Lord Jesus, may we CONNECT TO THE COMMUNITY around us in deeper and broader ways, please?
3. Lord Jesus, may we build a tangible BRIDGE TO YOUNGER GENERATIONS, please?
4. Lord Jesus, may we INTEGRATE OUR WHOLE LIVES TO OUR FAITH, please?
5. Lord Jesus, may we GROW DEEPER into your image and likeness, please?
6. Lord Jesus, may we BUILD RELATIONAL BRIDGES throughout our diverse community, please?

Giving In response to God's goodness, we are called to offer our whole selves—heart and mind, soul, and strength—in joyful adoration in our daily lives. One way we do that is through giving financially, which you can do in person after the service, by mail or online here: <https://www.elexiogiving.com/App/Giving/cherrycreekpres.org>

Prayer for the Week

Generous God, you send us the Spirit of courage:
shake our hearts, set our souls on fire with your love:
send us out into the world rejoicing in your power.
We ask for your help to live the way of your justice and love.
Amen.
(adapted from the *Worship Sourcebook*, 2nd ed.)

May We Pray With You? When we join together in prayer, there is a particular power available from God. If you would like prayer and/or prayer for healing, please come forward after the service to find a pastor or elder and we'd love to pray for you and/or anoint you with oil (per James 5).

Prayer chain If you would like to be kept up-to-date on prayer needs in our church body, please sign up for the CCPC Prayer chain at ccpcprays@cherrycreekpres.org

Assisting in Worship Sanctuary Choir; Jeanne Gaessler, Dir. Congregational Life; David Knopp & Tech Team; Usher Team

Rev. Dr. Brad Strait, Senior Pastor
Rev. Gary Hein, Executive Pastor
Rev. Chris Piehl, Associate Pastor
Rev. Phil Bremerman, Associate Pastor
Evan Mazunik, Dir. of Worship & Liturgy
Bohee Paek, Organist
Rebecca Sarian, Contemporary Worship Leader

Convergent Worship

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Prelude

Only King Forever - Elevation Worship

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Call to Worship & Invocation

Today's Music

Fill This Place - Red Rocks Worship

Holy Spirit - Torwalt

O Come to the Altar - Elevation Worship

Gloria Patri - arr. Hicks

Doxology - Trad.

Speak, O Lord - Getty

Good, Good Father - Housefires

Video

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