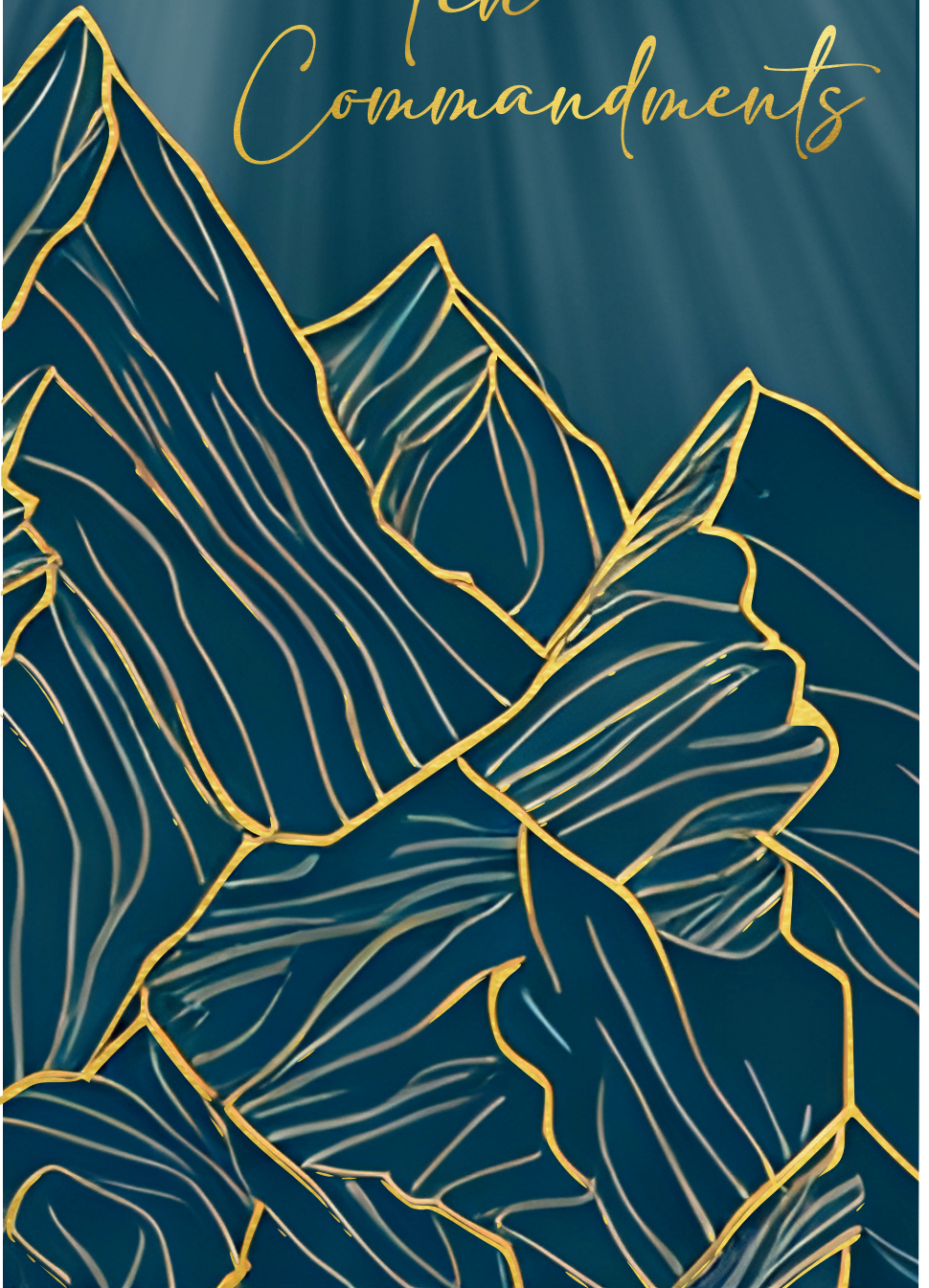


Ten
Commandments



ORDER OF WORSHIP

JULY 7, 2024

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

❖ CALL TO WORSHIP

from Exodus 20

Leader: When Moses gathered the people of Israel, God said,

**People: “I am the Lord your God,
who brought you out of the land of Egypt,
out of the house of slavery.”**

Leader: As we gather today, let us worship the Lord, who continues to be our God and who still brings us out of the places of our bondage.

❖ ISAIAH 43 (I AM THE LORD)

Billy Sprague

When you pass through the waters I will be with you
And the waves, they will not overcome you
Do not fear for I have redeemed you
I have called you by name, you are mine

Chorus:

For I am the Lord your God (I am the Lord your God)

For I am the Lord your God

I am the Holy One of Israel, your Savior (Repeat)

I am the Lord (Do not fear) (4x)

When you walk through the fire, you'll not be burned
And the flames, they will not consume you
Do not fear for I have redeemed you
I have called you by name, you are mine (*Ch*)

❖ PRAYER OF ADORATION

O merciful Lord,
you are our refuge and strength,
by your power you protect us from the ways of this world,
by your grace you sustain us through all adversity and temptation,
and for your glory you will bring us into everlasting peace.

To you be all honor,
all praise and dominion,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
One God for all eternity. Amen.

❖ AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Heidelberg Catechism, Question 4

Leader: What does God's law require of us?

People: Christ teaches us this in a summary in Matthew 22: You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it, you shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the law and the prophets.

❖ GOD WITH US

David Ingram and Leslie Jordan

You've come to bring peace, to be love
To be nearer to us
And you've come to bring life, to be Light
To shine brighter in us
O Emmanuel, God with us

Chorus:

*Our Deliverer, you are Savior
In your presence we find our strength
Over everything our Redemption, God with us
You are God with us*

You've come to be hope to this world
For your honor and name
And you've come to take sin, to bear shame
And to conquer the grave
O Emmanuel, God with us (*Ch*)

You are here, you are holy
We are standing in your glory (3x)
You are here, you are holy
We are standing in your glory Lord

*Our Deliverer, you are Savior;
In your presence we find our strength
Over everything our Redemption, God with us (Repeat)
You are God with us (3x)*

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH AND THE WORLD

JESUS, I MY CROSS HAVE TAKEN

Henry Lyte and Bill Moore

Jesus I my cross have taken
All to leave and follow thee
Destitute, despised, forsaken
Thou from hence my all shalt be
Perish every fond ambition
All I've sought or hoped or known
Yet how rich is my condition
God and heaven are still my own

Go then earthly fame and treasure
Come disaster, scorn and pain
In thy service pain is pleasure
With thy favor loss is gain
I have called thee Abba Father
I have stayed my heart on thee
Storms may howl and clouds may gather
All must work for good to me

Soul, then know thy full salvation
Rise o'er sin and fear and care
Joy to find in every station
Something still to do or bear
Think what Spirit dwells within me
Think what Father's smiles are thine
Think that Jesus died to win thee
Child of heaven canst thou repine

Haste thee on from grace to glory
Armed by faith and winged by prayer
Heaven's eternal day's before thee
God's own hand shall guide thee there
Soon shall close thy earthly mission
Soon shall pass thy pilgrim days
Hope shall change to glad fruition
Faith to sight and prayer to praise

✦ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

God of grace,
you have given us Jesus, the light of the world,
but we choose darkness,
and cling to things that hide the brightness of your love.
Immersed in ourselves, we cannot see.

Baptize us with your Spirit, that, forgiven of our sin and renewed,
we may declare your Word to the nations
and tell of your glory shining in the face of Jesus Christ,
our Lord and our light forever. Amen.

❖ WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Isaiah 1:18

Leader: Though your sins are like scarlet, says the Lord,
they shall be like snow;
though they are red like crimson,
they shall become like wool.

People: We are forgiven! Thanks be to God!

Leader: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: And also with you!

THE OFFERING

RECKLESS LOVE

CORY ASBURY

Katie Reyes, *guitar & vocals*

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 20: 1-2, 14; Matthew 5: 27-30
page 61, 810

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

THE SERMON

“The Giving Spouse”
Ten Commandments

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Communion is an opportunity for all of us to seek the Lord. It is an occasion for baptized Christians to be strengthened by our Savior. All who trust alone in Christ as Savior and Lord, are members in good standing of a church that embraces the gospel, live at peace with their neighbor, and seek strength to live more faithfully are welcome to come forward to partake. If you are not a Christian, have not been admitted to the Lord's table, or choose not to partake you are welcome to come forward with your arms crossed in front of your body to receive a blessing.

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & WORDS OF INSTITUTION

Minister: Let us proclaim the mystery of faith:

All: *Christ has died.*

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

Minister: Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed for us.

People: **Therefore, let us keep the feast.**

Minister: The gifts of God for the people of God.

Come and feed on him in your hearts

by faith with thanksgiving.

During communion, wine and grape juice are served.

Grape juice, in a purple cup, is available upon request.

All communion bread is gluten-free.

Please let an usher know if it is difficult for you to come forward.

Prayer of Seeking Truth

Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth and the life. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open to me the reality of who you are. Grant that I might be undaunted by the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life that you promise. Amen.

Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed, but through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment on the cross and offering forgiveness and new life. Knowing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Savior. Amen.

GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH

Jeremy Casella and William Williams

Guide me O thou great Jehovah
Pilgrim through this barren land
I am weak but thou art mighty
Hold me with thy powerful hand
Bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore
Bread of heaven, feed me now and evermore

Open now the crystal fountain
Whence the healing waters flow
Let the fire and cloudy pillar
Lead me all my journey through
Strong Deliverer, be thou still my Strength and Shield
Strong Deliverer, be thou still my Strength and Shield

When I tread the verge of Jordan
Bid my anxious fears subside
Death of death and hell's destruction
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Songs of praises, I will ever give to thee
Songs of praises, I will ever give to thee

Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears goodbye
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears
Land me safe on Canaan's side
Bid my anxious fears, bid my anxious fears goodbye

LET US LOVE AND SING AND WONDER

John Newton and Laura Taylor

Let us love and sing and wonder
Let us praise the Savior's name
He has hushed the law's loud thunder
He has quenched Mount Sinai's flame
He has washed us with his blood (3x)
He has brought us nigh to God

Let us sing though fierce temptation
Threatens hard to bear us down
For the Lord, our strong salvation
Holds in view the conquerors crown
He who washed us with his blood (3x)
Soon will bring us home to God

Let us wonder, grace and justice
Join and point to mercy's store
When through grace in Christ our trust is
Justice smiles and asks no more
He who washed us with his blood (3x)
Has secured our way to God

Let us praise and join the chorus
Of the saints enthroned on high
Here they trusted him before us
Now their praises fill the sky
You have washed us with your blood (3x)
You are worthy, Lamb of God

❖ **BENEDICTION**

Minister: May the grace of the Lord Jesus sanctify us
and keep us from all evil;
may he drive far from us all hurtful things,
and purify both our souls and bodies;
may he bind us to himself by the bond of love,
and may his peace abound in our hearts.

People: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

❖ **DOXOLOGY**

OLD HUNDREDTH, Louis Bourgeois's Genevan Psalter, Thomas Ken

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise him all creatures here below
Praise him above ye heavenly host
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost
Amen

Worship Leaders

Joe Beam	<i>drums</i>
Tim Brown	<i>keyboard</i>
Paul Duffin	<i>guitar & vocals</i>
Conrad Guthrie	<i>bass</i>
Michelle Hays	<i>violin</i>
Clay Holland	<i>liturgy</i>
Scott Mochon	<i>guitar</i>
Katie Reyes	<i>vocals</i>
John Trapp	<i>sermon</i>

Audio/Visual Team

Amy Curry	<i>projections</i>
Zach Day	<i>audio</i>
Andrew Gill	<i>camera</i>
Colby Hodges	<i>video director</i>
Samuel Hunniford	<i>camera</i>
Namath Naif	<i>technical director</i>
Joe Bill Whittenburg	<i>camera</i>

*Welcome! We are so glad you are with us today.
For a full list of upcoming events,
please visit christtheking.com.*

Sunday Morning at Christ the King

9:00 am
Worship Service

Nursery Care
Infant - 4 years

Children's Worship

K-2nd grade

Children will be dismissed from the
worship service.

10:30 am
Worship Service

Nursery Care
Infant - 4 years

Please note:

We will take a break from all Sunday School Classes July 7 - August 4.

As we take a break from Sunday School, we invite you to join us
for Taco Time in the Great Hall.

Upcoming Events

Today	Taco Time	10:00 - 10:30 am	The Great Hall
7/8-7/13	High School RYM		Florida
7/9	Middle School Grub Club	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Memorial City Mall Food Court
7/11	Post Grad Night	7:00 - 9:00 pm	1314 Beutel
7/16	Women's Summer Salad Supper	7:00 - 9:00 pm	7603 Betty Jane
7/17	Student Ministry Summer Nights	7:00 - 8:30 pm	The Fields
7/18	Made with Love Meal Prep	9:30 am & 6:30 pm	The Kitchen
7/21	Churchwide Bingo Night	5:30 - 7:30 pm	The Great Hall
7/23	Men's Summer Social	6:00 - 9:00 pm	Kirby Ice House (Memorial)
7/25	Young Adults Monthly Meal	7:00 - 9:00 pm	1289 W 17th
8/30 - 9/2	Church Camp		Cho-Yeh

Ministry Budget Update

2024 Ministry Budget Goal	\$	5,988,118
Budgeted giving through 06/23/2024	\$	2,994,059
Received as of 06/23/2024	\$	1,676,137
Variance	\$	(1,317,922)

Giving to Christ the King

It is by your consistent generosity that we are able to support our Mission Partners in Houston and around the world and continue life changing ministry here at Christ the King. You can give today by placing checks or cash in the offering plate as it comes by. And you can always give at christtheking.com/giving.





Taco Time

*July 7 - August 4, 10:00 - 11:00 am,
The Great Hall*

In July we will take a break from all Sunday School Classes for children through adults. As we take a break from Sunday School, we invite you to spend some extra time in the Great Hall on Sunday mornings catching up with friends and meeting someone new. Breakfast tacos will be provided!



Post Grad Night

July 11, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, 1314 Beutel Drive

Join us for a summer gathering to provide a place for post grads (graduated in 2023 and 2024) to connect with each other and people in the church.



Women's Summer Salad Supper

July 16, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, 7603 Betty Jane Lane

Join us this summer for three Summer Salad Suppers to enjoy dinner with friends and listen to a Christ the King woman share how God has been at work in her life. Let us know you're coming at christtheking.com/women or on Church Center.



Made with Love Meal Prep

July 18

Join us for our monthly Made with Love meal preparation day. You can choose the morning (9:30-11:30 am) or evening (6:30-8:30 pm) session. Everyone is welcome! No cooking experience necessary. Space is limited so sign up today at christtheking.com/serve-the-city or on Church Center.

CHURCHWIDE



SUNDAY, JULY 21

5:30-7:30 PM

THE GREAT HALL



Churchwide Bingo Night

July 21, 5:30 - 7:30 pm, The Great Hall

We are excited to have an opportunity to be together this summer for some food, fun and prizes! Join us for dinner from Tacodeli, bingo, and lots of fun with your church family!

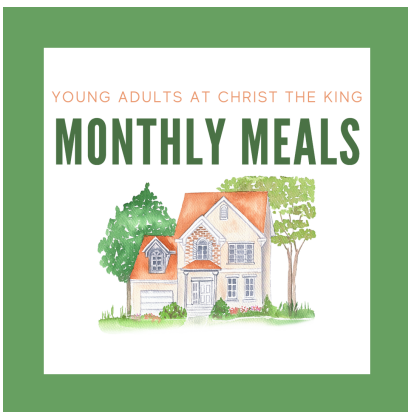
Sign up at christtheking.com or on Church Center.



Men's Summer Social

July 23, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, Kirby Ice House, 1015 Gessner

Mark your calendars for our last Men's Summer Social coming up in July! Invite your friends for a relaxed evening of fellowship and fun!



Young Adults Monthly Meals

July 25, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, 1289 W 17th

Join us for some great food and an opportunity to connect with other Young Adults. Invite your friends and join us!



Church Camp

August 30 - September 2

Camp Cho-Yeh

Christ the King Church Camp is a traditional camp experience with the benefit of having Christ the King members of all ages attending together. Church members from varying backgrounds, stages of life and spiritual development will fellowship side by side. Register today at christtheking.com/church-camp or on Church Center.

Mission Partner Spotlight

City to City Latin America

City to City, started by Tim Keller in 2001, has trained almost 600 church planters and planted around 300 churches in the United States and around the world. City-to-City Latam (Latin America) started in September 2015, with a group of five leaders from Mexico, Chile, and Brazil with the vision of developing movements of the gospel through church multiplication and equipping local planters, pastors, leaders and their wives to transform the cities of Latin America culturally, socially and spiritually with the gospel of Jesus Christ. City to City Latam wants to see gospel centered churches serving together in a collaborative effort to seek the Shalom of the cities. If you are interested in learning more about City-to-City Latam please reach out to Andrés Garza at andres@redeemercitytocity.com.

Pastors at Christ the King

Our staff is excited to come alongside you as you grow in your worship of Christ and your love and care for one another. Please contact any of us with questions or needs.

You can find contact information for all of our staff and pastors at christtheking.com/staff.

Clay Holland	Pastor, Family Ministry
Alex Martinez	Pastor, Latino Ministry
John Trapp	Senior Pastor

Care at Christ the King

Congregational Prayers

Can we pray for you? Let us know at christtheking.com/care or contact catherine.duffin@christtheking.com.

Deacons at Christ the King

The deacons come alongside our church body to assist with needs like encouragement and prayer, budgeting and financial coaching, and helping widows and elderly. If you have a need, or know of a need, please email them at deacons@christtheking.com.

The Barnabas Center

We are honored to help you find healing, understanding, and hope in your life and current circumstances through Christ-centered professional counseling. Please visit our website at barnabascenterhou.com for more information and to connect with a