



April 16, 2017
Resurrection Sunday

*Christ Church exists to make mature disciples who will worship, know and serve Christ
so that His Church and Kingdom are powerfully extended in Katy and beyond.*

CHRIST CHURCH

Order for the Worship of God

The Lord's Day • April 16, 2017

Welcome to Christ Church! We serve a risen Savior, who suffered the death of the cross to redeem His people. Death could not hold Him, and He lives today to intercede for us. Praise with us the King of Glory – the Lord Jesus Christ!

Welcome & Silent Preparation

The Rev. Mr. Fred Greco

PRAISE

*“Thanks to His resurrection, Christ’s death works its power in us. Sin is forgiven; death is conquered. This is the glad news of salvation.”
(John Calvin)*

Call to Worship*

John 11:25-27

** Worshippers are asked to stand if possible*

Minister: Jesus said “I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in Me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die. Do you believe this?” She said to Him, “Yes, Lord; I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God, who is coming into the world.”

Prayer of Adoration*

Pastor Greco

Hymn of Praise #277*



“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”

Affirmation of Faith

Westminster Shorter Catechism 37-38

Q37. What benefits do believers receive from Christ at death?

Answer: The souls of believers are at their death made perfect in holiness, and do immediately pass into glory; and their bodies, being still united to Christ, do rest in their graves, till the resurrection.

Q38. What benefits do believers receive from Christ at the resurrection?

Answer: At the resurrection, believers, being raised up in glory, shall be openly acknowledged and acquitted in the day of judgment, and made perfectly blessed in the full enjoying of God to all eternity.

———— CONFESSION ————

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty God, when our Lord Jesus rose from the grave, You declared for all to see that You had shattered the power of sin and death. His resurrection gives us hope that we will rise from the death of sin to the newness of life in righteousness. We ask this morning that You would forgive us for our sin that still so often entangles us, and for the doubt and fear that prevent us from boldly serving You. Father, help us to trust Your power to change our lives, that we might manifest the reality of Christ's resurrection in our daily living, and know the joy of abundant life given in Jesus Christ, our risen Lord. This we ask in the name of Your Son, our Savior Jesus. Amen.

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We welcome visitors to Christ Church! Please take a few minutes and fill out a guest card so that we can provide you with more information about our church.
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Private Confession of Sin

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 6:5-7

For if we have been united with Him in a death like His, we shall certainly be united with Him in a resurrection like His. We know that our old self was crucified with Him in order that the body of sin might be brought to nothing, so that we would no longer be enslaved to sin. For one who has died has been set free from sin.

Hymn of Assurance #267



“The Day of Resurrection!”

*During the
11:00 AM
Service, at the
beginning of the
sermon, parents
are invited to
dismiss their
children
(ages 4-6) for
Children's
Worship
Training.
Children will
return at 12:00.*

MEANS OF GRACE

Scripture Reading* — 1 Corinthians 15:35-58

Mr. Daryl Brister

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God!

Prayers of Intercession & Petition

Mr. Brister

Sermon Text

1 Corinthians 15:1-28

Prayer of Illumination

The Sermon

Pastor Greco

“Alive in the Risen Christ”

Hymn #274*



“Thine Be the Glory”

THANKSGIVING

(If you are visiting Christ Church this morning, please obtain a guest card, fill it out and place it in the offering plate. We welcome the opportunity to better minister to you.)

Presentation of Tithes & Offerings

Gloria Patri*

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Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen!

*Christian
Education is at
9:50 AM, with
fellowship and
refreshments at
10:35 AM*

Prayer of Thanksgiving*

Hymn #271*



“Sing, Choirs of New Jerusalem”

The Benediction*

Pastor Greco

Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do His will, working in us that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.

Announcements

Mr. Brister

EVENING WORSHIP

NOTE: There will be **NO** evening service tonight. Please enjoy your evening with family and friends and remember the Lord’s goodness to you in the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

NEXT WEEK – Pastor Greco will be preaching on “*The End of the War*” (Joshua 22:1-34). There is no supper that evening.

NURSERY CARE

Nursery care is available for infants & children **up to the 4th birthday** during both morning worship services in rooms 110 & 111. During Sunday School, infants & children **born after September 1, 2014** may be placed in nursery care in room 110. Nursery care is not provided at our family-friendly evening service. Our nursery is equipped with a pager system to alert parents if necessary. Vibrating pagers don’t make noise, so keep them where you will notice the vibration. Also, please remember to return the pager when you pick up your child. Thank you!

E-MAIL

PRAYER CHAIN

The Christ Church email prayer chain may be activated by contacting the church office (281-392-0002 or prayerchain@cckpca.org). If you wish to receive emails from the prayer chain please contact the office.

MERCY MINISTRY

Those in need of this service should contact Kendra Hoag at mercyministry@cckpca.org

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SUNDAY SERVICES

8:30 AM – Morning Worship

9:50 AM – Sunday School

11:00 AM – Morning Worship

6:00 PM – Evening Worship

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