



Christ Our Hope

Presbyterian Church (PCA)

Lord's Day Worship
February 15, 2026

We preach Christ crucified...
Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God...
- 1 Corinthians 1:23, 24 -

Order for the Worship of God

February 15, 2026 | 9:30 AM

Italics indicate congregational participation and/or standing.

We Adore the Lord and Honor Him as King

Call to Worship | Psalm 95:1-3

Oh come, let us sing to the Lord! Let us shout joyfully to the Rock of our salvation. Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms. For the Lord is the great God, and the great King above all gods.

Prayer of Adoration & Invocation

Songs of Adoration

Gloria Patri

Psalm 98C | Sing a New Song to Jehovah

Call to Repentance

The Ten Commandments & The Great Commandment

Confession of Sin

Most holy and merciful Father, we acknowledge and confess before You our sinful nature – prone to evil and slothful in good – and all our shortcomings and offenses against You. You alone know how often we have sinned in wandering from Your ways, in wasting Your gifts, in forgetting Your love. O Lord, have mercy on us, who are ashamed and sorry for all the ways in which we have displeased You. Teach us to hate our errors, cleanse us from our secret faults, and forgive our sins for the sake of Your dear Son. Our confidence is not in our works, which could never make up for the debt of our guilt. But we trust only in the work of Christ on our behalf – that He died for us the cursed death we deserve and lived for us the obedient life we fail to live. And O most holy and loving Father, send Your purifying grace into our hearts, we beg You, that we may from now on live in Your light and walk in Your ways, according to the commandments of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of the Gospel | 2 Corinthians 5:18-21

Now all things are of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation, that is, that God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses to them, and has committed to us the word of reconciliation. Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God. For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

Song of Thanksgiving

Psalm 8B | LORD, Our Lord, in All the Earth

The Lord Speaks to Us in the Ministry of the Word

NT Homily

Hebrews 11:1-3

Sermon Text

Ephesians 4:7-11 [Reading 4:7-16]

Sermon Title

"Christ the Ascended Gift-Giver"

Prayer of Response

Song of Response

Psalm 68B | O Lord, Thou Hast Ascended

**We Commune with God and One Another in
the Sacrament and Collection**

Confession of Faith | *The Apostles' Creed (p. 851)*

Words of Institution

Administration of the Lord's Supper

Gluten-free bread has been provided in the foil liners.

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Collection with Singing of Praise

*Hymn 411 | Shout, for the Blessed
Jesus Reigns
Doxology*

Benediction | 2 Corinthians 13:14

*The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the communion of
the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.*

Gloria Patri

*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.*

Doxology (tune: “Old 100th”)

*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.*

Summary of God's Law (from Exodus 20 & Matthew 22)

*“I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out
of the house of bondage.”*

- I. *You shall have no other gods before Me.*
- II. *You shall not make for yourself a carved image – nor bow down to
them nor serve them.*
- III. *You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain.*
- IV. *Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy.*
- V. *Honor your father and your mother.*
- VI. *You shall not murder.*
- VII. *You shall not commit adultery.*
- VIII. *You shall not steal.*
- IX. *You shall not bear false witness.*
- X. *You shall not covet.*

*And our Lord Jesus said, “You shall love the LORD your God with all your
heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great
commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as
yourself. On these two commandments hang all the Law and the
Prophets.”*

The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father in heaven,
Hallowed be Your name.
Your kingdom come.
Your 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.
And do not lead us into temptation,
but deliver us from the evil one.
For Yours is the kingdom
and the power
and the glory forever. Amen.*

Sermon Notes

A Christ-centered Exposition of Ephesians 4:7-11
“Christ the Ascended Gift-Giver”

Introduction

The ascended Christ gives gifts to His church for our edification:

1. Because He is victorious over His enemies. (vv. 7-8)
2. Because He is the incarnate and now glorified Lord. (vv. 9-10)
3. Because He is the Word we need to hear. (v. 11)

Conclusion

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Announcements/Opportunities

Visitors' Sign-in

Welcome! If you are a visitor and would like someone to contact you with more information about our church, please scan the QR code on the back of this worship guide and fill in your contact information.

Virtual Prayer Meeting | 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 4:00 pm

Join us for a brief season of prayer (40 mins.) to exalt our God and intercede on behalf of one another (see QR code on last page).

Nursing Home Ministry | February 15th at 1:45 pm (3rd Sunday)

South Kingstown Nursing & Rehabilitation Center (2115 S. County Trail, West Kingston). *For more details, please contact Mark Slater.*

Men's Night | February 19th at 6:30 pm (3rd Thursday)

Location: TBD. For more details, please contact Mark Slater.

Ladies' Bible Study | February 26th at 7:00 pm (2nd & 4th Thursdays)

Location: Church building. Studying Ch. 8 in "Hoping for Something Better" by Nancy Guthrie. For more details, please contact Ruth Slater or Sandy Swenson.

Today's Schedule:

Worship	9:30-11:15 am
Fellowship	11:15-11:30 am
Children's Christian Education	11:30-12:15 pm
Adult Sermon Discussion	11:30-12:00 pm
Corporate Prayer	12:00-12:15 pm

Nursery and Cleaning Schedule

If you are unable to fulfill your obligation as assigned, please find a replacement and inform Randy May so that the Worship Guide can be updated accordingly.

	Nursery	Cleaning/Closing
Today	Crystal Shoemaker & Jackie Pharo	Kilpatrick
Next Week	Sam Short & Ryan Kilpatrick	Short
3/1	Chris Shoemaker & Jude May	Slater
3/8	Randy May & Donna Phelps	Whitman

Welcome to Christ Our Hope Presbyterian Church! We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America. For God's glory and by His grace, we aim to be faithful to the scriptures, true to the Reformed faith, and obedient to the Great Commission – serving one another and South County through the gospel of Jesus Christ.

Who We Are, What We Do, and Why:

We are a Christ-centered, Law & Gospel, Word & Sacrament, Covenantal, Catechetical, Biblical & Historic, Reformed Church.

Christ-centered – we preach Christ and His work of redemption for us from Genesis to Revelation.

Law & Gospel – we proclaim the Law (which shows us our sin) and the Gospel (which shows us our Savior).

Word & Sacrament – we receive by faith the means of grace Christ has given for our salvation: the Word read, preached, sung, prayed, and made visible in the sacraments of Baptism and the Lord's Supper.

Covenantal – we embrace the covenant structure of Scripture, as revealed in the covenants of the Bible and culminating in the New Covenant sealed in the blood of Jesus Christ; and we believe that our covenant God deals with us not only individually, but also as families, and corporately as His Church.

Catechetical – we utilize historic Reformed catechisms as we make disciples by baptizing and teaching men, women, and children everything that Jesus commanded us to observe.

Biblical & Historic – we worship in accord with the ancient Western liturgy, reformed according to the Scripture.

Reformed – we confess the historic creeds, adhere to the Westminster Standards, appreciate the Three Forms of Unity, and govern the church according to Presbyterian polity.

Church – we assemble as one part of the universal church, appointed by Christ as the means by which His people of all nations would be gathered and grow in grace.

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**New Visitor
Sign-up Form**



**Zoom Link
Virtual Prayer**