Our Mission

Christ Church exists to lead people into a deeper relationship with Christ and His Church through community and for the city.

Connect to Christ Church

We are so happy you are worshiping with us and would love to connect with you! Stop by the welcome table in the foyer for information or prayer, and we invite you to the side yard after the service for coffee hour.

If you are new, please complete the Connect Card in the pew rack and give the card to a pastor. Visit christchurcheastbay.org for more information.

Like our music?

Check us out on Spotify (Christ Church East Bay), YouTube (Christ Church East Bay Music), Apple Music (Christ Church East Bay), or Bandcamp (christchurch.bandcamp.com).

Worship Arts Opportunities

- Do you sing or play an instrument? Are you interested in participating on our Sunday worship teams?
- Would you like to participate in our Lessons & Carols choir on Sunday evening, December 11?

Please speak to or email our Worship Arts director Eric Gilbert (eric@christchurcheastbay.org) for either of these opportunities.

Christ Church Kids & Youth

Come to the check-in table in the entrance of the Sanctuary for information on our wonderful programs and childcare for our toddlers, kids and youth on Sundays, and more!

Upcoming Events & Announcements

Let's Read Isaiah! - Fall 2022 Reading Plan

Join us in a a reading plan that will walk us through the book of Isaiah until Christmas. Check the Worship page of the website for a link to the full plan and recommended resources, or find copies at the Welcome Table.

Week 6 - November 6

Sunday - Isaiah 28:1-29 Monday - Isaiah 29:1-14 Tuesday - Isaiah 29:15-24 Thursday - Isaiah 31:1-32:20 Friday - Isaiah 33:1-24 Saturday - Catch-up day

Wednesday - Isaiah 30:1-33

* Belonging Class

Today, November 6, 2022, 12:00 pm

Following in the ways established by Jesus and His apostles as well as our church's mission, Christ Church East Bay encourages church membership. If you're interested in becoming a member or learning more, we'd love for you to attend. You'll meet some of our elders, deacons, and newer attenders, and hear about the history of our church and our philosophy of ministry. Lunch will be served, and childcare is available.

* Wonderful Wednesdays November 9, 2nd Wednesday Evensong Service Dinner at 6 pm, Program at 7 pm

Join us for dinner, teaching, and fellowship for all ages on the first three Wednesdays of each month. On the second Wednesday (this week), adults gather for an Evensong service of Scripture, hymns, and prayer for revival. Please * register by the Monday before so we can plan for food and childcare (by tomorrow for this week; no need to register if you're only coming to the service).

Bible Breakfast Bunch November 13 & 20, 9:15-10:15 am, Community Hall

The Breakfast Bible Bunch, led by Sam Vandervelde and Eunice Cheung, opens with breakfast and fellowship, followed by a study on a trio of parables. Our purpose is to strengthen community and seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness through intentional study of the Bible. Reach out to sam.vandervelde@proton.me with questions or ideas.

Congregational Meeting Next Sunday, November 13, right after the service

All are welcome for this important time to learn about what's going on in this season of Christ Church. We'll be hearing from our church leaders about vision and values, mercy and missions, finances, and more. Extended childcare will be available.

* Women Reading Women Monday, November 14, 7:00 pm

This month we're reading *The Long Loneliness: The Autobiography of the Legendary Catholic Social Activist Dorothy Day.* Join us for an evening of great conversation and encouraging fellowship. See details on the * Events page.

* Deck the Halls - Saturday, November 26, 9:00-11:00 am

All hands on deck to decorate the our Sanctuary and Community Hall! Mark your calendar for a morning of fellowship and festive refreshments as we prepare our beautiful church for Advent and Christmas. Help us plan the morning by * registering in advance.

* Register and see details for events marked by an asterisk by using the Church Center app or this QR code:





Sunday, November 6, 2022 Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost (Ordinary Time) 10:30 am

Gathering

All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall. Bring forth the royal diadem and crown Him Lord of all!

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, ye ransomed from the fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace and crown Him Lord of all!

Chorus

As we lift our eyes to the Risen King, Every knee will bow, every tongue will sing. As our voices rise, let our praises fall On the One who is crowned as the Lord of all.

Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball To Him all majesty ascribe and crown Him Lord of all!

"All Hail the Power (As We Lift Our Eyes)"

Words: Edward Perronet, 1779; Music: Oliver Holden, 1793 ARR. & additional chorus: Ryan Van Kirk, Brian Duffy, Drew Kimball ©2010 RVK Music

Call to Worship - Psalm 100

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come before Him with joyful songs.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is He who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of his pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; give thanks to Him and praise His name.

For the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations.

Come Thou Fount

Come, Thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing Thy grace. Streams of mercy never ceasing Call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet Sung by flaming tongues above. Praise the Mount, I'm fixed upon it, Mount of God's redeeming love.

Hitherto Thy love has blessed me; Thou hast brought me to this place. And I know Thy hand will bring me Safely home by Thy good grace. Jesus sought me when a stranger Wandering from the fold of God. He to rescue me from danger, Bought me with His precious blood. O to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be. Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, Bind my wandering heart to Thee. Prone to wander, Lord I feel it; Prone to leave the God I love. Here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, Seal it for Thy courts above.

Words: Robert Robinson, 1758 Music: NETTLETON, Wyeth's *Repository of Sacred Music, Part II*, 1843

Ancient of Days

Though the nations rage, kingdoms rise and fall, There is still one King reigning over all. So I will not fear, for this truth remains: That my God is the Ancient of Days.

Chorus

None above Him, none before Him, All of time in His hands. For His throne it shall remain and ever stand. All the power, all the glory, I will trust in His name; For my God is the Ancient of Days.

Though the dread of night overwhelms my soul, He is here with me; I am not alone.
O His love is sure, and He knows my name.
For my God is the Ancient of Days.

Though I may not see what the future brings, I will watch and wait for the Savior King. Then my joy complete, standing face to face In the presence of the Ancient of Days.

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Prayer and Confession

Jesus said, "Whoever has My commands and keeps them is the one who loves Me. The one who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I too will love them and show Myself to them."

In the light of Christ, let us together confess our sins:
God of everlasting love, we confess that we have been
unfaithful in our relationship You and with each other.
We have worshiped other gods: money, power, pleasure,
and convenience. We have served our own self-interests
instead of serving You and Your people. We have not
loved our neighbor as You have commanded, nor have we
rightly loved You. Forgive us, gracious God, and bring us
back into the fullness of our relationship with You and
each other. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Silence is kept for private confession and petition.

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Assurance of Pardon

Hear, receive, and rest by faith upon the promises of God to all those who repent of their sins and trust in Jesus Christ alone for all their confidence before God:

The Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces; He will remove His people's disgrace from all the earth. The Lord has spoken. In that day they will say, "Surely this is our God; we trusted in Him, and He saved us. This is the Lord, we trusted in Him; let us rejoice and be glad in His salvation." (Isaiah 25:8-9)

Thanks be to God.

Passing of the Peace

The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

*Children are dismissed at this time.

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, glory be to the Son, Glory be to the Spirit, Three in One. As it was in the beginning, It will be forever, Amen. Amen.

From "Gloria Patri" (3rd c. Christian text); Music: Karl Digerness ©2009 City Church SF Music

The Lord's Word

Old Testament Lesson

A reading from the book of Exodus:

Ex 34:1 The Lord said to Moses, "Chisel out two stone tablets like the first ones, and I will write on them the words that were on the first tablets, which you broke. 2 Be ready in the morning, and then come up on Mount Sinai. Present yourself to Me there on top of the mountain. 3 No one is to come with you or be seen anywhere on the mountain; not even the flocks and herds may graze in front of the mountain." 4 So Moses chiseled out two stone tablets like the first ones and went up Mount Sinai early in the morning, as the Lord had commanded him; and he carried the two stone tablets in his hands. 5 Then the Lord came down in the cloud and stood there with him and proclaimed His name, the Lord. 6 And He passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, "The Lord, the Lord, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, 7 maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin. Yet He does not leave the guilty unpunished; He punishes the children and their children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation." 8 Moses bowed to the ground at once and worshiped. 9 "Lord," he said, "if I have found favor

in Your eyes, then let the Lord go with us. Although this is a stiff-necked people, forgive our wickedness and our sin, and take us as Your inheritance." 10 Then the Lord said: "I am making a covenant with you. Before all your people I will do wonders never before done in any nation in all the world. The people you live among will see how awesome is the work that I, the Lord, will do for you. 11 Obey what I command you today. I will drive out before you the Amorites, Canaanites, Hittites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites. 12 Be careful not to make a treaty with those who live in the land where you are going, or they will be a snare among you. 13 Break down their altars, smash their sacred stones and cut down their Asherah poles. 14 Do not worship any other god, for the Lord, whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God."

29 When Moses came down from Mount Sinai with the two tablets of the covenant law in his hands, he was not aware that his face was radiant because he had spoken with the Lord.

The grass withers, and the flowers fall, but the Word of our God stands forever.

*Please be seated.

Teaching

Sermon Series: Revive Us!

Title: The Goodness of God Made Manifest

Preacher: Rev. Jonathan St. Clair

The Lord's Supper

Let us confess our faith from the Apostle's Creed.

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God, the Father Almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts!

We lift them up to the Lord!

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Preface (Prayer of Praise)

(Sung)

Holy, holy, holy Lord
God of power and might.
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory,
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest!

He Took, Blessed, and Broke

Words of Institution

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of the faith: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Christ, our Passover, is sacrificed for us. Therefore, let us keep the feast.

And now as our Savior taught us, so we pray:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are Yours, now and forever. Amen.

He Gave

Invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God. **Thanks be to God.**

Goodness of God

I love You, Lord, for Your mercy never fails me; All my days, I've been held in Your hands. From the moment that I wake up, until I lay my head, I will sing of the goodness of God.

Chorus

And all my life You have been faithful, And all my life You have been so, so good. With every breath that I am able I will sing of the goodness of God.

I love Your voice; You have led me through the fire. In the darkest night, You are close like no other. I've known You as a Father, I've known You as a Friend, And I have lived in the goodness of God.

Bridge

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me. Your goodness is running after, it's running after me. With my life laid down, I'm surrendered now, I give You everything.

Your goodness is running after, it's running after me.

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Offering Ourselves and Our Gifts

Let us offer our gifts and our lives to God.

Most merciful God, whose hand is open wide to satisfy the needs of every living creature: Make us, we pray, ever thankful for Your loving providence; and grant that we might be faithful stewards of Your great blessing; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with You and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Prayers of the People

Prayers offered for the Church, our city, and our world

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father; There is no shadow of turning with Thee. Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not; As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Refrain

Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided. Great is Thy Faithfulness, Lord unto me.

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide,
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

Words: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923 Music: FAITHFULNESS, William M. Runyan, 1923

Blessing and Sending

Let us go in the name of Christ to love and serve the world. **Thanks be to God.**

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