



Fourth Sunday After Epiphany

El cuarto domingo después de epifanía

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Welcome to Cristo Rey

It's a big step to walk into a new church! We are glad you came. If you are looking for a place to learn more about God's Word, grow in your faith, and be connected to other Christians, please visit us again soon.

Guide to Today's Worship

The order for today's service is printed in the service folder. Much of our service is designed to be responsive between the pastor and the congregation. The pastor will lead the sections marked **(P)**. You are invited to join in the sections marked **(C)**.

For Your Convenience

Restrooms are in the back of our church, behind the altar area. They are accessible through our rear entrance near the parking lot. Children are always welcome in our worship services. However, if a child needs a quick break there is nurse located in the back of our narthex near the main entrance. If there is any way we can assist you, please ask our usher.

Spiritual Services

To serve you and our community, we offer a variety of spiritual services. These include catechism, counseling, visits to the sick and hospitalized, baptisms and quinceañera worship services. These spiritual services are available at no cost. Please speak with Pastor Matt to learn more.

Heme Aquí | Adult Bible Class on Fridays in Spanish

Te invitamos a nuestro curso, Heme Aquí, todos los viernes a las 6pm. Durante el curso se nos enseña un método sencillo de compartir la palabra de Dios. El propósito de este curso es recibir capacitación para compartir la palabra de Dios con nuestros prójimos.

Today's Flowers Provided By:

Dan and Linda Verner

Last Week's Attendance.....26

Last Week's Offering.....\$1,401

Today's Snacks Provided By:

Reyna Martinez

OPENING HYMN

Baptismal Waters Cover Me



1 Bap - tis - mal wa - ters cov - er me As
2 I look to Christ up - on the tree, His
3 Lord, may your wound - ed hand im - part Your
4 From your own mouth comes forth a word; Your
5 Bap - tis - mal wa - ters cov - er me; Christ's



I ap - proach on bend - ed knee; My
bod - y bro - ken there for me; I
heal - ing to my bro - ken heart; Your
Shep - herd speaks, but you are heard; Through
wound - ed hand has set me free. Held



Fa - ther's mer - cy here I plead, For
lay be - fore him all my sin, My
love a - lone can form in me A
him your hand now stretch - es out, For -
in my Fa - ther's strong em - brace, With



griev - ous sins of thought and deed.
dark - est se - crets from with - in.
heart that serves you joy - ful - ly.
giv - ing sin, de - stroy - ing doubt.
joy I praise him for his grace.

OPENING RITE

M: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

M: Beloved in the Lord: let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins to God our Father, asking him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

Amados en el Señor: acerquémonos con corazón sincere y confesemos nuestros pecados a Dios nuestro Padre, pidiéndole en el nombre de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo que nos concede el perdón.

C: **I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts, words, and actions through my fault, through my own fault, through my own most grievous fault. Therefore, I ask God to have mercy on me; forgive me all my sins; and bring me to eternal life.**

Yo confieso ante Dios todopoderoso y ante ustedes, hermanos, que he pecado mucho de pensamiento, palabra y obra por mi culpa por mi propia culpa por mi propia gran culpa Por eso ruego a Dios que tenga piedad de mi, perdone todos mis pecados y me lleve a la vida eterna.

M: God, our heavenly Father, has been merciful to us and has given his only Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Dios todopoderosos, nuestro Padre celestial, ha tenido Misericordia de nosotros y nos ha dado a su único Hijo para morir por nosotros. Por tanto como pastor llamado y ordenado por su iglesia, te perdono todos tus pecados en el nombre del Padre y del Hijo y del Espíritu Santo.

C: **Amen.**

Amén.

LORD, HAVE MERCY

M: In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

M: For the peace that comes from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

M: For peace throughout the world, for the wellbeing of the church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

M: For this family of faith and for all who here offer their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

C: **Lord, have mercy.**

M: Help, save, comfort, and defend us, merciful Lord.

C: **Amen.**

SONG OF PRAISE

M: The works of the Lord are great and glorious! His name is worthy of praise!



C: O Lord, our Lord, how glo - rious is your name in



all the earth. Al - might - y God, mer - ci - ful Fa - ther,



you crown our life with your love. You take a - way our sin;



you com - fort our spir - it; you make us pure and



ho - ly in your sight. You did not spare your on - ly Son,

but gave him up for us all. O Lord, our Lord,

how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

O Son of God, e - ter - nal Word of the Fa - ther,

you came to live with us; you made your Fa - ther known;

you washed us from our sins in your own blood. You are the

King of glo - ry; you are the Lord! O Lord, our Lord,

how glo - rious is your name in all the earth.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: Lord God, you know that we are surrounded by many dangers and that we often stumble and fall. Strengthen us in body and mind, and bring us safely through all temptations; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

FIRST LESSON

Jeremiah 1:4-10

⁴The word of the Lord came to me, saying,

⁵“Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,
before you were born I set you apart;
I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”

⁶“Alas, Sovereign Lord,” I said, “I do not know how to speak; I am too young.”

⁷But the Lord said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am too young.’ You must go to everyone I send you to and say whatever I command you. ⁸Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you and will rescue you,” declares the Lord.

⁹Then the Lord reached out his hand and touched my mouth and said to me, “I have put my words in your mouth. ¹⁰See, today I appoint you over nations and kingdoms to uproot and tear down, to destroy and overthrow, to build and to plant.”

PSALM

Psalm 74

M: My people, hear my teaching;

C: **listen to the words of my mouth.**

M: I will open my mouth with a parable; I will utter hidden things, things from of old—

C: **things we have heard and known, things our ancestors have told us.**

M: We will not hide them from their descendants; we will tell the next generation

C: **the praiseworthy deeds of the Lord, his power, and the wonders he has done.**

M: He decreed statutes for Jacob and established the law in Israel,

C: **which he commanded our ancestors to teach their children,**

M: So the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born,

C: **and they in turn would tell their children.**

M: Then they would put their trust in God and would not forget his deeds

C: **but would keep his commands.**

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit
As it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever.**

SECOND LESSON

Philippians 4:4-7

²⁷ Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it. ²⁸ And God has placed in the church first of all apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, of helping, of guidance, and of different kinds of tongues. ²⁹ Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? ³⁰ Do all have gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? ³¹ Now eagerly desire the greater gifts. And yet I will show you the most excellent way.

¹ If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. ² If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. ³ If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.

⁴ Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. ⁵ It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. ⁶ Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. ⁷ It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

⁸ Love never fails. But where there are prophecies, they will cease; where there are tongues, they will be stilled; where there is knowledge, it will pass away. ⁹ For we know in part and we prophesy in part, ¹⁰ but when completeness comes, what is in part disappears. ¹¹ When I was a child, I talked like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child. When I became a man, I put the ways of childhood behind me. ¹² For now we see only a reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known.

¹³ And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

VERSE OF THE DAY

Luke 4:18

Alleluia. The Spirit of the Lord is on me; he has anointed me to preach good news.
Alleluia.



C: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

These words are writ - ten that we may be - lieve that

Je - sus is the Christ, the Son of God.

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

GOSPEL

Luke 4:20-32

²⁰Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him. ²¹He began by saying to them, “Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing.”

²²All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his lips. “Isn’t this Joseph’s son?” they asked. ²³Jesus said to them, “Surely you will quote this proverb to me: ‘Physician, heal yourself!’ And you will tell me, ‘Do here in your hometown what we have heard that you did in Capernaum.’”

²⁴“Truly I tell you,” he continued, “no prophet is accepted in his hometown. ²⁵I assure you that there were many widows in Israel in Elijah’s time, when the sky was shut for three and a half years and there was a severe famine throughout the land. ²⁶Yet Elijah was not sent to any of them, but to a widow in Zarephath in the region of Sidon. ²⁷And there were many in Israel with leprosy in the time of Elisha the prophet, yet not one of them was cleansed—only Naaman the Syrian.”

²⁸All the people in the synagogue were furious when they heard this. ²⁹They got up, drove him out of the town, and took him to the brow of the hill on which the town was built, in order to throw him off the cliff. ³⁰But he walked right through the crowd and went on his way. ³¹Then he went down to Capernaum, a town in Galilee, and on the Sabbath he taught the people. ³²They were amazed at his teaching, because his words had authority.

M: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

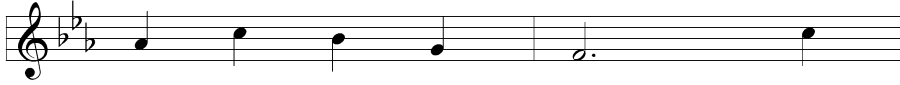
C: Praise be to you, O Christ!

HYMN OF THE DAY

Oh Christ, Who Called the Twelve



1 O Christ, who called the Twelve To
 2 O Christ, who taught the Twelve The
 3 O Christ, who sent the Twelve On
 4 O Christ, th' a - pos - tles' Lord, The



rise and fol - low you, For -
 truth for a - ges sealed, Whose
 roads they'd nev - er trod To
 mar - tyrs' strength and song, The



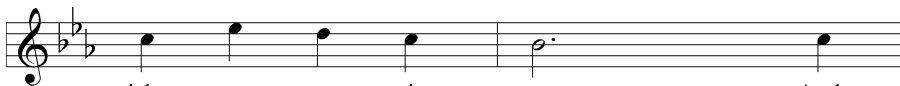
sak - ing old, fa - mil - iar ways For
 words and works a - wak - ened faith, The
 serve, to suf - fer, teach, pro - claim The
 cru - ci - fied and ris - en King To



ven - tures bold and new: Grant
 ways of God re - vealed: In -
 near - er reign of God: Send
 whom the saints be - long: Though



us to hear your call To
 struct us now, we pray, By
 us on ways where faith Tran -
 gen - er - a - tions pass, Our



risk se - cur - i - ty And,
 your em - pow'r - ing Word, True
 scends ti - mid - i - ty, Where
 trib - ute still we bring, Our

bound in heart and will to you, Find
 teach - er, be for all who seek Their
 love in - forms and hope sus - tains Both
 hymns a sac - ri - fice of praise, Our
 per - fect lib - er - ty.
 light, their life, their Lord.
 life and min - is - try.
 lives an of - fer - ing.

SERMON

Jesus Promises to Be with You

Jesús promete estar contigo

Matthew 28:16-20

¹⁶The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had directed them. ¹⁷When they saw him, they worshipped him, but some hesitated because they were uncertain. ¹⁸Jesus approached and spoke to them saying, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹Therefore go and gather disciples from all nations by baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰and by teaching them to keep all the instructions I have given you. And surely I am with you always until the end of the age.”

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary, and became fully human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate. He suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,

and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who in unity with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

The pastor leads the congregation in the prayer of the church.

OFFERING

The members of Cristo Rey work together to support the work of the Lord in their community and around the world. Visitors should not feel obligated to participate.

THE PREFACE

M: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

M: Lift up your hearts.

C: **We lift them up to the Lord.**

M: Let us give thanks to the Lord, our God.

C: **It is good and right so to do.**

M: It is truly good and right that we should at all times and in all places, give thanks to you, Holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord who lived among us as a human being and revealed his glory as your only Son, full of grace and truth. Therefore, with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify your glorious name, evermore praising you and saying:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY



C: Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.



The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.



You are my God, and I will ex - alt you.



I will give you thanks, for you have be - come my sal -



va - tion. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly is the Lord of hosts.



The whole earth is full of your glo - ry.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Padre nuestro que estás en el cielo, santificado sea tu nombre. Venga a nos tu reino. Hágase tu voluntad. Así en la tierra como en el cielo. Danos hoy nuestro pan de cada día. Perdona nuestras ofensas como también perdonamos los que nos ofenden. No nos dejes caer en la tentación más líbranos del mal. Porque tuyo es el reino el poder y la gloria por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

M: Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night he was betrayed, took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

Then he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is poured out for you for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, in remembrance of me."

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

LAMB OF GOD



C: O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



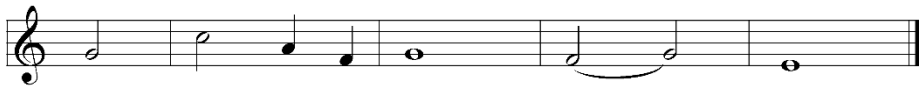
world; have mer - cy on us. O Christ, Lamb of God, you



take a - way the sin of the world; have mer - cy on us.



O Christ, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



world; grant us your peace. A - men.

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

God's Word teaches we should examine and prepare ourselves before receiving communion. It requires that we recognize the true presence of Christ's body and blood. It also teaches that communion is an expression of our unity in the faith. Therefore, we ask guests who are not members of our church or one of our affiliated churches to meet with our pastor before receiving communion the first time.

SONG OF THANKSGIVING



C: Thank the Lord and sing his praise. Tell ev-'ry-one what he has done.



Let all who seek the Lord re - jice and proud - ly bear his name.



He re - news his prom - is - es and leads his peo - ple forth in joy with



shouts of thanks - giv - ing. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

M: We give thanks to you, almighty God, that you have refreshed us through this sacrament, and we implore you that of your mercy you would strengthen us through the same in faith toward you and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

BLESSING

M: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

C: Amen.

CLOSING HYMN

“How Shall They Hear,” Who Have Not Heard



1 “How shall they hear,” who have not heard News
2 “To all the world;” to ev - ’ry place, Neigh -
3 “Whom shall I send?” Who hears the call, Con -
4 “Lord, here am I:” Your fire im - part To
5 Spir - it of love, with - in us move: Spir -



of a Lord who loved and came; Nor
bors and friends and far - off lands, Preach
stant in prayer, through toil and pain, Tell -
this poor, cold, self - cen - tered soul; Touch
it of truth, in pow’r come down! So



known his rec - on - cil - ing Word, Nor
the good news of sav - ing grace; Go
ing of One who died for all, To
but my lips, my hands, my heart, And
shall they hear and find and prove Christ



learned to trust a Sav - ior’s name?
while the Great Com - mis - sion stands.
bring a lost world home a - gain?
make a world for Christ my goal.
is their life, their joy, their crown.