

# CORAL RIDGE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TRADITIONAL SERVICE | February 28, 2021

**Prelude** | Lisa B. Wilson, piano  
Dr. John L. Wilson, organ  
Dr. Wilson, organ

*Be Thou My Vision*  
arr. Mark Hayes

*Aria*  
Charles Callahan

Eric Wilson, piano

*Give Me Jesus*  
arr. Bethany K. Smith

**Call to Worship** | Rev. Rob Pacienza, Lead Pastor

**\*Hymn of Adoration**

*We Come, O Christ, to You*  
See projected lyrics

**\*Invocation & the Lord's Prayer** | *Humbly call upon God to bless our worship*

**\*Choral Response**

Bernie González, director

*My Eternal King*  
Jane Marshall

**Corporate Confession of Sin** | David Bibee

Holy and gracious Father, we thank You for the Gospel of Jesus which tells us that the One who possesses real authority to assert His rights lays them aside to humbly serve and die for us. But we confess, in our pride, we often haven't responded to the Gospel faithfully. We have denied You with silence, passivity, and cowardice. We have betrayed You with our idolatry, disobedience, and selfishness. For these things we ask Your forgiveness and Your enabling grace. Transform us into courageous ambassadors for Christ. Draw us ever closer to You and embolden us to take up our cross daily to follow You. For we pray in the name of the One to whom every knee will bow and every tongue confess, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Assurance of Pardon**

**Ministry of Music**

Kimberly González, soloist

*Here I Am, Lord*  
arr. Jack Schrader

I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard My people cry.

All who dwell in deepest sin My hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.

Who will bear My light to them? Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord, is it I, Lord? I have heard You calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if You lead me. I will hold Your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain, I have borne My people's pain.

I have wept for love of them, they turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone, give them hearts for love alone.

I will speak My word to them, whom shall I send?

I, the Lord of wind and flame, I will tend the poor and lame.

I will set a feast for them, My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide till their hearts be satisfied.

I will give My life to them. Whom shall I send?

**\*Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed**

**\*Gloria Patri**

**Announcements**

**Anthem** | Mrs. Wilson, organ

Dr. Wilson, director

*At the Name of Jesus*  
Cindy Berry

Jesus, though He was God, did not cling to His rights as God,

But laid aside His mighty power and glory,

Taking the form of a servant and becoming like men.

He humbled Himself, and became obedient unto death,

Even death on the cross.

At the name of Jesus every knee shall bow in Heaven and earth,

That every knee shall bow and every tongue shall confess

That Jesus Christ is Lord!

—Phillipians 2:6-11

**Family Rooms**, reserved for parents with small children, are located in the back of the Sanctuary.

\*Doxology | *Song of praise in response to God's favor*

Scripture Reading

Matthew 25:1-13

Sermon | Rev. Pacienza

God's Story – Our Story, Part 61

Hymn of Preparation

*I Surrender All*  
See projected lyrics

Sacrament of Communion

\*Response

*Alleluia*  
arr. Ron Huff

Please join in singing with the choir on the repeat

\*Benediction

Postlude | Dr. Wilson, organ

*Toccata*  
Théodore Dubois

\*Please stand if you are able

## COVID-19 UPDATE

**Sunday in-person worship:** Contemporary at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall; Traditional at 11am in the Sanctuary. Face coverings (nose and mouth) are **mandatory** and **must** remain in place during the entire service. Detailed guidelines are posted at [www.crpc.org/sunday](http://www.crpc.org/sunday)

**Sunday Livestream:** We livestream our Sunday worship services at 9:30am (Contemporary) and 11am (Traditional). You can watch today's or previous services at [www.crpc.org/live](http://www.crpc.org/live). Bulletins as well as children's and youth worship guides are available on the same page.

**INFANTS & CHILDREN – 9:30 & 11am:**

**Nursery by registration only** = 12wks – 2yrs (text 954.892.9932 with age and which service attending).

**Kid Ridge Jr** = 3 – 4 yrs | Little Ridge Complex

**Kindergarten – 5th Grade Kids' Worship** | DeVos Chapel Lobby

**Children's Resources** to enable parents to connect with their kids are available online at [www.crpc.org/kids](http://www.crpc.org/kids)

**Sunday School:** Adult Sunday School classes are available at [crpc.org/sundayschool](http://crpc.org/sundayschool)

**Online Midweek Study:** Past midweek studies are available at [youtube.com/coralridge](https://youtube.com/coralridge)

**Events:** Concert Series info available at [crpc.org/concertseries](http://crpc.org/concertseries)

**App:** Our App is available for IOS & Android in the App Store: search "Coral Ridge"

**Giving:** In order to provide our online worshippers with the opportunity to continue to support this ministry, we recently launched a new giving platform. Go to [www.crpc.org/give](http://www.crpc.org/give) and follow the prompts to set up your account. (If you encounter an error during setup that says your email is already in use it is likely because you have made a payment for an event registration in the last several months. Click "Forgot Password" to receive an email link to create a new password and login.) Please direct any setup questions to [communications@crpc.org](mailto:communications@crpc.org)

- You may also **text GIVE** to 954.245.0422.
- **Checks** can be mailed to: Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church, 5555 N Federal Hwy, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308

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# WE EQUIP GOSPEL-CENTERED, CULTURE-SHAPING CHRISTIANS FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION

## SERMON NOTES

**BIG IDEA:** Real Faith

1. The counterfeits
2. The characteristics
3. The preparation

## MEDIA & RESOURCES

**60th Anniversary Stories:** [60years@crpc.org](mailto:60years@crpc.org)

**All Things New,** Pastor Rob's weekly radio program, airs on Sundays at 12pm on Moody Radio (89.3FM).

**E-Newsletter:** sign-up and stay connected. Email [connect@crpc.org](mailto:connect@crpc.org)

**Live Stream:** [www.crpc.tv](http://www.crpc.tv) | 9:30 & 11am Sunday & 6:30pm Wednesday

**Welcome Center:** books, music CDs - open Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm

**YouTube Channel:** watch past services: [www.youtube.com/coralridge](http://www.youtube.com/coralridge)

**Follow us on social media:** Instagram [@coralridge](https://www.instagram.com/coralridge) | Twitter [@coralridgepc](https://twitter.com/coralridgepc)



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## FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2020-2021

July 1 – February 21	Budget	Actual
Tithes & Offerings	\$2,181,219	\$2,428,784
Other Income	\$840,692	\$732,895
Expenses	<u>\$2,836,152</u>	<u>\$2,743,265</u>
Net Income (Loss)	\$185,759	\$418,414

**Give Online:** [www.crpc.org/give](http://www.crpc.org/give)

**By Mail:** 5555 N Federal Hwy Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308

**By Text:** GIVE to 954-245-0422

**By App:** search for "Coral Ridge" in the App Store (IOS & Android)

**Donations of securities, real estate, or trusts:** John Standart | 954-334-5188

# PASTOR'S GREETING

*Please prepare your heart for worship and silence your mobile devices*

**W**elcome to in-person and online worship at Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church. We are truly living in uncertain times. However, Jesus says, "Do not let your hearts be troubled." How could He say such a thing in the midst of a world full of pain and suffering? Does He have an answer to comfort a troubled heart?


In fact, Jesus gives us the only antidote when He says, "Believe in God; believe also in me." Jesus is calling us to believe in the One who was dead, but is now alive. If the resurrection is true, He alone has the power to redeem any circumstance. Jesus can work through anything that life has thrown your way. The world's answer is to believe in yourself. But that doesn't seem to offer any real hope. On the contrary, Jesus tells us to stop believing in yourself and instead believe in Him. This is real hope in a hopeless world.

So whether you've been a Christian for years or you're exploring who Jesus is, I pray you are encouraged by this good news. Please let me know how Coral Ridge can serve you in the days and weeks ahead!

Forever Hopeful,

Rob Pacienza, Lead Pastor

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## WOULD YOU LIKE TO HAVE A RELATIONSHIP WITH JESUS?

The Bible says, "If you declare with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved."

### YOU CAN PRAY THIS SIMPLE PRAYER:

*Dear Jesus, please forgive me. I no longer want to live life without you. Come into my life as my Lord and Savior. Thank you for living the life I could never live and dying in my place on the cross. I want the hope of heaven both now and forever.*

*Amen.*

Jesus said, "...the one who believes has everlasting life."