



# CORAL RIDGE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TRADITIONAL SERVICE | May 2, 2021

**Prelude** | Eric Wilson, piano

*Sweet Hour of Prayer*

arr. Jay Rouse

Dr. John L. Wilson, organ

*Gabriel's Oboe*

Ennio Morricone

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

**\*Hymn of Adoration**

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

No. 295, verses 1, 2 & 4

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

**\*Choral Response**

*Amen (from Nearer, My God, to Thee)*

Bernie González, director

Diane Bish

**Ministry Spotlight** | Rev. Andrew & Allison Siegenthaler

**Ministry of Music**

*The Lord Is My Light and My Salvation*

Neil Nelson, solo

Frances Allitsen

The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom, then, shall I fear?

The Lord is the strength of my life; of whom, then, shall I be afraid?

Though an host of men were laid against me, yet shall not my heart be afraid;

And though there rose up war against me, yet shall I put my trust in Him.

For, in the time of trouble, He shall hide me in His tabernacle.

Yea, in the secret places of His dwelling shall He hide me,

And set me up upon a rock of stone!

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—Psalm 27

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

**\*Gloria Patri**

**Announcements**

**Anthem** | Lisa B. Wilson, organ

*I Will Rise*

Dr. Wilson, director

Chris Tomlin; arr. Craig Courtney

Brittany Graham, Melissa Redway, Bernie González, trio

There's a peace I've come to know, though my heart and flesh may fail;

There's an anchor for my soul: I can say, "It is well."

Jesus has overcome and the grave is overwhelmed.

The victory is won; He is risen from the dead,

And I will rise when He calls my name,

No more sorrow, no more pain.

I will rise on eagle's wings before my God, fall on my knees and rise!

There's a day that's drawing near when this darkness breaks to light,

And the shadows disappear and my faith shall be my eyes.

And I hear the voice of many angels sing, "Worthy is the Lamb!",

And I hear the cry of every longing heart, "Worthy is the Lamb!"

I will rise!

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

**Scripture Reading**

Acts 8:4-8, 26-39

**Sermon** | Rev. Pacienza

*God's Story – Our Story, Part 69*

**\*Benediction**

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

**\*Hymn of Response**

*And Can It Be That I Should Gain*  
No. 455, verses 1 & 5

**Postlude** | Dr. Wilson, organ

*Fugue in C Major*  
Dietrich Buxtehude

\*Please stand if you are able

## INFORMATION

**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 COVID guidelines are posted at [crpc.org/sunday](https://crpc.org/sunday)

**Sunday Livestream:** Both 9:30am (Contemporary) and 11am (Traditional). You can watch today's or previous services at [crpc.org/live](https://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 [crpc.org/kids](https://crpc.org/kids)

**Would you like to begin a relationship with Jesus?** Text TrustJesus to 97000 or online at [crpc.org/jesus](https://crpc.org/jesus)

**Sunday School:** Adult Sunday School classes are available at [crpc.org/sundayschool](https://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](https://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](https://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: POWER OF CONVERSION

1. All In Evangelism
2. Radical Inclusion
3. An Amazing Savior

## MEDIA & RESOURCES

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

**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 | Twitter @coralridgepc



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## FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2020–2021

July 1 – April 26	Budget	Actual
Tithes & Offerings	\$2,706,157	\$3,125,960
Other Income	\$1,071,090	\$917,290
Expenses	<u>\$3,544,923</u>	<u>\$3,501,923</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u>\$232,324</u>	<u>\$541,327</u>

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

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**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."

**MAY 6 | 9:30AM**  
**PRAYER & WORSHIP**

**NATIONAL DAY *of* PRAYER**



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