

GENERATION *to* GENERATION

A CULTURE-SHAPING MOVEMENT

- Prelude** | Eric Wilson, piano
John L. Wilson, organ
O Come, O Come Emmanuel
arr. Dan Musselman
What Child Is This?
arr. Richard Purvis
- Advent Reading** | The Candle of Presence
The Critch Family
- Introit**
Lisa B. Wilson, director
Come and Worship Christ, the New Born King!
Henry Smart
- Call to Worship** | Rev. Rob Pacienza, Senior Pastor
- *Processional Hymn**
O Come, All Ye Faithful
No. 208, verses 1, 3 & 4
- *Invocation & the Lord's Prayer** | *Humbly call upon God to bless our worship*
- *Choral Response**
Bernie González, director
O Tidings of Comfort and Joy
Traditional English Carol
- Ministry of Music** | Coral Ridge Children's Choir
Annette Myers, director
O come, little children, O come, one and all!
O come to the manger in Bethlehem's stall.
The bright star will guide us and show us the way
To Jesus, our Savior, asleep on the hay.
Come, little children, come, come to Bethlehem.
Come, see the baby lying in a manger.
Come, little children, come, come to Bethlehem.
Come, see the new-born King!
Come, see the shining star guiding us from afar,
Helping to show us the way.
Come, little children, come, come to Bethlehem,
Come, see the new-born King!
- Sacrament of Baptism**
Elle Chanel Gerwig | Parent: Bill Gerwig
Luke Reilly VanZwieten | Parents: Mark & Caitlin VanZwieten
- *Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed** | Caleb Koornneef
- *Gloria Patri**
- Announcements**
- Anthem** | Lisa B. Wilson, organ
John L. Wilson, director
Gloria in Excelsis
Mack Wilberg
- *Doxology** | *Song of praise in response to God's favor*
- Scripture Reading**
Isaiah 9:1-7
- Sermon** | Rev. Rob Pacienza
O Come, O Come Emmanuel, Part 1
- *Hymn of Response**
Hark! the Herald Angels Sing
No. 203, verses 1 & 3
- *Benediction**
- *Choral Benediction**
Noel, Born Is the King of Israel
Traditional English Carol
- Postlude** | Dr. John L. Wilson, organ
God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen
arr. Myron Roberts

*Please stand if you are able

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

SERMON NOTES

BIG IDEA: THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

1. The Arrival of the Light

2. The Identity of the Light

3. The Mission of the Light

Officer Elections will be held on **Sunday, December 19, 10:30am in the Fellowship Hall**. The following men have been nominated for the office of Deacon: James Barnes Jr, Ryan Collins, Derek Kelmanson, Bob Mendenall, Neil Monteleone, Matt Salvatoriello, Dan Sirois, & Brian Webb.

INFORMATION

Sunday in-person worship: Contemporary at 9:30am in the Fellowship Hall; Traditional at 11am in the Sanctuary.

Sunday Livestream: 9:30am (Contemporary) & 11am (Traditional) accessible at crpc.org/live. Previous services and bulletins are available on the same page.

INFANTS, KIDS & YOUTH: 9:30 & 11am:

Little Ridge = Infants – 2 years old

Kid Ridge Jr = PK3 – PK4 (must be potty-trained and turn 3 by new school year)

Kid Ridge = Kindergarten – 5th grade

Check-in located in the North Breezeway, west of the DeVos Chapel

Youth = Grades 6 – 12 | Gangway

Adult Sunday School 9:30 & 11am: See schedule at crpc.org/sundayschool

Sunday Fellowship: 10:30 – 10:50am in the Fellowship Hall Lobby

Would you like to begin a relationship with Jesus? Text TrustJesus to 97000 or online at crpc.org/jesus

Midweek Community Groups: Sign up at crpc.org/communitygroups

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

FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2021-2022

July 1 – November 29	Budget	Actual
Tithes & Offerings	\$1,135,519	\$1,531,869
Other Income	\$506,103	\$550,311
Expenses	<u>\$1,826,869</u>	<u>\$1,839,773</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u>(\$185,247)</u>	<u>\$242,407</u>

Give Online: www.crpc.org/give (now accepting cryptocurrency)

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

**ONE GENERATION SHALL COMMEND YOUR
WORKS TO ANOTHER AND SHALL DECLARE
YOUR MIGHTY ACTS –Psalm 145:4**

CAMPAIGN PRIORITIES



EDUCATION

By fulfilling our vision for Education we can provide a center for training in theology, evangelism, and cultural issues, continuing Coral Ridge's legacy of equipping the saints for the work of ministry. With this infrastructure in place, we can transform how Christian education occurs in the 21st century. We will begin a movement towards biblical literacy and the integration of faith and culture that leads to a faith in the public square.



NEXT GENERATION

There is an increasing lack of relevancy of the church to the next generation. The number one factor that keeps young people connected to the faith is having a biblical worldview. We must make children's, youth, and family ministry a priority to reverse the trends we are seeing in society today. By fulfilling our vision for Next Generation, we can lead in this critical area, equipping families at every stage of life. With a focus on next generation ministry, our children and youth can not only be taught the message of the Bible, but will be equipped to make a difference for the Kingdom of God in every sphere of life.



FELLOWSHIP

In 1984, the Miami Herald coined the term "megachurch" when discussing the operations of Coral Ridge. The first of its kind, Coral Ridge was a unique space designed to facilitate reaching and connecting with the lost. Today, providing welcoming spaces for organic, intentional gathering is necessary in order to break the trend of isolation. By fulfilling our vision for Fellowship, we can create a space that allows us to connect with visitors and foster community within the church body.



WORSHIP

By fulfilling our vision for Worship, we can create three distinct spaces for Worship and the Arts that are connected to the past yet reflect the present. A brand new contemporary worship center and improved Sanctuary and DeVos Chapel will continue to bring worshipers into God's presence for decades to come, both in person and through our media outreach.

THE ADVENT WREATH CELEBRATION

Please prepare your heart for worship and silence your mobile devices

Each Sunday during the Advent season we light a candle in our morning services and read the corresponding Scripture so that we may focus our attention on Jesus and glorify him. We use three purple candles representing Hope, Love and Peace, and a pink candle representing the Joy that is ours because of Christ's coming into the world and into our hearts and lives. The white candle in the center of the wreath is lit on Christmas Eve and represents the birth of Jesus. This tradition, dating back to A.D. 600, reminds us that the center of the Church and the center of our Christmas celebration is Jesus.

Let every heart prepare Him room!



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CAMPAIGN PILLARS

PURPOSE

Fulfill our vision to equip Gospel-centered, culture-shaping Christians **from Generation to Generation.**

PRIORITIES

Countless statistics and studies point to the alarming reality of a mass exodus from the church by the next generation. The Generation to Generation Capital Campaign seeks to correct this trend by equipping our people with a biblical worldview, and providing the tools to shape culture in the public square.

POTENTIAL

It's time that we embrace God's calling for Coral Ridge to lead the way in this cultural moment as a church that stands for truth and remains committed to advancing the Kingdom through the Great Commission and Cultural Mandate. Coral Ridge has done it before, and by God's grace, we can do it again. Will we allow the world to shape us or will we shape the world? The possibilities are truly endless! **Generation to Generation is a culture-shaping movement.**

Christmas at CORAL RIDGE

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

December 24 | 5pm & 7pm

Childcare available at the 5pm service

**Livestream available at CRPC.TV*

THE NUTCRACKER BALLET SUITE

Presented by Astrid Audet Academy of Ballet

Sunday, December 5 | 2pm

20s30s CHRISTMAS PARTY

General Provision at Fat Village

Sunday, December 5 | 7pm

MEN'S MINISTRY CHRISTMAS DINNER

Galuppi's Restaurant

Wednesday, December 8 | 6:30pm

THE CORAL RIDGE CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR FEATURING GENTRI

Presented by The Coral Ridge Concert Series

Friday, December 10 | 7:30pm

Saturday, December 11 | 4pm

AVONDALE TOY DRIVE

Avondale Park

Saturday, December 18 | 10am

Volunteer to donate, distribute or help wrap toys



Scan to view full Christmas schedule
www.crpc.org/christmas