

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

TRADITIONAL SERVICE | May 25, 2025

Prelude | Dr. John L. Wilson, organ Lisa B. Wilson, piano Joan Peitscher, solo

If My People Will Pray arr. Paul Mickelson God Bless America Irving Berlin

Introit | Michael Irvin, Director

Eternal Father arr. George Williams

**Call to Worship** | We are directed heavenward in preparation for worship Dr. Rob Pacienza, Senior Pastor

\*Hymn of Adoration

Onward, Christian Soldiers No. 572, verses 1, 3 & 5

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

\*Congregational Response

My Hope Is Built (Solid Rock) No. 521 (refrain); see projected lyrics

Corporate Confession of Sin | Andrew Nichols

O Lord, you are a fountain of grace, ever faithful, ever life-giving. Yet we have turned from you and drunk from broken, polluted cisterns—contaminated by pride, anger, fear, and lust. We have defiled our hearts, our homes, and our land. But you have said, "If My people humble themselves, pray, seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, forgive their sin, and heal their land." So, we bow before you now with humility: forgive us, cleanse us through Christ's blood, and by your Spirit make us thirst again for the Living Water. Renew us, that your grace might flow through us to a thirsty world. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon | Reminder of God's forgiveness in Christ

Spotlight: Ministry Year-end Report

\*Profession of Faith (Apostles' Creed)

Jesus is the supreme authority in matters of faith and life

\*Gloria Patri

#### Greeting & Announcements

Anthem | Eric Wilson, piano Dr. John L. Wilson, Director My Country 'Tis of Thee arr. Mack Wilberg

My country 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty of thee I sing Land where my fathers died, land of the pilgrims' pride From every mountainside let freedom ring

My native country thee, land of the noble free thy name I love

I love thy rocks and rills, thy woods and templed hills My heart with rapture thrills like that above

Let music swell the breeze and ring from all the trees sweet freedom's song

Let mortal tongues awake; let all that breathe partake

Let rocks their silence break the sound prolong

Our fathers' God to thee, Author of liberty to thee we sing Long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light Protect us by thy might great God our King

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

Doxology | Song of place in response to God's face

\*Scripture Reading Psalm 33:12; Psalm 9:5-8

Sermon Blessed Is the Nation

Hymn of Response Great Is Thy Faithfulness No. 32, verses 1 & 3

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

\*Benediction | Word of blessing for the Kingdom work God calls us to do

\*Response Please join in singing with the choir Threefold Amen No. 740

Postlude | Michael Irvin, Director Brass Ensemble; Dr. John L. Wilson, organ God of Our Fathers arr. Tim Zimmerman

\*Please stand if you are able

#### SERMON NOTES

BIG IDEA: BLESSED IS THE NATION

1. The Blessing

2. The Blessing Lost

3. The Blessing Reclaimed

#### **INFORMATION**

**Sunday in-person worship:** Contemporary at 9:30am & Traditional at 11am in the Sanctuary. Both services are livestreamed at crpc.org/live. Bulletins and previous services are available on the same page. *¿Habla español?* Spanish translation is available Sunday during the 11am service. Devices are available at the Narthex Info Booth.

INFANTS & KIDS: Sundays, 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

Checkin located in the North Breezeway, west of the DeVos Chapel Adult Sunday School, 9:30am (only): Kingdom Secrets: A Study of Christ's Parables; Generation to Generation Room, 5/18–8/10

Sunday Fellowship: 10:30 - 10:50am: South Breezeway

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

Wednesday Summer Series - 6:30-7:30, DeVos Chapel. crpc.org/summerseries Gangway: Middle School (6th-8th) & High School (9th-12th) crpc.org/students

Community Groups: Sign up at crpc.org/communitygroups
Young Adults & College Students: Connect at caleb@crpc.org or 303.502.0115

App for iOS & Android in the App Store: search "Coral Ridge"

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

#### MEDIA & RESOURCES

Welcome Center Bookstore is open Sunday before and after services &

Mon-Fri from 9:15am-4:30pm

E-Newsletter: sign-up and stay connected: connect@crpc.org

Livestream: www.crpc.tv | 9:30 & 11am Sunday

YouTube: watch past services: www.youtube.com/coralridge

Follow us on social media: Instagram @coralridge | Twitter @coralridgepc City of God podcast: tune in weekly with Pastor Rob and special guests discussing where Christ meets culture. Download www.cityofgodpodcast.com or watch the video on www.youtube.com/coralridge

Interested in more resources from Pastor Rob? We are excited to announce the launch of Coral Ridge Ministries' streaming platform. Access all CRM content – full episodes of Truths That Transform, podcasts, documentaries, and more. Find timely, uncompromising content from a biblically sound perspective at watch.crm.tv



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#### JOB OPPORTUNITIES AT CORAL RIDGE

**Student & Family Discipleship Coordinator** (full time). Info at crpc.org/careers. Email resume to caleb@crpc.org

Communications Manager (full time). Info at crpc.org/careers. Email resume to emily@crpc.org

#### FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2024 - 2025

July 1 – May 21	Budget	Actual
Tithes & Offerings	\$4,823,031	\$4,883,560
Other Income	\$1,560,062	\$1,461,783
Expenses	<u>\$6,476,748</u>	\$6,660,845
Net Income (Loss)	<u>(\$93,655)</u>	(\$315,502)

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: Andrew Nichols, andrew@crpc.org

#### PASTOR'S GREETING

Thank you for joining us for worship today!

In every generation, the church has always been the hope of the world. This cultural moment is no different. Jesus reminds us, "I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it." (Matthew 16:18b). This bold declaration is the promise that Christians would hold on to from generation to generation. It is the uniqueness of the hope offered in the gospel that has transformed people, families, and nations throughout history.

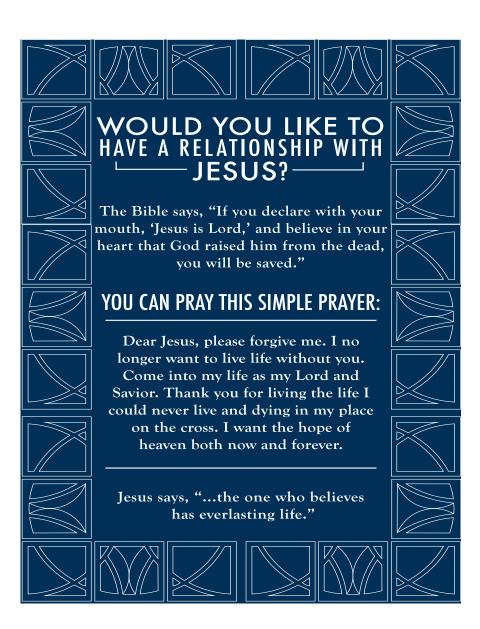
Coral Ridge Presbyterian Church is ready and willing to faithfully answer the call in the 21st century. We are unapologetically committed to biblical truth and desire to equip Christ's followers to be a clear, consistent, and faithful voice in the public square.

By God's grace, this church has an amazing story that is still unfolding. We pray that you feel at home and let us know how we can get you connected to this growing congregation. We celebrate our past and look forward by faith with great excitement as we partner with God to be a beacon of hope in an upside-down world.

We are so glad you're here!

Partor Rob

Dr. Rob Pacienza, Senior Pastor 954.771.8840



#### 2025 MEN'S RETREAT

SEPTEMBER 4th - 6th

#### **OCEAN REEF CLUB**

KEY LARGO, FL

JOIN US FOR GOLFING, DEEP SEA FISHING, SNORKELING, AND MORE!



WITH GUEST SPEAKER SCOTTY SMITH

REGISTER ONLINE CRPC.ORG/MEN

### Men's Breakfast

ANSWERING THE CALL TO BIBLICAL MANHOOD

with Craig Starley and Tec Clark

SATURDAY, JUNE 7 8:30-10:30AM COST \$10 DEVOS CHAPEL



Register at crpc.org/men

## **SUMMERSERIES** 29

**WEDNESDAYS** | DeVos Chapel

THE GOSPEL OF TWO BROTHERS: GENESIS 37-50

MAY 14 - JUNE 18 A 6:30-7:30pm



SUNDAYS | Generation to Generation Room

KINGDOM SECRETS: A STUDY OF CHRIST'S PARABLES

MAY 18 - JULY 20 A 9:30am

662,470

Livestream Views from 55 Different Countries

14,740

Attendees and Online Viewers Joined for Christmas Services

15,103

Attendees and Online Viewers Joined for Holy Week Services



JOIN US

Support the many ministries of Coral Ridge as we approach Year End!

