

**CORAL RIDGE**  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**TRADITIONAL SERVICE | March 8, 2026**

**Prelude** | Eric Wilson, piano  
Steven Strite, organ  
String Quartet

*Nearer, My God, to Thee*  
arr. Dan Forrest  
*O the Deep, Deep Love*  
arr. Duane Funderburk

**Introit**

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*  
Steven Strite

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

**\*Hymn of Adoration**

*Crown Him with Many Crowns*  
No. 295, verses 1, 2, 3 & 4

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

**Congregational Response**

*We Are God's People*  
No. 355, verse 1

**Corporate Confession of Sin** | Andrew Nichols

Holy and gracious Father, we are Your redeemed people, yet at times we refuse to live in the freedom that is ours. We are Your loved people, yet we spurn You by our inordinate desires for other loves. We are Your holy people, yet we confess that the stain of sin persists in our thoughts, words, deeds, and attitudes. You call us to obedience, yet we prefer to question You and Your ways. Therefore, we repent and ask Your forgiveness for the travesty of our rebellion against You. Show us how to build our lives on the only sure foundation, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

**Sacrament of Baptism**

Ethan Louie Garcia | Parents: Louie & Shameena Garcia

**\*Profession of Faith** (Apostles' Creed)

*Jesus is the supreme authority in matters of faith and life*

**\*Gloria Patri**

**Greeting & Announcements**

**Anthem** | Michael Irvin, Director

Steven Strite, organ; Eric Wilson, piano

*Rejoice, the Lord Is King*  
Dan Forrest

Rejoice the Lord is King, your God and King adore.

Rejoice give thanks and sing and triumph evermore.

Lift up your heart, lift up your voice, rejoice, again I say rejoice.

His kingdom cannot fail; He rules o'er earth and heav'n

The keys of death and hell are to our Jesus giv'n.

Rejoice in glorious hope, our Lord and judge shall come

And take His servants up to their eternal home.

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

**\*Scripture Reading**

Romans 13:1-7

**Sermon**

*Hold Fast, Part 15*

**\*Hymn of Response**

*Jesus Shall Reign*  
See projected lyrics

**\*Benediction**

**\*Response**

Please join in singing with the choir

*Threefold Amen*  
No. 740

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

\*Please stand if you are able

## SERMON NOTES

**BIG IDEA: THE GOVERNMENT** | *Westminster Confession of Faith 23.1*

1. Ordained by God

2. Servants of God

3. Calling of God's People

## INFORMATION

**Sunday in-person worship:** Contemporary at 9:30am & Traditional at 11am in the Sanctuary. Both services are livestreamed at [crpc.org/live](http://crpc.org/live). Bulletins and previous services are available on the same page **¿Habla español?** Hay traducción al español disponible durante el servicio de las 11am. Hay dispositivos de audio disponibles en el mostrador de información del Nártex.

**CHILDREN & YOUTH WELCOME IN WORSHIP on Sundays, 9:30 & 11am**

**Kid Ridge Jr:** childcare option for infants – PK4. Check-in North Breezeway.

Family and nursing rooms available during worship.

**Children's Sunday School\*:** K – 5<sup>th</sup> grade.

**Gangway Groups\*:** Sunday School\* for 6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Check-in Gangway Patio, SW side of the church campus.

**Adult Sunday School\*:** For a full list of classes, visit [crpc.org/sundayschool](http://crpc.org/sundayschool)

**\*Worship with your family at 9:30 or 11am;  
attend Sunday School the “other hour.”**

**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](http://crpc.org/jesus)

**Community Groups:** Sign up at [crpc.org/communitygroups](http://crpc.org/communitygroups)

**Young Adults & College Students:** connect at [miguel@crpc.org](mailto:miguel@crpc.org) or 786.525.3433

**App for iOS & Android in the App Store:** search “Coral Ridge”

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

**Do you like to sing?** Join our Chancel Choir. Visit [crpc.org/music](http://crpc.org/music). Rehearsal is Wed, 6:30pm – Choir Room. *Come into his presence with singing. –Psalm 100*

## MEDIA & RESOURCES

Welcome Center Bookstore is open Mon-Fri from 9:15am-4:30pm

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

Livestream: [www.crpc.tv](http://www.crpc.tv) | 9:30 & 11am Sunday

YouTube: watch past services: [www.youtube.com/coralridge](http://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](http://www.cityofgodpodcast.com) or watch the video on [www.youtube.com/coralridge](http://www.youtube.com/coralridge)

Radio: Listen to Pastor Rob daily (Sun-Sat) at 7:30am & 10:30pm on 670AM – The Word. More info at [crpc.org/radio](http://crpc.org/radio)

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](http://watch.crm.tv)



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## FINANCIAL INFORMATION 2025 – 2026

July 1 – March 4	Budget	Actual
Year to Date Giving	\$3,949,037	\$4,151,607
Other Income	\$1,253,181	\$1,341,269
Expenses	<u>\$5,200,840</u>	<u>\$5,625,912</u>
Net Income (Loss)	<u>\$1,378</u>	<u>(\$133,036)</u>

Give Online: [www.crpc.org/give](http://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](mailto:andrew@crpc.org)

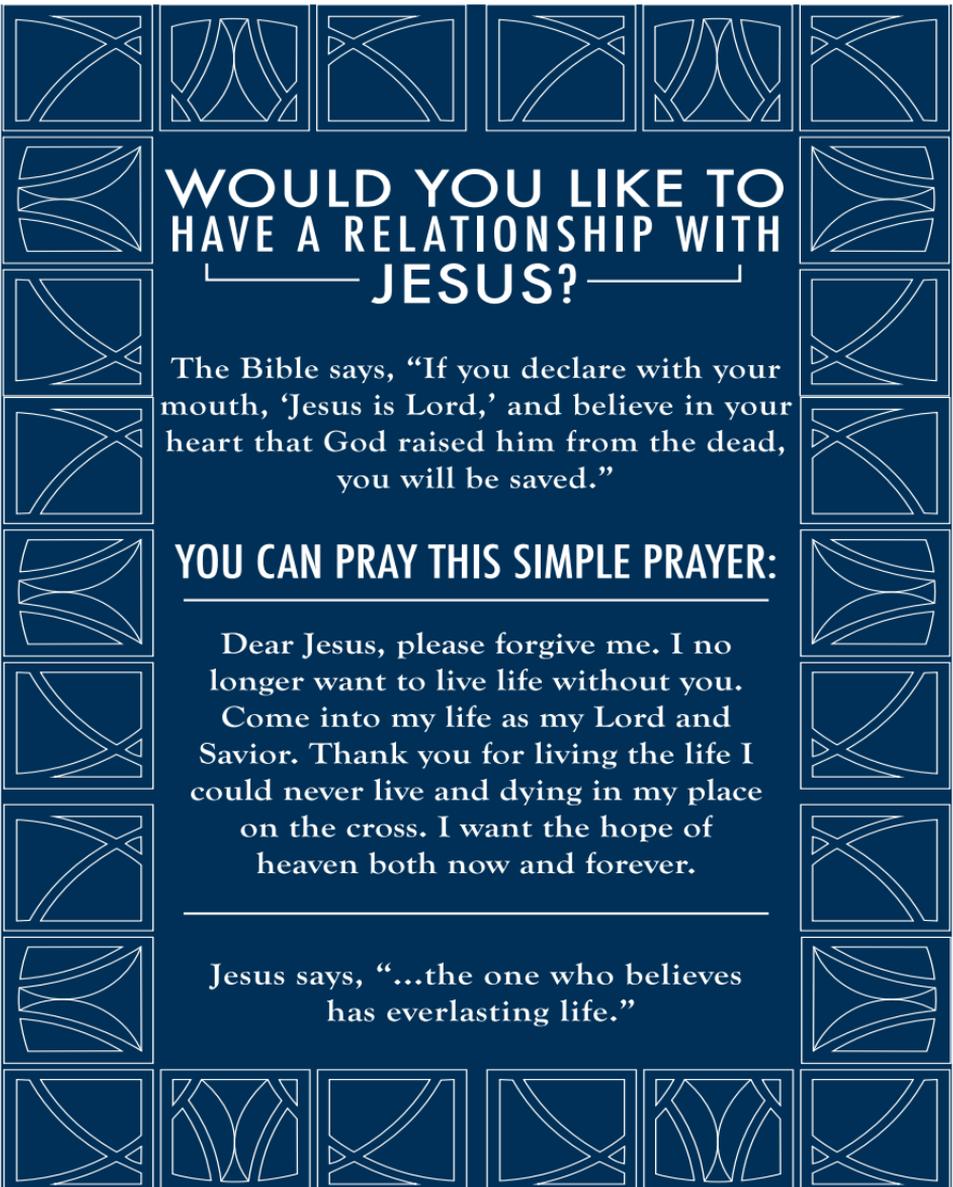
# PASTOR'S GREETING

We are so glad you are here today! Our church exists to glorify God by equipping gospel-centered, culture-shaping Christians from generation to generation. In a world filled with uncertainty and shifting values, we stand firm in the conviction that Jesus Christ is the only hope for humanity and the sure foundation for our lives.

We believe the gospel is not only good news for our salvation but is also the power that transforms every area of life. As the people of God, we are called to bear witness to the city of God in the midst of the city of man. For over 60 years our church has been a beacon of light in the darkness and an instrument of real hope to the ends of the earth.

Whether this is your first time with us or you've been worshipping here for many years, we welcome you into a community committed to biblical truth and the mission of the kingdom of God.

Dr. Rob Pacienza, Senior 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.

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

# Florida Panthers vs Seattle Kraken

**TUESDAY, MARCH 24**  
GAME STARTS AT 7PM  
AMERANT BANK ARENA

**\$25 per person**

This event is open to the family  
Limited tickets available!

Questions? Contact [craig@crpc.org](mailto:craig@crpc.org)

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## Why Am I Here? What's My Legacy?

*Your legacy tells a story: it reflects your values, your faith, and the life you lived. Through a legacy gift, you can make an eternal impact for the Gospel and help advance God's work for generations to come.*

### Join Us For A Legacy Planning Luncheon

Sunday, May 3 | 12PM  
Executive Office

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With Laurie Farquhar  
President, NCF South Florida*



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