

**JUNE 19, 2022**

Connect & Serve |

**Family Sunday**

Sunday, July 3  
Karey Davenport | 530.228.5334

**Helping Hands Workday**

Saturday, June 25th  
Ken Prentiss | 530.680.4272

For the thorough list of announcements with links to **GIVING, EMAIL LIST, WORSHIP PLAYLIST, SMALL GROUPS, SERMONS**, etc. check out our Linktree by scanning the QR code to the right.



Vespers Kids |

**Nursery & Toddlers**

Parents of Babies can utilize the cry rooms on either side of the sanctuary. Toddlers (1–3yrs.) are invited to play in the Crawlers class located in the children’s wing. Both of these childcare options are available for the entire service.

**Pre-school & Elementary**

Our Runners Class (3-5yrs.) and our Elementary Class (5-8yrs.) are dismissed after the Worship Singing. Parents can drop their kids off at their classrooms across the courtyard in the kid’s wing. Pick-up is right after the Benediction

**Note Challenge**

For older kids (9yrs.+), we have clipboards on the back table for drawing/sketching/coloring. If you can turn in 10 note pages with a little something you heard in church each week, you earn a prize!

**Ridge Presbyterian Church**

RidgeParadise & VespersChico

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**VESPERSCHICO**

*"...nothing among you except  
Jesus Christ and Him crucified."*

**Ridge Presbyterian** is a church of people gathered around one thing—Jesus Christ, and his gospel of unlimited grace. As a church, we come from lots of different places: lost, found, burned, cynical, broken, hurting, or some combination of all of these. But what unites us and keeps us coming back together week after week is the reality of a Savior who has given unimaginable hope to any who admit their need and sprawl out before Him. This Jesus is really all we have to offer at RPC. We are convinced that not only is He enough, but that HE alone is true wisdom, life, and fullness of joy.

**If you are new** or newish here, we are so glad that you have joined us! We would love to know more about you, as well as give you the chance to learn a bit more about us. Use the QR code to the right to access our welcome card and let us know you were here.



### Call to Worship Psalm 51.15-17

O Lord, open my lips  
And my mouth will declare your praise.  
For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it;  
You will not be pleased with a burnt offering.  
The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit;  
A broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

*God calls His people into worship, not the other way around. His Word is the only thing that can truly draw our hearts into worship in Spirit and Truth. And so, we begin here.*

### Songs of Worship and Praise

Please feel free to worship in the way that the Lord is leading. Whether standing or sitting, hands raised or kneeling before the Lord. There is no required posture.

*The Bible tells us to let the Word of Christ dwell within us richly by “singing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs.” Thus, we sing of what God has done, and about our delight in Him.*

### Tithes & Offerings

Our ushers will pass collection baskets during the final song. If writing a check, please make payable to “Ridge Presbyterian Church” since VespersChico and RidgeParadise are both sites of Ridge Presbyterian. Thank you for your generosity!

*Tithes and Offerings are part of our worship and response to the gospel. When we grasp that “He who was rich, for our sake became poor” it stirs us to reflect that generosity in our giving.*

### Dismissal & Blessing of Children

Our children are a blessing from the LORD! Return clipboards, visit the bathroom, and check kids in to the appropriate room for children’s church! (See back panel!)

*Discipling our children happens on Sundays at church and all throughout the week at home. We pray a blessing on our kiddoes as we send them off to children’s ministry.*

### Greetings & Fellowship

Welcome to all newcomers and visiting guests today. We are glad you are here! We’d love to connect with you through the welcome card linked to the QR code.

*Since we have peace with God through the work of Jesus, we gladly extend peace to one another and welcome each other as brothers and sisters in Christ.*

### Prayers of Thanksgiving from Psalm 118

Oh give thanks to the LORD, for He is good;  
for His steadfast love endures forever!

#### Open Prayers of the People

Out of my distress I called on the LORD;  
The LORD answered me and set me free.

#### Open Prayers of the People

This is the day that the Lord has made;  
Let us rejoice and be glad in it. Amen.

### Confession of Faith—The Apostle’s Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell.\* The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,\*\* the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*\*Separation from God  
\*\*The Church in all times and places*

### Preaching of God’s Word Matthew 6.25-33

“First Things First”  
Ruling Elder Chris Reid

<sup>25</sup> Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air: they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? <sup>27</sup> And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? <sup>28</sup> And why are you anxious about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, <sup>29</sup> yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is alive and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> Therefore do not be anxious, saying, ‘What shall we eat?’ or ‘What shall we drink?’ or ‘What shall we wear?’ <sup>32</sup> For the Gentiles seek after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them all. <sup>33</sup> **But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.**

*Prayer isn’t just a private interaction with God, it is also a part of public worship. God calls His people to speak to Him as one unified body. “My” prayers become “Our” prayers as we cry out to Him together.*

*Creeds give us a chance to proclaim what we believe while also acknowledging that we are part of something bigger than this local church. We join our voice to Christians around the globe and throughout history who have confessed these same creeds.*

*Because God has spoken to us through His Word we strive to proclaim what it says and teach what it means. It is through this Ministry of the Word that the Church receives training, correction, encouragement, and a deeper experience of the gospel of Jesus.*

## Surrounded / Rock of Ages

This is how I fight my battles  
This is how I fight my battles

This is how I fight my battles  
This is how I fight my battles

It may look like I'm surrounded  
But I'm surrounded by You

It may look like I'm surrounded  
But I'm surrounded by You

It may look like I'm surrounded  
But I'm surrounded by You

It may look like I'm surrounded  
But I'm surrounded by You

Rock of ages, cleft for me  
Let me hide myself in thee

Rock of ages, cleft for me  
Let me hide myself in thee

CCLI# 7098758

## Reason To Sing

When the pieces seem too shattered  
To gather off the floor  
And all that seems to matter  
Is that I don't feel You anymore  
No I don't feel You anymore

I need a reason to sing  
I need a reason to sing  
I need to know that You're still holding  
The whole world in Your hands  
I need a reason to sing

When I'm overcome by fear  
And I hate ev'rything I know  
If this waiting lasts forever  
I'm afraid I might let go  
I'm afraid I might let go

Will there be a victory  
Will You sing it over me now  
Your peace is the melody  
With You sing it over me now  
Will there be a victory  
Will You sing it over me now  
Yeah oh Lord  
Your peace is the melody  
Will You sing it over me now

I need a reason to sing  
I need a reason to sing  
I need to know that You're still holding  
The whole world in Your hands  
That is a reason to sing

CLI Song # 6092351  
Alli Rogers | David Leonard | Leslie Jordan

## Your Glory / Nothing But The Blood

My life is Yours  
And my hope is in You only  
And my heart You hold  
'Cause You made this sinner holy  
And holy holy

'Cause Your glory is so beautiful  
I fall onto my knees in awe  
And the heartbeat of my life  
Is to worship in Your light  
'Cause Your glory is so beautiful  
'Cause Your glory is so beautiful (oh)

Glory glory hallelujah  
Jesus You are good

### ***NOTHING BUT THE BLOOD***

What can wash away my sin?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus  
What can make me whole again?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

Oh, precious is the flow  
That makes me white as snow  
No other fount I know  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

CCLI #5881068

## King Of My Heart

Let the King of my heart  
Be the mountain where I run  
The fountain I drink from  
Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart  
Be the shadow where I hide  
The ransom for my life  
Oh He is my song

You are good good oh  
You are good good oh  
You are good good oh  
You are good good oh

Let the King of my heart  
Be the wind inside my sails  
The anchor in the waves  
Oh He is my song  
Let the King of my heart  
Be the fire inside my veins  
The echo of my days  
Oh He is my song

You're never gonna let  
Never gonna let me down  
You're never gonna let  
Never gonna let me down  
You're never gonna let  
Never gonna let me down  
You're never gonna let  
Never gonna let me down

When the night is holding on to me  
God is holding on  
When the night is holding on to me  
God is holding on

CCLI Song # 7046145 John Mark McMillan | Sarah McMillan

## Goodness Of God

I love You Lord  
Oh Your mercy never fails me  
All my days  
I've been held in Your hands  
From the moment that I wake up  
Until I lay my head  
I will sing of the goodness of God

All my life You have been faithful  
All my life You have been so so good  
With every breath that I am able  
I will sing of the goodness of God

I love Your voice  
You have led me through the fire  
In darkest night  
You are close like no other  
I've known You as a father  
I've known You as a friend  
I have lived in the goodness of God

Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me  
Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me  
With my life laid down  
I'm surrendered now  
I give You everything  
Your goodness is running after  
It's running after me

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