

## COMMUNITY GROUPS

**Community Groups** provide a place to get to know people in the church, study the Bible and talk through everyday life issues. Anyone is welcome to join regardless of whether they have been to the church.

### **Egleston Square**

Tuesday 6:00pm (Contact: [teresa@jprox.org](mailto:teresa@jprox.org))

### **JP Centre**

Wednesday 6:30pm (Contact: [chad@ctkjproxbury.org](mailto:chad@ctkjproxbury.org))

### **Hyde Square**

Wednesday 6:30pm (Contact: [patrick@jprox.org](mailto:patrick@jprox.org))

### **Fort Hill/Mission Hill**

Thursday 6:30pm (Contact [ben@jprox.org](mailto:ben@jprox.org))

### **Prayer Meeting**

Tuesday 6:30am at 30 Germania St. Building L

### **Other Events**

For a complete listing of our activities visit our online calendar at [ctkjproxbury.org/events](http://ctkjproxbury.org/events)

## SUNDAYS @ CTK

**Childcare** is available throughout the service for children under 2 years old. Our children's space is in the JP Children's Music center room, just down the hall. Please use the computer sign-in and notify the childcare volunteers if your child has any allergies.

**Children's church** begins just before the sermon. Children ages 9 and below are welcome to attend this lesson that seeks to teach kids about the gospel in a way that they can better understand. If this is your first time with us, please accompany your child to check-in.

**Snacks & Coffee** are available near the main entrance immediately following the service. Please hang around, we would love to talk with you.

**A note about the location:** Our Sunday worship service is held in the Urbano Project art gallery. Urbano's mission is Empowering urban teens and professional artists to create social change through participatory works of contemporary art. \*Please note: much of the students' art on display around the room is fragile, if you have young children please encourage them to be careful. Thanks!

## ABOUT CHRIST THE KING

Christ the King exists in Jamaica Plain and Roxbury to see people reconciled to God and one another through the transforming power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. As this takes place we hope to see a positive impact in every aspect of the community where our members live, work, and play.

Christ the King has locations in Cambridge, Dorchester, Newton, Roslindale, Somerville, and on the South Shore. As a multi-congregational church we seek to provide both autonomy and interdependency among the congregations.

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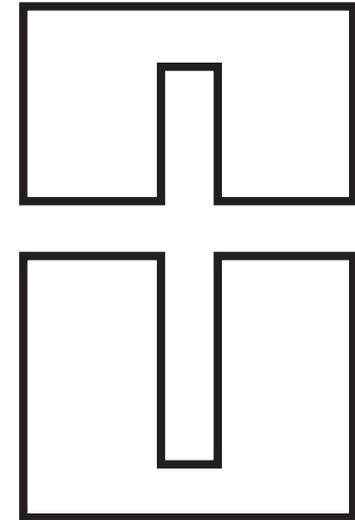
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### ON THE WEB

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# CHRIST THE KING

-JAMAICA PLAIN/ROXBURY-



THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT  
FEBRUARY 28, 2016

[ctkjproxbury.org](http://ctkjproxbury.org)

# SERVICE ORDER

## PRELUDE

To all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire strength;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to whoever will come

— this church opens wide her doors and offers her welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

## CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

**People: He was in the beginning with God.**

Leader: All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made.

**People: In him was life, and the life was the light of men.**

Leader: The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it.

**People: And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen his glory, glory as of the only Son from the Father, full of grace and truth.**

**All: Shout for joy to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise!.**

## INVOCATION

## PSALMS, HYMNS, & SPIRITUAL SONGS

## WELCOME

## CALL TO CONFESSION

The proof of God's amazing love is this: while we were sinners Christ died for us. Because we have faith in Christ, we dare to approach God with confidence. (Romans 5:8 - Hebrews 4:16)

Let us admit our sins before God

# SERVICE ORDER

## CONFESSION OF SIN

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent, for the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

## DECLARATION OF ABSOLUTION

Leader: The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit. God does not despise a broken and a contrite heart. Jesus said: "Whoever comes to me I will never drive away." The Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. May the Lord, who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. To those who repent and look to Jesus Christ for their salvation, the absolution of sins is effected in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**People: Amen.**

Leader: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**People: the Maker of heaven and earth.**

Leader: O Lord, open our lips,

**People: and our mouths will declare your praise.**

Leader: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

**People: As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen.**

## SONG OF PRAISE

## TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*Please note, online giving is available at [ctkjproxbury.org/give](http://ctkjproxbury.org/give)*

## PASSING OF THE PEACE

*Children are dismissed for children's church at this time*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## PASTORAL PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever Amen.

## DOXOLOGY

## SCRIPTURE READINGS

Exodus 3:11-15, John 8:38-59

## SONG OF PRAISE

## SERMON

Before Abraham

REV. LOGAN KECK

## COMMUNION

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*Communion, also called The Lord's Supper, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all followers of Jesus Christ who are members in good standing of a local church to share in this meal: those who are Baptized and have made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ and who seek strength to live more faithfully for Christ. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in silent prayer, or you may come forward and ask for prayer. But if you are a sinner who knows full well his or her need for Christ, you are welcome at this table.*

## BENEVOLENCE OFFERING

## SONG OF CELEBRATION

## BENEDICTION