CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY NOVEMBER 24, 2024



St. Luke Evangelical Lutheran Church 2695 Luther Drive | Chambersburg, Pennsylvania | 17202

"SHARING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST"

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Immortal, Invisible Lani Smith

OPENING HYMN Crown Him with Many Crowns ELW 855

DIALOG FOR CHRIST THE KING

Behold, the King comes. Alleluia!

O come, let us worship and bow down. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Rejoice greatly, for Christ is your King.

Blessing and honor and glory be unto him.

Blessed are you, O Lord, King of the universe;

You have delivered us from sin and death.

By your blood, you have brought your people into your kingdom.

Therefore God has highly exalted him:

And bestowed on him the name which is above every name;

That at the name of Jesus, every knee shall bow:

And every tongue confess him the King of glory.

Behold, the King comes. Alleluia!

O come, let us worship and bow down. Alleluia! Alleluia!

HYMN OF PRAISE Rejoice, for Christ is King

ELW 430

APOSTOLIC GREETING

PRAYER OF THE DAY

The Lord be with you. And also with you.

Let us pray. A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

FIRST READING

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

Response after the reading: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 93

Sung responsively by whole verse.



- The LORD is king, robed in majesty;
 - The LORD is robed in majesty and I armed with strength.
 - The LORD has made the world so sure that it can- I not be moved.
- ² Ever since the world began, your throne has ¹ been established; you are from ¹ everlasting.
- ³ The waters have lifted up, O LORD, the waters have lifted ¹ up their voice;
 - the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.
- ⁴ Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers | of the sea, mightier is the Lord who | dwells on high.
- ⁵ Your testimonies are ¹ very sure, and holiness befits your house, O LORD, forever and for- ¹ evermore.

SECOND READING

Revelation 1:4b-8

Response after the reading: Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of e-ter-nal life.

GOSPEL John 18:33-37

The Holy Gospel according to John: Glory to you, O Lord. The Gospel of the Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

SILENCE FOR REFLECTION

HYMN OF THE DAY O Christ, What Can if Mean for Us ELW 431

NICENE CREED

With the whole church, let us confess our faith. We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate: he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son,* who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Merciful God, receive our prayer.

SHARING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you always. And also with you.

ANTHEM

OFFERING

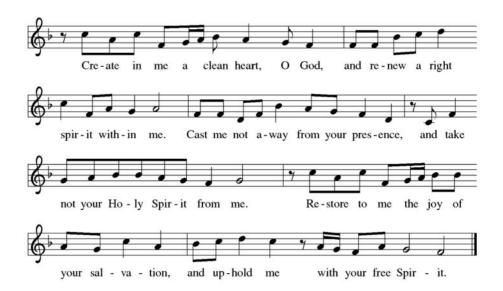
OFFERTORY

A Father's Quiet Strength

Lani Smith

OFFERTORY HYMN Create in Me a Clean Heart

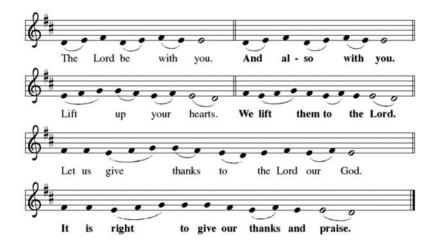
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OFFERTORY PRAYER

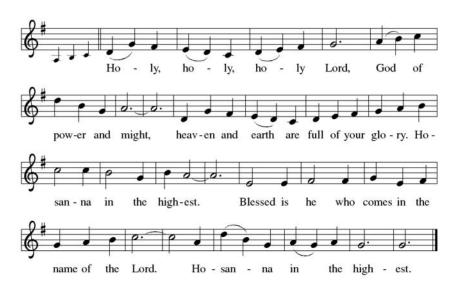
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING



The presiding minister continues: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should at all times and in all places give thanks and praise . . . we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

HOLY, HOLY, HOLY

ELW 108



LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen

DISTRIBUTION OF HOLY COMMUNION

All are welcome at the table! Please join us by coming up the center aisle and receiving the bread from the Pastor. Then you may choose to receive the wine from the common cup, or by picking up an empty cup and receiving the wine from one of the two pouring chalices. Filled cups of grape juice are available alongside the empty cups.

COMMUNION HYMNS

ELW 767, 439, 618, 848, 616

COMMUNION BLESSING

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

BENEDICTION

SENDING HYMN Before You, Lord, We Bow

ELW 893

DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ. Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE O Worship the King

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Today's Worship Support

Presiding Minister: Rev. Christopher Frye

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Weekly Worship Schedule

Sundays

10:00 am Holy Communion 8:45 am Faith Formation/Christian Education

Wednesdays

I 1:00 am Holy Communion & Healing7:00 pm Prayer & Share via Zoom

