



November 22, 2020  
**Last Sunday After Pentecost**  
**Christ the King**  
8:00 am, 10:00 am & 6:00 pm

### THE WORD OF GOD

**Prelude:** *He Shall Feed his Flock like a Shepherd*- G.F. Handel

**Processional Hymn:** *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

H-494 vs 1 & 5

*Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own;  
Awake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
And hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.*

*Crown him the Lord of Heaven, enthroned in worlds above;  
Crown him the King, to whom is given, the wondrous name of Love.  
Crown him with many crowns, as thrones before him fall,  
Crown him, ye kings, with many crowns, for he is King of all.*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit  
*People* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen**

BCP, p. 355

### The Collect for Purity

**Gloria:** (Sung at 10:00 am, Spoken at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm)

S-277

*Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly king, almighty God and Father,  
We worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;  
You are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.  
For You alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
You alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
In the glory of God, the Father. Amen.*

### The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**  
*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

*The people sit.*

**The First Lesson:****Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24**

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord  
*People*      **Thanks be to God**

**Psalm 95: 1-7a** (Spoken responsively.)**BCP, p. 724**

- 1 Come, let us sing to the Lord; \*  
     let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.
- 2 Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving \*  
 and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.**
- 3 For the Lord is a great God, \*  
     and a great King above all gods.
- 4 In his hand are the caverns of the earth, \*  
 and the heights of the hills are his also.**
- 5 The sea is his, for he made it, \*  
     and his hands have molded the dry land.
- 6 Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee, \*  
 and kneel before the Lord our Maker.**
- 7 For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture  
     and the sheep of his hand.

**The Second Lesson:****Ephesians 1:15-23**

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

*Reader*     The Word of the Lord

***People***     **Thanks be to God**

**Gospel Hymn:** *All Praise to Thee, For Thou, O King Divine*

H-477, vs 1 and 5

*All praise to thee, for thou, O King divine,  
Didst yield the glory that of right was thine.  
And in our darkened hearts thy grace might shine.  
Alleluia! Amen.*

*Let every tongue confess with one accord  
In heaven and earth that Jesus Christ is Lord;  
And God the Father be by all adored.  
Alleluia! Amen.*

**The Holy Gospel:**

**Matthew 25: 31-46**

*Priest*     The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

***People***     **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

*Priest*     The Gospel of the Lord.

***People***     **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**The Sermon**

**The Reverend Monna Mayhall**

**The Nicene Creed**

**BCP, p. 358**

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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary and was made man. 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. With the Father and the Son, he is worshiped and

glorified. He 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.

### The Prayers of the People (Form III)

BCP, p. 387

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

**That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons;

**That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest.

**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy;

**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

### Confession of Sin

BCP, p. 360

*Celebrant says:* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*Silence may be kept.*

**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.**

### The Peace

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*(Then the Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord, while maintaining no physical contact outside of your family unit.)*

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### The Great Thanksgiving – Eucharistic Prayer B

BCP p. 367

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**Sanctus (Sung at 10:00 am)**

S-130

*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might.  
Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might.  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.*

**(Spoken at 8:00 and 6:00)**

*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.*

...Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

**We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory;**

*The Celebrant continues*

...And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**The Lord's Prayer**

BCP, p. 364

**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 that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

**Breaking of the Bread**

**Fraction Anthem (Sung at 10:00 am, Spoken at 8:00 am and 6:00 pm)**

S-152

*Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
Therefore, let us keep the feast. Alleluia.*

*We invite all who seek God, and are drawn to Christ by the Spirit, to join us at this Table as you are directed to by the usher. If you are unable to come forward, please notify an usher and we will serve you in your pew. If you need to receive a gluten-free host, please extend hands, crossed, palms down when you come forward to receive.*

**Music During Communion:** : *Bind Us Together*- Bob Gillman

AIII, p. 18

**The Prayer after Communion**

BCP, p. 365

*Celebrant:* Let us pray.

**Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**Recessional Hymn:** *Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun*

H-544 vs 1, 2 & 5

*Jesus shall reign where'er the sun doth his successive journeys run;  
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.*

*To him shall endless prayer be made, and praises throng to crown his head;  
His Name like sweet perfume shall rise with every morning sacrifice.*

*Let every creature rise and bring peculiar honors to our King;  
Angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud amen.*

**Dismissal:**

*Celebrant* Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
*People* Thanks be to God.

**Postlude:** *Ain'a that Good News*-Traditional Spiritual

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The Reverend Monna Mayhall, *Associate Rector*

The Reverend Ann Van Dervoort, *Assisting Priest, Retired*

Donna Stokes-Rogers, *Music Minister* • Rick Jackson, *Organist*

Libby Sullivan, *Children's Minister* • Nic Parmer, *Interim Youth Minister*

Shannon Buttrey, *Parish Administrator* • Kristy Moore, *Finance Manager*

The **ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of John Lee.

**BIRTHDAYS:**

**Sunday:** Mishelle Phillips, Rudy Gilchrist, Dan Tyler **Monday:** Andy Peterson **Tuesday:** Henry Robinson, Francesca Lamb, Sheila Morreale **Wednesday:** Eric Johnson, Susan Hughes **Thursday:** Don Dicie, Larry Rogers, Samantha Saalwaechter **Friday:** Olivia Henry **Saturday:** Frankie Davis

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

**Tuesday:** Randall & Lynne McFarland **Thursday:** Jack & Donna Honeycutt **Friday:** Scott & Katie Faulkner  
**Saturday:** Mickey & Susan Trailov

**PARTICIPANTS:**

	8:00 am	10:00 am	6:00 pm
Usher:	Paul Hannah	Karen Montefiori	*
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Reader:	Marcia Wilkinson	George Bishop	Philip Scharre
Altar Guild:	Kathy Ulezelski	Steve Thompson	Sue Worrell
Altar Guild:		Phyllis Thompson	
Musicians:		Derek Pell	Don Michael Dicie
		Kent Burnside	

**St. Paul's Prayer List**

Susannah Pierce, Marietta Todd, Becky and Muff Farmer, Dave Berexa, Susan Hughes, Henrietta Hobdy, Alex Wilkerson, Lloyd Griffin, James Dickerson, Ann Conway, Tina Morgan, Natalie Hennes, Jack Honeycutt, Tom Jordan, Terry O'Donnell, Michelle Blackwelder, Colleen Talbot, Frankie Dorsey, Glenn Trahan, Sarah Lauricella, Ashley Holt, Don Ratcliff, Robyn Painter, Fount and Dee Smothers, Jeni Burnside, Bill Muir, Jim Lauricella, Dorcas Mansell, Chip Talbot, Charles Sidberry, Ed and Lucetta Mannion, Phyllis Gray, Bob Abstein, Jane Montague, Michael Walters Young, Michael, Kaleb, Martha, Alan, Fred, Meg and Fulton, Fred, Nolen, Noah, Delores, Joanne, Norman, Joe, Ernie, Libby, Ferris, Sue, Jackie and Wayne, Gary, Susan, Mike, Greg, Ray, Lorraine, John Michael, Claire, Reed, Marianne, Sean, Madelyn, David, Molly, Lauren, Claudia, Craig, John, Margaret, Nancy, Ruby, Kirby, Susan, Anne Marie, Cathy, Marian, Sidney, Ethan, Sahiba, Mimi, Don, Molly, Wendy, Gray, Mary, Cindy, Todd, Norma, Douglas, Jane, Helen, Sandra, Dick, Sean, Billy, Bill, Linda, Angela and Randi, Kathy, Judy, Jon, Will, Suzie, Carl, Oliver, Tonka, Sandy and David Williams.