

**Christ the King** 

Contemporary Worship 8:30 and 11:00 am November 25, 2018





**Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!** Please sign the red Worship Witness booklet to record your attendance with us this day, and indicate how many are communing. Then pass the booklet to the worshipers beside you in your row. If you are a guest, name tags are available for you to wear---we would be delighted to greet you by name. Hearing assistance devices are available at the Gathering Space desk.

# about today's service

Even after Israel had experienced the vagaries of kings, they still longed for a true king to set things right. He would have the king's title of Anointed One (Messiah); he would be the "one like a human being" (Son of Man) given dominion in Daniel's vision. Jesus is given these titles, even though he is nothing like an earthly king. His authority comes from the truth to which he bears witness, and those who recognize the truth voluntarily listen to him. We look forward to the day he is given dominion, knowing his victory will be the nonviolent victory of love.

P: Pastor L: Lector C: Congregation

# + Gathering +

We gather together to praise God and receive His love.

# Song: "We Praise You Jesus" Chorus (2X)

We praise You, Jesus, We praise, You Lord. We sing songs of freedom. We dance with joy.

#### Verse

You've taken our weeping And turned it into dancing; Taken our heaviness away. Far away.

#### Chorus

## Verse (2X)

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# Song: "Lord, Reign in Me"

#### Verse 1

Over all the earth, you reign on high, every mountain stream, every sunset sky. But my one request, Lord, my only aim is that you'd reign in me again.

#### Chorus

Lord, reign in me, reign in your pow'r; over all my dreams, in my darkest hour. You are the Lord of all I am, so won't you reign in me again.

#### Verse 2

Over every thought, over every word, may my life reflect the beauty of my Lord; 'Cause you mean more to me than any earthly thing.' So won't you reign in me again.

# Chorus (2X)

**Tag 2X:** Won't you reign in me again, won't you reign in me again.

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Welcome

(Stand)

# Song; "Salvation Belongs To Our God"

#### Verse 1

Salvation belongs to our God who sits upon the throne. And unto the Lamb Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

#### Chorus

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever. Amen.

#### Verse 2

And we the redeemed shall be strong in purpose and unity. Declaring aloud praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

#### Chorus

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever.

Be to our God forever and ever. Amen.

Bridge: Praise and glory, wisdom and thanks, honor and power and strength.

Chorus
Tag (2X): Amen.

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# Confession and Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, who calls us into an everlasting hope, who guides us to springs of the water of life, who enlightens us with the spirit of wisdom.

C: Amen.

P: One with the communion of saints in all times and places, let us confess our sin against God and one another.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: O God, our merciful redeemer,

C: we confess the ways we live only for ourselves. We fail to see you in our neighbor's face. We turn our ears from voices that cry out. We pass by the hungry and the oppressed. In your great mercy, forgive our sin and strengthen us for service to all in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for + his sake, God forgives us all our sins. Blessed are you! Rejoice and be glad, beloved people of God.

C: Amen.

# Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

# Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle

rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

(Sit)

# + Word +

We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of His people.

Reading Revelation 1:4b-8

The book of Revelation begins by celebrating the Almighty God, who spans all of time. Similarly, Jesus is celebrated as the firstborn from the dead who rules over the world's rulers. He is the one whose return we eagerly await.

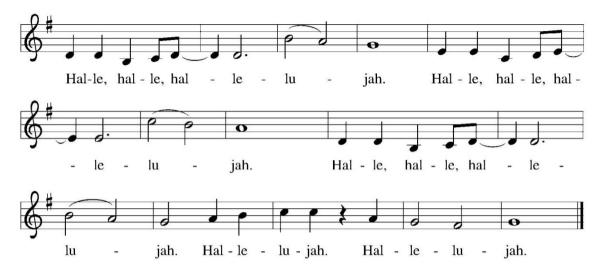
<sup>4b</sup>Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, <sup>5</sup>and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, <sup>6</sup>and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. <sup>7</sup>Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. <sup>8</sup>"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Stand)

# Gospel Acclamation: "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"



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Gospel John 18:33-37

In John's gospel, the story of Jesus and Pilate presents two different ways of exercising power: through force or with love.

<sup>33</sup>Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" <sup>34</sup>Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" <sup>35</sup>Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" <sup>36</sup>Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." <sup>37</sup>Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

(Sit)

Sermon: "King Jesus" Pastor John Brock

(Stand)

# Song: The King of Love My Shepherd Is Verse 1

The King of love my shepherd is, whose goodness faileth never; I nothing lack if I am his, and he is mine forever.

#### Verse 2

Where streams of living water flow, my ransomed soul he leadeth and where the verdant pastures grow, with food celestial feedeth.

#### Verse 3

In death's dark vale I fear no ill, with thee, dear Lord, beside me, thy rod and staff my comfort still; thy cross before to guide me.

#### Verse 4

And so, through all the length of days, thy goodness faileth never, Good Shepherd, may I sing thy praise within thy house forever.

Text: Henry W. Baker, 1821-1877. Music: Irish tune

### Nicene Creed

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 the Church

Following each petition are the words: "Lord, in your mercy"

Please respond with: "hear our prayer."

# + Meal +

When we celebrate communion, we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience His love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

(Sit)

**Announcements** 

Offering and Worship Witness

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# Special Music: "Famous One"

#### Chorus

You are the Lord, the famous One, (famous One).

Great is Your name in all the earth.

The heavens declare You're glorious, (glorious).

Great is Your fame beyond the earth.

#### Verse 1

And for all You've done and yet to do,

With ev'ry breath I'm praising You.

Desire of nations and ev'ry heart.

You alone are God, You alone are God!

# Chorus

#### Verse 2

The morning star is shining through And ev'ry eye is watching You Revealed by nature and miracles. You are beautiful. You are beautiful!

#### Chorus (2X)

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(Stand)

Offering Prayer

A: Let us pray.

C: Creator God, you made everything, and you provide for every need. The bread we break and the wine we pour come from you. As we eat and drink with thanksgiving, fill us with your love; let that love flow through us to others; and join us to the saints before us in a holy and boundless communion; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

P: Christ is here.

C: The Spirit is with us.

P: With joy, we lift up our hearts.

C: And give thanks to the Lord of Life.

P: Holy God, holy and mighty, holy and immortal: you we praise and glorify, you we worship and adore. You formed the earth from chaos; you encircled the globe with air; you created fire for warmth and light; you nourish the lands with water. You molded us in your image, and with mercy higher than the mountains, with grace deeper than the seas, you blessed the Israelites and cherished them as your own. That also we, estranged and dying, might be adopted to live in your Spirit, you called to us through the life and death of Jesus.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Together as the body of Christ, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes:

- C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.
- P: With this bread and cup we remember your Son, the first-born of your new creation. We remember his life lived for others, and his death and resurrection, which renews the face of the earth. We await his coming, when, with the world made perfect through your wisdom, all our sins and sorrows will be no more.
- C: Amen. Come, Lord Jesus.
- P: Holy God, holy and merciful one, holy and compassionate, send upon us and this meal your Holy Spirit, whose breath revives us for life, whose fire rouses us to love. Enfold in your arms all who share this holy food. Nurture in us the fruits of the Spirit, that we may be a living tree, sharing your bounty with all the world.
- C: Amen. Come, Holy Spirit.
- P: Holy and benevolent God, receive our praise and petitions, as Jesus received the cry of the needy, and fill us with your blessing, until, needy no longer and bound to you in love, we feast forever in the triumph of the Lamb: through whom all glory and honor is yours, O God, O Living One, with the Holy Spirit, in your holy church, now and forever.
- C: Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Invitation to Holy Communion

P: God fills the hungry with good things.

C: Let us come to the feast.

(Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

All baptized Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. Please come forward by the middle aisle, receive the bread, dip it into the wine, and return by the side aisles. Communion may be received in

bread only, if desired. Non-communing children and adults are invited to come forward for a blessing. As a gesture of hospitality, we use dealcoholized wine (less than .5% alcohol). In addition, we offer gluten-free wafers available upon request-please ask the pastor at the time of communion.

(Stand)

Post Communion Blessing

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

C: Amen.

Post Communion Prayer

A: Let us pray. Sovereign God, in this meal you give us a foretaste of the great feast to come. Keep us faithful to you, that we, with all your saints, may at length celebrate the marriage feast of the Lamb, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

# + Sending +

We have heard the Word of God, offered our gifts, and been fed at the table. Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.

# Blessing

P: The love of God surround you; the grace of +Christ release you; and the Holy Spirit be your guide and strength, now and forevermore.

C: Amen.

Song: "Everlasting"

Chorus

From everlasting to everlasting You are God; From everlasting to everlasting You are God.

#### Verse 1

In holiness You stand secure through culture's shifting sands, unchanged by all the vanities of man; And as the nations rise and fall, Your sov'reignty remains; You are, You are, You are the One True God.

#### Chorus

From everlasting to everlasting You are God; From everlasting to everlasting You are God.

#### Verse 2

In faithfulness Your love extends through times of turbulence, adopting those who call upon Your Name; And ev'ry generation joins in songs of grateful praise; You are, You are, You are the One True God.

## Instrumental

# Bridge (2x)

Eternal, immortal, invisible God.

#### Chorus

Tag: You are God; You are God.

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#### Dismissal

P: Led by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

# Join us next week

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Pastor Jack Horner "Stir Up Our Hearts"

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The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall, the communion elements for all services, and the sanctuary lamp candle, the symbol of God's abiding presence, are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of my son, Russ Knerr, and my parents, Ruth and Erben Martin, by Marilyn Knerr; Harold Wardlow by his family; Mr. & Mrs. Roy M. Sheely, Sr. and Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Stoyer, Sr. by Janet Sheely; her husband, Roy M. Sheely, Jr., by Janet Sheely; Martin F. Peters by his family.

# **leaders**

**Presiding Minister:** The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

Preacher: The Rev. John H. Brock

Storyteller: Becky Enney

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Reed

Ushers: (8:30) Dan Reed; (11:00) Perry Shindle, Margie Walson

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Flower Delivery: Linda Thompson, Rita Townsend

Sound Technician: (8:30) Kevin Brady; (11:00) Mike Schwalm

Video Technician: (8:30) Dona Norris; (11:00) Max Hahn

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