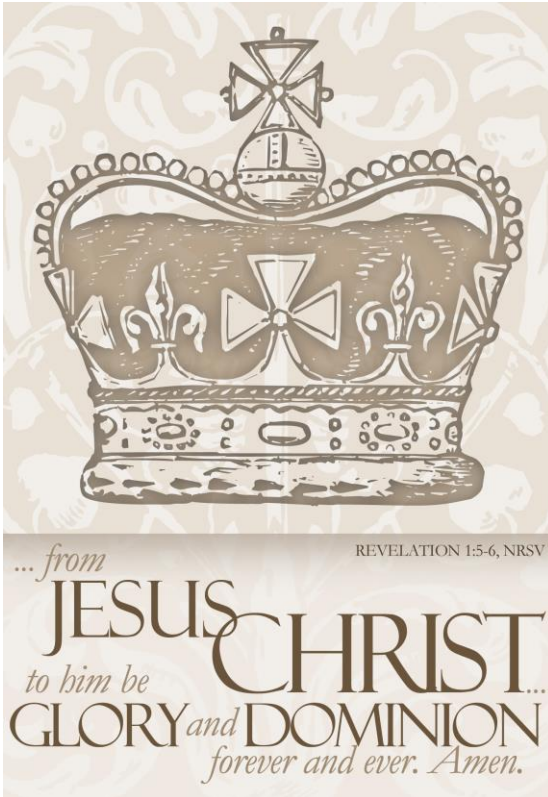


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ELW Service – Christ the King Sunday
November 24, 2024 ~ 9:00 a.m.



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Mission Statement:

Emanuel: God with Us ~ Loving Christ, Loving Others

Our Ministers This Morning Include:

Rev. Michael L. Poole Jr.

Director of Music - Organist: Paul Burnside

2024 Congregational Watchword –

“Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for God has said, ‘I will never leave you or forsake you.’” – Hebrews 13:5

2024 Theme – Where is God calling us to go?

Prelude

Mission Moment

Thanks & Giving

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Call to Worship

P: Grace, mercy, and peace from the Triune God be with you all.

C: **Amen.**

P: Our Lord Jesus Christ had opportunities to turn stones into bread to satisfy hunger and chose the path of service and sacrifice.

C: **Our Lord Jesus Christ had opportunities to throw stones at the sinful to satisfy the crowd and chose the path of forgiveness and friendship.**

P: During his journey on this earth Jesus spoke of elevating stones that builders rejected, tearing down stones that were firmly embedded in structure, and rolling away stones that prevented a witness to new life.

C: **We are called to be committed to a life of service, sacrifice, forgiveness, friendship, and resurrection. This is our Christian witness. We do this in remembrance of Christ our King.**

P: Lord, hear our voices! Let your ears be attentive to the voice of our supplications. If you, Lord, should mark iniquities, who could stand?

C: **But there is forgiveness with you, that you may be revered. We wait for the Lord. Our souls wait, and in the Word of the Lord do we hope.**

P: We will search our hearts and examine our ways and return to the Lord. For the Lord says, "I am the good shepherd. I lay down my life for my sheep. My sheep hear my voice, I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. Lord Jesus Christ, our only Mediator with God, our mighty Savior and glorious King, who with the Holy Spirit, we humbly bow before you and confess our manifold transgressions:

(Silence for prayer, reflection, and self-examination)

P: Lord, we confess,

C: **That as your disciples we have often in word and deed dishonored the holy name we bear. We ask your forgiveness for the times we turned aside from that path of holiness and loving service, in which you have called us to follow You. Pardon all our forgetfulness of your great love and our coldness of heart, our frequent conformity in the ways of the world, and our failure for the extension of your Kingdom.**

P: Have mercy on us, O God, according to your steadfast love. Hide your face from our sins, and blot out our transgressions.

C: **Grant us the assurance of our pardon, a greater power of sanctification, a closer union with yourself, and the joyous expectation of eternal life in the heavenly kingdom.**

P: The Lord says, “I, even I, am the God who blots out your transgressions for my own sake and will not remember your sins. Go and sin no more.

Gathering “*Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending*” #435

Greeting

L: 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.**



In peace, let us pray to the Lord.



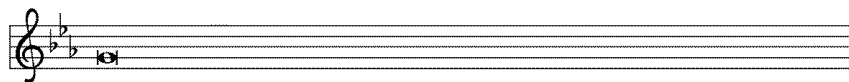
Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



Lord, have mer - cy.



For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise,



let us pray to the Lord.



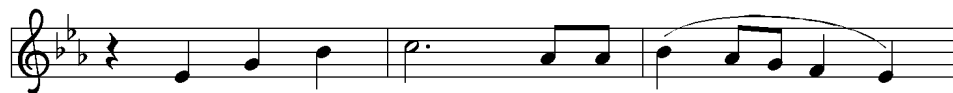
Lord, have mer - cy.



Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



A - men, a - men.



Glo - ry to God in the high -



est, and peace to God's peo - ple on earth.



Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y God and



Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we give you thanks, we



praise you for your glo - ry. Lord Je - sus



Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther,



Lord God, Lamb of God, you take a - way the sin of the



world: have mer - cy on us; you are seat - ed at the



right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.



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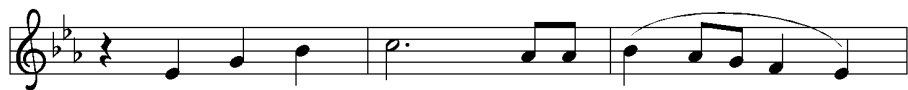
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Prayer of The Day

P: The Lord be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. Almighty and Ever-living God,

C: **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. Amen.**

Watchword Hebrews 13:5

- P: Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have;
- C: **For God has said, “I will never leave you or forsake you.”**

*Please be seated.

Anthem

Emanuel Choir

First Lesson Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 Pew Bible pg. 631

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Responsive Reading Psalm 93

L: The LORD is king, robed in majesty; the LORD is robed in majesty and armed with strength. The LORD has made the world so sure that it cannot be moved.

C: **Ever since the world began, your throne has been established; you are from everlasting.**

L: The waters have lifted up, O LORD, the waters have lifted up their voice; the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

C: **Mightier than the sound of many waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea, mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.**

L: Your testimonies are very sure, and holiness befits your house, O LORD, forever and forevermore.

Second Lesson Revelation 1:4b-8 Pew Bible pg. 867

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia,
al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.
Repeat alleluia

The Holy Gospel John 18:33-37 Pew Bible pg. 767

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. John the 18th chapter.

C: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

P: The gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

*Please be seated.

Sermon “*Make It So Number One*” Pastor Mike

Revelation 1:4b-8

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Hymn “*Jesus Shall Reign*”

#434

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and 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.

Prayers of Intercession

L: Merciful God,

C: **receive our prayer.**

The Lord's Prayer

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.

Peace

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

C: **And also with you.**

*Please be seated.

Offering

Offertory

*Please stand in body or spirit.

Offertory Response *"We Give Thee but Thine Own"* #686

♪ **We give thee but thine own, whate'er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.**

Offering Prayer

Benediction

L: The Ancient One, enthroned, the Crucified One, now risen, the Indwelling One, poured out, † bless you now and forever.

C: **Amen.**

Sending *“Before You, Lord, We Bow”* #893

Dismissal

L: Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

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