

**Christ the King Sunday  
ELW Holy Communion Setting One  
Sunday, November 22, 2020  
8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.**

MATTHEW 25



*Whatever you do for the least ...*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

(ELW pg. 94)

In the name of the Father,  
and of the † Son,  
and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.  
Most merciful God,

**we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. 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. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name.**

**Amen.**

In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us, and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the † Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

(ELW 434)

## Jesus Shall Reign

1 Je - sus shall reign wher - e'er the sun does its suc -  
2 To him shall end - less prayer be made, and prais - es  
3 Peo - ple and realms of ev - 'ry tongue dwell on his  
4 Bless - ings a - bound wher - e'er he reigns: the pris - 'ners  
5 Let ev - 'ry crea - ture rise and bring pe - cu - liar

ces - sive jour - neys run; his king - dom stretch from  
throng to crown his head; his name like sweet per -  
love with sweet - est song; and in - fant voic - es  
leap to lose their chains, the wea - ry find e -  
hon - ors to our king; an - gels de - scend with

shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.  
fume shall rise with ev - 'ry morn - ing sac - ri - fice.  
shall pro - claim their ear - ly bless - ings on his name.  
ter - nal rest, and all who suf - fer want are blest.  
songs a - gain, and earth re - peat the loud a - men.

Text: Isaac Watts, 1674-1748, alt.  
Music: DUKE STREET, attr. John Hatton, d. 1793

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## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, you have crowned your Son as King and, by him, will renew your whole creation. May the families of the earth now torn apart and yoked by sin find liberty in him and be subjected to his gentle rule. Grant this, we pray, through the same Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

## **FIRST READING: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24**

<sup>11</sup>“For thus says the Lord God: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will seek them out. <sup>12</sup>As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. <sup>13</sup>And 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 ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country. <sup>14</sup>I will feed them with good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land. There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed on the mountains of Israel. <sup>15</sup>I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself will make them lie down, declares the Lord God. <sup>16</sup>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, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice.

<sup>20</sup>“Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. <sup>21</sup>Because you push with side and shoulder, and thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad, <sup>22</sup>I will rescue my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep. <sup>23</sup>And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. <sup>24</sup>And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the Lord; I have spoken.”

**P:** The Word of the Lord

**C:** **Thanks be to God**

**PSALM: Psalm 95:1-7a**

<sup>1</sup>Come, let us sing to the Lord;

let us shout for joy to the Rock of our salvation.

**<sup>2</sup>Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving  
and raise a loud shout to him with psalms.**

<sup>3</sup>For the Lord is a great God,  
and a great King above all gods.

**<sup>4</sup>In his hand are the caverns of the earth,  
and the heights of the hills are his also.**

<sup>5</sup>The sea is his, for he made it,  
and his hands have molded the dry land.

**<sup>6</sup>Come, let us bow down, and bend the knee,  
and kneel before the Lord our Maker.**

<sup>7a</sup>For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture  
and the sheep of his hand.

P: Here ends the reading of the Psalm.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

**SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 15:20-28**

<sup>20</sup>But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. <sup>21</sup>For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. <sup>22</sup>For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. <sup>23</sup>But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. <sup>24</sup>Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. <sup>25</sup>For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. <sup>26</sup>The last enemy to be destroyed is death. <sup>27</sup>For “God has put all things in subjection under his feet.” But when it says, “all things are put in subjection,” it is plain that he is excepted who put all things in subjection under him. <sup>28</sup>When all things are subjected to him, then the Son himself will also be subjected to him who put all things in subjection under him, that God may be all in all.

P: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

P: The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the 25<sup>th</sup> chapter.

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

## **THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO: Matthew 25:31-46**

<sup>31</sup>{Jesus said to the disciples,} “When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. <sup>32</sup>Before him will be gathered all the nations, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. <sup>33</sup>And he will place the sheep on his right, but the goats on the left. <sup>34</sup>Then the King will say to those on his right, ‘Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. <sup>35</sup>For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, <sup>36</sup>I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.’ <sup>37</sup>Then the righteous will answer him, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink? <sup>38</sup>And when did we see you a stranger and welcome you, or naked and clothe you? <sup>39</sup>And when did we see you sick or in prison and visit you?’ <sup>40</sup>And the King will answer them, ‘Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.’ <sup>41</sup>“Then he will say to those on his left, ‘Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. <sup>42</sup>For I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me no drink, <sup>43</sup>I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not clothe me, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.’ <sup>44</sup>Then they also will answer, saying, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to you?’ <sup>45</sup>Then he will answer them, saying, ‘Truly, I say to you, as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.’ <sup>46</sup>And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life.”

P: The gospel of the Lord.

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



(ELW 789)

## Savior, like A Shepherd Lead Us

The musical score is written in G major (one flat) and 4/4 time. It consists of four systems, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The piano accompaniment features a steady bass line and chords in the right hand. The vocal line is a simple melody with lyrics printed below it.

1 Sav-ior like a shep-herd lead us; much we need your ten-der care.  
2 We are yours; in love be-friend us, be the guard-ian of our way;  
3 You have prom-ised to re-ceive us, poor and sin-ful though we be;  
4 Ear-ly let us seek your fa-vor, ear-ly let us do your will;

In your pleas-ant pas-tures feed us, for our use your fold pre-pare.  
keep your flock, from sin de-fend us, seek us when we go a-stray.  
you have mer-cy to re-lieve us, grace to cleanse, and pow'r to free.  
bless-ed Lord and on-ly Sav-ior, with your love our spir-its fill.

Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, you have bought us; we are yours.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, hear us chil-dren when we pray.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, ear-ly let us turn to you.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, you have loved us, love us still.

Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, you have bought us; we are yours.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, hear us chil-dren when we pray.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, ear-ly let us turn to you.  
Bless-ed Je-sus, bless-ed Je-sus, you have loved us, love us still.

Text: attr. Dorothy A. Thrupp, 1779–1847  
Music: BRADBURY, William B. Bradbury, 1816–1868

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## **SERMON**

“Christ, Our Shepherd-King”  
based on texts of the day  
Pastor Kurt E. Luebke

## **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 into Hell  
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.**

## **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

### **PEACE**

### **THE HOLY COMMUNION**

God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ.

### **THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

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:

(ELW pg. 108)

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.

### **LORD'S PRAYER**

P: Gathered into one by the Holy Spirit, let us pray as Jesus taught us.

**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.**

### **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

Come to the Banquet, for all is now ready.

### **THE PARTAKING OF HOLY COMMUNION**

#### **PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

(ELW pg. 114)

Gracious God, in this meal you have drawn us to your heart, and nourished us at your table with food and drink, the body and blood of Christ. Now send us forth to be your people in the world, and to proclaim your truth this day and evermore, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**Amen.**

#### **BLESSING**

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy.

The Lord look upon you with favor and ✝ give you peace.

**Amen.**

## Crown Him with Many Crowns

1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
 2 Crown him the vir - gin's Son, the God in - car - nate born,  
 3 Crown him the Lord of love— be - hold his hands and side,  
 4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave  
 5 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time,

hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.  
 whose arm those crim - son tro - phies won which now his brow a - dorn;  
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.  
 and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.  
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fab - ly sub - lime.

A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
 fruit of the mys - tic rose, yet of that rose the stem,  
 No an - gels in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
 His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,  
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;

and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.  
 the root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, the babe of Beth - le - hem.  
 but down - ward bend their burn - ing eyes at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
 who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.  
 thy praise and glo - ry shall not fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

Text: Matthew Bridges, 1800–1894, sts. 1–3, 5; Godfrey Thring, 1823–1903, st. 4  
 Music: DIADEMATA, George J. Elvey, 1816–1893

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**DISMISSAL**

Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

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Welcome to worship at St. Paul Lutheran Church! May you experience the love of our good Shepherd, Jesus, and share it with others throughout the week.

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**The ALTAR FLOWERS** are given to the glory of God in memory of **Bob & Ada Williams'** 44<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on Friday, November 20, 2020.



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**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Judy Campbell

Kade Carroll

Trudy Conley

Devon & Megan Fischer

Ralph Haslett

Patty Hire

Bill & Tracy Hutchinson

Jack Kuhns

Kristin Lloyd

Linda Merrill

Sheri Pero

Wally Potts

Reed Family

Sandy Ross

Joe & Karen Sawyer

Bobby Shull

Kandy Sumner

grandson of Bev (Bill) Albright

daughter of Naomi Conley

grandson of Naomi Conley

brother of Janet (Dave) Zilch

grandma of CCYG student

stepfather of Sherry (Walt) Frasher

granddaughter of Bev (Bill) Albright

good friend of Tammy Baker

daughter of Joe & Karen Sawyer

sister-in-law of Jim (Sue) Shull

sister-in-law of Dawn Sumner

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## PRAYER REQUESTS - continued

Toni Waugh	daughter-in-law of Mary Waugh
Joyce Weiker	
Elam Wildermuth	grandson of John & Sandy Pawsey
Charlene Zaebst	cousin of Bev (Bill) Albright

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## DEPLOYED MILITARY PERSONNEL

Dylan Kimmet ~ son of Duane & Jeanie Kimmet  
 Michael Styczynski ~ husband of Elishia (Rosen) Styczynski

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## Reservations Necessary for Christmas Eve Services

Due to the COVID-19 resurgence in our area the Worship Board has decided to limit attendance at our Christmas Eve services to reservations only. In order to promote social distancing as much as possible there will be three services, at 4:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. Please make reservations for you and your family with John Glass at 419-680-4033.

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**November 22, 2020 – November 29, 2020**

<p><i>Sunday the 22<sup>nd</sup></i></p>	<p>8:00 a.m. ~ Holy Communion            9:15 a.m. ~ Sunday School            10:30 a.m. ~ Holy Communion Service            7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. ~ MS CCYG</p>
<p><i>Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup></i></p>	<p><b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>
<p><i>Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup></i></p>	<p><b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>
<p><i>Wednesday the 25<sup>th</sup></i></p>	<p><b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>
<p><i>Thursday the 26<sup>th</sup></i></p>	
<p><i>Friday the 27<sup>th</sup></i></p>	<p><b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>
<p><i>Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup></i></p>	<p>8:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. ~ Men’s Bible Study            5:00 p.m. ~ Holy Communion Worship  <b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>
<p><i>Sunday the 29<sup>th</sup></i></p>	<p>8:00 a.m. ~ Holy Communion            9:15 a.m. ~ Sunday School            10:30 a.m. ~ Holy Communion  <b>Pastor on vacation</b></p>

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## Christmas Military Packages

The St. Paul Women will be sending Christmas Packages to our church military family members in December. PLEASE make sure that our church office has the CORRECT ADDRESS for your family member, so delivery is assured. We will be sending a package to ALL we have addresses for, both deployed overseas and state-side. Deadline is **Monday, November 30, 2020!!**

Thank you!

*Mission Action Committee*

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## Good Cheer Cans

The St. Paul Women will be packing Good Cheer cans this year on **Saturday, December 5, 2020**. All bakers: Get out those great cookie/bar recipes to share with our home-bound members, those in medical facilities and with our church staff!! Please have your goodies in the church kitchen **by 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, December 5, 2020**. Wrap in plastic wrap or place in snack size zip-lock bags (2 pieces each) and place on kitchen counter clearly marked for Good Cheer cans.

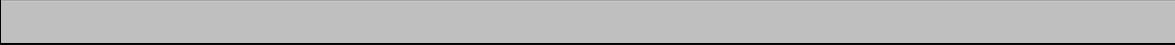
Also enjoyed would be individually wrapped protein bars, trail mix, loose (wrapped) Christmas candy, puddings and jellos. If we have items left-over, they will be shared with our military members.

We are always out the look-out for 2 lb. Christmas tins in good condition for this project, so bring those to the kitchen also if you happen to have any to donate. Due to COVID-19 concerns, Brenda and Jane will be doing the packing.

Thank you!!

*Mission Action Committee*

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**8:00 a.m. Service**

**10:30 a.m. Service**

**USHERS:**

Gege Smith  
Tim Billings  
DeAnn Krauss  
Mel Mowry  
Tony Paradiso

Duane Kimmet  
Tammy Baker  
Steve Jess  
Kent Mestrey  
Liz Wasson  
Ray Wasson

**COUNTERS:**

John Glass  
Jane Hilton

Ken Avers  
Jenny McCoy

**Song Leaders**

*Bill Hutchinson & Tom Thorbahn*

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**OUR STEWARDSHIP** **November 14 & 15, 2020**

<b><u>Worship Service Attendance</u></b> .....	63
General Fund Offering .....	\$ 4,446.25

*Weekly amount needed to achieve budget is \$5,225.00*

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God uses money to confirm direction.

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart,  
and do not lean on your own understanding.  
In all your ways acknowledge him,  
and he will make straight your paths” (Prov. 3:5-6).