

First Presbyterian Church

Kingsford, Michigan
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CHRIST THE KING/REIGN OF CHRIST

November 22, 2020

Greeting: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

Response: And also with you.

Announcements

Opening Prayer

*Praise Medley --Insert

GIVE THANKS

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy one, give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his Son. *(repeat)*

And now let the weak say, "I am strong," Let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us!" *(repeat)*

Give thanks, give thanks.

MAJESTY

Majesty, worship his majesty. Unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise. Majesty, kingdom authority, flow from his throne unto his own, his anthem raise.

So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King. Majesty, worship his majesty, Jesus, who died, now glorified, King of all kings.

*Prayer of Confession: **Your Majesty, our King and our God, we bow before you. Hear our confession. We confess we are unworthy subjects of your Kingdom. You command us to follow you in giving ourselves to others fully and completely. Forgive us for seeking our own comfort first and only casually caring for the needs of others. Forgive us for our neglect of prayer and our hardness of heart. We bow before you in repentance, great King. Help us to obey you more faithfully.**

*Assurance of God's Pardon

***Alleluia! Alleluia! Hearts to heav'n and voices raise;
Sing to God a hymn of gladness, sing to God a hymn of praise.
He who on the cross as Savior for the world's salvation bled,
Jesus Christ, the King of Glory, now is risen from the dead.**

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-16

Responsive Reading: Psalm 100

- 1 Sing to the LORD, all the world!
- 2 **Worship the LORD with joy; come before him with happy songs!**
- 3 Acknowledge that the LORD is God. He made us, and we belong to him; we are his people, we are his flock.
- 4 **Enter the temple gates with thanksgiving, go into its courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise him.**
- 5 The LORD is good; his love is eternal and his faithfulness lasts forever.

Sermon Text: Ephesians 1:15-23

Sermon --Cathy Lundy

*Hymn: *All Hail the Power of Jesus Name* --Insert

*Creed: The Westminster Larger Catechism (Q.45):

L: How doth Christ execute the office of a king?

P: **Christ executeth the office of a king, in calling out of the world a people to himself, and giving them officers, laws, and censures, by which he visibly governs them; in bestowing saving grace upon his elect, rewarding their obedience, and correcting them for their sins, preserving and supporting them under all their temptations and sufferings, restraining and overcoming all their enemies, and powerfully ordering all things for his own glory and their good: and also in taking vengeance on the rest, who know not God, and obey not the gospel.**

***INTERCESSIONS & PRAYER CONCERNS:**

Pastor Mike, Fred Fox, John and Fran Jamar, Marcia McGregor, Charlie Novara, Steve Lorge, Nat Schroeder, Linda Peterson, Karyn Daft, Kenny Kasten, Henry Kasten

***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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.**

Benediction & Response: *He Is Exalted

He is exalted, the King is exalted on high, I will praise him.
He is exalted, forever exalted, and I will praise his name!

He is the Lord, forever his truth shall reign;
Heaven and earth rejoice in his holy name,
He is exalted, the King is exalted on high.

CHURCH NOTES

Children's Christmas Program: December 20th

This will be a very SIMPLE, but POWERFUL, telling of Jesus' birth. Two rehearsals are planned during December. Please text Lorna soon at 282-1772 if your children would like to participate.

Virtual Christmas Pageant: In addition to our simple Christmas program on December 20th, we are going to do a virtual Christmas pageant! Everyone will be able to participate in the pageant from your home! Details about the virtual pageant will be mailed to our Church families very soon. For more information, contact Lorna at 282-1772.

Christmas Dinner: This year the meal has been simplified and will be by delivery or pick-up only. We plan to have small groups prep for it on the 22nd, 23rd and 24th at 9:00a.m. If you would like to help, please call the office at 774-4211. Sign-up sheets will be out next week.

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name 43

God gave Him the name that is above every name. Jesus Christ is Lord. Philippians 2:9-11

> 1. All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate
 2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, Ye ran - sored from the
 > 3. Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe On this ter - res - trial
 > 4. O that with yon - der sa - cred throug We at His feet may

fall; Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And crown Him
 fall, Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And crown Him
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 fall! We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, And crown Him

Lord of all; Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, And
 Lord of all; Hail Him who saves you by His grace, And
 Lord of all; To Him all maj - es - ty as - cribe, And
 Lord of all; We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, And