

*The Last Sunday after Pentecost: Christ the King*  
*November 20, 2022 – 9:30 a.m.*  
*The Holy Eucharist Rite Two*



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# Holy Eucharist – Rite II

*The congregation says the portions of our service in bold italics.*

**Prelude**

*Rest in the Lord*

J.S. Bach

*The people stand, as able*

**The Processional**

*King of glory, King of peace*

Hymnal 382

1 King of glo - ry, King of peace, I will love thee;  
2 Where - fore with my ut - most art, I will sing thee;  
3 Seven whole days, not one in seven, I will praise thee;

*Tenor or soprano ad libitum*

3 Seven whole days, not one in seven, I will praise thee;

and that love may nev - er cease, I will move thee.  
and the cream of all my heart, I will bring thee.  
in my heart, though not in heaven, I can raise thee.

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Thou hast grant - ed my re - quest, thou hast heard me;  
Though my sins a - gainst me cried, thou didst clear me;  
Small it is in this poor sort to en - roll thee;

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thou didst note my work - ing breast, thou hast spared me.  
 and a - lone, when they re - plied, thou didst hear me.  
 e'en e - ter - ni - ty's too short to ex - tol thee.

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## The Word of God

*The people remain standing, the Celebrant says*

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

*The Celebrant may say*

**Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The following song of praise is sung, all standing*

**The Gloria**

*Glory to you, Lord God of our Fathers*

Hymnal S-236

1. Glo - ry to you, Lord  
 God of our fa - thers; you are wor - thy of praise;  
 glo - ry to you. 2. Glo - ry to you  
 for the ra - di-ance of your ho - ly Name; we will

praise you and high-ly ex - alt you for ev - er.

3. Glo - ry to you in the splen - dor of your

tem - ple; on the throne of your ma - jes - ty, glo - ry to

you. 4. Glo - ry to you, seat - ed bet -

ween the Cher - u - bim; we will praise you and

high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er.

*Descant*

5. Glo - ry to you, be -

5. Glo - ry to you, be - hold - ing the

hold - ing the depths; in the high vault of

depths; in the high vault of hea - ven, glo - ry to

hea - ven, 6. Glo - ry to you, you. 6. Glo - ry to you, Fa - ther, Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit; we will Son, and Ho - ly Spi - rit; we will praise you and high - ly ex - alt you Glo - ry to you! high - ly ex - alt you for ev - er.

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### The Collect of the Day

*The Celebrant says to the people*

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 First Lesson *(sit)*

Jeremiah 23:1-6

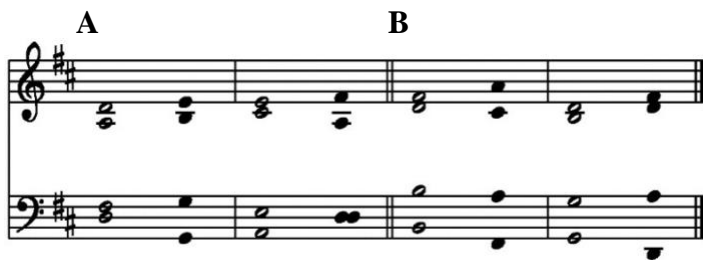
Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise

up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

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

The Response              Psalm 46                      *Deus noster refugium*



A 5    *There is a river whose streams make glad the city of / God, \**  
*the holy habitation of the Most / High.*

B 6    *God is in the midst of her;*  
*she shall not be over-/thrown; \**  
*God shall help her at the break of / day.*

A 7    *The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are / shaken; \**  
*God has spoken, and the earth shall melt a-/way.*

B 8    *The Lord of hosts is / with us; \**  
*the God of Jacob is our / stronghold.*

A 9    *Come now and look upon the works of the / Lord, \**  
*what awesome things he has done on / earth.*

B 10   *It is he who makes war to cease in all the / world; \**  
*he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear,*  
*and burns the shields with / fire.*

A 11   *"Be still, then, and know that I am / God; \**  
*I will be exalted among the nations;*  
*I will be exalted in the / earth."*

B 12   *The Lord of hosts is / with us; \**  
*the God of Jacob is our / stronghold.*

The Second Lesson

Colossians 1:11-20

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the

Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

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

*The people stand*  
**The Sequence Hymn**

*When I survey the wondrous cross*

Hymnal 474

1 When I sur - vey the won - drous cross where the young  
2 For - bid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the  
3 See, from his head, his hands, his feet sor - row and  
4 Were the whole realm of na - ture mine, that were an  
Prince of Glo - ry died, my rich - est gain I  
cross of Christ, my God: all the vain things that  
love flow min - gled down! Did e'er such love and  
of - fering far too small; love so a - maz - ing,

count but loss, and pour con - tempt on all my pride.  
 charm me most, I sac - ri - fice them to his blood.  
 sor - row meet, or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?  
 so di - vine, de - mands my soul, my life, my all.

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748). Music: *Rockingham*, from *Second Supplement to Psalmody in Miniature*, ca. 1970; harm. Edward Miller (1731-1807).

## The Holy Gospel

Luke 23: 33-43

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke.  
*People* ***Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. The people stood by, watching Jesus on the cross; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews."

One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

The Gospel of the Lord.  
*People* ***Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

**The Sermon** Rev. Bill Combs

**The Nicene Creed** (*standing*)

***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.*

### **Prayers of the People - Form VI**

*The Leader and People pray responsively*

In peace, we pray to you, Lord God.

*Silence*

For all people in their daily life and work;  
***For our families, friends, and neighbors, and for those who  
are alone.***

For this community, the nation, and the world;  
***For all who work for justice, freedom, and peace.***

For the just and proper use of your creation;  
***For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice, and oppression.***

For all who are in danger, sorrow, or any kind of trouble;  
***For those who minister to the sick, the friendless, and the  
needy.***

For the peace and unity of the Church of God;  
***For all who proclaim the Gospel, and all who seek the Truth.***

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop, Robert, our Bishop, and Bill, our rector; and for all bishops and other ministers;  
***For all who serve God in his Church.***

For the special needs and concerns of this congregation: for healing and wholeness for Jenny, Stan, Margaret, Steve, Scott, Lewis, Lynne, Jackie, Ben, Judy, Jack, Elaine, those on the Redeemer prayer list, and those we name either aloud or silently.

*The People may add their own petitions*

For all first responders, and members of our armed forces, that they be shielded from harm or danger.

*Silence*

Hear us, Lord;  
***For your mercy is great.***

We thank you, Lord, for all the blessings of this life.

*Silence*

We give you thanks for those celebrating the anniversary of their birth, especially Deb Bryan and Mark Prosser, and for those celebrating the anniversary of their marriage, especially Carol and Bill Sinke and Margie and Chuck Forbes.

We will exalt you, O God our King;  
***And praise your Name for ever and ever.***

We pray for all who have died, that they may have a place in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

*The People may add their own petitions*

Lord, let your loving-kindness be upon them;  
***Who put their trust in you.***

We pray to you also for the forgiveness of our sins.

*Silence may be kept.*

*Leader and People*  
***Have mercy upon us, most merciful Father;***  
***in your compassion forgive us our sins,***  
***known and unknown,***  
***things done and left undone;***  
***and so uphold us by your Spirit***  
***that we may live and serve you in newness of life,***

*to the honor and glory of your Name;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.*

*The Celebrant concludes with an absolution.*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.  
**Amen.**

## The Peace

*All stand. The Celebrant says to the people*

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.*

## Announcements, Birthday and Anniversary Blessings

### The Holy Communion

#### The Offertory

*Variation 22*

J.S. Bach

*The people stand for the presentation of the gifts*

#### The Presentation Hymn

*All glory be to God on high*

Hymnal 421



1 All glo - ry be to God on high, and peace on earth from  
2 O Lamb of God, Lord Je - sus Christ, whom God the Fa - ther  
3 You on - ly are the Ho - ly One, who came for our sal -



hea - ven, and God's good will un - fail - ing - ly be  
gave us, who for the world was sac - ri - ficed up -  
va - tion, and on - ly you are God's true Son, who



to all peo - ple giv - en. We bless, we wor - ship you, we raise for  
on the cross to save us; and, as you sit at God's right hand and  
was be - fore cre - a - tion. You on - ly, Christ, as Lord we own and,



your great glo - ry thanks and praise, O God, Al-might - y Fa - ther.  
 we for judg-ment there must stand, have mer - cy, Lord, up - on us.  
 with the Spi - rit, you a - lone share in the Fa - ther's glo - ry.

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### The Great Thanksgiving – Prayer A

*The people remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and sings or says*

*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 God thanks and praise.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

*Here a Proper Preface is sung or said on all Sundays, and on other occasions as appointed.*

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:

*Celebrant and People*

### Sanctus & Benedictus

*Holy, holy, holy Lord*

Hymnal S-125



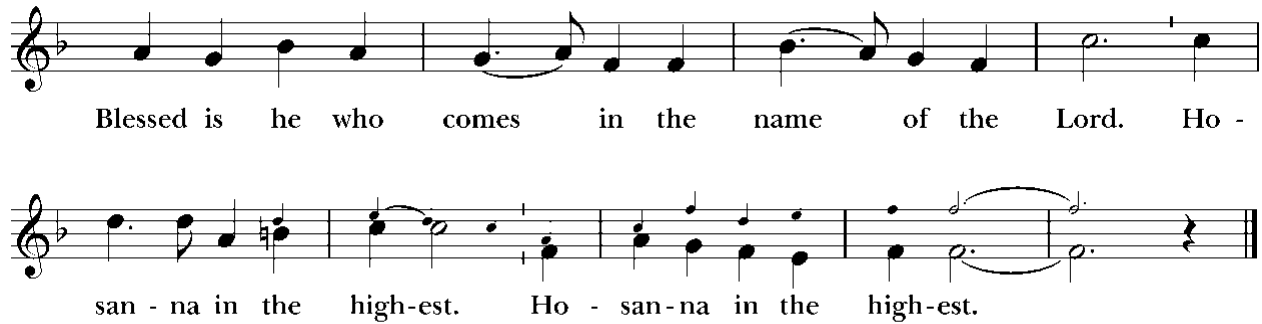
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and might,



heaven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -



san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.



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*The people remain standing, or kneel. The Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

*At the following words concerning the bread, the Celebrant is to hold it, or to lay a hand upon it; and at the words concerning the cup, to hold or place a hand upon the cup and any other vessel containing wine to be consecrated.*

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and People*

***Christ has died.***

***Christ is risen.***

***Christ will come again.***

*The Celebrant continues*

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,  
*People and Celebrant*

***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,  
for ever and ever. Amen.***

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

*A period of silence is kept.*

### **Fraction Anthem**

*Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia*

Hymnal S-154

*This setting is not used in Lent.*

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

Christ our Pass - o - ver is sac - ri - ficed for us;

there - fore let us keep the feast.

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

Music: From *New Plainsong*; David Hurd (b. 1950). Copyright © 1981 GIA Publications, Inc.

*Facing the people, the Celebrant says the following Invitation*  
The Gifts of God for the People of God.

All are welcomed to receive Communion by coming to the altar rail and extending their hands together toward the priest for the bread. If you do not wish to receive the bread, cross your arms over your chest, and you will receive a prayer of blessing. We are now resuming the use of the Common Cup; when COVID levels of transmission are “medium” or “high,” we will be intincting (dipping) only from the chalice.

**Communion**

*At Peace*

E. Granados

**Post-Communion Hymn**

*Let all mortal flesh keep silence*

Hymnal 324



1 Let all mortal flesh keep silence, and with fear and  
 2 King of kings, yet born of Ma - ry, as of old on  
 3 Rank on rank the host of hea - ven spreads its van - guard  
 4 At his feet the six - winged ser - aph; cher - u - bim with



trem - bling stand; pon - der noth - ing earth - ly -  
 earth he stood, Lord of lords in hu - man  
 on the way, as the Light of Light de -  
 sleep - less eye veil their fac - es to the



mind - ed, for with bless - ing in his hand  
 ves - ture, in the Bo - dy and the Blood  
 scend - eth from the realms of end - less day,  
 Pres - ence, as with cease - less voice they cry,



Christ our God to earth de - scend - eth,  
 he will give to all the faith - ful  
 that the powers of hell may va - nish  
 “Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!



our full hom - age to de - mand.  
 his own self for heav - en - ly food.  
 as the dark - ness clears a - way.  
 Al - le - lu - ia, Lord Most High!”

Words: Liturgy of St. James; para. Gerard Moultrie (1829-1885). Music: *Picardy*, French carol, 17th cent.; melody from *Chansons populaires des Provinces de France*, 1860; harm. after *The English Hymnal*, 1906.

## The Post-Communion Prayer

After Communion, the Celebrant says  
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.*

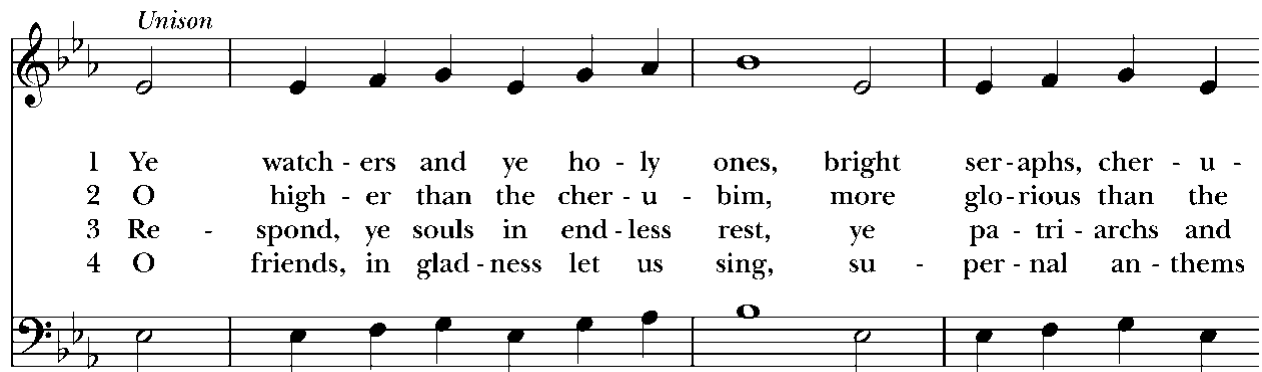
## The Blessing

### The Processional Hymn

*Ye watchers and ye holy ones*

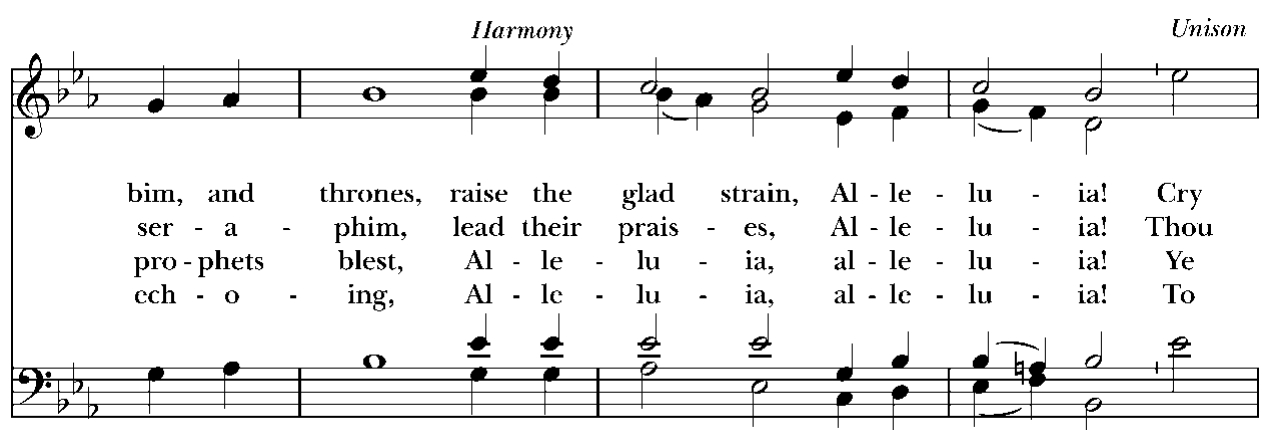
Hymnal 618

*Unison*



1 Ye watch - ers and ye ho - ly ones, bright ser - a - phs, cher - u -  
2 O high - er than the cher - u - bim, more glo - rious than the  
3 Re - spond, ye souls in end - less rest, ye pa - tri - archs and  
4 O friends, in glad - ness let us sing, su - per - nal an - thems

*Harmony* *Unison*



bim, and thrones, raise the glad strain, Al - le - lu - ia! Cry  
ser - a - phim, lead their prais - es, Al - le - lu - ia! Thou  
pro - phets blest, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! Ye  
ech - o - ing, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia! To



out, do - min - ions, prince-doms, powers, vir - tues, arch - an - gels, an - gels'  
 bear - er of the e - ter - nal Word, most gra - cious, mag - ni - fy the  
 ho - ly twelve, ye mar - tyrs strong, all saints tri - um - phant, raise the  
 God the Fa - ther, God the Son, and God the Spi - rit, Three in

*Harmony*

choirs, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 Lord, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 song, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -  
 One, Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le -

*Unison*

lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!  
 lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia!

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*The Celebrant, dismisses the people with these words*  
 Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.  
*People Thanks be to God.*

**The Postlude**

*Variation in G Major*

J.S. Bach

**Participants in the Liturgy**

Organist	Hue Jang
Reader	Danelle Borland
Greeter	Jim Borland
Acolyte	Katie Price
Altar Guild	Team 3: Kathy Kurelic, Bill Sinke, Cindy Coker, Gina Canavan, Cathy Crosby
Vestry Tellers	Carl Stollenmeyer and Everett Price
Celebrant	Rev. Bill Combs

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**The Episcopal Church of the Redeemer Announcements  
November 20, 2022**

**Weekly Email Newsletter and Bulletins**

Please contact the church office at [redeemer1868@gmail.com](mailto:redeemer1868@gmail.com) or 706-453-7171 by Wednesday, 4:00 p.m. if you have any announcements to go in the weekly printed bulletin and email newsletter



The altar flowers this Sunday are given to the Glory of God, and with love and thanksgiving for our Little Red Church with the Big Heart, and for my daughter, Tara, whose birthday is today, by Ann Goff.

**What's Happening...**

<i>Saturday, Nov 19</i>	3:30 p.m. Adult Christian Ed. – NO CLASS TODAY 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist – In-person, Lake Oconee Lutheran Church
<i>Sunday, Nov 20</i>	9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist – Redeemer - In-person and Facebook Livestream 11:00 a.m. Adult Christian Education – Rabbi Gottfried – Activity Center
<i>Monday, Nov 21</i>	9:30 a.m. – Thanksgiving Baskets – Pack and Deliver
<i>Wed., Nov 23</i>	10:00 a.m. Centering Prayer – Zoom Conference 3:00 p.m. Living Gracefully – NO MEETING – Happy Thanksgiving
<i>Thurs, Nov 24</i>	11:30 a.m. Yoga – NO YOGA THIS WEEK – Happy Thanksgiving
<i>Saturday, Nov 26</i>	3:30 p.m. Adult Christian Ed. – In-person, Lake Oconee Lutheran Church 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist – In-person, Lake Oconee Lutheran Church
<i>Sunday, Nov 27</i>	9:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist – Redeemer - In-person and Facebook Livestream 11:00 a.m. Adult Christian Education – Bible Study – In-person and Zoom

**Upcoming Stewardship Event**

The success of our mission at Redeemer calls us toward intentional generosity, to include the investment of our time, talents, and financial commitments. You have seen and heard from our ministry leaders and vestry liaisons for those ministries over the summer and early fall months about what our gifts have enabled us to accomplish for the parish members and our community. We hope it has been insightful and helpful in your understanding of how our gifts have fulfilled the mission of many ministries of this parish. In November the stewardship campaign will present, in mailings and presentations, what we hope will give all of us something to help us in

this part of our walk with our Lord, culminating in our family's pledge of our treasure. We will celebrate our stewardship with one last event:

### ***In-Gathering Worship Service***

This weekend, November 19 and 20, is our In-Gathering Worship Service. In this service those of us who wish will present our pledges in a special version of our Offering. Pledges and offerings will be blessed with special prayers of thanksgiving for these gifts and what the journey has taught us.

### **SPECIAL EVENT: Rabbi Pamela Gottfried and Scriptural Interpretation**

We are delighted to welcome Rabbi Pamela Gottfried from the Weber School in Sandy Springs. She will be leading our Adult Christian Education gathering on Sunday, November 20, downstairs in the Activity Center.

Rabbi Gottfried comes to us by way of Cathy Crosby, with whom she has been involved in a variety of Interfaith groups over many years. From Pamela's website:

“Believing the essential meaning of rabbi is “teacher,” Rabbi Pamela Gottfried (she/her) teaches at [The Weber School](#), where she strives to help individual students reach their potential. Since her rabbinic ordination from the Jewish Theological Seminary in New York, she has taught students of all ages in churches, colleges, community centers, mosques, retreat centers, schools, summer camps, and synagogues. As an artist, she often incorporates creative expression and message-driven art in her teaching of teens and adults. . . . Gottfried is the author of *Found in Translation: Common Words of Uncommon Wisdom*, and is currently working on a collection of creative nonfiction that includes stories and poems about her 25+ years as a parent and rabbi.”

We are so excited to have Rabbi Gottfried with us on the 20<sup>th</sup>. This gathering will begin at 11:00 a.m. DOWNSTAIRS in the Activity Center, to accommodate more people. Please be sure to join us for this special learning experience!

### **Transitions**

We have learned from Ed and Kathy Coleman that they will be moving to Chattanooga in early-to mid-December. We will celebrate their last weekend with us at Redeemer on Sunday, December 4, both in a brief “farewell liturgy” during the 10:30 service, and in a festive Coffee Hour following the service. We hope that you can join us for that.

### **Karen Klomp's New Address**

Karen made it safely to Findlay, Ohio last weekend, and is happily settling into her new home. Karen's new address is:

416 First Street  
Findlay, OH 45840

Her phone and email address have not changed. Karen, we continue to keep you in our loving prayers in this time of transition for you and your family.

### **Thanksgiving Baskets for Families in the Community**

PACK and DELIVER DAY is MONDAY, NOVEMBER 21. Come join the fun to help sort and pack the grocery boxes. Volunteers needed 9:30 – 11:00 a.m. We also need one more person for delivery! Please contact Elizabeth Hassell to help: (770) 853-6534.

### **Parishioner in the News**

A wonderful article on Larry Moore appeared in the Eatonton Messenger. You can read the article here: <https://www.msgrnews.com/news/moore-inducted-gcsu-business-college-hall-fame>

### **Christmas Outreach**



We've received the names of the families we'll be sponsoring early this year so there will be plenty of time to shop! The Christmas tree with the children's names, ages, sizes and wish lists will be set up in the Activity Center this Sunday.

We ask that each child receive the following, for a total of 7 gifts a piece:

- Sweater or sweatshirt
- Pants or jeans
- Package of socks
- Shoes
- Book
- 2 Toys

Please wrap them and label them with the child's first name and bring to the Activity Center by Sunday, December 18. Leave them in the vicinity of the old organ.

We also ask that you limit the amount spent per child to around \$100.

And please provide gift receipts, especially for the clothing and shoes! You can put those in a separate envelope with the child's name and we will make sure the mom gets them in case

something needs to be exchanged for a different size. Also, it's probably helpful if the clothing is purchased somewhere nearby (such as Walmart) so that it can easily be exchanged.

We will also be providing food baskets for the families so will need to restock our Food Pantry after Thanksgiving.

What a blessing it is to be able to provide these families with a Merry Christmas!  
Thank you all for making this possible. If you have any questions, please contact Sharon Bryan @ 678-571-7547 or Lucy Ogletree @ 706-817-0140.

### **Our Father's Kitchen**

Redeemer's next turn to serve will be on Saturday, December 17<sup>th</sup>. We will need five soup makers and six cookie makers and, of course, volunteers to help assemble and serve the lunches. If you would like to help, please contact Kathy Kurelic @ 609-841-9035 or Sharon Bryan @ 678-571-7547. Thank you all for your support of this important and meaningful ministry. Our recipients are truly grateful and appreciative.

### **SAVE THE DATE – December 12**



Episcopal Church Women Holiday Get Together  
Monday, December 12, 2022  
3:30 p.m.  
Home of Vicki Connelly (Harbor Club)  
All women are invited. Details to come.

### **Yoga at Redeemer – New information**

Redeemer Yoga is in full swing and we invite seasoned yogis and all curious about what Redeemer yoga offers to experience the gifts of calming, meditative, body/soul/mind practice in community. If you've never tried gentle movement, music and more with a caring group, pop in and see what we offer. Lightheartedness and laughter assured!

**No class November 24th. See you December 1, 8, 15**  
**The Landing recreation building and Zoom: 11:30 AM to 12:30 PM**

Please let Cathy know if you plan to attend in person or via Zoom: (770) 294-1399  
or [c.crosby@mac.com](mailto:c.crosby@mac.com)

### **Adult Christian Education**

*Special Guest: Rabbi Pamela Gottfried.* On Sunday, November 20, we will host Rabbi Pamela Gottfried for our Adult Christian Education hour. Rabbi Gottfried is a scholar of the Hebrew

scriptures, and will be leading a discussion of Genesis 25:19-23 (Isaac's prayer for Rebekkah, and Rebekkah's prayer for Rebekkah!). Please join us at 11:00 a.m. DOWNSTAIRS in the Activity Center for a lively, interactive study together.\

*Advent: A Season of Hope, Peace, Challenge, and Joy.* November 27-December 18. Over the course of four weeks, we will explore the Advent themes of Hope, Peace, Challenge, and Joy through visual arts, poetry, music, and family traditions/storytelling. Parishioners will be invited to share their own each week.

**\*\*\*There will be no Christian Ed class on Saturday, November 19\*\*\***

Join us at 3:30 p.m. on Saturdays in the nave at LOLC, or 11:00 a.m. on Sundays on the second floor of the Activity Center. Or join us via Zoom on Sundays at 11:00:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/252192646?pwd=OGIBMU1ucXYwR2ErcXh0a0tBVWYrdz09>

All are always welcome! We would love to have you join us!!!

### **Living Gracefully**

\*4th Wednesday, November 23rd: MEETING IS CANCELED. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

\*5th Wednesday, November 30th, we'll meet on Zoom for a book discussion of the essays: Solstice and Nose Music, Winter Count, and The Story of the Leopard in the Village on pages 186-200 in Robert Fulghum's book *What on Earth Have I Done?*

**All are welcome to join us on Zoom any Wednesday from 3:00-4:30 pm.**

**Sign into Zoom with Meeting ID 480 786 5810 Passcode 721901**

**Notify Margaret Rouse at [k2tog@bellsouth.net](mailto:k2tog@bellsouth.net) that you will attend so she can admit you.**

*Margaret Rouse*

### **Centering Prayer**

We are meeting on a new day, and at a new time. We will be gathering via Zoom every Wednesday morning at 10:00 a.m. We are reading from David Frenette's book, "The Path Of Centering Prayer," and then joining in Centering Prayer for 20 minutes. We are planning to begin having in-person meetings soon! All are invited to be a part of this group as we experience and explore the contemplative prayer practice of Centering Prayer. No experience necessary! Contemplative prayer is especially helpful in these uncertain times. All are always welcome!! Our Zoom link is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/192533433?pwd=b09wVGNuMHFFVWRSMS9Pa3ROSWJFUT09>

Meeting ID: 192 533 433

Passcode: 014705

### **Updates on COVID-19 - NEW**

*[The data from the CDC is updated weekly every Thursday evening, meaning that the information below is not current (bulletins are printed Thursday afternoons!). For a more up-to-date summary, please see the Friday newsletter]*

As of November 10, the CDC reported that the COVID transmission levels continue to be "Low" in Greene County and Putnam County – indeed, they are at very low levels right now (in the 25-35 cases per 100,000 population range). The CDC recommends mask-wearing indoors for those who desire it "as an additional precaution to protect yourself and others."

Do get the new Pfizer and Moderna vaccines for the newer Omicron. It could not be easier! This immunization injection is recommended for people 12 years of age and older for whom it has been greater than three months since one's last COVID vaccine injection/booster/infection. AND GET YOUR FLU SHOT!!!

You can find community level information at:

[https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view?null=CommunityLevels&data-type=CommunityLevels&list\\_select\\_state=Georgia&list\\_select\\_county=13139](https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view?null=CommunityLevels&data-type=CommunityLevels&list_select_state=Georgia&list_select_county=13139)

We will continue to monitor the infection rates locally and statewide, and we will continue to be prepared for changes in mask-wearing recommendations as circumstances warrant it.

Please continue to pray for those who provide care for the sick, for those with COVID, and for those living with long-term complications from this disease.

### **Sunday Coffee Hour at Redeemer - 2022**

We are in need of volunteers for our Sunday AM, after the service, Coffee Hour. It is so nice that we are able to get together for a visit again. Please sign up for a Sunday to make coffee and provide something light... like cookies, small muffins, fruit... Volunteers are needed for 2022. If you can help with this please call Dorothy Holst (762) 243-8059.

### **Altar Flower Guild**

**THE 2022 ALTAR FLOWER SIGN UP CHART** – All of our dates are filled in for 2022. Many thanks to all who faithfully give.

Dee's Botanicals in town, Deer Run, and Susan Lack are glad to handle any orders. You may certainly arrange flowers yourself as well. If you have any questions, you may contact Elizabeth Hassell at (770) 853-6534.

### **Dee's Floral and Botanicals – in town – 706-920-1325**

Hours are 9 AM – 5 PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday.

9 AM – 12 PM -Wednesday and Saturday 9-12 - delivery in town is complimentary

### **Deer Run Florist - 706-484-0999**

On Old Phoenix, small strip center - Kim Hodges is owner – delivery available

**Susan Lack - 478-808-0267** - Does flowers from her home in Harbor Club, delivery available

**Redeemer by the Numbers...**

For Period November 7, 2022 through November 13, 2022

	This Week	Year-to-Date
Pledge Revenue	5,720.00	203,496.20
Budgeted Pledges Revenues	4,380.00	201,480.00
Total Operating Revenue	8,120.00	232,566.01
Total Operating Expenses	1,519.38	211,174.04
<b>Attendance</b>		
Saturday, November 12 LOLC	5:00 pm Holy Eucharist: Congregants and participants: 8	
Sunday, November 13 Greensboro	9:30 am Holy Eucharist: Facebook Thru-Plays: 108 Video Recording Views: 1 Congregants and participants: 40	

**November Birthdays**

Nov 5 Bob White  
Nov 16 Karen Klomp  
Nov 17 Don Clary  
Nov 19 Deb Bryan  
Nov 19 Mark Prosser  
Nov 26 John Braly  
Nov 28 Elizabeth Hassell  
Nov 30 Timothy Gresham

**November Anniversaries**

Nov 12 Brinkley & Jim Pound  
Nov 20 Carol & Bill Sinke  
Nov 21 Margie & Chuck Forbes  
Nov 27 Jenny & Larry Moore

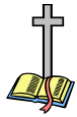
**A Birthday Blessing**

Watch over your *child*, O Lord, as *his* days increase; bless and guide *him* wherever *he* may be. Strengthen *him* when *he* stands; comfort *him* when discouraged or sorrowful; raise *him* up if *he* fall; and in *his* heart may your peace which passes understanding abide all the days of *his* life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

**Blessing for the Anniversary of a Marriage**

We thank you, most gracious God, for the marriage of *N. and N.*  
Bless and uphold their life together, and let their love be a reflection of your love in Jesus Christ. Lead them further in companionship with each other and with you. Give them grace to live together in love and fidelity, with care for one another. Strengthen them all their days, and bring them to that holy table where, with those they love, they will feast for ever in your heavenly home; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*





## Redeemer Prayer List

Please pray for the needs of this congregation and those they love, especially:

Anne Reed  
Brent Ogletree  
Libby  
Susan  
Mark Peters  
Jeff Dean  
Lisa  
Dana Winn  
Scott & Janet Frederick  
Diane  
Allyn  
Laura  
Don  
Stan Mileski  
Evie  
Jenny Moore  
Jennifer Guckert  
Casey  
Susan Porter  
Rev. Geoff Boyer  
Eileen

Broadus Bolling  
Martha Saldman  
Harry Braddy  
Jessica  
Pat Chapman  
George  
Ann  
Carol Moore  
Deloris Ramfos  
Patrick  
Larry Moore  
Mark  
Everett  
Will Aukamp  
Nikki  
Ed  
Lynne  
Margaret Caldwell  
Ben Stephens  
Judy  
Jane

Joseph  
Justin  
Rick  
Rhonda Allen  
Judy  
Elaine Rivera  
Gino  
Rebecca Reid  
Scott Schenider  
Jacob  
Susan Arnold  
Anne Masemann  
Michael Mileski  
John Keyser  
The Keyser Family  
Lewis Hammet  
Rev. Scott Gunn  
Donna  
Jeff Dick  
Jack Bodie  
Jim Borland

Elaine Hall  
The victims of the war in  
Ukraine

The 6,600,000+ victims of  
the Coronavirus worldwide

For all who served in the  
Armed Forces of the United  
States, and for all who  
currently serve

## **Restrooms:**

**At LOLC-** Located in the narthex, just outside the sanctuary doors.

**At Redeemer-** Located in the Children's Center, immediately north of the church, and in the Church Activity Center behind the church.

### **THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER**

The Right Rev. Robert C. Wright, Bishop  
The Right Rev. Don Wimberly, Assisting Bishop  
The Right Rev. Paul Lambert, Assisting Bishop  
The Rev. Bill Combs, Rector  
Brinkley Pound, Parish Administrator  
Jenny Moore, Organist  
Hue Jang, Organist

### **VESTRY**

Linda Chesbro, Senior Warden, Administration  
Les Reed, Junior Warden, Building and Grounds  
Sharon Bryan, Outreach  
Cathy Crosby, Christian Education  
Connie Karpinsky, Congreg. Growth & Dev.  
Everett Price, Stewardship  
Carl Stollenmeyer, Worship  
Mimi Vickers, Communications  
Christine Young, Parish Life  
Heather Kennerson, Treasurer  
Kathy Kurelic, Vestry Clerk

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