

November 22, 2020  
Christ the King Sunday  
Order of Worship  
10:00 a.m.

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*The Church Gathers*

Greetings & Announcements

Joys & Concerns

The Prelude

Opening Hymn: "Now Thank We All Our God" UMH102

Call to Worship:

We come, for God gathers us here, with that community called faith:  
**where the hungry are served first, where the thirsty drink life's water.**  
We come, for God welcomes us here into that home called grace:  
**where the naked are clothed in robes of hope;**  
**where the stranger is embraced as the long-lost prodigal.**  
We come, for God reunites us here,  
sisters and brothers in that family called love:  
**where the imprisoned model justice,**  
**where the sick are cradled in God's peace.**

Opening Prayer: (unison)

**Tender, comforting Shepherd,**  
**your steadfast love is present in this place**  
**and resides within each of us.**  
**But sometimes it is hard, so very hard, to open ourselves to your love.**  
**We feel like scattered sheep, frightened and alone.**  
**Help us know your loving presence**  
**as we live as your gathered community.**  
**Enlighten our hearts,**  
**that we may know the hope to which we have been called. Amen.**

*We Offer Prayers & Praise*

The Lord's Prayer: (unison)

**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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Special Music

Children's Message

*We Meditate on God's Word*

Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23

Scripture Reading: Matthew 25:31-46  
The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

Sermon Pastor Steven Cho

*We Go Forth to Love & Serve*

Closing Hymn: "Nearer, My God, to Thee" UMH528

Benediction

\*Postlude Margaret Hare

*The Church Goes Out to Love And Serve*

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Notes:

- ❖ Hymns & prayers will be printed in the bulletin until further notice.
- ❖ Please note: The Order of Worship Is Subject to Change At Any Time At the Direction of The Holy Spirit!