

## \*Prayer after Communion

**Pastor:** Faithful God, you have spread before us a feast of rich food and drink in the body and blood of your Son. Now send us out to labor with you, in service to the world you have made, and among the people you have made your home, in Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. **C: Amen.**

## \*Blessing

**Pastor:** The Ancient One, enthroned; the Crucified One, now risen; the Indwelling One, poured out, + bless you now and forever. **C: Amen.**

## \*Recessional Hymn:

**Lift High the Cross**

**LBW 377**

## \*Dismissal

**Pastor:** Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ. **C: Thanks be to God.**

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Dave Lamar      Walter Maul      Elzy Pauley      Carolyn Pinos      Ava Stancovich  
Emma Rosman      Beni Krisko

Poinsettia chart is on the bulletin board at the back of the church. Price is \$9.00. Colors available are Red, White, Pink, and Red and White Marble. Orders are due by December 1st. Thank you.

Christmas Eve Service will be held at 7:30 pm this year.

December 1—Congregational Meeting to approve budget for 2025 and to elect council members.

December 2—Council Meeting at 6:30 pm.

Newsletter items are due by December 22nd for the January—March 2025 newsletter. Items can be given to either Sharon Cordwell or Becky Canavan or placed in their mailboxes.

This morning, Jack Seymore, an authorized lay worship leader in the Allegheny Synod, ELCA will distribute the gifts of bread and wine.

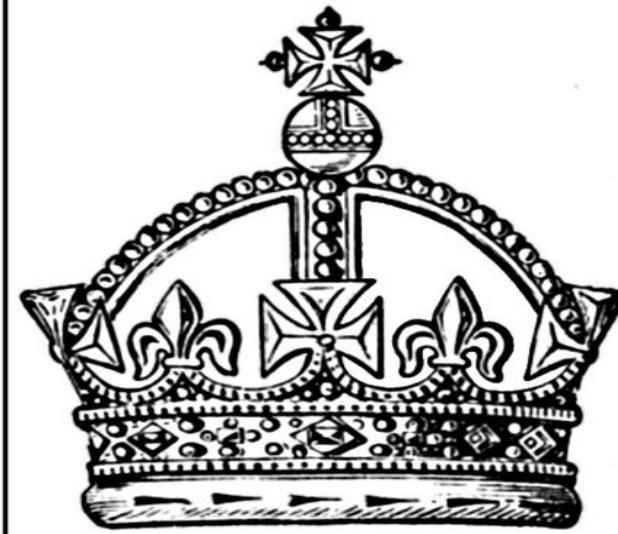
If anyone is in need of Pastoral care, please call the Allegheny Synod Office to make arrangements at (814) 942-1042.

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## Christ The King Sunday

November 24, 2024

Worship Sundays at 9:00 am



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### Communion Hospitality

Lutheran Christians believe Christ is truly present in his supper. By faith we receive his Body and Blood "in, with, and under" the forms: of bread and wine for our forgiveness, life, and salvation. All baptized Christians who desire to receive Jesus in his sacrament, are welcome to commune..

Sanctuary candle is in memory of Virginia Pinos by Ruth Elaine. Tall candles are in memory of Virginia Pinos by Ruth Elaine. Small candles are in memory of Virginia Pinos by Ruth Elaine.

**THE HOLY COMMUNION**  
*Setting II*

*Parish Announcements*

*Prelude*

**\*= Stand**

*(The sign of the cross + may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.)*

**\*Announcements:**

**Pastor:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, our refuge, our delight, our beginning and our end. **C: Amen.**  
our sin.

**Pastor:** Let us come in truth before the one who loves us and has freed us from

***Silence is kept for reflection. Please kneel as you are able.***

**Pastor:** Eternal One, robed in majesty and mercy, **we confess that sin has taken hold of us and we are complicit in its power. We are disturbed in spirit and our hearts cannot rest. Unbind us and set us free. Lead us again to the waters of rebirth, that we may live just and generous lives for the good of your world and the care of our neighbors, following in the servant way of Jesus.** Amen.

**Pastor:** These words are trustworthy and true: Christ bore our sins once, for all, on the cross, swallowing up death forever. For his sake, you are + forgiven and God remembers your sin no more. Let your heart be glad again, and rejoice in your salvation. **Amen.**

**Entrance Hymn:**

**Lo! He Comes with Clouds Descending**

**LBW 27**

**Pastor:** 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.**

**\*Kyrie**

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**\*Hymn of Praise**

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**\*Prayer of the Day: Pastor:** The Lord be with you. **C: And also with you.**

**First Reading:** Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 **L:** The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 93**

**(Read Responsively)**

**Second Reading:** Revelation 1:4b-8 **L:** The word of the Lord. **C: Thanks be to God.**

**\*The Verse**

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**\*Holy Gospel: John 18:33-37**

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

**C: Praise to you O Christ**

**Sermon**

**\*Hymn of the Day**

**Rejoice, the Lord Is King**

**LBW 171**

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**\*Nicene Creed**

**\*Prayers of the Church**

**Pastor:** Merciful God, **C: Receive our prayer.**

**\*Passing of Peace** **Pastor:** The peace of the Lord be with you always. **C: And also with you.**

*The minister and congregation may greet one another in the name of the Lord, and then be seated.*

**Offering**

***The offering is received as the Lord's table is prepared.***

**\*Offertory**

**"Let the Vineyards"**

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**\*Offertory Prayer**

**Pastor:** Lord Jesus, our portion and our cup, you offered yourself in love for the world, and in this meal you nourish us with your life. Fill us with your abundance, that we may feed the hungry and welcome the stranger, trusting in your name. **C: Amen.**

**Liturgy of Holy Communion**

**\*Great Thanksgiving and Sanctus**

**\*When our brothers and sisters at Zion Lutheran Church in Hollidaysburg gathered for worship, we heard again the story of God's mighty acts and the love shown to us in Jesus' life, death, resurrection, and ascension, and we shared in the holy meal of the Lord's Supper. Now, I bring to you this same word of life, and this same bread and cup of blessing, so that we may share these gifts and be strengthened in communion with all the people of God.**

**Gathered at the Lord's table, we celebrated with thanksgiving that "in the night in which Jesus was betrayed, he 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 in remembrance of me. Again, after supper he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink saying: "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me." This is the supper our Lord Jesus Christ, and this meal is shared with the assurance of our Lord's presence through the gift of the Holy Spirit. This bread and cup, shared in the gathering of our faith, are now given here for you.**

**\*The Lord's Prayer**

**\*Invitation to Communion:**

**Pastor:** Behold, God is making all things new. Take your place in the new creation

**\*Agnus Dei**

**"Lamb of God"**

*As the ministers give the bread and wine, they say these words to each communicant:  
'The body of Christ, given for you.' & 'The blood of Christ, shed for you.'  
After each, the communicant may say: 'Amen.'*

**Distribution**

**Communion Hymn:**

**O Christ the Same**

**WOV 778**

**\*Post Communion Blessing**

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