



Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

Jackson, Minnesota

“Bringing Jesus to Jackson”

Christ the King

November 20, 2022

Welcome to this Divine Service. We gather in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Please sign the attendance card in pew and place in offering plate.



Prelude and Ringing of the Bell

Hymn “All Praise to Thee, for Thou, O King Divine” **815**

Confession and Absolution **151**

Introit **Ps. 134; antiphon: Ps. 33:8**

P Let all the earth fear the Lord;

C let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him!

P Come, bless the Lord, all you servants of the Lord,

C who stand by night in the house of the Lord!

P Lift up your hands to the holy place

C and bless the Lord!

P May the Lord bless you from Zion,

C he who made heaven and earth!

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.**

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C let all the inhabitants of the world stand in awe of him!

Kyrie **152-3**

Hymn of Praise “Gloria in Excelsis” **154**

Salutation and Collect of the Day **156**

P The Lord be with you.

C *(sung)* And also with you.

P Let us pray. Lord Jesus Christ, You reign among us by the preaching of Your cross. Forgive Your people their offenses that we, being governed by Your bountiful goodness, may enter at last into Your eternal paradise; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C *(sung)* Amen.

¹³“Your words have been hard against me, says the LORD. But you say, ‘How have we spoken against you?’ ¹⁴You have said, ‘It is vain to serve God. What is the profit of our keeping his charge or of walking as in mourning before the LORD of hosts? ¹⁵And now we call the arrogant blessed. Evildoers not only prosper but they put God to the test and they escape.’ ”

¹⁶Then those who feared the LORD spoke with one another. The LORD paid attention and heard them, and a book of remembrance was written before him of those who feared the LORD and esteemed his name.

¹⁷“They shall be mine, says the LORD of hosts, in the day when I make up my treasured possession, and I will spare them as a man spares his son who serves him. ¹⁸Then once more you shall see the distinction between the righteous and the wicked, between one who serves God and one who does not serve him.”

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Gradual

Revelation 7:14b; Ps. 84:5

P These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation.

C They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

P Blessed are those whose strength is in you,

C in whose heart are the highways to Zion.

Epistle

Colossians 1:13–20 ESV

¹³He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation.

¹⁶For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him. ¹⁷And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent. ¹⁹For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

P This is the Word of the Lord.

C Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

St. Luke 23:27–43 ESV

[P] The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the twenty-third chapter.

[C] *(sung)* **Glory to You, O Lord.**

²⁷ And there followed [Jesus] a great multitude of the people and of women who were mourning and lamenting for him. ²⁸ But turning to them Jesus said, “Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for me, but weep for yourselves and for your children. ²⁹ For behold, the days are coming when they will say, ‘Blessed are the barren and the wombs that never bore and the breasts that never nursed!’ ³⁰ Then they will begin to say to the mountains, ‘Fall on us,’ and to the hills, ‘Cover us.’ ³¹ For if they do these things when the wood is green, what will happen when it is dry?”

³² Two others, who were criminals, were led away to be put to death with him. ³³ And when they came to the place that is called The Skull, there they crucified him, and the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴ And Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do.” And they cast lots to divide his garments. ³⁵ And the people stood by, watching, but the rulers scoffed at him, saying, “He saved others; let him save himself, if he is the Christ of God, his Chosen One!” ³⁶ The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine ³⁷ and saying, “If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!” ³⁸ There was also an inscription over him, “This is the King of the Jews.”

³⁹ One of the criminals who were hanged railed at him, saying, “Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us!” ⁴⁰ But the other rebuked him, saying, “Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹ And we indeed justly, for we are receiving the due reward of our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong.” ⁴² And he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” ⁴³ And he said to him, “Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in paradise.”

[P] This is the Gospel of the Lord. **[C]** *(sung)* **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Apostles’ Creed

159

Hymn

“Lift High the Cross”

837

Sermon

“Your King Treasures You”

Malachi 3:13-18

Prayer of the Church

Sharon Kelley (Susan Place’s mother), Caleb Thurmer, Karen Temple, Keaton Clipperton, Dave Lappe, Richard Polz, Mark Oeltjenbruns, Pam

Kemp, Gen Rehnehl, Evelyn Lucht, Robert Pohlman, Tyler King (Carol Henning's friend's nephew), Diann Johnson (Bernie Stubbe's sister), Deb Sundahl, Sharon Henning, Ron Kloos, Barney Olson, Travus Mekosch.

Petitions conclude:

P . . . let us pray to the Lord: **C** **Lord, have mercy.**

Final petition:

P O Christ, our King, in Your blood the saints of all ages wash their robes and find entrance to paradise with You. Bring us also with them out of death and the grave and into resurrection and eternal life at the Last Day, when we will see You crowned with glory; for You are the Lamb who was slain and now lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Offering and Offertory

159-160

The Lord's Prayer

Collect

Benediction

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Closing Hymn

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

525

Voters' Assembly

Postlude



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