- P We are looking forward to a new heaven and a | new earth \* the home of | righteousness.
- O Lord, make me know my end, what is the measure | of my days;\* let me know how fleeting | is my life!
- P Each man's life is | but a breath. \*
  And now, O Lord, for what | do I wait?
- **⚠** My hope | is in you. \*

**Deliver me from all my trans-** | gressions.

Glory be to the Father and  $\mid$  to the Son  $^*$ 

and to the Holy | Spirit;

as it was in the be-  $\mid$  ginning,\*

is now, and will be forever. | Amen.

P We are looking forward to a new heaven and a | new earth \* the home of | righteousness.

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#### **COLLECT OF THE DAY -** ancient prayer of the Church based upon the Scriptural theme of the day

▶ 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.

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### **OLD TESTAMENT** Malachi 3:13-18 Your names written in the Book

"Your words have been hard against me, says the LORD. But you say, 'How have we spoken against you?' You 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? And now we call the arrogant blessed. Evildoers not only prosper but they put God to the test and they escape.'" Then 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. "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. Then 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.

**GRADUAL** - the ancient seasonal response to hearing God's Word

Rev. 7; Psalm 84

- These are they who have come out of the great tribu- | lation; \* they have washed their robes and made them white in the blood | of the Lamb.
- Blessed are those whose strength | is in you; \* who have set their hearts | on Your path.

### **EPISTLE** Colossians 1:13-20 Jesus reigns, giving you His forgiveness

He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to 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 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. And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And 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. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

#### FESTIVAL ALLELUIA

On this festival day, the Gospel is read from the center aisle in celebration as the Good News manifest in the midst of God's people, the Church, and into the world.



- P Holy, holy, holy is the Lord Almighty! The whole earth is full of Your glory.
- C repeat Festival Alleluia.
- P Surely I am coming soon; Ever reigning as your King.
- C repeat Festival Alleluia.

### HOLY GOSPEL Luke 23:33-43 Jesus' crucifixion

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. And Jesus said, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." And they cast lots to divide his garments. 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!" 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 railed at him, saying, "Are you not the Christ? 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 justly, for we are receiving the due reward of our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong." And he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." And he said to him, "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

Please turn to follow the processional cross. You may wish to bow as it passes you in reverence to Christ.

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### SERMON

### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**after ea. petition, P Let us pray to the Lord,

**© Lord have mercy.** *closes,* P...through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

@ Amen.

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### **ANNOUNGEMENTS**

**Visitors** – it is a joy to have you with us. Please fill out the attendance pad in the folder in the pew rack from the center aisle and pick-up a newsletter at the brochure rack by the door.

**Parents with small children.** If needed, the **Nursery** has a video feed of the Service; also a restroom with changing table. A **Nursing Room** is located off the Library. The **Library** is also space for children under 3 during the Sunday School hour.

### **Prayer List – members:**

Brandy Melloy (hospice), Ron Swartz (cancer), Mary Lingo (cancer), David Benzel (health issues),

Erika Colacicco (cancer)

### – family & friends:

Don Lightfoot (Turney, Kalebaugh friend, terminal brain cancer) Camryn Scharnhorst (gr.daughter of LeRoy, Dianne Scharnhorst, diabetes)

Jerry Kruse (brother-in-law of Tim Selbe, critically ill)

Kelli Scott (young mother, friend of Emily Newman, inoperable cancer)

Michelle Herbert (friend of Teri Long, cancer)

Sharon Kornhaus (daughter-in-law of B. White, cancer)

Terri Tomb (mother of Steve Crowell, health issues)

Dean Landman (father of Deb Glaum, health issues)
Maren Turner (niece of Amanda Dowdall, leukemia)

Diane Beckett (sister of Paula Knollman, Alzheimer's, hospice)

Congregation Potluck/Qtrly. Voter's Assembly, today after 10:30 Service.

**2023 Calendar** is posted in Church Office for flowers, reserving gym and halls.

**Classical Academy.** If you are interested teaching 2 Art classes, substituting if needed, or helping with the Nursery, watching 1-3 kids, please see Pastor Weinkauf or Amanda Uhlmansiek. These are paid positions.

**Annual Church Planning, for 2023 & beyond,** Nov. 27, 11:45 am, all welcome; soup & salad provided.

**Sunday School gamenight/ Parent's datenight,** Friday, Dec. 2, 6:00 - 8:00 pm, infants and up. Food, snacks provided. Great time to shop.

Church decorating. All welcome. Saturday, Nov. 26, 9 am.

**Thanksgiving Eve** worship Service, Nov. 23, 7:00 pm.

Advent Midweeks Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14 Service 8:30 am; Bible Class 9:00 am

**Supper** 6:00-6:50 pm; meals hosted by LWML or Youth Group

**Service** 7:00-7:45 pm; Confirmation 7:46-8:25,

Vocal Choir 7:46-8:15; Bell Choir 8:16-8:45

**Pastor Cockran** has taken a paid sabbatical leave as he pursues another ministry opportunity. We give thanks for his pastoral service to us. We pray the Lord bless him and his family in this future ministry endeavor.

-Board of Elders, Congregation President and Vice-Pres.

		CALENDAR
Today	8:00 a	Divine Service
	9:15 a	Sunday School/Bible Class for all
	10:30 a	Divine Service
	11:40 a	Congregation Potluck
	12:20 p	Quarterly Voter's Assembly
Monday	8:30a-3:30p	Risen Savior Classical Academy
Weds.	8:30 a	Matins Service
	9:00 a	Bible Class for all
	7:00 p	Thanksgiving Eve Service
Saturday	9:00 a	Church decorating
	6:00 p	Divine Service
Sunday	8:00 a	Divine Service
	9:15 a	Sunday School/Bible Class for all
	10:30 a	Divine Service
	11:45 a	Church Planning meeting for all
	6:00 p	Book of Concord study for all

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Nov. 30, Dec. 7,14 Midwk Advent; 8:30 am, 7 pm Services; 6 pm meal Dec. 2 Sunday School gamenight
Dec. 11 Christmas Caroling to shut-ins, 3 pm
Dec. 18 Cookie Walk sponsored by the LWML
Dec. 18 Children's Christmas Program, 6 pm & reception
Dec. 24 Christmas Eve Services, 5 pm & 7 pm
Dec. 25 Christmas Day Divine Service 10:30 am only
Jan. 22 Next Adult Catechism class or by arrangement

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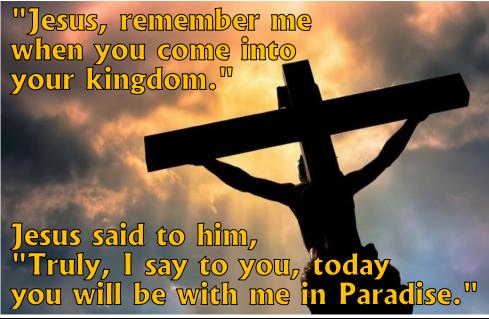
Altar Flowers: to celebrate the 72<sup>nd</sup> birthday of Joanie Jones and in memory of her parents. See Church Calendar in the office to sign-up, \$25/1 Vase. Financial Reports are posted in Church Office. On-Line Giving. Our Vendor is: Vanco. Download the App. There is also a link on our website.



# Christ the King Sunday Last Sunday of the Church Year Nov. 20, 2022

Welcome to the Lord's House. Jesus Christ Reigns, Enduring the Cross—Its Scorn and Shame. Jesus reigns in love among those who are baptized in His name. "They shall be mine," He says, "and I will spare them as a man spares his son who serves him" (Mal. 3:17). Jesus' service through crucifixion for sinful men anchors us in new life. In the proclamation of His Son, God makes His justice clear, defining "the distinction between the righteous and the wicked" (Mal. 3:18). He truly is "the King of the Jews" (Luke 23:38), who governs His Church with all authority in heaven and on earth. He has come into His Kingdom by His cross, and He graciously remembers us in paradise. Therefore, do not weep for Him, but with repentant faith "weep for yourselves and for your children" (Luke 23:28). Then the mountains and hills of Jerusalem, His holy Church, shall cover you with His righteousness and peace. For "All things were created through him and for him" (Col. 1:16), and "all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell" bodily in Him, reconciling all things to Himself "by the blood of his cross" (Col. 1:19–20).

The Lord bless this Divine Service.



We celebrate the Lord's Supper today, in the confession, as Jesus says, our Lord gives into our mouths not only bread, wine but His very real, true body, blood to eat, drink for the forgiveness of sins and to strengthen our union with Him, and with one another. According to Scripture, Holy Communion is also a public confession of faith, sharing a unity in doctrinal belief; also those who eat, drink our Lord's body, blood unworthily or without discernment do so to their harm. In love towards God and our neighbor, according to Scripture, the Church has always practiced a closed communion. Therefore, in love and pastoral concern for our guests, if you are not a member of the LCMS and desire to receive the Sacrament, please speak with the pastor first.