November 20, 2022; 9:00 am Christ the King Sunday

# We Gather Together

Prelude "St. Denio" "Meditation on the Irish Tune Slane"

(Welcome to our Service of Worship. Whether you are with us in person, joining us live on zoom or watching several days from now, we are glad you are here. We extend a special welcome to our visitors. Please use the time before worship to fill in the Friendship Pad in your pew. Masking (N-95 preferred) and social distancing are not required but are respected and encouraged. Please consider your own health and the health of those around you.)

## Welcome & Announcements

# **Ringing of the Bell and entrance of the Light of Christ**

\*Call to Worship Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Let us offer God thanks and praise. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. To God be honor and glory forever. With joyful noise we worship our God of eternal honor and glory!

\*Hymn PH 263 Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

Henry H., Cantor

## \*Call to Confession

In humility we are called to confess our sins, reaching out in penitence to our Lord and Savior. Trusting in the merciful love of God, let us pray together.

# \*Confession

Gracious Lord, we are quick to identify our enemies and slow to name the ways we hurt others.

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**Jolene Schry** 

arr. by John A. Behnke arr. by Eric H. Thiman You lead us in the ways of righteousness, and yet we prefer to walk our own path.

We are called to follow your lead in creating a beloved community, yet we idolize wealth and power.

Heal us and help us, O God.

Turn us from the ways of sin, the means that create unjust ends. Grant that we may seek to be for others what you are for us: a source of light on the way to peace.

> Silent Confession (In the silence of our hearts we confess our sins to God.)

# \*Assurance of Pardon

Beloved, in Jesus the Christ,

God's day has overcome our night,

God's peace has abolished our anger,

God's justice has done away with all our sins.

Beloved, believe the good news of the gospel:

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God. Alleluia, Amen!

# \*Sharing God's Peace

The Peace of Christ be with! And also, with you!

(Please share the Peace of Christ with those around you using the ancient formula 'The Peace of Christ.' 'And also, with you.' Please be mindful of those who do not wish to shake hands or be too close. **We encourage you to use this time to send a text or emoji to someone who cannot be here.**)

\*Hymn PH 577 Glory Be to the Father

# **God's Word Is Proclaimed**

Epistle LessonColossians 1:11-20Gospel LessonMatthew 28:16-20

#### **Children's Time**

Jennifer Zander

Sermon "Brave New World!"

Pastor Ken Locke

# We Respond to God's Word

## **Prayers of the People**

#### **The Lord's Prayer**

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. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who have sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Minute for Mission Alternative Gift Fair – Sleep in Heavenly Peace Sue Baker, Serving Team

Offering "Herr Gott, dich loben alle wir" (Old 100th)

arr. Wihelm Valentin Volckmar

\*Offertory PH 428 "We Give Thee but Thine Own" (vs1)

**\*Offertory Prayer** 

\*Hymn PH 155 "Rejoice the Lord is King"

## **Charge and Benediction** Let all God's people say, **Alleluia, Amen!**

#### \*Closing Refrain

# Shalom Chaverim (Blue Hymnal 537)

(Together)

Farewell, good friends, Farewell, good friends, Shalom, Shalom! Till we meet again, Till we meet again, Shalom, Shalom.

#### (In Round)

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Shah-lom, Shah-lom

Postlude "Rejoice, the Lord is King!"

arr. by Alfred V. Fedak

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#### **Prayers**

Brian C. Gary G. Pat D. Gib D. Arnold L. Pauline W. Jesse F.

Silas W. Liam A. Jerry and Mary H. Chastity G. and Joan S. Jolene S. - sister and her husband Nenad Malic

Uganda, PCUSA Missionaries and Rev. John Tubuwa and his family. Uganda is experiencing an outbreak of Ebola in many areas.

Please take a moment to thank those who help make our service run smoothly. Because of them, we are able to worship God well.

#### **E-Giving**

Consider giving electronically. It's easy, convenient, and secure. You can sign-up on our website <u>www.fdlpresbyterian.org</u>. Click on 'Giving'. (You can change your giving at any time.) We are so very thankful for those of you who tithe or give regularly to our church. Your contributions help us do God's work.

DATE	ATTENDANCE	WEEKLY INCOME	NOTES
Nov.13,2022	<u>94</u>	\$3,171.00	OFFERINGS/TITHES
Nov. 13,2022		\$300.00	RAISE THE ROOF CAMPAIGN
11/0611/11/2022		\$501.00	VANCO-ONLINE OFFERINGS
11/0611/11/2022		\$50.00	VANCO-ONLINE ROOF OFFERINGS
		\$4,022.00	TOTAL INCOME FOR THE WEEK
		\$47,731.97	TOTAL IN THE "RAISE THE ROOF" CAMPAIGN FUND
11/13/2022	0		ATTENDANCE FOR THE LIVE STREAMING SERVICE 11/13/2022
			We were having technical difficulties with the streaming Service

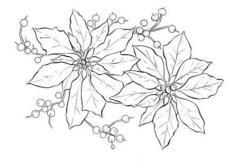
# This Week at Church

<b>Sunday</b> 9:00-10:00am	<b>11.20</b> Worship Pastor Ken is leading us in worship. Sanctuary & Zoom
10:15am 10:15-11:15am	Fellowship Time Growing Connections (Adults) - Diabetes Awareness Fellowship Hall & Zoom
4:00-5:30pm 6:00-7:30pm	PYA Boy Scouts
<b>Monday</b> 10:00-11:30am 6:30-8:00pm	<b>11.21</b> Staff Meeting Session (Hybrid)
Wednesday 8:00-9:00am 4:30-5:30pm 6:30-7:30pm	<b>11.23</b> Men's Breakfast Hand Bell Practice Bingo (Zoom)
Thursday	<b>11.24</b> Happy Thanksgiving!
Thursday Friday	
	Happy Thanksgiving! <b>11.25</b>
Friday Saturday	Happy Thanksgiving! 11.25 Church Office is closed. 11.26 Table Tennis 11.27 First Sunday of Advent Worship Pastor Ken is leading us in worship.
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# "Nine Reasons Even Committed Christians are Attending Church Less Often"

(Adapted from Carey Nieuwhof)

- **1. Greater Affluence.** Money means more options.
- 2. Higher Focus on Youth Activities. More kids play sports and parents want to be there!
- **3. More Travel.** Everyone's doing it for longer.
- **4. Blended & Single-Parent Families.** Children may be attending at least two churches, or none.
- **5. Online Options.** It's not just for youth anymore.
- **6. No one feels guilty anymore.** Probably a good thing, but it cuts down on attendance.
- **7. Self-directed spirituality.** There's an app for it, a google sight, and an e-book that's free online.
- 8. Failure to see a direct benefit. I went twice and it didn't change my life. Why go back?
- **9. Valuing attendance over engagement.** Which matters more, butts in the pews or butts on a mission?



Poinsettia Order Form

Poinsettias will be ordered for the holiday season and placed in the sanctuary. Please return your form and payment to the church office. Orders must be received by **November 27**.

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