

**SundayWorship**  
**Christ the King Sunday**  
November 21, 2021



**JESUS CHRIST**

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**KING OF KINGS**

**LORD OF LORDS**

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## INTRODUCTION

*Even after Israel had experienced the vagaries of kings, the people still longed for a true king to set things right. He would have the king's title of Anointed One (Messiah); he would be the "one like a human being" (Son of Man) given dominion in Daniel's vision. Jesus is given these titles, even though he is nothing like an earthly king. His authority comes from the truth to which he bears witness, and those who recognize the truth voluntarily listen to him. We look forward to the day he is given dominion, knowing his victory will be the nonviolent victory of love.*

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRELUDE**     *Praise and Thanksgiving/Morning Has Broken*     Arr. Keesecker

## CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

P:     In the name of the Father, and of the + Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C:     **Amen.**

P:     Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence is kept for reflection.*

P:     Have mercy on us, O God.

C:     **We confess that we have sinned against you and against our neighbor. We have built walls instead of tables and have turned away the stranger. We have sought glory for ourselves and have treasured that which does not satisfy. Help us to love as you love, to welcome those you send, and to treasure mercy and justice. Turn us from our ways to your ways, and free us to serve those in need. Amen.**

P:     God, who makes all things new, forgives your sins for + Jesus' sake and remembers them no more. Lift up your heads and your hearts. Yours is the kingdom of God.

C:     **Amen.**

**HYMN Red hymnal #805**

*Lead On, O King Eternal*

## KYRIE

P:     In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

C:     **Lord, have mercy.**

P:     For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

**P:** For the peace of the whole world, for the well being of the church of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

**P:** For this holy house, and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**C: Lord, have mercy.**

**P:** Help, save, comfort and defend us, gracious Lord.

**C: Amen.**

### **HYMN OF PRAISE**

*Refrain* **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

**1. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.**

*Refrain* **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

**2. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.**

*Refrain* **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

**3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*Refrain* **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.**

### **GREETING / PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**P:** 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.**

**P:** Let us pray . . .

**C: Almighty and ever-living God, you anointed your beloved Son to be priest and sovereign forever. Grant that all the people of the earth, now divided by the power of sin, may be united by the glorious and gentle rule of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

**CHANCEL CHOIR**      *For the Beauty of the Earth*      Director: Bill Jones  
Composer: F.S. Pierpoint, arr by John Rutter

## THE WORD

### FIRST READING: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

- R: <sup>9</sup>As I watched,  
thrones were set in place,  
and an Ancient One took his throne,  
his clothing was white as snow,  
and the hair of his head like pure wool;  
his throne was fiery flames,  
and its wheels were burning fire.
- <sup>10</sup>A stream of fire issued  
and flowed out from his presence.  
A thousand thousands served him,  
and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him.  
The court sat in judgment,  
and the books were opened.
- <sup>13</sup>As I watched in the night visions,  
I saw one like a human being  
coming with the clouds of heaven.  
And he came to the Ancient One  
and was presented before him.
- <sup>14</sup>To him was given dominion  
and glory and kingship,  
that all peoples, nations, and languages  
should serve him.  
His dominion is an everlasting dominion  
that shall not pass away,  
and his kingship is one  
that shall never be destroyed.

R: The word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

### SECOND READING: Revelation 1:4b-8

R: <sup>4b</sup>Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, <sup>5</sup>and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who

loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood,<sup>6</sup> and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

<sup>7</sup>Look! He is coming with the clouds;  
every eye will see him,  
even those who pierced him;  
and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail.

So it is to be. Amen.

<sup>8</sup>"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

R: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

### GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

C: **Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.**  
**Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life.**  
**Al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia, al-le-lu-ia.**

### HOLY GOSPEL

P: The Gospel according to **John 18:33-37**

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

P: <sup>33</sup>Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" <sup>34</sup>Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" <sup>35</sup>Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" <sup>36</sup>Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." <sup>37</sup>Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

P: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to you, O Christ.**

### CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON Pastor Jeff Glawe

**RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

**APOSTLE'S CREED**

P: Let us confess our faith.

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.  
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come again to judge the living and the dead.  
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**PRAYERS** *(Response after each petition)*

P: **Lord in your mercy,**

C: **Hear our prayer. . .**

**OFFERING—INVITATION—God's Work Continues**

**OFFERING SONG** Red hymnal #674 *Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ*

C: **Let us talents and tongues employ, reaching out with a shout of joy:  
Bread is broken, the wine is poured, Christ is spoken and seen and heard.**

Refrain: **Jesus lives again, earth can breathe again, pass the Word around: loaves  
abound!**

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**EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER WITH WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

C: **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, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.**

## **INVITATION TO COMMUNION**

*All who confess Jesus as their Lord and Savior and believe in the real presence of Christ in the sacrament are invited to receive Holy Communion.)*

## **BLESSING**

**P:** God, the beginning and the end, who has written your name in the book of life,  
+ bless and keep you in grace and peace from this time forth and forevermore.

**C:** Amen.

## **HYMN Red hymnal #439**

*Soon Very Soon*

## **DISMISSAL**

**P:** What is the mission of Zion Lutheran Church?

**C:** **The mission of Zion Lutheran Church is: “Serving Christ through serving others.”**

**P:** Led on by the saints before us, go in peace to serve the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## **POSTLUDE** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Arr. Burkhardt

*The altar flowers are given to the honor and glory of God  
by Randy & Debbie Turner in memory of their daughter Leslie.*

*Prayer concerns for Zion's prayer chain may be submitted  
by using a 'Prayer Request' card from the pew rack.*

## **In Helpful Service**

Pastor	Jeff Glawe
Greeter	Erma & Chuck Swanson
Reader	Dale Schaefer

**Total Attendance 11/13 & 11/14: 91**  
**OFFERING: Total Unified: \$4,045.00**  
**Total Building: \$ 345.00**

**Sunday School Attendance**  
Adults: 18  
Children: 9

<b>TREASURER'S REPORT:</b>	<b>September 2021</b>	
Unified Giving:	\$16,328.25	Expenses: \$20,783.21
Building Fund Giving :	\$ 1,602.29	Mortgage Payment: \$2,500.00
<b>Building Fund Balance:</b>	<b>\$23,250.43</b>	

If you desire more detailed financial information there are ten copies of the balance sheet and income statement for the month of September 2021, on the table as you leave worship. If you have any questions please bring them to our next Council meeting.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CONGREGATIONAL MEETING & THANKSGIVING DINNER

We plan to have the dinner and meeting this year **today at 5:00 pm**. We have made some changes to promote Covid safe fellowship. The menu will be turkey, mashed potatoes/gravy, dressing, green beans, roll, pie, water and coffee. Please bring your own silverware; disposable plates and glassware will be provided. We look forward to gathering together for fellowship and to thank God for the many blessings our congregation has received.

### WOMEN OF ZION CHRISTMAS DINNER

There is a sign up sheet in the hallway. Deadline for reservations is Sunday, Nov. 21. Cost: \$18.00 per person. Checks must be made out to **Women of Zion**. Please make your food choice on the sign up sheet.

Women who plan to attend are invited to bring one of the following items which will be donated to Miami County Children's Services: package of disposable diapers, baby wipes, hygiene product for child or teen-ager (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, toothpaste, etc.)

### MISSION OF THE MONTH—Adopt-A-Family

You may have noticed a Christmas tree decorated with paper ornaments in the lounge area. You are invited to take one or more ornaments from the tree, purchase the item(s) Written on the ornaments(s), and **return them to the tree by Sunday, December 5**. The gifts for children should not be wrapped as the parents enjoy doing that for their children.



**CHURCH OFFICE** will be closed Thurs., Nov. 25 and Fri., Nov. 26.

**POINSETTIA ORDER FORMS** are available in the back of the church. All orders must be in by **Monday, November 29**.

### **CALENDARS**

2022 Wall Calendars have arrived. Beautiful sturdy calendars with NIV Bible verses and scenery for \$7.00 each. All proceeds go to the Zion Youth Gathering Fund.

**2022 ESTIMATE OF GIVING CARDS** are available in the back of the church.

### **OHIO VALLEY BRITISH BRASS BAND**

On **Friday, December 10 at 7:30** here at Zion there will be an evening of Christmas, hymn, classical and contemporary selections played. Admission is free. Free will offerings are appreciated. Donations over \$250.00 will be given to Zion Lutheran Church. To hear a sampling of OVBBB's music, go to: Ohio Valley British Brass Band—YouTube.

### **DECEMBER COMMUNION SCHEDULE**

**Dec. 5 & 19** (1st & 3rd Sunday)

**December 11** (2nd Saturday)

**December 24** (Friday 5:00 pm & 7:30 pm)

There will be no Saturday service on Dec. 25th, Christmas day.

### **Staff**

Pastor Jeff Glawe, *Pastor*; Lori Sebastian, *Organist*;

*Choir Directors*; Bill Jones & Susie Gray

Jackie Glawe, *Christian Education Director*; Linda Short, *Office Manager*;

Susan Rambeau, *Treasurer*; Tina Putnam, *Sexton*