The Last Sunday after Pentecost Holy Eucharist: Rite || - November 20, 2022 This day is often referred to as the Sunday of Christ the King, or Reign of Christ. "Jesus is Lord" (the earliest Christian creed) means that Jesus stands above all other earthly power and authority. Prelude Coronation Timothy Fields "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" Processional Hymn 450 BCP Page 355 Opening Acclamation BCP Page 356 The Gloría (Hymnal **S-280**) THE WORD OF GOD The Collect of the Day (Last Pentecost - Proper 29) BCP Page 236 Jeremiah 23:1-6 First Lesson BCP Page 92 The Response: The Song of Zechariah Second Lesson Colossians 1:11-20 Sequence Hymn 458 "My Song is Love (Inknown" (vss. 1, 2, 3, 7) uke 23:33-43 (Jospel The Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure The Sermon The Nícene Creed BCPPage 358 The Prayers of the People: Form III BCP Page 387 BCP Page 360 The Confession and Absolution The Peace BCP Page 360 King of Kings Anthem Spiritual THE HOLY COMMUNION The Great Thanksgiving: Prayer B BCP Page 367 Sanctus and Benedictus (Hymnal S-130) BCP Page 367 BCPPage 364 Lord's Prayer BCP Page 364 The Breaking of the Bread Fraction (Hymnal S-152) Communion Hymn 483 "The Head That Once Was Crowned With Thorns" BCP Page 365 Post-Communion Prayer The Blessing Recessional Hymn 557 "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart" Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. BCP Page 366 Thanks be to God. People Robert J. Powell Postlude Vineyard Haven

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The First Lesson

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

The Response

Luke 1:68-79

The Song of Zechariah

Benedictus Dominus Deus

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel; * **he has come to his people and set them free.**

He has raised up for us a mighty savior, * **born of the house of his servant David. Through his holy prophets he promised of old,**

that he would save us from our enemies, * **from the hands of all who hate us.**

He promised to show mercy to our fathers * and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham, * to set us free from the hands of our enemies,

Free to worship him without fear, * holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High, * **for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way**,

To give his people knowledge of salvation * **by the forgiveness of their sins.**

In the tender compassion of our God * **the dawn from on high shall break upon us,**

Jeremiah 23:1-6

Canticle 16

To shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death, * and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

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

The Epistle

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into 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 in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers--all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

The Gospel

Luke 23:33-43

Colossians 1:11-20

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. The people stood by, watching Jesus on the cross; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah 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 there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? 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 have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

We give thanks for those who are celebrating their birthdays this week: Pete Mansfield, Rich Donoff, and Ginger Smither.

We pray for our Diocese and in our Diocesan Cycle of Prayer we pray for Clergy and Lay Delegates and Alternates to Annual Convention and members of all Diocesan Committees.

The flowers on the Altar are given by Bev Hart in memory of her parents, Russell and Elizabeth Lowell.

The mid-week service is celebrated on Wednesday mornings in the Parish Hall Chapel at 9:30 a.m.

PARTICIPANTS IN THE SERVICE

Holy Eucharist: Rite I 8:00 a.m.	
Celebrant	The Rev. Dr. Robert Prichard
Deacon / Sermon	The Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure
Euch. Min. / Acolyte / Lector	Jeannette Adkins
Usher	Barbara Shaw
Holy Eucharist: Rite II 10:30 a.m.	
Celebrant	The Rev. Dr. Robert Prichard
Deacon / Sermon	The Rev. Deacon Peg Moncure
Organist	Libby Boyer
Euch. Min. / Prayers / Gosp.	Bk. Bearer Jean Holt
Eucharistic Minister	Grace Parker
Lector	Pat Anderson
Crucifer / Acolyte	Jack Hellems
Ushers	Tom and Kathy Clarke
Altar Guild	Ann Padgett, Karen Gorin,
Gi	nger Hellems, and Linda Irwin
Flower Guild	Ginger Smither & Karen Gorin
Tech Team Greg Grichtmeier, Ann de Peyster, Mike Floyd,	
Mike Gorin, Jeff Loustaunau, Robin Wells & Jack Fackler	

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Before the service, speak to God in the silence of your heart. During the service, let God speak to you through Word and Sacrament. After the service, speak with your neighbor!

Christ Church Parish Mission Statement We are a family of faith, growing in Christ through worship, learning, and service, who strive to love God and to love our neighbors as ourselves.