

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
The Sunday of Christ the King

November 20, 2022

Eleven O'clock

Welcome Into God's House (responsive)

Leader: The Lord be with you.
Congregation: **And also with you.**
Leader: Blessed be the Holy Trinity, one God now and forever.
To this place where God gives us comfort and courage, let us bring our sorrows and our laughter so that we may be nourished in the resurrection hope of Jesus Christ.
Congregation: **Amen.**

Chimes of the Trinity

Prelude "Gabriel's Oboe" Ennio Morricone
Jim Bishop, Violin

Choral Introit, Hymn 741 "Guide My Feet"

Call to Worship (Psalm 46)

**God is our refuge and strength,
a very present help in trouble;
Therefore we will not fear –
though the earth should change,
though the mountains shake in the heart of the sea.
The Lord of hosts is with us;
the God of Jacob is our refuge.**

***Hymn 260** "Alleluia! Sing to Jesus"

Prayer of the Day (in unison)

God of power and love, you raised Jesus from death to life, resplendent in glory to rule over all creation. Free the world to rejoice in his peace, to glory in his justice, and to live in his love. Unite all people in Jesus Christ your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Response in Song: "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah!", Hymn 591
**Halle, halle, hallelujah! Halle, halle, hallelujah!
Halle, halle, hallelujah! Hallelujah! Hallelujah!**

Welcome and Announcements

Anthem "Who at my Door is Standing?" K. Lee Scott

Scripture Lessons

Old Testament Lesson **Jeremiah 23: 1-6**

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."

Gospel Lesson **Luke 23: 33-38**

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."

Leader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Congregation: **Praise be to you, O God.**

***Hymn 264** "At the Name of Jesus" *Those who are able, please stand

Sermon *This is the King of the Jews*

***Apostles' Creed**

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by
the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius
Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the
third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and
sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he
shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church; the
communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the
body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Giving of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "Lead Me to Calvary" arr. Dan Forrest

*Doxology "Old Hundredth"

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost! Amen.**

Offertory Response

Leader: Blessed are you, God of all creation.
Congregation: **Through your goodness we have these gifts to share.**
Leader: Accept and use our offerings for your glory.
Congregation: **And for the service of your kingdom.**
All: **Amen.**

Prayers of God's People

Beginning with Joys and Concerns, and concluding with The Lord's Prayer, in unison

*** Hymn 268** "Crown Him with Many Crowns"

***Charge and Benediction**

Response in Song - Hymn 375 "Shall We Gather at the River"

Yes, we'll gather at the river, the beautiful, the beautiful river;
gather with the saints at the river that flows by the throne of God.

Postlude "Be Thou My Vision" arr. John Purifoy
Jim Bishop, Violin

*Those who are able, please stand

Upcoming Sermon Titles & Scriptures

Thursday, November 24
Thanksgiving Day Service—8am (Thanksgiving Offering)
Philippians 4: 4-9

Sunday, November 27
First Sunday of Advent

Guest Preacher—Jordan Loud
Matthew 24: 36-44
"Hope & Expectations"

Welcome to Paw Creek Presbyterian Church!

We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (USA), two centuries young and committed to living out the Gospel today as we Seek, Serve, Praise and Love Christ. If you are a visitor today, we are especially glad that you are here. We hope that you will leave us a record of your visit by completing a visitor card and placing it in the offering plate. Feel free to contact our pastor, Elliott Hipp, with questions or prayer concerns: deh46@columbia.edu or 704-502-2143. Please come again soon.

Worshipping On-Line

Our worship service is also streamed live each week, and is available to watch later in the week as well. For Facebook and YouTube links, please visit pawcreekpc.org. When you worship with us from home, you can use an on-line version of our *Glory to God* hymnal so that you can sing along or follow the words to the hymns. For phone or tablet, search "Glory to God" in your app store. For computer, go to hymnary.org/hymnal/GG2013 and click on the hymn number. Most hymns are available, although there are a few that cannot be displayed due to copyright restriction.

Liturgist

Welcome this morning to Joseph Jumper, who joins in the leadership of worship. Joseph is Resident Pastor at Myers Park Presbyterian Church and participates here at Paw Creek as leader of Wednesday night Children Connecting with Christ.

Celebrate Thanksgiving

Start Thanksgiving Day this Thursday with a casual service of worship at 8:00 am in the Sanctuary, followed by breakfast for all in the CFC, served by the Fellowship Committee.

Canned Food & Coat Drive

Instead of the Angel Tree this year, we are partnering with Paw Creek Elementary on their Canned Food and Coat Drive. They will be collecting new children's coats (Sizes 4T up to Adult Medium boys and girls) and canned goods to donate to Loaves & Fishes to help during the winter months.

Please bring your donations to the church before **Dec. 4th**.

Thankful Thanksgiving Showing Love to our Members in Seminary

Paw Creek is excited and thankful to have two of our members, Victoria Krebs and Jordan Loud, in seminary. The Congregational Care and Fellowship Committees would love Paw Creek to show them our thankfulness and love for their commitment to preparing for the future of the church by collecting gift cards for them during the month of November. Victoria's favorite gift card vendors are Starbucks, Panera Bread, Amazon and Visa, and Jordan's are Chick-Fil-A, Wal-Mart, Amazon, Visa. We will have baskets for each of them in the narthex each Sunday during the month of November. Please label your gift card with the recipient's name so they get to the proper person.

If any questions, please contact Sam McCord or Karen Cathey.

Worship Plans

Next Sunday, **November 27**, will be the First Sunday of Advent. Our preacher will be Jordan Loud, a member of Paw Creek who is a student at Columbia Theological Seminary preparing for the ministry.

Wednesday Bible Study

Class will not meet next week, **November 23**, for Thanksgiving, and also the following week, **November 30**, to allow members to attend Happy Hearts.

Happy Hearts

Happy Hearts will go to Billy Graham Library to see what is new and their Christmas Decorations.

Wed, Nov 30, Meet @ church 9:15, Depart @9:25, Ticket time @ BGL 9:54 Leave for Cracker Barrel @ 1:00, Return @ 2:45

Cost: Admission is free, only cost is what you eat and purchase. We have enough money in the budget to cover gas money for this short trip. I have reserved 20 tickets...first come, first serve. Call Vicki Ramsey for reservations and/or questions. 704-393-8697

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Treasurer: Melissa Mullis
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Life Seekers Circle Moderator: Dina Salvo

Church Calendar

Sunday, November 20

9:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Worship

Monday, November 21

*Church Office Closed

Tuesday, November 22

*Church Office Closed
9:00am Cardio Fitness
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, November 23

*Church Office Closed

Thursday, November 24

*Church Office Closed
8:00am Thanksgiving Service

Sunday, November 27

9:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Worship: Guest—Jordan Loud

Tuesday, November 29

9:00am Cardio Fitness
12:00pm Newsletter Deadline
6:30pm Cub Scouts
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, November 30

*Newsletter
9:15am Happy Hearts—BGL
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
5:30pm Children Connecting w/Christ (CCC)

Thursday, December 1

6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
5:30pm Bible Study
6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Sunday, December 4

*Food / Coat Drive Deadline
9:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Worship / Lord's Supper / 10¢ Hunger

Tuesday, December 6

9:00am Cardio Fitness
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, December 7

10:00am Bible Study
12:00pm Bulletin Deadline
5:30pm Children Connecting w/Christ (CCC)

Thursday, December 8

6:30am Men's Bible Study
9:00am Cardio Fitness
5:30pm Bible Study
6:30pm Chancel Choir Practice

Sunday, December 11

9:45am Sunday School Classes
11:00am Worship

Tuesday, December 13

9:00am Cardio Fitness
12:00pm Poinsettia Name Deadline
6:30pm Cub Scouts
7:00pm Boy Scouts



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