

**Order of Worship**  
**November 26, 2017 – 11:00 a.m.**  
**Christ the King Sunday**

Welcome & Announcements

Introit: "Spirit of the Living God" # 322

**PRAISE AND ADORATION**

Call to Worship: (responsively) (Psalm 100)

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.

**People: Worship the LORD with gladness; come into his presence with singing.**

Leader: Know that the LORD is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

**People: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name.**

**All: For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.**

\*Hymn: "O Worship the King, All Glorious Above" # 476

**CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS**

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession: (in unison)

**Holy God, you are surely our salvation. In our sin we deserve your anger, yet you turn to us in grace and forgive us. You are our strength and our might, enabling us to do what is right and helping us to work together for the common good of your people. Grant us an ever deeper gratitude for your grace and mercy which is shown to us in Jesus Christ, and help us to always live in ways which bring honor and glory to your name. For the sake of Christ we pray. Amen.**

Confession Response: "**Lord have mercy upon us. Christ have mercy upon us. Lord have mercy upon us.**" # 574

Assurance of Pardon

Greeting One Another

\*Response "Gloria Patri" # 579

**HEARING THE WORD**

Let the Children Come

Choral Music

Scripture Reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Scripture Reflection – Gladys Ross

**RESPONDING TO THE WORD**

\*Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" # 142

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Offertory and Presentation of Gifts to God

\*Doxology # 592

\*Prayer of Dedication

Affirmation of Faith: The 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 Spirit, 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 Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

\*Hymn: "Crown Him with Many Crowns" # 151

\*Charge and Benediction

**\*Benediction Response: "God be with you til we meet again; by his counsels guide, uphold you; with his sheep securely fold you; God be with you til we meet again."**