

Evangelical Lutheran Church of Durham

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November 24, 2019 - Christ the King

10:30 AM - Holy Communion - ELW Setting 2

Prelude (*Guest Organist - Darlene Durns*)

Welcome

* Confession and Forgiveness

L: Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, healer of our every ill, source of unending mercy.

C: Amen.

L: Embraced in enduring grace and good hope, let us turn again to God, confessing the truth about ourselves.

Silence is kept for reflection.

L: Merciful God,

C: we come before you, beloved but broken. We have not always treated others as we would want them to treat us. We have not always called out injustice and abuse. We have not always been kind to ourselves. We have not always taken care of the world we share with other living creatures. Remind us of who we are, beloved children bathed in your love. Renew us by your Spirit to live as your holy people, bringing healing to the brokenness around us. Amen.

L: At every moment you are held in existence by the love of God, renewed by the Spirit within and among you, and made alive again in Christ. Receive this assurance in Jesus' name: you are † forgiven and freed to live for the healing of the world.

C: Amen.

* Sharing of the Peace

* Gathering Song "*Crown Him with Many Crowns*" (v 1-2) **ELW #855**

* Apostolic Greeting (*Pastor*) ELW page 120

* Hymn of Praise "*Crown Him with Many Crowns*" (v 3) **ELW #855**

* Prayer of the Day (*Lay Worship Assistant*) TR

First Reading **Jeremiah 23:1-6** TR

Psalm 46 (*Read responsively*) TR

Second Reading **Colossians 1:11-20** TR

* Gospel Acclamation (*sung*) . . . "*Alleluia ...*" . . . ELW page 124

* Gospel **Luke 23:33-43** TR

Children's Sermon

Sermon - "*A Servant Leader Worth Our Loyalty, Love, and Praise*"

* Hymn of the Day . . . "*All Hail the Power*" (v1-4) . . . **ELW #634**

* Nicene Creed ELW page 126

* Prayers of Intercession - *each prayer bid ends with these words:*

P: Hear us, O God. **C: Your mercy is great.**

Offering

Choir Anthem "*The King Shall Come*"

Offertory Song "*Doxology*" **ELW #884**

* Offering Prayer (*Lay Worship Assistant*)

The Holy Communion

* The Great Thanksgiving (*Sung*) ELW page 129

* Preface for Sundays (*Sung by Pastor*) ELW page 130

* "*Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*" (*sung*) ELW page 130

* Special Eucharistic Prayer for Christ the King (*Pastor*)

* The Lord's Prayer ELW page 134

* "*Lamb of God*" (*Sung*) ELW page 135

Invitation to Communion – "*God keeps adding places to the table. Come to the banquet that has no end!*"

Distribution of Bread & Fruits of the Vine (*please follow ushers*)
(*Gluten-free bread and grape juice are available, please ask.*)

Hymn during Distribution . . . "*Beautiful Savior*" . . . **ELW #838**

Communion Blessing after all have communed (*Pastor*)

Prayer after Communion (*Lay Worship Assistant*)

Mission Announcements

* Blessing (*Pastor*)

* Sending Song "*Crown Him with Many Crowns*" (v 4 & 5) **ELW #855**

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Set your hope on Christ.

C: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

The Asterisk () indicates to please stand if you are able; ELW is the red
"Evangelical Lutheran Worship" in the pew rack.*

WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY.

*If you would like more information about this community of faith,
please speak to Pastor Deal.*

Serving in our worship this morning:

Council Communion Assistants . . . Tom Gaun, Kathy Hlavaty
Acolyte & Youth Communion Assistant Conner Aquino
Greeters The Aquino Family
Lay Worship Assistant Val McGinn
Head Usher Robert Fox
Altar Guild Linda Sauter and Bea von Watzdorf
Counters Tom Gaun, Kathy Hlavaty
GUEST Organist/ Choir Director Darlene Durns
Parish Secretary Ann Wong
Custodian Dianna Streletz

Attendance November 17 - Christian Ed: ; Worship: .

The Altar Flowers this morning are presented by Beth Snyder
and family in thanksgiving for family and friends.

CALENDAR

Care-A-Lot Preschool meets only on Tuesday this week.

TODAY, Sunday, November 24 - Christ the King

9:00 AM Christian Education

10:30 AM Holy Communion/Celebration of Saints

Wednesday, November 27 - 7 PM - Ecumenical Community

Thanksgiving Service at Christ Lutheran, Springtown. Bring
canned goods and \$\$\$ to support local food banks. Fellowship
after the service.

**Saturday, December 7 - 7th Annual Free Community Holiday
Dinner at Riegelsville Fire House - Seatings at 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 PM.
Tickets are available today from Joe Hlavaty.**