Confession & Forgiveness

P: Blessed be the holy Trinity, \oplus one God, who creates, redeems, and sustains us and all of creation. Amen.

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

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: O Lord God,

C: have mercy on us. We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves. We turn from your loving embrace and go our own ways. We pass judgement on one another before examining ourselves. We place our own needs before those of our neighbors. We keep your gift of salvation to ourselves. Make us humble, cast away our transgressions, and turn us again to life in you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

P: God hears the cries of all who call out in need and through his death and resurrection, Christ has made us his own. Hear the truth that God proclaims: Your sins are forgiven in the name of + Jesus Christ. Led by the Holy Spirit, live in freedom and newness to do God's work in the world. **Amen.**

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 ...

O God of power and might, your Son shows us the way of service, and in him we inherit the riches of your grace. Give us the wisdom to know what is right and the strength to serve the world you have made, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: Amen.

Hear

God speaks to us in scriptures read, sung and preached.

Psalm 100

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth. Worship the LORD with gladness; come into his presence with singing. 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. Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name. For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Lesson - Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24

Message

Hymn of Day "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" ELW #502

Vs. 1 "The King of love my shepherd is, whose goodness faileth never. I nothing lack if I am his, and he is mine forever."

Vs. 3 "Perverse and foolish, oft I strayed, but yet in love he sought me; and on his shoulder gently laid, and home, rejoicing, brought me."

Prayers of the Church

P: Longing for Christ's reign to come among us, we pray for the outpouring of God's power on the church, the world, and all those in need. *Petitions end: "Hear us O God" Congregation replies "Your mercy is great."*

The Lord's Prayer

Sharing the Peace (remember to use the peace sign or spirit fingers)

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

Benediction

P: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you, and give you peace.

C: Amen.

Bell

Sending Hymn "Jesus Shall Reign" ELW #434

Vs. 1 "Jesus shall reign where'er the sun does its successive journeys run, his kingdom stretch from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more."

Vs. 4 "Blessings abound where'er he reigns: the prisoners leap to lose their chains, the weary find eternal rest, and all who suffer want are blest."

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

C: We will! Thanks be to God!

Postlude

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A word about offering: Thank you in advance for faithfully sending in your offering or using Simply Giving.

Prayer List:

Those sick or in need of healing: Laurie, Ronnie, Belwin, Daniel, Emily, Nancy, Kaitee, Taylor, Aniken, Cody, Dottie, Kyle, Ted, Judy, Vincent, Al, Hermoine and Candy.



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Christ the King Virtual Worship

God invites us to gather in community around the Word.

Prelude Welcome & Statio

Opening Hymn "Hail to the Lord's Anointed" ELW #311

Vs. 1 "Hail to the Lord's Anointed, great David's greater Son! Hail in the time appointed, his reign on earth begun! He comes to break oppression, to set the captive free; to take away transgression, and rule in equity."

Vs. 2 "You come with rescue speedy to those who suffer wrong; to help the poor and needy, and bid the weak be strong; to give them songs for sighing, their darkness turn to light, whose souls, condemned and dying, are precious in his sight."