

Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.

- Philippians 4:8-9

# January 16, 2022 Morning Worship Service

Christ The King Presbyterian Church is a Congregation of the **Presbyterian Church in America** 

# Morning Worship Service (10:30 am)

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

If you are a visitor with us this morning, we warmly welcome you to this worship service of Christ The King. Please take a moment to fill out the welcome card and place it in the offering plate.

#### **Prelude**

# \*Call to Worship

Psalm 34:1-8

- <sup>1</sup>I will bless the Lord at all times; his praise shall continually be in my mouth.
- <sup>2</sup> My soul makes its boast in the Lord; let the humble hear and be glad.
- <sup>3</sup>Oh, magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together!
- <sup>4</sup>I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.
- <sup>5</sup>Those who look to him are radiant, and their faces shall never be ashamed.
- <sup>6</sup> This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him and saved him out of all his troubles.
- <sup>7</sup>The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, and delivers them.
- <sup>8</sup>Oh, taste and see that the Lord is good! Blessed is the man who takes refuge in him!

\*Praise to Our Triune God

The Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, As it was in the beginning, Is now and ever shall be, World without end, amen, amen.

\*Invocation

\*Hymn of Praise # 167

When Morning Gilds the Skies

#### Confession of Sin

God of grace and truth, in Jesus Christ you came among us as a light shining in darkness. We confess that we have stubbornly refused to see the depth of your great love for us revealed in Jesus. We have shut our eyes to your truth, lacked faith and hoped for little, and instead, trusted in ourselves to find our way. We have failed to reflect your glory to those you have put in our lives. Forgive our doubts, renew our hope and improve our conduct so that we may show we understand and live in the truth found in Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Private Confession of Sin** (Silent)

#### **Promise of Forgiveness**

Luke 5:20

When Jesus saw their faith, he said, "Friend, your sins are forgiven."

#### **Old Testament Reading**

**Deuteronomy 4:1-9** (page 148 in blue Bible)

1 "And now, O Israel, listen to the statutes and the rules that I am teaching you, and do them, that you may live, and go in and take possession of the land that the Lord, the God of your fathers, is giving you. <sup>2</sup>You shall not add to the word that I command you, nor take from it, that you may keep the commandments of the Lord your God that I command you. <sup>3</sup>Your eyes have seen what the Lord did at Baal-peor, for the Lord your God destroyed from among you all the men who followed the Baal of Peor. 4 But you who held fast to the Lord your God are all alive today. <sup>5</sup>See, I have taught you statutes and rules, as the Lord my God commanded me, that you should do them in the land that you are entering to take possession of it. <sup>6</sup> Keep them and do them, for that will be your wisdom and your understanding in the sight of the peoples, who, when they hear all these statutes, will say, 'Surely this great nation is a wise and understanding people.' <sup>7</sup> For what great nation is there that has a god so near to it as the Lord our God is to us, whenever we call upon him? 8 And what great nation is there, that has statutes and rules so righteous as all this law that I set before you today?

<sup>9</sup> "Only take care, and keep your soul diligently, lest you forget the things that your eyes have seen, and lest they depart from your heart all the days of your life. Make them known to your children and your children's children—

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!** 

\*Hymn # 497

I Need Thee, Precious Jesus

\*Affirmation of Faith

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds; God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God; begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made. who, for us and for our salvation, came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; and the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father:

and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead;

whose kingdom shall have no end.

who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets; and we believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church; we acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins; and we look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

And we believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of Life;

# Prayers for the Church and the World and the Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

#### The Collection

Sermon Text

1 Peter 2:13-17

(Page 1015 in blue Bible)

<sup>13</sup> Be subject for the Lord's sake to every human institution, whether it be to the emperor as supreme, <sup>14</sup> or to governors as sent by him to punish those who do evil and to praise those who do good. <sup>15</sup> For this is the will of God, that by doing good you should put to silence the ignorance of foolish people. <sup>16</sup> Live as people who are free, not using your freedom as a cover-up for evil, but living as servants of God. <sup>17</sup> Honor everyone. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honor the emperor.

**Preaching of the Word** 

Rev. Eric Huber

Honorable Conduct

Hymn of Response # 585

Take My Life and Let It Be

\*Benediction

1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; he will surely do it.

# **Announcements**

Assisting in Worship: Mr. Blake Franze

**Sunday School for All Ages:** Due to the recent spike in Covid cases, we will delay the restart of our Sunday school program until Feb 6th. We look forward to having you with us!

Congregational Meeting for Budget Presentation and Officer Election: The session is pleased to call for a congregational meeting in the beginning of February (exact date TBD). The purpose of this meeting is to present the proposed 2022 budget, and to hold an election for Nate Huber to the office of deacon. Nate was nominated to this office during the 2021 nominating period. He has since received training in the office, served an internship with the diaconate, and been examined and approved by the session to stand for election. Additional information will be presented in the upcoming weeks.

**The Saturday Morning Women's Bible Study** will meet this month on January 29 from 9:30 am to 11:00 am at the home of Carmen Signorino. We will continue our study in 'Gentle and Lowly' looking at Chapters 5 and 6. All women are welcome to join us, however, there is no babysitting. Please call Charlotte Schmucker at 610-647-1364 if you have any questions.

**Dear Ladies of CTK**, you are invited to a craft night at the home of Jenni Glaser. Bring whatever you like to craft (knitting, crochet, quilting, etc) and join us for a time of fellowship. We will be meeting on the third Mondays of January, February, and March. Our first meeting will be Monday, January 17th, from 7:30 to 9pm. If you have any questions or to RSVP, please contact Jenni at jglaser@brynmawr.edu.

<sup>\*</sup>Postlude

# This Week: Christ The King Presbyterian Church

### Sunday, January 16

No Sunday School

10:30 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching 6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Mr. Holt West preaching

- Lord's Supper

# Monday, January 17

7:30 pm – Ladies' Craft Night

# Tuesday, January 18

7:00 pm – Joint Session and Diaconate Meeting

# Sunday, January 23

No Sunday School 10:30 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. Eric Huber preaching 6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service

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