

And when we came into Rome, Paul was allowed to stay by himself, with the soldier who guarded him.

He lived there two whole years at his own expense, and welcomed all who came to him, proclaiming the kingdom of God and teaching about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness and without hindrance.

- Acts 28:16, 30-31

# May 29, 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** 

Impromptu in G-flat Major, Op. 90 No. 3

-F. Schubert

#### \*Call to Worship

Psalm 145:8-13

<sup>8</sup>The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

<sup>9</sup>The Lord is good to all, and his mercy is over all that he has made.

<sup>10</sup> All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your saints shall bless you!

<sup>11</sup> They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power,

<sup>12</sup> to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom.

<sup>13</sup> Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations.

#### \*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 # 165

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

**Confession of Sin** 

You, O Lord, have promised, that if we will confess our sins, you are faithful and just to forgive us our sins. We come humbly seeking your forgiveness,

that we may know the joy of your presence, and the light of your face. You alone know how often we have offended you, and hurt others. Forgive us for every unkind thought, every untrue word, every selfish act. Forgive us for our ingratitude, our neglect of prayer, our carelessness in the use of money, our forgetfulness of sacred vows we have taken. O God, have mercy upon us! Create in us clean hearts, and renew a right spirit within us, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Private Confession of Sin** (Silent)

#### **Promise of Forgiveness**

Romans 5:1, 2

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

#### **Old Testament Reading**

Daniel 7:13-27 (page 745 in blue Bible)

13 "I saw in the night visions, and behold, with the clouds of heaven there came one like a son of man, and he came to the Ancient of Days and was presented before him.
14 And to him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed.

<sup>15</sup> "As for me, Daniel, my spirit within me was anxious, and the visions of my head alarmed me. <sup>16</sup> I approached one of those who stood there and asked him the truth concerning all this. So he told me and made known to me the interpretation of the things. <sup>17</sup> 'These four great beasts are four kings who shall arise out of the earth. <sup>18</sup> But the saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever, forever and ever.'

<sup>19</sup> "Then I desired to know the truth about the fourth beast, which was different from all the rest, exceedingly terrifying, with its teeth of iron and claws of

bronze, and which devoured and broke in pieces and stamped what was left with its feet, <sup>20</sup> and about the ten horns that were on its head, and the other horn that came up and before which three of them fell, the horn that had eyes and a mouth that spoke great things, and that seemed greater than its companions. <sup>21</sup> As I looked, this horn made war with the saints and prevailed over them, <sup>22</sup> until the Ancient of Days came, and judgment was given for the saints of the Most High, and the time came when the saints possessed the kingdom.

<sup>23</sup> "Thus he said: 'As for the fourth beast,

there shall be a fourth kingdom on earth, which shall be different from all the kingdoms, and it shall devour the whole earth, and trample it down, and break it to pieces.

24 As for the ten horns,
out of this kingdom ten kings shall arise,
and another shall arise after them;
he shall be different from the former ones,
and shall put down three kings.

<sup>25</sup> He shall speak words against the Most High, and shall wear out the saints of the Most High, and shall think to change the times and the law;

and they shall be given into his hand for a time, times, and half a time.

<sup>26</sup> But the court shall sit in judgment, and his dominion shall be taken away, to be consumed and destroyed to the end.

<sup>27</sup> And the kingdom and the dominion and the greatness of the kingdoms under the whole heaven shall be given to the people of the saints of the Most High;

his kingdom shall be an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey him.

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God!** 

\*Hymn # 353

I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord

#### \*Affirmation of Faith

# Westminster Shorter Catechism Questions 26 & 102

Q. How doth Christ execute the office of a king?

A. Christ executeth the office of a king, in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.

Q. What do we pray for in the second petition?

A. In the second petition, which is, Thy kingdom come, we pray that Satan's kingdom may be destroyed; and that the kingdom of grace may be advanced, ourselves and others brought into it, and kept in it; and that the kingdom of glory may be hastened.

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** 

Medley of Praise -Lynette Maynard

**Sermon Text** 

Luke 12:22-34

(Page 871 in blue Bible)

<sup>22</sup> And he said to his disciples, "Therefore I tell you, do not be anxious about your life, what you will eat, nor about your body, what you will put on. <sup>23</sup> For life is more than food, and the body more than clothing. <sup>24</sup>Consider the ravens: they neither sow nor reap, they have neither storehouse nor barn, and yet God feeds them. Of how much more value are you than the birds! <sup>25</sup> And which of you by being anxious can add a single hour to his span of life? <sup>26</sup> If then you are not able to do as small a thing as that, why are you anxious about the rest? <sup>27</sup> Consider the lilies, how they grow: they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. <sup>28</sup> But if God so clothes the grass, which is alive in the field today, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, how much more will he clothe you, O you of little faith! <sup>29</sup> And do not seek what you are to eat and what you are to drink, nor be worried. <sup>30</sup> For all the nations of the world seek after these things,

and your Father knows that you need them. 31 Instead, seek his kingdom, and these things will be added to you.

<sup>32</sup> "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. <sup>33</sup> Sell your possessions, and give to the needy. Provide yourselves with moneybags that do not grow old, with a treasure in the heavens that does not fail, where no thief approaches and no moth destroys. <sup>34</sup> For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.

#### Preaching of the Word

**Rev. John Smith** 

Seeing through Jesus' Eyes

\*Hymn # 163

At the Name of Jesus

#### \*Benediction

Numbers 6:24-26

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.

\*Postlude

Impromptu in A-flat Major, Op. 90 No. 4
-F. Schubert

#### **Announcements**

**Fellowship Dinner and Congregational Prayer:** On Wednesday June 1 there will be a fellowship dinner and congregational prayer meeting. The dinner begins at 5:30pm and is provided by the church.

- The adults meet for prayer from 6:30-7:30pm.
- There is a nursery provided for infants, toddlers and children under six years old.

**YoungLives:** It's baby bottle collection time! Once again, YoungLives invites all of us to take home an empty plastic baby bottle and fill it with coins and cash - a great way to invite your kids to participate along with you! Baby bottles will be available to take home beginning on Mother's Day, May 8th. The campaign will run until Father's Day when the bottles will be collected. All funds raised will be used for operational expenses in this ministry to teen moms and their children at the Norristown Club. Please direct any questions to Lauren Elban at laurenelban@gmail.com or 215-740-2461.

**YoungLives Collection:** We are grateful to be partnered with YoungLives Norristown. Their need for baby supplies is ongoing and we will begin collecting supplies monthly. You can drop off on the third Sunday of each month. The current need is for pull-up diapers and wipes.

**The Women's Saturday Bible Study** will not be meeting in May. Our next study will be on June 18th, 9:30 am, at the home of Maria Signorino. Please see Charlotte Schmucker if you have any questions.

#### This Week: Christ The King Presbyterian Church

#### Sunday, May 29

9:30 am – Sunday School

10:30 am – Morning Worship Service, Rev. John Smith preaching No Evening Worship

#### Wednesday, June 1

5:30 pm – Fellowship Dinner and Congregational Prayer

#### Saturday, June 4

11:00 am-4:00 pm - Conshohocken Arts Festival & Car Show

#### Sunday, June 5

9:30 am - Sunday School

10:30 am - Morning Worship Service, Mr. Joel Richards preaching

- Lord's Supper

12:00 pm - Potluck Lunch

6:00 pm – Evening Worship Service, Rev. Alister Torrens

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