

CHRIST THE KING Presbyterian Church

Exploring Together the Answers Found in Christ

FOR OUR GUESTS

Welcome to Christ the King Presbyterian Church

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION:

Adult and children's Christian education class information can be found in the back of the bulletin.

FOR CHILDREN:

There is no childcare during this time. All children are welcome in worship.

COMMUNITY GROUPS:

These groups are our attempt to walk through life with one another. We meet in homes throughout the Roanoke Valley. Church membership is not required to visit or participate. Interested or would like more information? Email office@ctkroanoke.org or check out our website at www.ctkroanoke.org.

SERMONS:

Sermons can be downloaded from our website, <u>www.ctkroanoke.org</u>, or through our podcast on iTunes, "Sermons - Christ the King Presbyterian Church."

REALM:

Realm is an online tool to help the people of CTK connect, grow, and serve together. To find out what is happening each week at CTK, please email office@ctkroanoke.org to request an invitation to Realm.

WIFI:

If you are needing to get online, we have a dedicated "guest" account set up for you. It's called: CTK Guest Wifi and the password is: comethoufount.

QUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION:

Please contact the church office at 540-725-5835 or office@ctkroanoke.org.

STATEMENT OF FAITH

Christ the King Presbyterian Church, a member of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), believes that the Bible is the inerrant and infallible Word of God and holds to that system of doctrine summarized in the Westminster Confession of Faith and Catechisms.

ORDER OF WORSHIP DECEMBER 13, 2020

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADVENT READING

9:00: The Mohnsens 10:45: The Shaughnessys

But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, who are too little to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel, whose coming forth is from of old, from ancient days. Therefore he shall give them up until the time when she who is in labor has given birth; then the rest of his brothers shall return to the people of Israel. And he shall stand and shepherd his flock in the strength of the LORD, in the majesty of the name of the LORD his God. And they shall dwell secure, for now he shall be great to the ends of the earth. And he shall be their peace.

- Micah 5:2-5a

ADVENT MUSIC | The People That in Darkness Sat (vv 1-3)

Presbyterian Hymnal, 1873

Mary Eggleston, Frank Fleming, Terry Johnston, Katherine Maness, Eileen O'Connor, Reilly Otto, Ryan Otto, Ada Riggs, Evan Spencer

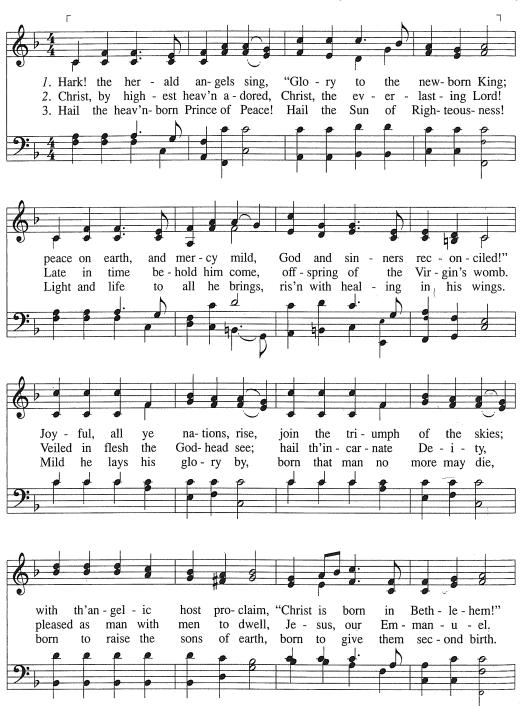
*CALL TO WORSHIP | Luke 2:8-14

- (Leader) And in the same region there were shepherds out in the field, keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord appeared to them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were filled with great fear.
- (All) And the angel said to them, "Fear not, for behold, I bring you good news of great joy that will be for all the people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in swaddling cloths and lying in a manger."
- (Leader) And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying,
- (All) "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom he is pleased!"

*Congregation standing

Worship Leader | 9:00: Rev. Andrew Martin

10:45: Rev. Tobias Riggs





*PRAYER OF ADORATION

CORPORATE CONFESSION

Let us pray:

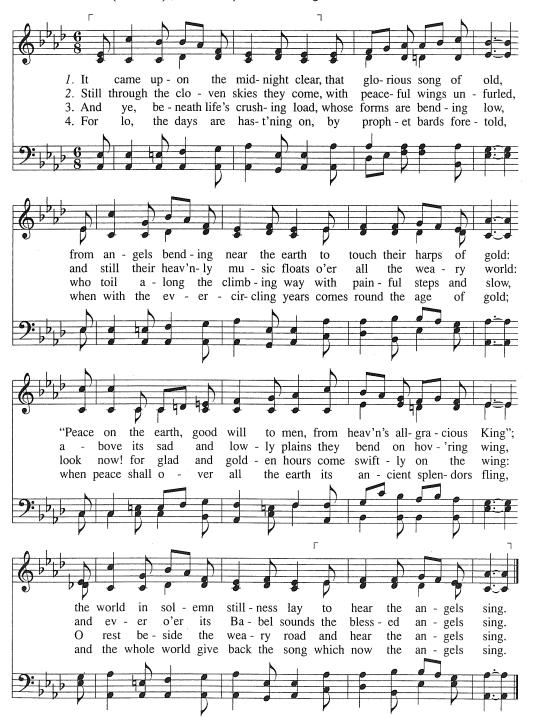
Eternal and merciful God, you have loved us with a love beyond our understanding, and you have set us on paths of righteousness for your name's sake. Yet we have strayed from your way; we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, through what we have done and what we have left undone. You have called us to be holy as you are holy, but we have broken your law. You have called us to trust in your wisdom, but we frequently pursue our own ways. You have called us to take up our cross and follow you, but we continue to follow the world and our flesh. Father, forgive us. As we remember the lavish gift of your grace, we praise you and give you thanks that you forgive us. Grant us now, we pray, the grace to die daily to sin, and to rise daily to new life in Christ, who lives and reigns with you, and in whose strong name we now silently confess our personal sins...

SILENT CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | Titus 3:4-7

But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by his grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.





SERMON | The Son of David | Luke 18:35-43

Rev. John Pennylegion

(Pastor) This is the Word of the Lord.

(All) Thanks be to God.

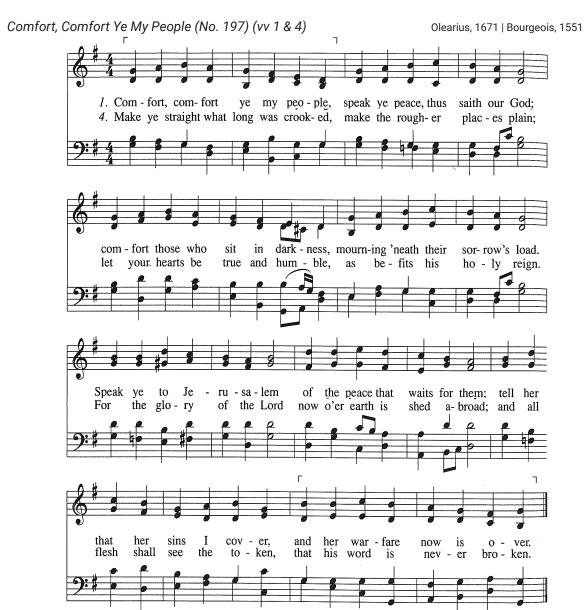
1. The Compassion of the Son

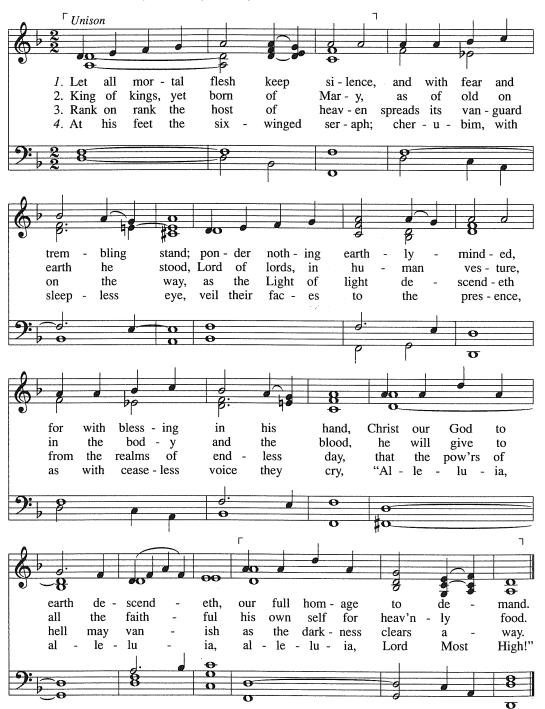
2. The Power of the Son

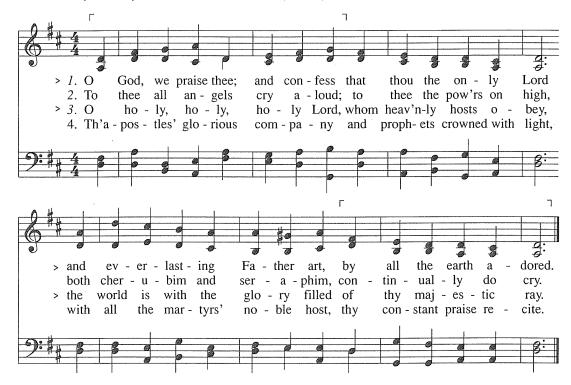
3. The Response to the Son

THE LORD'S SUPPER | See comments below

We come forward by row to receive the elements. Wine is found in red cups (outer ring), grape juice in clear cups (inside rings). Gluten free wafers are available in both serving lines. If you are unable to come forward, please notify the server walking around with the elements. You are welcome to participate in the Lord's Supper if you are a baptized Christian and a member of an evangelical church. If this does not describe you, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer to consider your relationship to Jesus Christ. We also ask that children who have not yet publicly professed their faith in Christ refrain from partaking until doing so. The Lord's Supper is a time for our faith to be strengthened and our hope renewed.







*THE PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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This week @ Christ the King

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 13

Youth Group (9th-12th), 6:00 - 8:00 pm at CTK,

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

Men's Bible Study, 6:30 am at CTK.

HS Girls' Hangout, 6:30 - 8:00 pm location TBA.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16

Morning Prayer Zoom, 6:30 am

MS Guys' Hangout, 6:30 - 8:00 pm at the Martin's, 5335 Luwana, 24018.

CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR MISSIONARIES

Calling artists and writers of all ages at CTK! We need your help!

We would love to send Christmas cards to our missionaries! Please color, draw or write a card and bring it to church. Our handmade mail box is on the coffee bar. We will mail them!

Here is a list of our missionaries to choose from:

The Borden Family (Africa)

The Chase Family (Japan)

The Cain Family (Japan)

The Elliot Family (Bulgaria)

The Powell Family (El Salvador)

The Schweitzer Family (UK)

The Traub Family (Scotland)

Please have your cards in no later then Tuesday December 15th so we have time to mail them out.

THANK YOU!

MISSIONS

Don Ward - ELI Malawi

Pray for teachers who are willing to lead classes via Zoom and in-person in Africa in 2021. Praise for funding for a new well to be built in Malawi and for the new donors/partners who lead the efforts to make that happen. Pray for support raising efforts in 2021 needed to hold classes online and in-person, as well as send out pastors into rural parts of the country to teach.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Winter Women's Bible study will begin in January 2021.

More information to come.

MEN'S MINISTRY

Men's Bible Study meets on Tuesday mornings at 6:30 am in the church gathering area. This is a time for our men to gather before the start of the day to pray, to enjoy fellowship, to study, and to discuss God's word and the various ways the Gospel shapes our lives as men.

We are currently studying
Dan Doriani's book *The New Man*.

YOUTH MINISTRY

Fall Youth Group Study Series: Anxiety Upcoming Winter Youth Group Study Series: Life of Abraham

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Children's Ministry has a Facebook page! Search for Christ the King Children's Ministry or type in https://tinyurl.com/CTK-FB-Kids and ask to join the group! We have some great daily devotions for kids, story time, music time, and so much more.

Don't forget to check Realm for Virtual Sunday School Videos!

VOLUNTEER NEEDS

The music ministry is in need of volunteers! In efforts to have more of a rotation of musicians, we are looking for some more Music Ministry volunteers! If this sounds like something you would be interested in, please contact the office at sotto@ctkroanoke.org or Parker Adams at adams143@cox.net. This would not be an every Sunday expectation.

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICES

We will have two services on Christmas Eve. 4:30 pm and 6:00 pm. We will also have a live stream of the 4:30 pm service which you can access via our website: ctkroanoke.org.

We are asking that if you attend the 4:30 pm service to please wear a mask when in the building. If you will not be wearing a mask for reasons related to health or conscience please attend the 6:00 pm service where there will be people both wearing and not wearing masks.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

We will be having our annual meeting on January 17, 2021. At this meeting we will be voting on candidates to serve as officers. Frank Smith and Bob Saville have been renominated to serve on the session. They both have previously served as elders at CTK. The session is presenting them both for election.

We will also be voting to change the calls of Tobias Riggs and Andrew Martin from Assistant Pastor to Associate Pastor.

An Assistant Pastor is a pastor who has been called by the session, whereas an Associate Pastor is called by the congregation. The session believes that both Tobias and Andrew have shown love, faithfulness, and care for this body. It is evident that they are shepherding the flock with truth and grace. It is also clear to the session that the congregation has received both of these men as their pastors and as such we believe it is right to change their call to Associate Pastor. Since an Associate Pastor is called by the congregation, it requires a congregational vote. At the meeting we will discuss the terms of their calls (this means we will discuss their compensation package).

Since we expect to continue to be doing two services come Jan. 17th, we will have opportunity to vote immediately after both services.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to one of the elders or a pastor.

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