

WELCOME TO WORSHIP THIS MORNING

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY
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Reign of Christ



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2022

Jeremiah's promise of the execution of "justice and righteousness in the land" finds ironic fulfillment in the execution of Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews. It appears utterly contradictory that a king should be crucified with a criminal. This victory appears for all the world as humiliating defeat. Yet through the gate of death Jesus opens the door to paradise.

WELCOME

PRELUDE

ALICE KUBO

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Pastor: Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we humbly thank you for your goodness to us and to all that you have made. We praise you for your creation, for keeping us and all things in your care, and for all the blessings of life. Above all we bless you for your immeasurable love in redeeming the world by our Lord Jesus Christ, for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies that with thankful hearts we praise you, not only with our lips but in our lives, by giving ourselves to your service and by living in your gifts of holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all worship and praise, now and forever.

All: Amen.

GATHERING THE HOLY SPIRIT CALLS US TOGETHER AS THE PEOPLE OF GOD.
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GATHERING HYMN

CROWN HIM WITH MANY CROWNS

ALL 1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;
 High Voices 2 Crown him the vir - gin's Son, the God in - car - nate born,
ALL 3 Crown him the Lord of love— be - hold his hands and side,
 Low Voices 4 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave
ALL 5 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time,



hark, how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.
 whose arm those crim-son tro - phies won which now his brow a - dorn;
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.
 and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fab - ly sub - lime.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
 fruit of the mys - tic rose, yet of that rose the stem,
 No an - gels in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,
 His glo - ries now we sing, who died and rose on high,
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;



and hail him as thy match-less king through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 the root whence mer - cy ev - er flows, the babe of Beth - le - hem.
 but down - ward bend their burn - ing eyes at mys - ter - ies so bright.
 who died, e - ter - nal life to bring, and lives that death may die.
 thy praise and glo - ry shall not fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

Text: Matthew Bridges, 1800–1894, sts. 1–3, 5; Godfrey Thring, 1823–1903, st. 4
 Music: DIADEMATA, George J. Elvey, 1816–1893

GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

SONG OF PRAISE



1 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
 2 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;
 3 Glo - ry to you, God, for yours is the earth;

yours is the prom - ise, the bless - ing, the birth.
 yours the ho - san - nas, the dy - ing, re - birth.
 yours the a - noint - ing, the ra - di - ant worth.

Ours the re - joic - ing for Word giv - en frame;
 Ours the re - joic - ing for na - ture re - claimed;
 Ours the re - joic - ing for spir - its a - flame;

ours the thanks - giv - ing to your ho - ly name.

Ours be the tell - ing of deeds great - ly done;

yours be the glo - ry, O God, yours a - lone.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

A brief silence is kept before the prayer.

Pastor: Let us join in prayer:

All: **O God, our true life, to serve you is freedom, and to know you is unending joy. We worship you, we glorify you, we give thanks to you for your great glory. Abide with us, reign in us, and make this world into a fit habitation for your divine majesty, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

WORD

FIRST READING

JEREMIAH 23:1-6 (NRSV)

Today's reading builds on the common, ancient Near Eastern metaphor of the king as shepherd. Judah's unjust rulers have caused their people, their "flock," to be scattered. Nevertheless, God will raise up a new and righteous shepherd who will rule a restored Judah.

Lector: Word of God, word of life.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALM 46 (NRSV)

Read responsively

Lector: God is our refuge and strength,

All: a very present help in trouble.Lector: Therefore we will not fear, though
the earth be moved,**All: and though the mountains shake in
the depths of the sea;**

Lector: though its waters rage and foam,

**All: and though the mountains tremble
with its tumult.**Lector: There is a river whose streams
make glad the city of God,**All: the holy habitation of the Most High.**Lector: God is in the midst of the city; it
shall not be shaken;**All: God shall help it at the break of day.**Lector: The nations rage, and the kingdoms
shake;**All: God speaks, and the earth melts
away.**

Lector: The LORD of hosts is with us;

All: the God of Jacob is our stronghold.Lector: Come now, regard the works of the
LORD,**All: what desolations God has brought
upon the earth;**Lector: behold the one who makes war to
cease in all the world;**All: who breaks the bow, and shatters
the spear, and burns the shields
with fire.**Lector: "Be still, then, and know that I am
God;**All: I will be exalted among the nations;
I will be exalted in the earth."**

Lector: The LORD of hosts is with us;

All: the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

SECOND READING

COLOSSIANS 1:11-20 (NRSV)*An early Christian hymn praises the mystery of the political, personal, and mystical Christ, the one who was present at creation and is eternally reigning with God.*

Lector: Word of God, word of life.

All: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PR. DAVID MILLER

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

We acclaim the living Word, Jesus Christ, present in the gospel reading.

Congregation:

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia. Lord, to whom shall we

go? You have the words of e - ter - nal



GOSPEL

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to Luke.
 All: **Glory to you, O Lord.**

LUKE 23:33-43 (NRSV)

Amid scoffing and slander from those who sarcastically call him Messiah and king, Jesus reveals that to be Messiah and king is to give one's life for others. Here he uses his power to welcome a despised sinner to paradise but puts his own death into God's hands.

SERMON

PR. DAVE MILLER

HYMN OF THE DAY

REJOICE, FOR CHRIST IS KING!

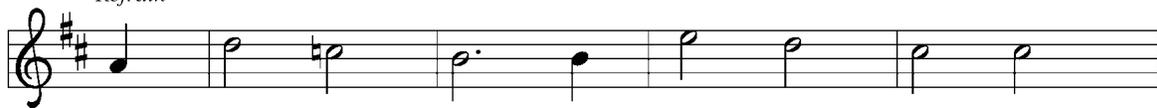


1 Re - joice, for Christ is king! Your Lord and king a - dore;
 2 Our Sav - ior Je - sus reigns, the God of truth and love;
 3 His king - dom can - not fail; he rules o'er earth and heav'n;
 4 He sits at God's right hand till all his foes sub - mit



re - joice, give thanks, and sing, and tri - umph ev - er - more:
 when he had purged our stains, he took his seat a - bove:
 the keys of death and hell are to our Je - sus giv'n:
 and bow to his com - mand and fall be - neath his feet:

Refrain



Lift up your heart, lift up your voice; re -



joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!

Text: Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt.
 Music: LAUS REGIS, William E. Fischer, 1849-1936

CREED

Pastor: Let us profess our faith.

I believe in God, eternal, almighty, Creator of heaven and earth,

and in Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of all, the Only Begotten One; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, lived and loved among us, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; who descended into hell, and on the third day rose from the dead; Jesus, Our Savior, ascended into heaven, sits at the right hand of the loving God, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION AND THANKS-GIVING

Assisting Minister: United with your saints across time and place, we pray for our shared world.

The Assisting Minister ends each petition with "Lord, in your mercy," and the congregation responds "receive our prayer."

Accept these prayers, gracious God, and those known only to you; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

All: Amen.

MEAL**PEACE**

Pastor: The Peace of Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

We exchange the Peace of Christ, greeting each other with words of peace, aware that Christ is in our midst in the faces of those around us.

OFFERING

You may also leave your offering in the church office during the week, mail it in to the church, or give online through our website.

MUSICAL OFFERING**O SING TO GOD****CHOIR****OFFERTORY HYMN**

Du är he - lig, du är hel. Du är all - tid myck-et mer
You are ho - ly, you are whole. You are al - ways ev - er more



än vi nån - sin kan för - stå, du är nä - ra än - då.
than we ev - er un - der - stand. You are al - ways at hand.

Väl - sig - nad va - re du som kom - mer hit just nu,
Bless - ed are you com - ing near. Bless - ed are you com - ing here

väl - sig - na - de vår jord, blir till bröd på vår jord.
to your church in wine and bread, raised from soil, raised from dead.

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Du är he - lig, du är hel - het,
You are ho - ly, you are whole - ness,

du är när - het he - la kos - mos lo - var dig!
you are pres - ent. Let the cos - mos praise you, Lord!

Ho - si - an - na, ho - si - an - na,
Sing ho - san - na in the high - est!

ho - si - an - na, ho - si - an - na vår Gud.
Sing ho - san - na! Sing ho - san - na to our God!

* May be sung in canon.

Text: Per Harling, b. 1945
Music: DU ÄR HELIG, Per Harling
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South America, and Central America, including the Caribbean.

OFFERING PRAYER

Pastor: Blessed are you, Maker of all things. As you have entrusted us with all that you have created, now gather our gifts, nourish us with this sacrament, and send us to those who hunger and thirst, for the sake of Jesus Christ our Savior

All: Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Before the Lord's supper is shared, the presiding minister leads us into thanksgiving. With the whole creation, we join the angels' song.

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Pastor: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Pastor: It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that we should always and everywhere give thanks and praise to you, almighty and merciful God, through our Savior Jesus Christ. You give thanks in our midst and teach us to do likewise, to be mindful of what we've received, help where we can, and guide our hearts to those with great need in our community. Give us your heart of love so that we may be for all the world your abiding presence and bountiful table.

And so, with all the choirs of angels, with the church on earth and the hosts of heaven, we praise your name and join their unending hymn:



Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly are you, God of pow - er and

might; heav - en and earth are filled with your

glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless - ed is the one who comes in your name. Ho -

san - na in the high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

Pastor: O God triune, how majestic is your name in all the earth.
Over the eons your merciful might evolved our home, a fragile tree of life.
Here by your wisdom are both life and death, growth and decay, the nest and the
hunt, sunshine and storm, darkness and light.
Sustained by these wonders, we creatures of dust join in the ancient song:
The earth is full of your glory.

All: The earth is full of your glory.

Pastor: O God triune, you took on our flesh in Jesus our healer.
In Christ you bring life from death; we remember his cross, we laud his resurrection.
Broken like bread, he enlivens our body.
Outpoured like wine, he fills the earth with goodness.
Receiving this mystery, we mortals sing our song:
The earth is full of your glory.

All: The earth is full of your glory.

Pastor: We praise you for the heart of Jesus, so filled with your love for this earth.

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:

Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying:

This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Gathered around this table, we your children unite in this song:

The earth is full of your glory.

All: The earth is full of your glory.

Pastor: O God triune, you create the worlds, you uphold the living, you embrace the dead. Send forth
your Spirit and renew the face of the earth. Strengthen us for our journey with this meal, the
body and blood of Christ. Give us a future that trusts in you and cares for your earth.
Empowered by your promises, we rise from our deaths to praise you again:

The earth is full of your glory.

All: The earth is full of your glory.

Pastor: Amen, and amen.

All: Amen, and amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Pastor: Pastor: Christ invites you to this table. Come, taste and see.

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

*You may be seated. The ushers will invite you forward for communion.
Gluten-free communion wafers are available upon request.
White grape juice is in the center area of the communion trays.
Those at home may partake of bread and wine as they wish.*

LAMB OF GOD

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the
world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

COMMUNION HYMN

STRANGE KING

1 Strange King on a cross We have gained what you have lost
 2 Strange King on the tree High on the mount of Cal - va - ry
 3 Strange King in the tomb Dark the man - ger, still no room
 4 Strange King from the grave Come a - gain your peo - ple save



Your life giv - en for us Strange King on a cross.
 Your death set - ting us free Strange King on the tree.
 Your death came. . so soon Strange King in the tomb.
 Your life, all . . . you gave Strange King from the grave.



Refrain
 What a strange way to be - come a king Dy - ing on a cross



What a strange way to be - come a king Dy - ing for us.

Text: Ray Makeever

Music: STRANGE KING, Ray Makeever

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~ Announcements ~

Pastor: The body and blood of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ strengthen you always, and keep you in his Grace.

All: **Amen.**

Assistant: *Let us pray.*

We give you thanks, most gracious God, that you have fed us with the bread of heaven and given us a foretaste of Paradise. Enliven us to be your body in the world and to serve those who are in need; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: **Amen.**

BLESSING

Pastor: God, who gives life to all things and frees us from despair, bless you with truth and peace.
And may the holy Trinity, + one God, guide you always in faith, hope, and love..

All: Amen.

SENDING HYMN

SOON AND VERY SOON



1 Soon and ver - y soon
2 No more cry - in' there, we are goin' to see the King,
3 No more dy - in' there,
4 Soon and ver - y soon



soon and ver - y soon
no more cry - in' there, we are goin' to see the King,
no more dy - in' there,
soon and ver - y soon



soon and ver - y soon
no more cry - in' there, we are goin' to see the King.
no more dy - in' there,
soon and ver - y soon



Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah, we're goin' to see the King!



Hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu -



jah, hal - le - lu - jah, hal - le - lu - jah.

DISMISSAL

We leave this worship to take the good news of God's love with us in the world.

Pastor: Go in peace. Be a blessing in the world.

I: Thanks be to God.

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Altar Flowers

...are given by Bill & June Davis in celebration of
Ray & Estelle's Anniversary.

ALL SAINTS NEWS

SECOND MILE FOR NOVEMBER

Our Second Mile Giving ministry partner is [ELCA World Hunger](#). This program of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America helps provide aid to 821 million people around the world living in hunger and poverty daily. TODAY we receive a second offering to support this vital ministry of the ELCA.

THANKSGIVING EVE WORSHIP

Plan to gather for worship in the Sanctuary on Wednesday, November 23, for our Thanksgiving Eve worship. (This will not be a hybrid worship.) If you are uncomfortable driving at night and/or simply need to be picked up, let Pat know (via the church office) and we can arrange a ride for you.

Following the worship service, we will have an opportunity to enjoy some Thanksgiving fellowship and desserts before filling up with turkey on Thursday! If you are able, bring a Thanksgiving dessert, cake or pie to share.

Don't forget:

Wednesday, November 23, 7:00pm:
Thanksgiving worship & Pie Fest.



ADVENT BRUNCH

The ASLC Women's Advent Brunch is fast approaching. It's just 13 days from today! You know you want to attend and you know you want to invite your friends!

Reservation forms are by the "Christmas box" on the table in the narthex and can also be found in your November Trumpet.

Please turn in your reservation,
with check attached, before it is sold out!
Saturday, Dec. 3 @ 10:30am.
Still only \$10 per person.

We continue to collect **socks** for the homeless. It's COLD out there!
Let's fill the little blue barrel!

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Food items are always needed by the **SF-Marin Food Bank**  
to assist our neighbors in need.

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Take the opportunity to help a Novato family at Christmas through
North Marin Community Services.

You can purchase gifts from a child's wish list or sign up to volunteer.

Check it out! <https://www.northmarincs.org/community-health/holiday-share-toy-drive/>

THIS WEEK AT ALL SAINTS
NOVEMBER 20-27, 2022

- TODAY:** REIGN OF CHRIST SUNDAY
Hybrid Worship – 9:30 a.m.
Al Anon – 7:15 p.m.
AA – 8:30 p.m.
- MONDAY:** Church Office 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
NMA – 7:00 – 9:00 P.M.
- TUESDAY:** Church Office 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
WW – 8:00a.m. – 10:00a.m.
- WEDNESDAY:** Church Office 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
Thanksgiving worship – 7:00 p.m.
- THURSDAY:** *Private Gathering – 1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.*
- FRIDAY:** *Dog Trials – all day.*
- SATURDAY:** *Dog Trials – all day*
AA – 8:00 p.m.
- SUNDAY:** FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT
Hybrid Worship – 9:30 a.m.
Al Anon – 7:15 p.m.
AA – 8:30 p.m.

*Please make note of the change
in church office hours this holiday week*