

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**  
*Christ the King Sunday~ Last Sunday after Pentecost*  
November 20, 2011

**The Word of God**

**Prelude**

Robert Tupper

**The Opening Hymn**

*Crown Him with many crowns*

**Hymnal 494**

Crown him with many crowns, the Lamb upon his throne;  
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own; awake, my soul, and sing  
of him who died for thee, and hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.

Crown him the Son of God before the worlds began,  
and ye, who tread where he hath trod, crown him the Son of man; who every grief hath known  
that wrings the human breast, and takes and bears them for his own, that all in him may rest.

Crown him the Lord of life, who triumphed o'er the grave,  
and rose victorious in the strife for those he came to save; his glories now we sing  
who died, and rose on high, who died, eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crown him of lords the Lord, who over all doth reign,  
who once on earth, the-incarnate Word, for ransomed sinners slain, now lives in realms of light,  
where saints with angels sing their songs before him day and night, their God, Redeemer, King.

Crown him the Lord of heaven, enthroned in worlds above;  
crown him the King, to whom is given, the wondrous name of Love. Crown him with many crowns,  
as thrones before him fall, crown him, ye kings, with many crowns, for he is King of all.

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*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.  
*People* **And blessed be God's kingdom, now and forever. Amen.**

*Celebrant* Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid.  
Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly  
love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Song of Praise**

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**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to God's people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.  
For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord,  
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,  
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.  
*People* **And also with you.**  
*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son,  
the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and  
enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and  
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

Thus says the Lord GOD: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord GOD. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep.

I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the LORD, have spoken.

*People*            The Word of the Lord.  
                          **Thanks be to God.**

**The Psalm**    *Psalm 100*    *Jubilate Deo*

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1            Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands; \*  
                  serve the LORD with gladness and come before his presence with a song.

2            Know this: The LORD himself is God; \*  
                  he himself has made us, and we are his; we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

3            Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise; \*  
                  give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

4            For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; \*  
                  and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

**The Second Reading**

**Ephesians 1:15-23**

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

*People*            The Word of the Lord.  
                          **Thanks be to God.**

**The Sequence Hymn**

*Jesus shall reign where'er the sun*

**Hymnal 544**

Jesus shall reign where'er the sun Does his successive journeys run;  
His kingdom stretch from shore to shore, Till moons shall wax and wane no more.

To Him shall endless prayer be made, And praises throng to crown His head;  
His Name like sweet perfume shall rise With every morning sacrifice.

People and realms of every tongue Dwell on His love with sweetest song;  
And infant voices shall proclaim Their early blessings on His Name.

Blessings abound wherever He reigns; The prisoner leaps to lose their chains;  
The weary find eternal rest, And all who suffer want are blest.

Let every creature rise and bring Peculiar honors to our King;  
Angels descend with songs again, And earth repeat the loud amen!

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**The Gospel**

**Matthew 25:31-46**

*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.  
*People* **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left.

Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?'

And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.'

Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

*People* The Gospel of the Lord.  
**Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

**The Homily**  
*Silence*

The Reverend Janet Fullmer

## The Nicene Creed

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**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

## The Prayers of the People

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Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

**That we all may be one.**

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and humbly serve you;

**That your Name may be glorified by all people.**

We pray for all bishops, priests, and deacons; for Rowan, Archbishop of Canterbury; for Katharine, our Presiding Bishop; for Nedi, our Bishop; in our diocesan cycle of prayer we pray for St. Mark's Episcopal & Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Madras, and the Reverends Jan Kozak, and Larry Mahon. We pray for Marilyn Roth, the Discernment Committee, and for all who serve in the church;

**That we may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.**

We pray for this country; for our president, Barak Obama; and for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

**That there may be justice and peace on the earth.**

We pray for all members of this parish; and in our congregational cycle of prayer, we pray for Barbara Williams, Paul Beasley, Jan Swartz, Audrey Thornton, and Skip Fisher. Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

**That our works may find favor in your sight.**

Strengthen and encourage all who serve in ministries that enrich and bless the lives of others;

*The People add petitions*

We give thanks for the work you have given us to do, and seek your strength to serve you faithfully.

**That your love may be known throughout the earth.**

Bless and hold all our neighbors who are in need, especially those affected by disasters, war, and poverty;

*The People add petitions*

Have compassion on all who suffer from any grief or trouble;

**That they may be delivered from their distress.**

Give to the departed eternal rest.

**Let light perpetual shine upon them.**

We praise you for all your saints who have entered into joy;

**May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.**

Let us give thanks for all our blessings, and pray for our own needs, and those of others.

*The People add their own thanksgivings and petitions.*

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

## The Confession of Sin

*Deacon* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

**Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done,  
and by what we have left undone.**

**We have not loved you with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**

**We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.**

**For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us and forgive us;  
that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways,  
to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

*Celebrant* Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.  
**Amen.**

## The Peace *Please stand*

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Announcements, Thanksgivings and Celebrations of Life  
This quarter Thank offerings are designated for Big Brother, Big Sister*

## The Holy Communion

**The Offertory** *Halle, Halle, Halle* *Octavo* *Choir*

**The Doxology** 8:00: *All things come of Thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee.*

*Hymnal 380- 10:00: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

## Eucharistic Prayer A

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, . . . Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**The Sanctus** 8:00 *Said:*

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is the one who comes

in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

10:00 *Sung- WLP 858:*

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,**

**heaven and earth are full, full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is the one who comes**

**in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

**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, and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.*

8:00

Alleluia, alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
**Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia, alleluia.**

10:00- S154

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia;  
Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;  
Therefore let us keep the feast.  
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

*Celebrant* The Gifts of God for the People of God.

*All are invited to come forward to receive the bread and wine or a blessing -grape juice or gluten free bread are available.*

*For private intercessory prayer for healing for yourself or others, please go to the station at back of the nave during communion.*

### **The Communion Hymns**

#### ***Humbly I adore thee***

#### **Hymnal 314**

Humbly I adore thee, Verity unseen, who thy glory hidest 'neath these shadows mean;  
Lo, to thee surrendered, my whole heart is bowed, tranced as it beholds thee, shrined within the cloud.

Taste and touch and vision to discern thee fail; faith, that comes by hearing, pierces through the veil.  
I believe whate'er the Son of God hath told; what the Truth hath spoken, that for truth I hold.

O memorial wondrous of the Lord's own death; living Bread that givest all thy creatures breath,  
Grant my spirit ever by thy life may live, to my taste thy sweetness never failing give.

Jesus, whom now hidden, I by faith behold, what my soul doth long for, that thy word foretold;  
face to face thy splendor, I at last shall see, in the glorious vision, blessed, Lord, of thee.

*Words Thomas Aquinas; Public Domain*

***We will glorify the King of Kings***

**Handout**

**The Postcommunion Prayer** *Please stand.*

*Celebrant* Let us pray.  
**Eternal God, heavenly Father,**  
**you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,**  
**And you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.**  
**Send us now into the world in peace,**  
**and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness**  
**and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**The Blessing**

**The Closing Hymn**

*Soon and very Soon*

**LEVAS 14**

Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King,  
Soon and very soon, we are goin' to see the King,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, we're goin' to see the King!

No more cryin' there ...

No more dyin' there ...

Soon and very soon...

Hallelujah; Hallelujah; Hallelujah; Hallelujah!

*Words: Andre Crouch, Bud John Songs/Crouch Music CCLI#29496966*

**The Dismissal**

*Deacon*

*People*

**Thanks be to God!**

**The Postlude**

Robert Tupper

*Today's Servers~*

*Celebrant: The Rev. Janet Fullmer; Deacon: Georgia Giacobbe; Acolyte: Matthew Kirby;*  
*Worship Leader: Ned Kice; Eucharist Minister: Sandy Kice; Lector: 8:00-Harriet Langfeldt, 10:00-Skip Fisher;*  
*Prayers of the People: 8:00-Verna Browne, 10:00-Don Dickinson; Organist: Robert Tupper;*  
*Altar Guild: Janet Mabrey, Kaethe Worcester; Child Care: Carly Lowe;*  
*Flowers: Bill and Ann Ketchum to the Glory of God and Thanksgiving for family.*  
*Greeter: Carol Fisher; Coffee Hosts: Mark and Marilyn Roth*

**PLEASE PRAY For our diocese, friends and family:**

**In our diocesan cycle of prayer:** Please pray for St. Mark's Episcopal & Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Madras, and the Reverends Jan Kozak and Larry Mahon; they ask prayers "as we elect new council members at our Annual Meeting on Sunday, 11/20. We ask for prayers for wisdom and prayerful leadership, and for the Spirit's continued guidance in all areas of the mission and ministry of this congregation."

**For Comfort, Healing and Strength:** for Don Lewis; Patrick Martin; Jack Howe; Doris and Norm Abrams; Art and Jane Schafroth, and all who are in need of help and strength.

**For our Vestry and work groups:** Building and Administration: Laurance Kerr, Junior Warden; Jill Durow, Pat Fowler, Jenny Curtis, Jerry Frazier, Treasurer; Relationship/Serving: Andrea Booren, Amy McIlvenna, Julie Reynolds, Diane Walworth; Worship/Education: Diane Walworth, Joanne Manciu, Robert Kirby, Julie Reynolds, Monte Dickinson, Senior Warden; and Deb Hucke, Deputy Clerk.

**For those serving in the Armed Forces of our Country** and for all those who serve and protect us, especially: In Iraq and Afghanistan: Roland Willoughby, Crystal Cornejo, and Brandon Lee; John Bixler, Kelsey Neubauer, Albert South, Kyle McCullough, Turf McCullough, Kevin Gross, Travis Kennedy, Ben Schloss, Michael Stebbins and Max Turner, Amy and Gavin McIlvenna.

**CALENDAR:**

<i>Tuesday</i>	Bible Study	1:00 pm <i>Mill Creek-3<sup>rd</sup> Floor</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	Eucharist	Noon <i>Diocesan Chapel</i>
	Thanksgiving Eve	7:00 pm <i>St. Paul's</i>

**Readings for Sunday Nov. 27**

Isaiah 64:1-9  
Psalm 80:1-7, 16-18  
1 Corinthians 1:3-9  
Mark 13:24-37

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**TODAY: Liturgy Planning for Advent- Noon; Worship Leader training today and next Sunday, following the 10:00 service. All are welcome!**

**Next Sunday is the first Sunday of Advent- Prepare!**

**Tuesdays with Choir- Tuesday evenings in Advent...choir practice! Fun and preparation for the music and gift of leading the wonderful music offered during Advent and Christmas. Hours of practice are 5:30-6:30.**

**Also on Tuesday:** November 22, from Fellowship of Churches: Guest Speaker Jim Slusher, of the Community Action Program. First United Methodist Church, 305 E 11th St. Time: 5:00- 6:30 pm; Light Snacks will be provided.

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY-** Work continues ongoing at Janeal's Habitat House: 2419 E. 16th (16<sup>th</sup> & Thompson. Workdays are Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, 8:30 to 12:30. There is a job for all skills and abilities, you can come for an hour or the day, and water and snacks are provided. Check out the web site for photos as the work progresses. See John Adams or Ron Fullmer for

more information. So, put on your work clothes and join the very rewarding, and very exciting, fun!

**TUTORS NEEDED!** Join Pam Miller for High School tutoring, SMART for Elementary and HS-see Pam, Diane Walworth, or Outreach Minutes for more information and additional contact info.

**VESTRY ORGANIZATION-** Vestry news including an organizational chart and *Who's Who* for information, committees, etc; a church *Calendar at a Glance*; pictures, notices of parish events, financial reports, and other sundry items of interest are on the bulletin board, kiosk in the narthex and on the web site. Please check them out!

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS...**

**Coming up in December:**

First Saturday, December 3: Intro to Ignatian Spirituality ~ 10:00-3:00; Sunday, Dec. 4, Eucharist Service at Mill Creek at 1:30 pm; Wednesday December 7: Potluck at 5:30 pm, sponsored by Cursillo; Sunday Dec. 18: Lessons and Carols at 4:00 pm; Saturday Dec. 24, Christmas Eve Services: Family Service at 5:00 pm, Carols at 9:30 pm, Traditional Service with Candlelight at 10:00 pm; Sunday Dec. 25, Christmas Day, 8:00 and 10:00, as usual- but very festive! All Welcome!

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