

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PENDLETON, OREGON – NOVEMBER 21, 2021
CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY



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- We are required to wear masks at this time.
- **Bold words are spoken together.**
- You are welcome to sing softly with us.
- * Indicates to stand, as you are able.
- The nursery is open for children age 0-5.
- Sunday School starts after Passing of Peace

PRELUDE

Christe Sanctorum

Derek Remes

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Minute for Stewardship

Alison Moses

GATHERING PRAYER

*HYMN #268

Crown Him with Many Crowns

CALL TO WORSHIP

Based on Psalm 93

The LORD is king. The LORD is robed in majesty,

The LORD is robed, girded with strength.

God has established the world. It shall never be moved.

Your throne is established from of old;

you are from everlasting.

The floods have lifted up,

O LORD, the floods have lifted up their voice;

the floods lift up their roaring.

More majestic than the thunders of mighty waters,

more majestic than the waves of the sea,

majestic on high is the LORD!

Your decrees are very sure; holiness befits your house,

O LORD, forevermore.

Come let us worship the LORD

who reigns in heaven and on earth.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Righteous God,

you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all.

We confess that we have not bowed before him,

and are slow to acknowledge his rule.

We give allegiance to the powers of this world

and fail to be governed by justice and love.

In your mercy, forgive us.

Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all,

that we may loyal ambassadors,

obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ.

(time for silent, personal confession)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

From Rev. 1:8

"I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord.

Jesus is the one who loves us and frees us from all that binds us.

Join me in these words of forgiveness:

By the grace of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*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.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Christ is the king who rules in peace, love and justice.

Let us share the peace we have received with one another.

May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you!**

Look to your neighbor, wave to your neighbor,

and share God's peace with one another.

ANTHEM

The Call

by Ralph Vaughan Williams

FIRST SCRIPTURE LESSON

NT 230

Revelation 1:4b-8

GOSPEL LESSON

NT 106

John 18:33-38a

SERMON

Imagination

PRAYERS OF JOY AND CONCERN 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.

*HYMN #260

Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

I Sing the Mighty Power of God

CALENDAR

Sunday, November 21

10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary Christ the King Sunday
approx. 11:00 Sermon Discussion on Zoom
11:30 AM Worship Commission on Zoom

Monday, November 22

6:15 PM Westminster Woods Zoom meeting

Nov 22-26 No Preschool

Nov 25-26 Office Closed for Thanksgiving.

Sunday, November 28

10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary – 1st Sunday of Advent
approx. 11:00 Sermon Discussion on Zoom
4:30 PM Deacons Meeting on Zoom

Saturday, December 4

9:00-3:00 Plant Sale in Rogers Room – Gardeners Club

Sunday, December 5

10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary – 2nd Sunday of Advent
approx. 11:00 Sermon Discussion on Zoom

4:00-6:00 PM Advent Family Meal in the Rogers Room

Sunday, December 8

9:30 AM Presbyterian Women Bible Study on Zoom

Sunday, December 12

10:00 AM Worship in the Sanctuary -3rd Sunday of Advent
approx. 11:00 Sermon Discussion on Zoom

Wednesday, December 15

6:30 PM Blue Christmas Service

Sunday, December 19

10:00 AM Christmas Pageant Worship - 4th Sunday of Advent
approx. 11:00 Sermon Discussion on Zoom

Friday, December 24 – Christmas Eve

7:00 PM Lessons and Carols Worship Service