



Linway United Presbyterian Church
November 22, 2020 10:30 a.m. Bulletin for Worship
Christ the King Sunday

Prelude

Nancy Kelley, Organist

Greeting and Announcements

Gathering Prayer: (unison) **Heavenly Father, you gave us your Son who was rejected by the leaders of your people. His mission appeared defeated, and yet your love would not allow death to have the last word. Through the resurrection, the mystery of his kingship illumines our lives. In his death, show us the victory that crowns the ages, and in his broken body, the love that unites heaven and earth. Amen.**

Call to Worship

Lila Sedlak, Liturgist

L: The head that once was crowned with thorns

P: is crowned with glory now.

L: For life and health his cross was borne;

P: to him our lives we vow.

L: The highest place that heaven affords

P: is his by sovereign right.

L: Yet here for us the Lord of Lords

P: is pleased to grant his light.

L: Come, let us worship God.

Opening Hymn

Rejoice, the Lord is King!

Please refrain from singing

Invitation to Confession

Unison 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 failed to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us our sin, O God. May Jesus Christ be King in our hearts and lives, and may we live as his loyal ambassadors of the mission and ministry of his church, both here and around the world. Amen.**

Declaration of Pardon

L: Hear this: *In fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep. For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead.*

P: For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive (1 Corinthians 15:20-22).

L: Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel:

P: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*Gloria Patri - *Please Stand*

Please refrain from singing

Special Music

Scripture Reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Morning Prayer, the Lord's Prayer, and Organ Response

Sermon: **"Where Do We See Jesus?"**

Rev. Eric E. Dennis, Pastor

*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

Closing Hymn

We Praise You, O God

Please refrain from singing

*Charge and Benediction

*Postlude

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*Indicates those who are able, to please stand

When Attending Worship Services in the Sanctuary

- We ask that you please complete an attendance card & place it in the basket when exiting the Sanctuary in case contact tracing becomes necessary. Include name, address, phone, & email.
- Please place any offering in the box when exiting the Sanctuary.
- Please use the restrooms located in the Preschool Hallway.

Please Remember In Our Prayers:

John Arnold, Tracy Augustin, Charlotte Ban, Dennis Bernhardt, Pat Brant, Betty Brinker, Clay & Lois, Clark Danner, Janet Doherty, Mike Feigh, Betty Frommell, Audrey Koppel, Jean Lawton, Linda, Chuck Linderman, Edward Lloyd, Rita Marrow, Anne Nutter, Maura Nutter, Carol Pascarella, Fran Pepler, Ann Puscaric, Renee, Patty Rodgers, Michael Spingola, Rose Stark, Tom Szmuc, Peg Torbich



We extend our sympathy to the family of James Carpenter. Jim, a long-time member of Linway, went home to be with our Lord on Nov. 13. A memorial service will be held at a later time. Contact the office if you wish to send a card to his family.

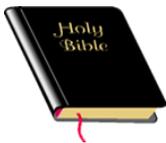


Today's Chancel Flowers

The flowers today are given to the glory of the Lord by Irene Young and the Young Family in loving memory of R. Glen Young and Cheryl Ann Young.

Scripture Readings

The following scripture readings have been suggested by the Presbytery for this week:



Ezekial 34:11-16, 20-24
Psalms 100
Ephesians 1: 15-23
Matthew 25: 31-46

Final Days of Our Pasta Sale

Orders with payment are due by this Tuesday, Nov. 24. Fun Pasta has various pastas in fun shapes and themes such as animals, numbers, sports teams, holiday themes, soups, pasta salads, mac 'n cheese, gift sets & more! Please make checks payable to Linway & we'll place one master order. More info + online ordering info in the newsletter. Brochures and order forms available in the Narthex. Thank you for your continued support of our church through our fundraisers!



Last Day for Operation Christmas Child Donations

Today is the last day we will be collecting monetary donations for shoeboxes. Please make checks payable to Linway Church, and we will send one check from Linway. Thanks!

Last Day for Fall Harvest Monetary Donations for Ma's Pantry Food Bank

If you'd like to contribute, please indicate your donation is for Ma's & place in the offering box or mail to the church. Checks may be payable to Linway, & then we'll send one check to Ma's. Thank you for helping!

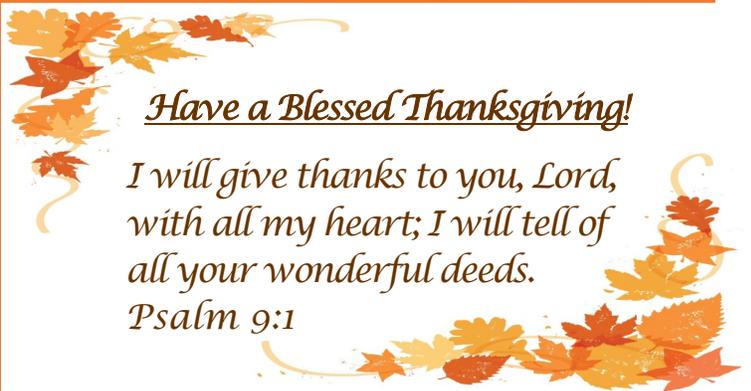
Important Dates

Nov. 29 - First Sunday of Advent and the Sacrament of Holy Communion

Dec. 6 - Congregational Meeting after the Sunday Worship Service for the Election of Officers for 2021.

Dec. 24 at 6:00 p.m.- Christmas Eve Service & Sacrament of Holy Communion.

The Session has voted that there will be one Christmas Eve Worship Service this year.



Have a Blessed Thanksgiving!

*I will give thanks to you, Lord,
with all my heart; I will tell of
all your wonderful deeds.*

Psalms 9:1

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