



Established
October 4, 1851
Madison, Wisconsin

November 25, 2018
Christ the King/Reign of Christ Sunday
9:00 am Classical Worship



The Organ Pre-Service

*We invite you to personally prepare for worship during the Prelude.
Please respect the quiet atmosphere of the Sanctuary during this time.*

- I. *Rejoice, the Lord is King (Darwall's 148th)* Percy William Whitlock
Hymnal No. 155
- II. *Come Thou, Almighty King (Italian Hymn)* Carl Keister McKinley
Hymnal No. 139 "To Thee, great One in Three, the highest praises be!"
- III. *Bryn Calfaria—God, Our Lord, a King Remaining* Ralph Vaughan Williams
From Preludes Founded on Welsh Hymn Tunes
- IV. *Hymn Prelude on St. Vincent- High on His Everlasting Throne* Leo Sowerby
- V. *Sonata No. 1 in F Minor* Felix Mendelssohn
1. *Allegro moderato* 2. *Adagio* 3. *Andante*

***We are a Community centered in Christ:
gathering in love, growing by grace, going forth to serve.***

We Gather in Love

The Introit *Behold, God is My Salvation!*

Eric Thiman

Please stand for The Call to Worship

"I am the Alpha and Omega," says the Lord God,
who is and who is to come, the Almighty---

**Praise to the One who loves us and freed us from our sins by his cross;
who made us to be a kingdom, citizens called to serve one another---**
and Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, the ruler of
all rulers of the earth---

To Christ be glory, dominion and power forever and ever!

Remain standing to sing The Hymn of Praise
Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Hymnal No. 478
(Lauda anima)

The Prayer of the Day

The Gloria Patri

Hymnal No. 579

**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.**

You may be seated.

The Prayer of Confession and Silent Confession

**Almighty God, in power and love you have exalted your Son, Jesus Christ,
to reign with you in eternal glory. We confess our resistance to Christ's
rule; our slowness to respond in faith, our disobedience to your will, our
reluctance to proclaim your truth, our complicity with the powers of this
world. By the power of your sovereign love, vanquish our sin and claim us
anew. Rule in us, that our lives would conform with your gracious will,
and our service further Christ's reign on earth, as it is in heaven. Amen.**

The Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Please stand for The Response of Praise *Let All the World in Every Corner Sing*
Sing the Response below after the verses sung by the Choir



Let all the world in ev-ery cor-ner sing, My God and King!

*Welcome –
We're glad YOU
are worshipping with
us today!*

Thank you for silencing
cell phones and other
electronic devices
before worship!



A Hearing Loop
Is installed
and available.
Switch your hearing aid
to "T-Cell".
Please ask an Usher
if you need assistance.

Congregational spoken
responses appear
in **bold type**.

Hymns and sung
responses will be found in
the **BLUE HYMNAL**
under the seat
in front of you.

Large Print Bulletins,
Hymnals and Bibles are
available. Ask an Usher.

*Please join us –
after Worship today
for coffee
and fellowship
in the Gathering Hall,
outside of the Sanctuary.
Whether you are
a long-time member or
a visitor, we'd like to
get to know you!*

CHRIST THE KING

The festival of **Christ the King** (or Reign of Christ) ends the season of Ordinary Time, and moves us to the threshold of Advent. (Dec.2)

The day centers on Christ, whom God exalted to rule over the whole universe.

Thus, the celebration looks back to

Ascension, Easter, and Transfiguration, and points ahead to the coming of the King of kings. Christ is the center of the universe, the ruler of all history, the judge of all people.

In Christ all things began, and in him all things will be fulfilled.

In the end, Christ will triumph over the forces of evil, with all those who in every age confessed, "Jesus Christ is Lord!" Christ alone has the right to claim our highest loyalty, and the blood of martyrs, past and present, witnesses to this truth.

~Presbyterian Mission Agency

Sharing the Peace of Christ
The peace of Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

The Doxology
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below.
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

Hymnal No. 592

You may be seated.

We Grow by Grace

News of the Church

The Sacrament of Baptism
Son of Johanna Chapin and Obed Bardales

Luca Santiago Bardales

Song of Blessing *Alleluia, Lullaby*

J. Bert Carlson

The First Scripture Reading Psalm 93
*We will read the Psalm together in unison.
Please use your Pew Bible or read the words from the screen.*

Pew Bible, page 478

The Second Scripture Reading John 18: 33-37

Pew Bible, page 881

The Sermon

Here is Your King

The Invitation for Giving

The Offertory Anthem *Now Thank We All Our God* arr. Howard Helvey
After the choral introduction, please join in singing verses 1 and 3 (below).

**Now thank we all our God, with hearts and hands and voices!
Who wondrous things hath done, in whom this world rejoices.
Who from our mother's arms hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.**

Verse 2 (CHOIR)

**All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,
the Son, and Him who reigns with them in highest heaven.
The one eternal God whom earth and heaven adore;
for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.**

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.



The flowers in the Chancel today are a gift from the CPC family, in celebration of the baptism of Luca Santiago Bardales, grandson of Pastor Dale and Marlene Chapin.

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We Go Forth to Serve

The Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Please stand to sing The Sending Hymn
Come, Thou Almighty King

Hymnal No. 139
(Italian Hymn)

The Benediction

The Choral Benediction A Choral Benediction

John Rafoth

The Organ Postlude Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals

Siegfried Karg-Elert/Diane Bish

Leading in Worship Today

Rev. Dale Chapin, Preacher

Dr. Karen E. King, Liturgist

David Strait, Reader

Kathleen Otterson, Music Director

John Rafoth, Organist

The Chancel Choir

Greeters: Kokou Amessepe, Alice Spencer, Ruth Strong

Ushers: Arlene Linn, Adam Wood, Barb Premo, Heather and Don Strong

Sound Technician: Bryan Yates

Teller: Margaret Asturias

Next Sunday, December 2 — The First Sunday of Advent

8:30 am

The Organ Pre-Service

On this first Sunday of Advent, those arriving early will hear Andrew Carter's "Toccatto for Advent" - based on "Veni Emmanuel"; a chorale prelude on the Advent hymn "Savior of the Nations, Come"; and the aria "Sheep May Safely Graze," from *Cantata No. 208* by Johann Sebastian Bach. Works of Handel and Marcel Dupré are also featured.

9:00 am

Classical Worship

Pastor Dale Chapin preaching—

Opening the Sacred Gifts of Advent: HOPE in a Hectic World

Scripture: Jeremiah 33: 14-16; Luke 21: 25-28

Oboist Laura Medisky joins the Chancel Choir for Joel Martinson's evocative anthem: "Pervasive, Never Absent One."

Prepare your minds for action; discipline yourselves, set all your hope on the grace that Jesus Christ will bring to you when he is revealed.

~1 Peter 1:13