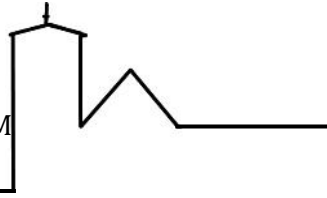


# CHRIST THE KING COMMUNION SUNDAY

**Westminster Presbyterian Church** 11/24/2024 · 10:30AM



## GATHERING IN THE PRESENCE OF THE RISEN CHRIST

### THE PREPARATION

**Kremser (We Gather Together)**  
**King's Weston (At the Name of Jesus)**

*Craig Phillips*  
*Robert Powell*

### WELCOME

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Rejoice in the light of the morning!  
Give thanks for the sun's energy, even through clouds!

**All: God has spoken to us and meets us here.**  
**We live in covenant with the Eternal One.**

One: Gather in the spirit of Jesus, whose name we bear!  
Thank God for the truth that lives despite death!

**All: We celebrate the faithful witness of Jesus Christ.**  
**We seek to share the good news that Christ is king.**

One: The Spirit encounters us here that we might learn.  
The Spirit inspires us that we might serve.

**All: God anoints us for ministry, giving us tasks to do.**  
**God's word is on our tongues that the world may believe.**

### OPENING PRAYER

### \*HYMN 148

**At the Name of Jesus**

*King's Weston*

### CALL TO CONFESSION

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION (RESPONSIVE)

Loving God, we confess that we have been more like thorn bushes than oaks of righteousness. We sometimes repel rather than attract others to the gospel. Pride and deceit fill our days more than grace and peace. We admit that our inner faith battles are often the screen we use to keep from facing our sin, admitting our guilt, and seeking reconciliation. Open our eyes, heal our open wounds, and embrace us in your love so that we might be forgiven. Amen.

*Lord, in your mercy...*

**Hear our prayers.**

### TIME FOR SILENCE AND PERSONAL CONFESSION

### KYRIE

**HYMNAL 565**

*John Weaver*



**\*PASSING OF THE PEACE**

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

**THE GIFT OF MUSIC**

O Be Joyful  
Gloria Patri and Psalm 100

*Philip Stopford*



**SEALING THE WORD**

**COMMUNION** *(see insert)*

**\*HYMN 155**

**Rejoice, the Lord is King**

*Darwall's 148th*

**\*CHARGE AND  
BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**Sinfonia from Cantata 29, BWV 29**  
"We Give You Thanks, O Lord"

*J.S. Bach*



Leading in worship today:

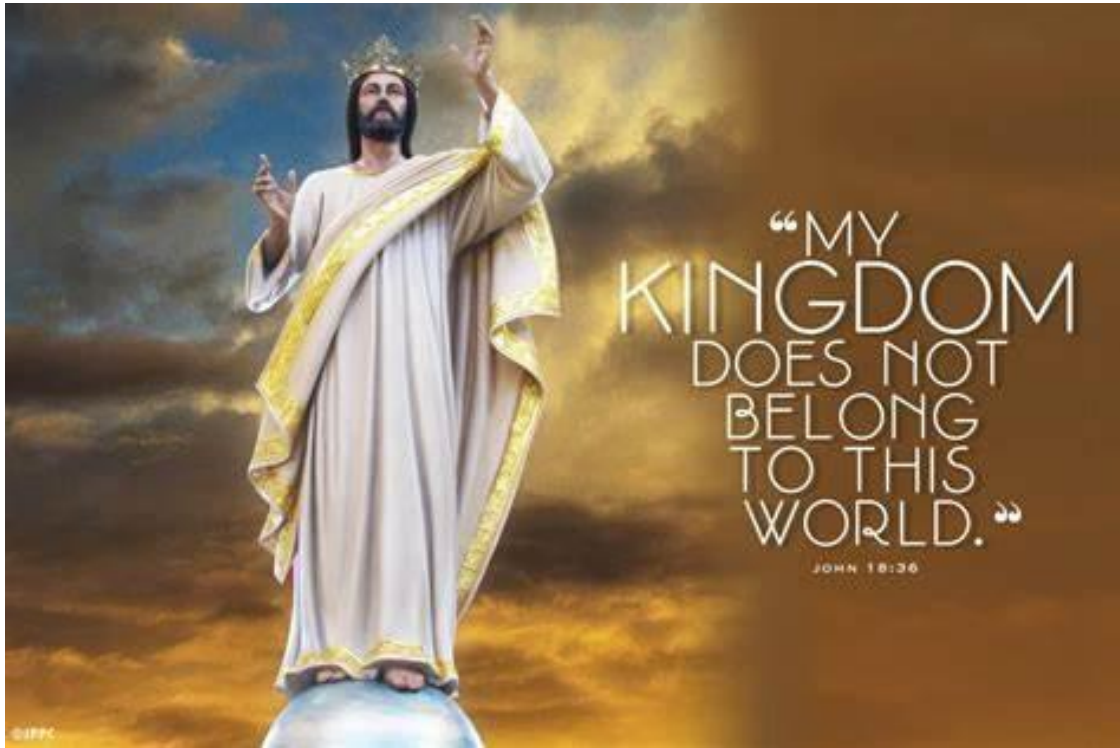
**The Rev. Tim Mitchell**

**Dr. Polly Brecht**, *Organist-Choirmaster*

**Lara Reem**, *soprano* · **Joseph Strauss**, *tenor*

**Kate Kortemeier**, *alto* · **J. Douglas McQueen**, *tenor*

**Dave Kortemeier**, *bass*



Open Minds Open Hands Open Heart

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