Sunday, November 25, 2012 **Christ the King Sunday**  8:30am

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As the prelude plays, silently come into the Lord’s presence.

Open your heart and give yourself up to Christ

who is here to meet you today.

*“Be still and know that I am God.”* Psalm 46:10

PRELUDE *“Jesus, meine Freude” - J.G. Walther*

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS / RINGING OF THE BELL

(Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it to your neighbor)

CALL TO WORSHIP *Psalm 20*

Leader: May He grant you your heart’s desire, and fulfill all your plans.

 **People: May we shout for joy over your victory, and in the name of God set up our banners. May the Lord fulfill all your petitions.**

\*HYMN *“Ye Servants of God”* *No. 477*

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Faithful and loving God. You assure us of our salvation that comes through Your son Jesus Christ. We thank You for the certainty of Your love and of Your faithfulness that never leaves us in doubt. Your grace far exceeds our expectations, and Your love knows no bounds. But Lord, we would want to limit Your salvation to those whom we choose. We want to set up the parameters to salvation. Forgive us Lord, and teach us again how You have treated us with unconditional love and undeserved redemption. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.**

\*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*SHARING SIGNS OF PEACE

*[Please share Christ’s peace with one another with*

 *handshakes, hugs, kisses—however you feel led.]*

\*HYMN *“Rejoice the Lord is King”* *No. 155*

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE Terry Reiner

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING *Jonah 3 (OT p860)*

SCRIPTURE READING *Acts 9:1-9 (NT p127)*

SERMON *“From ‘Ninevah to Strasburg’”*  Rev. C. Vincent Wilson

\*HYMN *“The Lord’s My Shepherd”* *No. 170*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD’S PRAYER *(p.16 in the Hymnal)*

WE BRING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

 OFFERTORY *“I Will Rejoice”* - J. Martin Chancel Choir

 \*DOXOLOGY

 *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. Amen.*

\*APOSTLES’ CREED *(p.14 in the hymnal)*

\*HYMN *“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”* *No. 466*

\*BENEDICTION & CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

**Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, brothers all are we. Let me walk with my brother in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now. With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.**

\*POSTLUDE *“Crown Him with Many Crowns”*

***“Come As You Are”***

11:00am

\*Praise & Worship

*Forever*

 *10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)*

 *Everything*

Greeting & Announcements

Prayer & Peace

Children’s Message

Scripture Reading:

 *Jonah 3*

 *Acts 9:1-9*

Sermon *“From ‘Ninevah to Strasburg”*

Offertory

\*Closing Song

 *Mighty to Save*

\*Benediction

Sermon Notes: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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