Offering *Doxology

*Unison Prayer of Dedication

Lord God, heavenly King, we offer these our gifts as a sign of love, devotion, and praise. Through these, as through our praises, we acknowledge that you are our Lord. In your name we pray. Amen.

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

*Passing the Peace

*Closing Song #555

"Now Thank We All Our God"

*Benediction

Postlude "Rejoice, the Lord is King!" arr. by Lyle Leatherman

Thank you to these members who are helping with worship today-AV: Bill & Samantha Martz
Liturgist: Clay Girouard
Greeter & Fellowship:
Karen Tripp & Donna Schake







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Order of Worship November 20, 2022, 10am Reign of Christ Sunday *Please stand if you are able.

Prelude

"Jesus Shall Reign", arr. by Cindy Berry

Welcome & Announcements

*Call To Worship

We give you thanks, O God, for revealing your love in creation:

we bless your holy name.

For human beings made in your image and called to live in your communion,

we bless your holy name.

For the promise of your reign in justice and peace, in holiness and charity,

we bless your holy name.

For the revelation of your kingdom in our midst through your Son, Jesus Christ,

we bless your holy name.

For his humble birth and his holy life, for his words and his miracles,

we bless your holy name.

For his sufferings and his death,

for his resurrection and his entry into glory,

we bless your holy name.

For your church, called to be a place of communion for every human being,

we bless your holy name.

For the coming of your kingdom within us by the gift of the Holy Spirit,

we bless your holy name.

By the coming of your kingdom at the end of time, when you will be all in all,

we bless your holy name.

*Opening Hymn #488

"The God of Abraham Praise"

Responsive Reading of Psalm 8

LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name throughout the earth!

You made your glory higher than heaven! From the mouths of nursing babies you have laid a strong foundation because of your foes, in order to stop vengeful enemies.

Responsive Reading of Psalm 8 (cont.)

When I look up at your skies, at what your fingers made—the moon and the stars that you set firmly in place—what are human beings that you think about them; what are human beings that you pay attention to them?

You've made them only slightly less than divine, crowning them with glory and grandeur. You've let them rule over your handiwork, putting everything under their feet—all sheep and all cattle, the wild animals too, the birds in the sky, the fish of the ocean, everything that travels the pathways of the sea.

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Moment for All Ages

Special Music

"Worthy is the Lamb", arr. by Lloyd Larson Soloist Steve Song

Prayer for Illumination

Lord God, may your Word be a lamp to our feet and a light to our path through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Scripture Readings

Colossians 3:1-4

The New Life in Christ

3 So if you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. 2 Set your minds on the things that are above, not on the things that are on earth, 3 for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. 4 When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him in glory.

Galatians 2:19-20

19 For through the law I died to the law, so that I might live to God. I have been crucified with Christ, 20 and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.

Sermon

"Shame vs. Grace: Grace 3.3"

Hymn of Response #323

"Loving Spirit"

Sermon Series Fall 2022 "Shame and Grace"

√ October 9— "Shame vs. Grace: Shame 2.1" Theme: 'The Doubt of Original Goodness'

Keywords: Blame, Shame Scripture: Genesis 3:1-13

 $\sqrt{\text{October 16}}$ - "Shame vs. Grace: Shame 2.2"

Theme: 'The Doubt of Self-Worth'
Keywords: Good Enough, unworthy

Scripture: Luke 15:11-32

 $\sqrt{\text{October 23}}$ - "Shame vs. Grace: Shame 2.3"

Theme: 'Keeping up Appearances'
Keywords: Fat, Ugly, Funny looking
Scripture: 1 Samuel 16:1-13, Luke 18:9-14

√ October 30— "Shame vs. Grace: Wholeheartedness"

Theme: 'Perfectionism and our Inner Critic', 'Gifts of Imperfection'

Keywords: I am not Enough, not doing enough, 'If I Just...',

exhausted. (Wholeheartedness), Grace, Courage, Compassion, Connection

Scripture: Romans 7:17ff; Romans 12

 $\sqrt{\text{November 6}}$ - "Shame vs. Grace: Grace 3.1"

Theme: 'Restoration of Original Goodness'

Keywords: Grace

Scripture: Genesis 1, Isaiah 2:1-5

√ November 13—"Shame vs. Grace: Grace 3.2"

Theme: 'Jesus Brings A 'No Shame Zone'

Keywords: Grace **Scripture:** John 4:1-29

November 20— "Shame vs. Grace: Grace 3.3"

Theme: 'Life Hidden with Christ in God'

Keywords: Grace

Scripture: Colossians 3:1-4, Galatians 2:19-20



Upcoming Church & Community events to add to your calendars: *details on each event in your eNews*

Church Calendar

11/20	Choir Practice (after worship)
11/21, 7pm	Deacons Meeting (ZOOM)
11/23-11/24	Office Closed for Thanksgiving
11/23	Youth Group – Serve Thanksgiving Dinner (Community Lutheran Ministries)
11/24 9:15 am	Thanksgiving Day Turkey Trot (to benefit Serenity House & VFFC)
11/26, 5-6:30pm	Community Dinner (Local pizza)
11/27, 11:15 am	Advent Book Study (after worship)

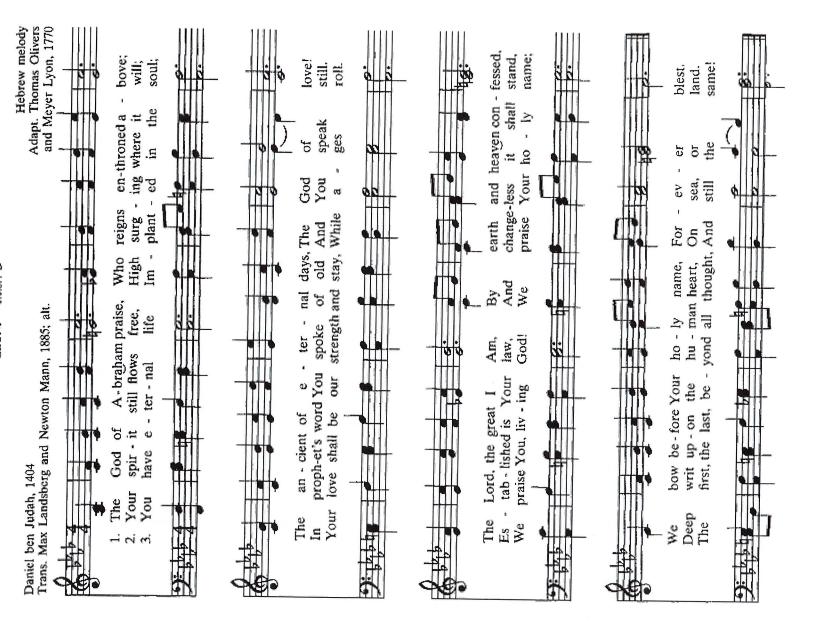
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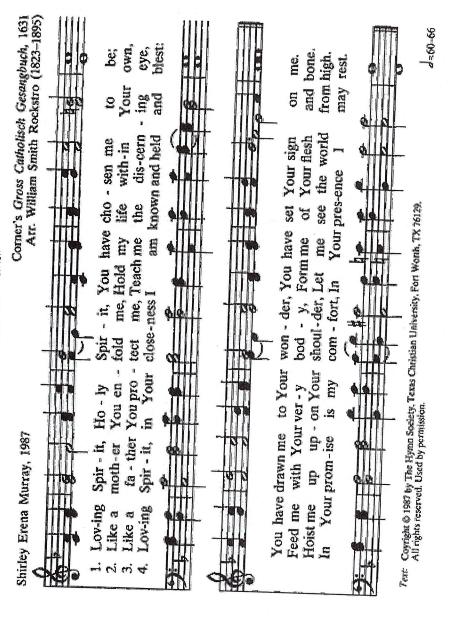
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