



THE TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY  
AFTER PENTECOST  
CHRIST THE KING  
SUNDAY

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

*November 24, 2024*

**THANK YOU** for joining us in God's house today! We cordially ask that our Guests sign one of the guestbooks located at either the front or back entryways, or fill out a "Let's Get Acquainted" card located in the hymnal pew rack and place it in the collection plate.

**THANK OFFERING:** Members of Trinity give their offering as an expression of love and thankfulness to the Lord and to help support the Lord's work in our community and around the world. Visitors need not feel obligated to participate in this offering which supports our ministry.

**RESTROOMS** are located at the back of the upper level (the annex), and in the basement (down the back stairs of the sanctuary or annex). Handicap access is available, please ask an usher for assistance.

**YOUNG FAMILIES / TODDLER BAGS** – We are **GLAD YOU BROUGHT YOUR CHILDREN** to our worship service. Jesus said: *"Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these."* We know that having little children in church can be a challenge, but **DO NOT WORRY** about it. Many of your fellow worshippers have been in your shoes and are just happy you brought your children with you. For your convenience, we have reserved the back rows of seating for parents with small children. These areas provide more flexibility for your family, as well as, easy access to move downstairs if necessary. A closed-circuit TV system allows families to continue participating in the service while downstairs. Pre-school **toddler bags** and **children's bulletins** are available for their enjoyment. Ask an usher for one to use during the service and please return the toddler bag afterwards.

# 511 Crown Him with Many Crowns

CW 511



1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;  
2 Crown him the Lord of love— be - hold his hands and side,  
3 Crown him the Lord of life, who tri - umphed o'er the grave  
4 Crown him the Lord of heav'n, en - throned in worlds a - bove;



hark how the heav'n-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own.  
rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied.  
and rose vic - to - rious in the strife for those he came to save.  
crown him the King to whom is giv'n the won - drous name of Love.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,  
No an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,  
His glo - ries now we sing who died and rose on high,  
Crown him with man - y crowns as thrones be - fore him fall;



and hail him as thy match-less King thro' all e - ter - ni - ty.  
but down-ward bends his won-d'ring eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.  
who died e - ter - nal life to bring and lives that death may die.  
crown him, ye kings, with man - y crowns for he is King of all.

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*Please stand if you are able*

## Invocation

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

## Confession

If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

**If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just  
and will forgive us our sins  
and purify us from all unrighteousness.**

Let us confess our sins to the Lord.

**Holy God, gracious Father,**

**I am sinful by nature**

**and have sinned against you in my thoughts, words, and actions.**

**I have not loved you with my whole heart;**

**I have not loved others as I should.**

**I deserve your punishment both now and forever.**

**But Jesus, my Savior, paid for my sins**

**with his innocent suffering and death.**

**Trusting in him, I pray: God, have mercy on me, a sinner.**

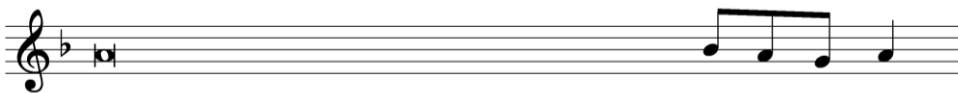
Our gracious Father in heaven has been merciful to us. He sent his only Son, Jesus Christ, who gave his life as the atoning sacrifice for the sins of the whole world. Therefore, as a called servant of Christ and by his authority, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Amen.**

## Lord, Have Mercy



In peace let us pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**



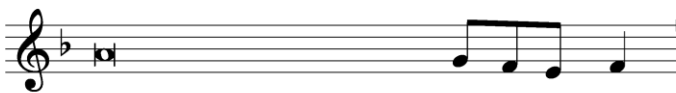
For the peace from above and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.



**Lord, have mer - cy.**



For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God,



and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.



**Lord, have mer - cy.**



For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us



pray to the Lord. **Lord, have mer - cy.**

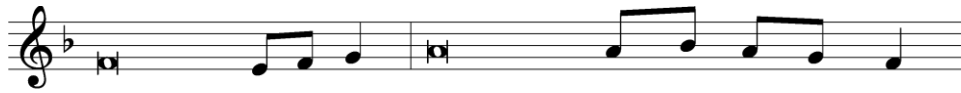


Help, save, comfort, and defend us, gra - cious Lord.



**A - men.**

## Glory Be to God on High



Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, good will toward men.



We praise you, we bless you, we wor - ship you, we glorify you,



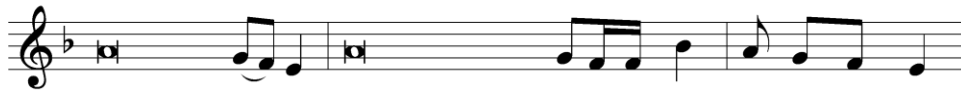
we give thanks to you, for your great glory, O Lord God, heav'n-ly King,



God the Fa-ther Al - mighty. O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Je-sus Christ;



O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sin of the world;



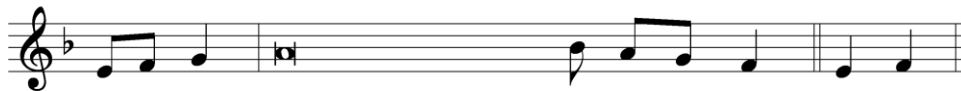
have mercy on us. You take away the sin of the world; re-ceive our prayer.



You sit at the right hand of God the Father; have mercy on us.



For you on-ly are holy; you on-ly are the Lord. You only, O Christ, with the



Ho - ly Spirit, are most high in the glory of God the Father. A - men.

The Lord be with you.  
**And also with you.**

## **Prayer of the Day**

Let us pray.

Almighty God and Savior, you have set the final day and hour when we shall be delivered from this world of sin and death. Keep us ever watchful for the coming of your Son that we may sit with him and all your holy ones at the marriage feast in heaven; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

*Please be seated*

## **First Reading**

*Isaiah 51:4–6*

<sup>4</sup>Pay attention to me, O my people.  
My nation, listen to me!  
For the law will go out from me,  
and I will establish my justice as a light to the peoples.  
<sup>5</sup>My righteousness is near.  
My salvation goes forth,  
and my arms will bring justice to the peoples.  
The seacoasts will wait for me.  
They will have confidence in my arm.  
<sup>6</sup>Lift up your eyes to the heavens.  
Look closely at the earth beneath,  
because the heavens will vanish like smoke,  
and the earth will wear out like a garment,  
and its inhabitants will die like gnats.  
But my salvation will remain forever,  
and my righteousness will never be abolished.

The Word of the Lord.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## **“Let All the People Praise Thee”**

**Choir**

Let all the people praise thee!  
Let all of the people praise thy name, O God, forevermore!  
Let all the nations bless thee!  
Let all of the nations bless thee now, O God, and bow before!  
Let ev'ry creature thee adore, and spread thy truth from shore to shore!  
Let all the people praise thee!  
Let all of the people praise they name, O God, forevermore!

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come,  
Our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home.

Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame,  
From everlasting thou art God, to endless years the same.

Let all the people praise thee!  
Let all of the people praise thy name, O God, forevermore!  
Let all the nations bless thee!  
Let all the nations bless thee now, O God, and bow before!  
Let ev'ry creature thee adore, and spread thy truth from shore to shore.  
Let all the people praise thee!  
Let all of the people praise thy name, O God, forevermore!  
And praise thy name, forevermore!



## Second Reading

Jude 20–25

<sup>20</sup>But you, dear friends, continue to build yourselves up in your most holy faith as you keep praying in the Holy Spirit. <sup>21</sup>Keep yourselves in God's love as you continue to wait for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ, which results in eternal life. <sup>22</sup>Show mercy to those who are wavering. <sup>23</sup>Save others by snatching them out of the fire. Show mercy to still others with fear, hating even the clothing that is stained by the flesh.

<sup>24</sup>Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you faultless in the presence of his glory with great joy, <sup>25</sup>to the only God, our Savior, be glory, majesty, power, and authority through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all time, now, and to all eternity. Amen.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Please stand, if you are able*

## Gospel Acclamation

Matthew 24:42



*Refrain*



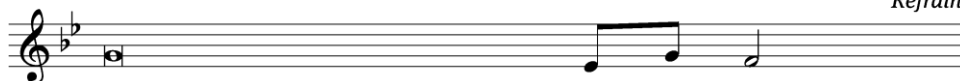
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

*Tone*



Therefore keep watch,

*Refrain*



because you do not know on what day your Lord will come.

## Gospel

Mark 13:26–37

<sup>26</sup>Then you will see the Son of Man coming on clouds with great power and glory. <sup>27</sup>At that time he will send out his angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the farthest end of the earth to the farthest end of the sky.

<sup>28</sup>“Learn from this illustration of the fig tree: Whenever its branch becomes tender and sprouts leaves, you know that summer is near. <sup>29</sup>So also when you see these things happening, you will know that he is near—at the doors! <sup>30</sup>Amen I tell you: This generation will certainly not pass away until all these things happen. <sup>31</sup>Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away.

<sup>32</sup>“No one knows about that day or hour, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father. <sup>33</sup>Watch! Be alert and pray, because you do not know when the time will come. <sup>34</sup>It is like a man going away on a journey. When he left his home, he put his servants in charge and assigned what each one was to do. He also commanded the doorkeeper to keep watch. <sup>35</sup>Therefore keep watch, because you do not know when the owner of the house is coming: whether in the evening, or at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or early in the morning. <sup>36</sup>If he comes suddenly, do not let him find you sleeping. <sup>37</sup>What I say to you, I say to everyone: Keep watch!”

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise be to you, O Christ!**

*Please be seated*

## 488 The Day Is Surely Drawing Near

CW 488



- 1 The day is sure - ly draw - ing near when Je - sus, God's a -
- 2 A trum - pet loud shall then re - sound and all the earth be
- 3 A book is o - pened then to all, a rec - ord tru - ly
- 4 Then woe to those who scorned the Lord and sought but car - nal



noint - ed, shall with great maj - es - ty ap - pear as judge of  
shak - en. Then all who in their graves are found shall from their  
tell - ing what each has done, both great and small, when they on  
plea - sures, who here de - spised his pre - cious Word and loved their



all ap - point - ed. All mirth and laugh - ter then shall cease when  
sleep a - wak - en and with the liv - ing in that hour, by  
earth were dwell - ing, and ev - 'ry heart be clear - ly seen, and  
earth - ly trea - sures! With shame and trem - bling they will stand and



flames on flames will still in - crease, as Scrip - ture tru - ly teach - es.  
God's al - might - y, bound - less pow'r, be changed at his com - mand - ing.  
all be known as they have been in thoughts and words and ac - tions.  
at the judg - e's stern com - mand to Sa - tan be de - liv - ered.

- 5 My Savior paid the debt I owe  
and for my sin was smitten;  
within the Book of Life I know  
my name has now been written.  
I will not doubt, for I am free,  
and Satan cannot threaten me;  
there is no condemnation!
- 6 O Jesus Christ, do not delay,  
but hasten our salvation;  
we often tremble on our way  
in fear and tribulation.  
Your saints are waiting patiently;  
come soon, Redeemer, make us free  
from ev'ry evil. Amen.

## Sermon

Mark 6:37

**“What I say to you, I say to everyone: Keep watch!”**

*Please stand, if you are able*

### THE APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.**

**He descended into hell.**

**The third day he rose again from the dead.**

**He ascended into heaven**

**and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.**

**From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

### Prayer of the Church

## 512 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

CW 512



- 1 All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros-trate fall;
- 2 Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of our God who from his al - tar call;
- 3 Ye seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race, ye ran-somed from the fall,
- 4 Ye Gen - tile sin - ners, ne'er for - get the worm-wood and the gall;



bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him Lord of all.  
ex - tol the stem of Jes - se's rod and crown him Lord of all.  
hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all.  
go spread your tro-phies at his feet and crown him Lord of all.



Bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him Lord of all.  
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Hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all.  
Go spread your tro-phies at his feet and crown him Lord of all.

- 5 Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe  
on this terrestrial ball  
to him all majesty ascribe  
and crown him Lord of all.  
To him all majesty ascribe  
and crown him Lord of all.
- 6 Oh, that with yonder sacred throng  
we at his feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song  
and crown him Lord of all.  
We'll join the everlasting song  
and crown him Lord of all.

*Please stand if you are able*

## **Prayer**

Blessed Lord, you have given us your Holy Scriptures for our learning. May we so hear them, read, learn, and take them to heart that, being strengthened and comforted by your holy Word, we may cling to the blessed hope of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

## **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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

## **Blessing**

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

**Amen.**

*Please be seated*

# 889 Jerusalem the Golden

CW 889



1 Je - ru - sa - lem the gold - en, with milk and hon - ey blest -  
 2 O sweet and bless - ed coun - try, the home of God's e - lect!  
 3 The Christ is ev - er with them, the day-light is se - rene;



the sight of it re - fresh - es the wea - ry and op - pressed.  
 O sweet and bless - ed coun - try that ea - ger hearts ex - pect,  
 the pas - tures of the bless - ed are ev - er rich and green.



I know not, oh, I know not what joys a - wait us there,  
 where they who with their lead - er have con - quered in the fight  
 There is the throne of Da - vid, and there, from care re - leased,



what ra - dian - cy of glo - ry, what bliss be - yond com - pare:  
 for - ev - er and for - ev - er are clad in robes of white:  
 the shout of them that tri - umph, the song of them that feast.



to sing the hymn un - end - ing with all the mar - tyr throng,  
 in mer - cy, Je - sus, bring us to that dear land of rest  
 To God en - throned in glo - ry the Church's voic - es blend,



a - midst the halls of Zi - on re - sound - ing full with song.  
 where sings the host of heav - en your glo - rious name to bless.  
 the Lamb for - ev - er bless - ed, the Light that knows no end.

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**Choir Director**.....Sarah Hanke  
**Accompanist**..... Laura Sala  
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..... (11:00 a.m.) Robert Niethammer and Ron Roehm  
**Ushers**..... (8:30 a.m.) Tim Phelps and Brian Graham  
..... (11:00 a.m.) Ron Zahn  
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