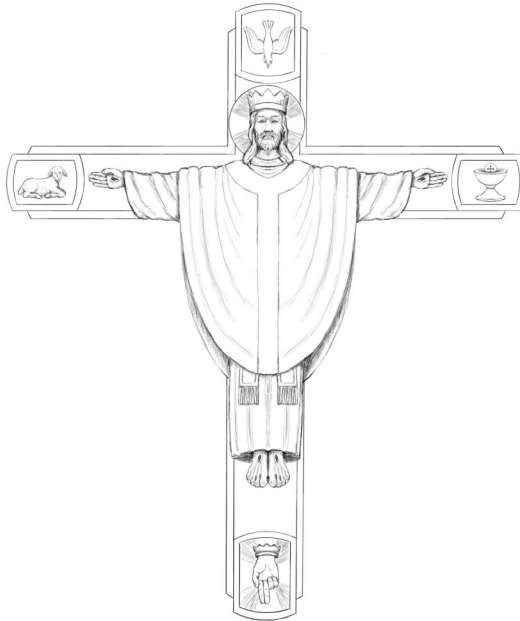




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Christ the King Sunday
November 26, 2023
8:00 AM

The Rt. Rev. Santosh Marray, Bishop of Easton
The Rev. Frank Crumbaugh, Interim Rector
Dr. Gary Van Essen, Minister of Music
Jane Ford, Family Ministry Coordinator
Brenda Faulkner, Parish Administrator

Save these Dates:

Family Dinner

Sunday, December 3, 2023

5:30 p.m.

SERVICE FOR THE LONGEST NIGHT

Sunday, December 17, 2023

5:00 p.m.

A Candle-lit Service for those experiencing grief and loss

CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

December 24, 2023

4:00 p.m.

Family Christmas Eve Service

9:00 p.m.

Christmas Eve Holy Eucharist & Hymns

CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE

December 25, 2023

10:00 a.m.

Christmas Day Holy Eucharist

The Holy Eucharist: Rite One

The Word of God

Prelude	“Prelude on ‘Diademata’”	-Isele
Welcome		The Rev. Frank Crumbaugh
+Processional Hymn	Crown him with many crowns	Hymnal #494
	sts. 1-3	
+Opening Sentences		BCP pg 323
*The Summary of the Law		BCP pg 324
*The Collect of the Day		Insert
The First Lesson and Psalm		Insert
The Epistle		Insert
+The Gospel		Insert
The Homily	The Rev. Frank Crumbaugh	
+The Nicene Creed		BCP pg 326
*The Prayers of the People		BCP pg 328
*Confession		BCP pg 331
*Absolution		BCP pg 332
+The Peace		

The Holy Communion

The Offertory		
+The Great Thanksgiving	Eucharistic Prayer I	BCP pg 333
*The Lord’s Prayer		BCP pg 336
*Breaking of the Bread		BCP pg 337
Communion		
*Post-Communion Prayer		BCP pg 339
*Blessing		
Announcements		
+Recessional Hymn	Alleluia! sing to Jesus	Hymnal #460
	sts. 1, 3, 4	
+Dismissal		
+Postlude	“A Mighty Fortress”	-arr. Young

Please pray for: Susan Fralic, Anneliese Jones, Sharon McCain, Goldey Vansant, Buddy Wolff, Kathy Blodgett, Nathan Family, Mike Burnside, Kit Buckingham, Jeff Rogue, Colleen Cassidy, Richard A. Smith (RIP), Janis Mlynarski, Brian Hurd (RIP)- Judy Hurd & Family, Lisa Landholt, Josh & Taylor, Bob Lipsner, Roger Ballard, Beverly Cooper, Josh Melton, Jr., Marc Cessna, Tammy Wielgosz, Susan Schleider, Sylvia Duvall, Bruce Stewart (RIP)-Stewart Family, Barbara Kayda, Sherry Sharp, Penny Farmer, Michael Blachly, Drew Blachly, Sophia Amador, Adam H., Larry Wilkins Ted Wooten, Charlie Thomas, Evelyn Wilson, Ed Dobbs, Lee Dugger (RIP), Pat Sherbert, Caden Link, Dorothy Olm, Ruthanne Herold, Samuel Bensen (RIP), Sheila Savage, Don Snyder, Kathy Blodgett, Marion O Family, Douglas Oliver, Richard Thomas, Anna Sisson

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Serving 8am

Eucharistic Ministers: Liza Hamill

Lectors: Maria Jones, Jeff Pike

Ushers: Cathy Smith, Lois Vanderbok

Altar Guild: Dee Dee & Kevin McCracken, Eileen Shreve, Carole Tulip

Counters: Dottie Wilson, Bob Thompson

The Collect of the Day—Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

A Reading from the Book of Ezekiel

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God**

The Psalm

Psalm 100

Read responsively by verse.

1 Be joyful in the LORD, all you lands; *
serve the LORD with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.

2 **Know this: The LORD himself is God; ***
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.

3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise; *
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.

4 **For the LORD is good;**
his mercy is everlasting; *
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Reader The Word of the Lord

People **Thanks be to God**

+The Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:31-46

Please stand and face the Celebrant

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew

People **Glory to you Lord Christ**

Jesus said, "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord

People **Praise be to thee, O Christ**