

Kirkpatrick Church – Christ the King Sunday  
Sunday, November 22, 2020 9:30am

Preservice Music  
Greeting & Announcements

Preparation for Worship: Psalm 100  
Prelude Love Has Come!

arr. by Tom Fettke

Prayer of Confession (unison):

All-knowing God, you are aware of our comfort-seeking weakness. We ignore strangers in need as if they were no concern of ours. We resist programs that might threaten our privileges. We do only enough good to keep us from feeling guilty. We give grudgingly of our time and resources, instead of overflowing with thanksgiving and joyous sharing. We treat the church as our possession rather than letting Christ rule as the head of this body. O God, we pray we have not wandered beyond your reach. Hear our confession in Jesus' name, Amen.

Silent Personal Confession  
Assurance of Pardon

Gathering Song: I Wonder As I Wander

by John Jacob Niles

Passing of the Peace

Hymn of Praise: # 249 O Come, All Ye Faithful

Prayer of the Day

First Scripture Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

Hymn: # 288 We Three Kings (verses 1, 2, 5))

Second Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1:15-23

Meditation

Song: Holy Lamb Of God

by Yusuf Khill

Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

Hymn: # 367 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today (verses 1 & 3)

Prayers of the People  
The Lord's Prayer

Song: Open The Eyes Of My Heart

by Paul Baloche)

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Invitation

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Sharing

Prayer After Communion

Sending Hymn: #370 Rejoice, the Lord is King

Charge & Benediction

Post Service Music

## Announcements

Weekly Prayer Meeting – There will be no prayer meeting this week due to Thanksgiving.

Adopt-A-Family - We are renewing our commitment to the same family through 2020-2021. If you would like to pledge your support of \$2/week or \$250 for a month for the new year, please let us know any way you feel comfortable: email Pastor Mike or the Admin, include a pledge note with your offering sent to the church. Thank you.

Church Finances – Thank you to everyone who has sent in their offering!! During this time of uncertainty in our world, the church continues to operate. Please mail or drop off your offerings to the church and stay current.

Reopening Plan – Please refer to the church website for updates from our reopening team - [www.kirkpatrickchurch.org/covid-19-resources](http://www.kirkpatrickchurch.org/covid-19-resources). Any questions, please contact Janis Little or Pastor Mike.

Governor's Executive Order for Workplaces – Due to a recent executive order from Governor Murphy, Effective 11/5, we will be required to have all staff and volunteers to self-certify that they have been symptom free each time they enter the church building. The forms to self-certify are in the connector. Temperature checks will then be done upon arrival to the church by Pastor Mike, and masks will continue to be required while in the building. We have ample supply of hand sanitizer here at the church and extra masks for anyone who does not have one. These new procedures will be in place for anyone who enters the church for an extended period of time (i.e. leading worship on Sunday, coming in to meet with me, offering counters etc). If you are just dropping something off, such as offering envelopes or food for the pantry, these checks will not be done.

Lambertville Food Pantry. We are still collecting food items and will make additional bags for the pantry as we are able. You may leave donations in the plastic bin outside the Connector door. Thanks for your commitment to this important ministry!

Thanksgiving Food Baskets – Thank you to everyone who donated food items for the Thanksgiving food baskets! Baskets will be delivered tomorrow, November 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please continue to collect food items for Christmas.

Advent Candlelighters Needed – Would you be willing to help light the Advent Candles during Zoom worship in Advent and on Christmas Eve? Volunteers are needed to read Scripture and a short passage and then light a candle at home. If you are interested, please let Pastor Mike know.

Giving Tree for Friendship Center – We are still collecting for families at Friendship Center for New Beginnings. If you can participate, please have online gifts (Remember to use Amazon Smile for the church!) delivered to the manse: 39 John Ringo Road, Ringoes, NJ 08551 or drop them off at the church. Some of the gift items requested are: cars/trucks, dolls, infant sleep & play onesie, Crib: quilts, pads & sheets, and mattress pads, Girls & Boys clothes – 12 mos to 2T, Boys & Girls boots –children size 10 to adult size 10. Deadline = December 13.