Holy Eucharist

The Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost Proper 29 C: The Reign of Christ

Prelude

Processional Hymn

O love, how deep, how broad, how high

1 O deep, how love. how broad, how high, how pass - ing 4 For wick - ed hands be - trayed, scourged, mocked. in us to 5 For death for us he rose from а gain; us he 6 All God glo ry to our Lord and for love so 1 thought and that God, the Son of fan ta sy, robe bore the shame ful 4 pur ple ar rayed, he went high reign; for us he sent his 5on to 6 deep, so high, so broad; the Trin i ty whom Ð $\overline{\sigma}$ 1 God. should take our mor tal form for mor - tals' sake. 4 cross and death: for his breath. us gave up dy - ing Spi rit here to cheer. 5_ guide, to strength en, and to 6 we а dore for ev and for ev er more. er

Presider Blessed be God: + Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.*People* And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

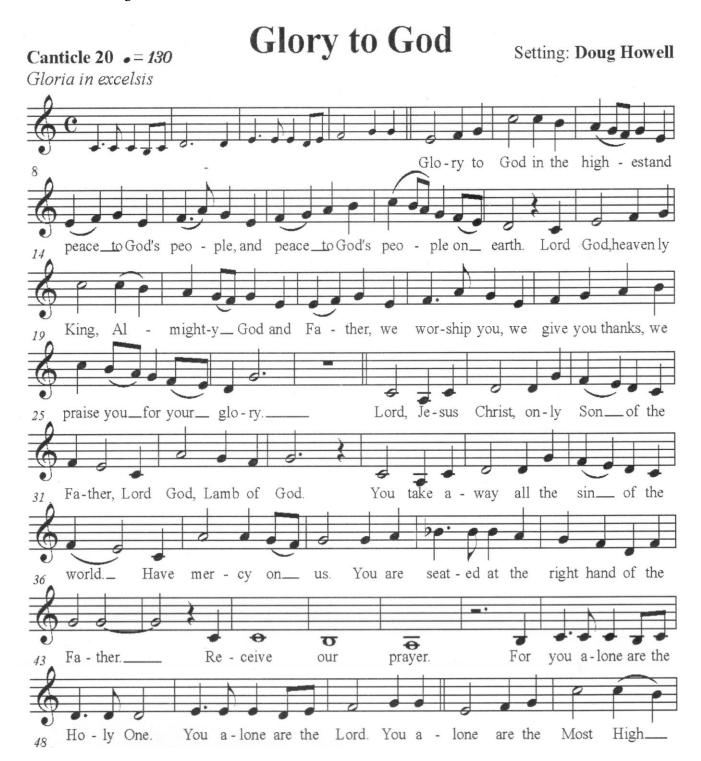
The Presider begins the Collect for Purity

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

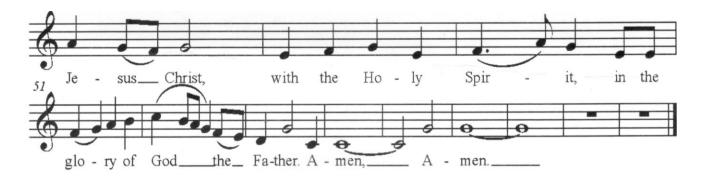
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Collect of the Day

Presider	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Let us pray.

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**.

All sit.

First Reading

Jeremiah 23:1-6

A Reading from the book of the prophet Jeremiah.

¹Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD. ²Therefore thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. ³Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. ⁴I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

⁵The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. ⁶In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The LORD is our righteousness."

ReaderHear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.PeopleThanks be to God.

Remain seated.

Psalm 46

¹God is our refuge and strength, * a very present help in trouble. ²Therefore we will not fear, though the earth be moved, * and though the mountains be toppled into the depths of the sea: ³Though its waters rage and foam, * and though the mountains tremble at its tumult. 4The LORD of hosts is with us; * the God of Jacob is our stronghold. ⁵There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, * the holy habitation of the Most High. ⁶God is in the midst of her: she shall not be overthrown: * God shall help her at the break of day. ⁷The nations make much ado, and the kingdoms are shaken; * God has spoken, and the earth shall melt away. ⁸The LORD of hosts is with us: * the God of Jacob is our stronghold. ⁹Come now and look upon the works of the LORD, * what awesome things he has done on earth. ¹⁰It is he who makes war to cease in all the world; * he breaks the bow, and shatters the spear, and burns the shields with fire. ¹¹"Be still, then, and know that I am God; * I will be exalted among the nations; I will be exalted in the earth." ¹²The LORD of hosts is with us: * the God of Jacob is our stronghold.

Second Reading

Colossians 1:11-20

A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Colossus.

¹¹May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully ¹²giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. ¹³He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, ¹⁴in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

¹⁵He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; ¹⁶for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers—all things have been created through him and for him. ¹⁷He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. ¹⁸He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. ¹⁹For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, ²⁰and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Churches.*People* Thanks be to God.

All stand as they are able.

Sequence Hymn

Chorus Book 23

We will glorify the King of Kings



All remain standing as they are able.

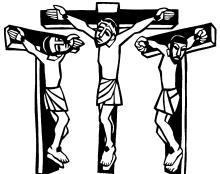
Holy Gospel

Luke 23:33-43

GospellerThe Holy Gospel of our Savior Jesus Christ according to Luke.PeopleGlory to you, Lord Christ.

³³When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. ³⁴[Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing."] And they cast lots to divide his clothing. ³⁵And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" ³⁶The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, ³⁷and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" ³⁸There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews."

³⁹One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" ⁴⁰But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? ⁴¹And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." ⁴²Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." ⁴³He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."



GospellerThe Gospel of the Lord.PeoplePraise to you, Lord Christ.

Sermon

All stand as they are able.

Nicene Creed

Presider Let us affirm the faith of the Church using the words of the Nicene Creed.

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father,

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father [and the Son], who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead. and the life of the world to come. Amen.

All remain standing as they are able.

Prayers of the People

Presider Sisters and brothers, God has raised up for us a righteous ruler: Jesus our Christ. Let us lift our prayers to him, saying, "We praise you, Christ the King; you have come to your people and set us free!"

Intercessor King Jesus, remember your body, the Church. You have rescued us from the power of darkness and have transferred us into your kingdom. Make strong our Bishops Bonnie, Michael, Justin, Elizabeth, Donald and Craig. Bless all ministers, priests, deacons, ministry teams, those in formation; and our brothers and sisters worshipping at All Saints, Detroit, and St John's, Clinton; those in The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean; and for all the members of Christ's body. Make us strong with all the strength that comes from your glorious power. We praise you, Christ the King; **you have come to your people and set us free!**

Silence is kept.

King Jesus, remember this nation. Guide our feet into the way of peace. Raise up leaders who will govern their people wisely and justly. Remember this region in which we live and work and worship. Drive far from us all fear and dismay. Rescue the missing; find the lost. May all of your children live in safety. We praise you, Christ the King; you have come to your people and set us free!

Silence is kept.

King Jesus, all things in heaven and on earth are created through you and for you. May we who care for your creation do so with all due respect. We thank you and praise you for these gifts [especially for

Thanksqivings welcomed, aloud or in silence.

King Jesus, you know intimately the experience of pain and suffering in your own body. May all those suffering know that you are with them in their pain. May they experience the healing touch of the King of Kings. We pray for [______, and] all who are sick, distressed, or depressed.

Intercessions welcomed, aloud or in silence.

King Jesus, accept those who have died into your everlasting realm. Give to _____, and] all the departed peace through the blood of your cross and, in the fullness of time, raise them to newness of life.

Intercessions welcomed. aloud or in silence.

We praise you, Christ the King; you have come to your people and set us free!

Presider God of Abundance, you show your love in manna and in feeding 5,000, in the beauty and harvests of earth and sky and sea; make our hearts thankful for the blessings Keep us mindful of the needs of others, and for your love for showered on us. them. Amen.

All then kneel as they are able

Confession of Sin

The Presider says

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:8, 9

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of our Savior Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

A Priest stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, + forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen**.

All stand as they are able

Peace

Priest The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

Then the Ministers and the People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.

All sit.

Announcements

Holy Communion

Presider Offer to God a sacrifice of thanksgiving, and make good your vows to the Most High. *Psalm 50:14*

The People then are seated.

Representatives of the congregation bring the people's offerings of bread and wine, and money or other gifts, to the Presider.

The people stand as they are able when the offerings are presented and placed on the Altar.

Offertory Hymn

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, you heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

The people remain standing as they are able

Great Thanksgiving

Presider	The Lord be with you.
People	And also with you.
Presider	Lift up your hearts.
People	We lift them to the Lord.
Presider	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People	It is right to give our thanks and praise.

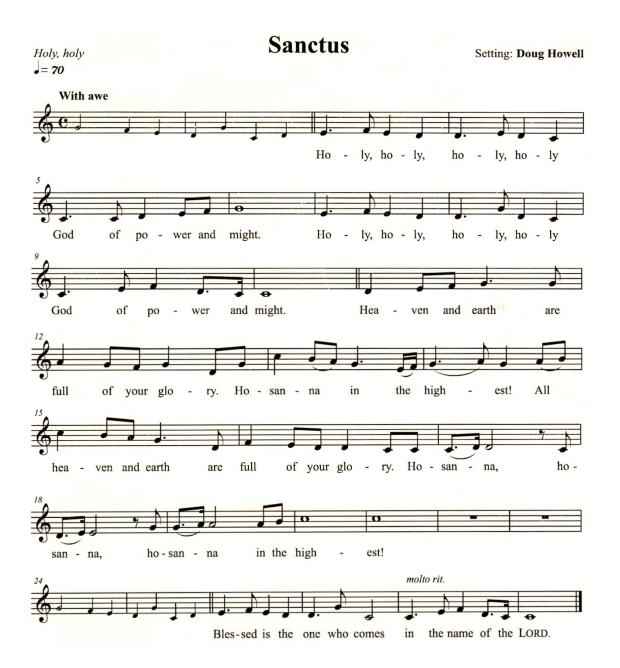
The Presider proceeds

Blessed are you, Lord God, for you have looked favorably on your people and redeemed them.

You raised up a mighty savior for us in the house of your servant David, as you spoke through the mouth of your holy prophets from of old.

You have shown the mercy promised to our ancestors, and have remembered your holy covenant, the oath that you swore to our ancestor Abraham, to grant that we, being rescued from the hands of our enemies, might serve you without fear, in holiness and righteousness before you all our days, and finally coming to dwell with you, with angels and archangels and all the company of heaven, singing the hymn of your unending praise.

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy



The Presider continues

God most high, you sent Jesus as a prophet and a promise; for he went before you to prepare your ways, to give knowledge of salvation to your people by the forgiveness of their sins.

You show us the cost and glory of your salvation in the breaking and pouring and sharing of bread and wine. Send down your Holy Spirit, + that your people may be sanctified by your grace, and these gifts of bread and wine may be for us the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ; who, at supper with his disciples, took bread, gave you thanks, broke

the bread, and gave it to them, saying, "Take, eat: this is my body which is given for you; do this in remembrance of me"

After supper he took the cup. Again he gave you thanks, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me"

Great is the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

By your tender mercy, Lord God, the dawn from on high will break upon us, to give light to those who sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Inscribe in us that tender mercy, that we may be people of tenderness and mercy.

Clothe us, and all your creation, in the kingship of Christ, that we may all know your power in your glory, ever one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.



The Presider then continues

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

People and Presider

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

A period of silence is kept.

The Presider says

God's holy gifts, for God's holy people.
The table of Christ's body and blood is now made ready. It is the table of company with Jesus.
It is the table of sharing with the poor and lowly of the world, with whom Jesus identified.
So come to this table you who have much faith or you who would like more; you who have been here often and you who have not been here in a long time. Come. It is Christ who invites you to meet him here.
Amen. As the bread and wine we now eat are transformed, may we be changed into the likeness of Christ; bone of his bone, flesh of his flesh, loving and caring for the world.

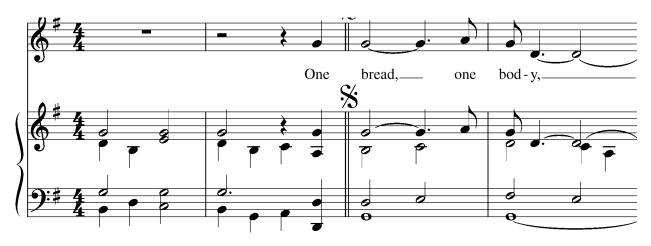
All are welcome to receive Holy Communion.

Remaining seated, the following is sung after all have received, and the table is being cleared.

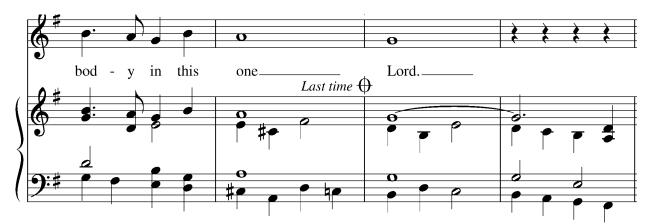
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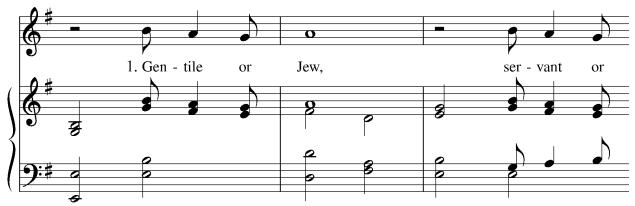
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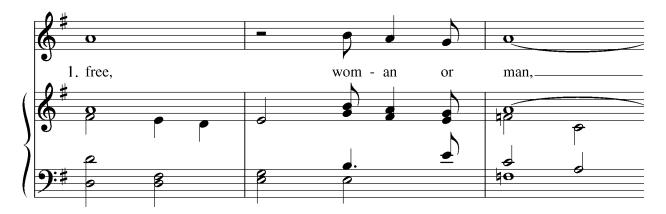
One bread, one body

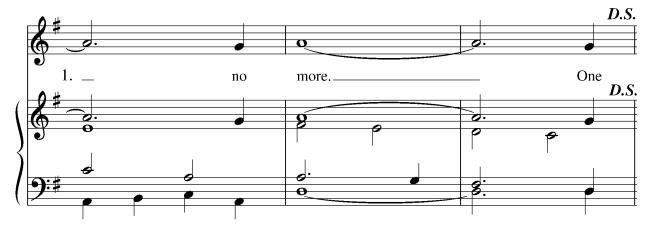














The Presider then says

Let us pray.

Loving God, we give you thanks for restoring us in your image and nourishing us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of Christ's Body and Blood. Now send us forth a people forgiven, healed, renewed; that we may proclaim your love to the world and continue in the risen life of Christ our Savior. Amen.

Blessing

A priest blesses the people, saying

God, we give you thanks for this day, and for the season of preparation soon to come.

As the world urges us to hurry, slow us down; that we may reflect on your faithfulness, your generosity, and your love.

As the world urges us to accumulate possessions, make us open-handed, and evermindful of those among us who have little of this world's goods.

As the world urges us to think of ourselves first, keep us aware of our place as your children, that we may care for those who need your healing, your comfort, and your joy.

Keep us in your peace, now and always, Amen.

And may the blessing of God Almighty, + the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be upon you and remain with you for ever. **Amen**.

Closing Hymn

All praise to thee

A All 1 praise to thee, for thou, 0 King di vine,. 2 Thou cam'st low - li thought; to us in ness of -3 Let this mind be in us which was in thee,_ 4 Where - fore, by God's e - ter - nal pur - pose, thou_ Let ery tongue con - fess 5ev with one ac cord_ 4 1 didst vield thine,. the glo - ry that right of was 2 by thee the out - cast and poor the were sought;_ <u>3</u> who wast а ser - vant that we might be free,_ high ex alt - ed o'er all crea tures 4 art now,__ earth that Je - sus 5 in heaven and Christ is Lord;_ 0 1 that dark - ened hearts thy grace might in our shine. 2 and tion wrought._____ by thy death was God's sal - va -<u>3</u> hum-bling thy self death on Cal to va ry._____ 4 and given the Name to which all knees shall bow.___ 5 and God the Fa - ther be all dored._____ by а O 0 O O le Al lu ia! Α men.

Dismissal

MinisterGo in peace to love and serve Jesus Christ our Savior.PeopleThanks be to God.

Postlude

Faith in Action provides leadership in collecting donations of food to support households in need in the Chelsea and Dexter areas. They are in need of our continuing assistance. You may bring your donations to FIA, or to <u>Nancy</u> who will see that they get there. **If you bring food directly to FIA**, please let Nancy know, so she can continue

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to keep our records of donation. If you write a check, please make it to *Faith In Action*. The *next Food In-Gathering is November 27*. Please contribute as generously as you can.

Upcoming Commemorations

- Nov. 20 Edmund, King, 870
 - 21 William Byrd, 1623, John Merbecke, 1585, and Thomas Tallis, 1585, Musicians
 - 22 Clive Staples Lewis, Apologist and Spiritual Writer, 1963; and, Cecilia, Martyr at Rome, c. 280
 - 23 Clement of Rome, Bishop, c.100
 - 24 Catherine of Alexandria, Barbara of Nicomedia, and Margaret of Antioch: Martyrs, c.305
 - 25 James Otis Sargent Huntington, Monastic and Priest, 1935
 - 26 Isaac Watts: Hymnwriter, 1748



BULLETIN INSERTS

November 20, 2022 – Christ the King The Reign of Christ

Today, many parishes within The Episcopal Church celebrate the Feast of Christ the King, or The Reign of Christ. This feast day falls on the last Sunday of the liturgical year, the Sunday before the beginning of Advent. The feast is a relative newcomer to the liturgical calendar; it was first instituted by

Pope Pius XI in 1925, when he wrote the encyclical *Quas Primas*. Here, he lays out the different understandings of kingship that Jesus Christ possesses.

Pius XI also explains how Christians ought to live as a result of Christ's kingship: "He must reign in our minds, which should assent with perfect submission and firm belief to revealed truths and to the doctrines of Christ. He must reign in our wills, which should obey the laws and precepts of God. He must reign in our hearts, which should spurn natural desires and love God above all things, and cleave to him alone. He must reign in our bodies and in our members, which should serve as instruments for the interior sanctification of our souls, or to use the words of the Apostle Paul, as instruments of justice unto God." By the 1970s, the Feast of Christ the King had been more or less institutionalized throughout many Christian denominations and was fixed as occurring the last Sunday before Advent.

The lessons for this day support the understanding of Christ as sovereign. Jeremiah writes, "The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land." The Song of Zechariah bridges the seasons beautifully as we hear the prophecy foretelling the ministry of St. John the Baptist, from whom we'll hear more very shortly. The Letter to the Colossians explains, "[The Father] has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins." It is only in the Gospel reading that we see the most difficult aspect of Jesus' kingship: "The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!' There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.'" We remember that Jesus' kingship is not distant and remote in some capital city thousands of miles away. His kingship is not detached nor aloof. No, he reigns for now in the very hearts of the faithful, freeing us and bringing us together under his most gracious rule.

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We seek to grow as diverse disciples of Jesus Christ, and to serve Jesus by serving others in the world, guided by the values of Ancient Rites, Open Minds, and Affirming Hearts.



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