

Organ Prelude	<i>Prayer of Thanksgiving</i> - Dale wood	Pat Shroff
Call to Worship	Psalm 97:1, 12 (Responsive)	Rev. Tim Valentino Shirley Long
Hymn	165: Rejoice, the Lord Is King	Congregation
Prayer of Adoration		Rev. Tim Valentino
Scripture Readings		
The Old Testament Lesson:	Exodus 3:10-15	Shelley Miller
The Response:	Psalm 46:1-11 (Responsive)	Shelley Miller / Shirley Long
The New Testament Lesson:	John 8:48-59	Shelley Miller
Church Family Announcements		Rev. Tim Valentino
Worship in Giving	2 Corinthians 9:12	Rev. Tim Valentino
Prayer Hymn	556: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	Congregation
Prayer		Rev. Tim Valentino
Worship Song	King of Kings / Jesus Thank You	Rev. Tim Valentino
Sermon	I Am and I (John 8:48-59)	Dave and Conce Roof
Response Hymn	544: Now Thank We All Our God	Congregation
Benediction		Rev. Tim Valentino
Organ Postlude	Hymn Tune "Darwall" - Healey Willan	Pat Shroff

Organist	Pat Shroff	Hospital Visitor This Week:	Faye Hipkins
Pianist	Shelley Miller	Children's Church	Sonya Valentino
Flutist	Shirley Long	Greeters	Kaye & Dave Focht
Trumpeter, Pianist	Sonya Valentino	Sound Technician	Bob Long
Trumpeter, Pianist	Marcy Garman	Video Technician	Andrew Valentino
Hymn Leader, Vocalist	Maureen Logan	Intern Youth Minister	Xavier Easy
Lector	Shelley Miller	Visitation Minister	Patricia Strain
Responder	Shirley Long	Lead Pastor	Rev. Tim Valentino

¹The LORD reigns, let the earth be glad;
let the distant shores rejoice.

¹²Rejoice in the LORD, you who are righteous,
and praise his holy name.

165 Rejoice, the Lord is King

But we see Jesus . . . crowned with glory and honor. Heb. 2:9



1. Re - joice, the Lord is King: Your Lord and King a - dore! Re -
 2. Je - sus the Sav - ior reigns, The God of truth and love; When
 3. His king - dom can - not fail, He rules o'er earth and heav'n; The
 4. Re - joice in glo - rious hope! Our Lord the Judge shall come, And

joice, give thanks, and sing, And tri - umph ev - er - more: Lift up your
 He had purged our stains He took His seat a - bove: Lift up your
 keys of death and hell Are to our Je - sus giv'n: Lift up your
 take his serv' - ants up To their e - ter - nal home. Lift up your

heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!
 heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!
 heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice!
 heart, lift up your voice! Re - joice, a - gain I say, re - joice! A - men.

WORDS: Charles Wesley, 1746
MUSIC: John Darwall, 1770

DARWALL
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The Old Testament Lesson: **Exodus 3:10-15**

¹⁰ So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh to bring my people the Israelites out of Egypt.”

¹¹ But Moses said to God, “Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?”

¹² And God said, “I will be with you. And this will be the sign to you that it is I who have sent you: When you have brought the people out of Egypt, you will worship God on this mountain.”

¹³ Moses said to God, “Suppose I go to the Israelites and say to them, ‘The God of your fathers has sent me to you,’ and they ask me, ‘What is his name?’ Then what shall I tell them?”

¹⁴ God said to Moses, “I AM WHO I AM. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: ‘I AM has sent me to you.’”

¹⁵ God also said to Moses, “Say to the Israelites, ‘The LORD, the God of your fathers—the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob—has sent me to you.’

“This is my name forever,
the name you shall call me
from generation to generation.

The Response: Psalm **46:1-11** (Responsive)

¹ God is our refuge and strength,
an ever-present help in trouble.

² **Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea,**

³ though its waters roar and foam
and the mountains quake with their surging.

⁴ **There is a river whose streams make glad the city of God, the holy place where the Most High dwells.**

⁵ God is within her, she will not fall;
God will help her at break of day.

⁶ **Nations are in uproar, kingdoms fall; he lifts his voice, the earth melts.**

⁷ The LORD Almighty is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.

⁸ **Come and see what the LORD has done, the desolations he has brought on the earth.**

⁹ He makes wars cease
to the ends of the earth.

**He breaks the bow and shatters the spear;
he burns the shields with fire.**

¹⁰ He says, “Be still, and know that I am God;
I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth.”

¹¹ **The LORD Almighty is with us;
the God of Jacob is our fortress.**

The New Testament Lesson: **John 8:48-59**

⁴⁸ The Jews answered him, “Aren’t we right in saying that you are a Samaritan and demon-possessed?”

⁴⁹ “I am not possessed by a demon,” said Jesus, “but I honor my Father and you dishonor me. ⁵⁰ I am not seeking glory for myself; but there is one who seeks it, and he is the judge.

⁵¹ Very truly I tell you, whoever obeys my word will never see death.”

⁵² At this they exclaimed, “Now we know that you are demon-possessed! Abraham died and so did the prophets, yet you say that whoever obeys your word will never taste death. ⁵³ Are you greater than our father Abraham? He died, and so did the prophets. Who do you think you are?”

⁵⁴ Jesus replied, “If I glorify myself, my glory means nothing. My Father, whom you claim as your God, is the one who glorifies me. ⁵⁵ Though you do not know him, I know him. If I said I did not, I would be a liar like you, but I do know him and obey his word. ⁵⁶ Your father Abraham rejoiced at the thought of seeing my day; he saw it and was glad.”

⁵⁷ “You are not yet fifty years old,” they said to him, “and you have seen Abraham!”

⁵⁸ “Very truly I tell you,” Jesus answered, “before Abraham was born, I am!” ⁵⁹ At this, they picked up stones to stone him, but Jesus hid himself, slipping away from the temple grounds.

556 Praise God from Whom All Blessings

Musical score for the hymn "Praise God from Whom All Blessings". The score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It consists of two systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The lyrics are: "Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here be low; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Ghost. A-men."

Worship in Giving: **2 Corinthians 9:12**

¹² This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord’s people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to God.

Jesus, Thank You

The mystery of the cross
I cannot comprehend
The agonies of Calvary
You, the perfect Holy One
Crushed Your Son
Who drank the bitter cup
Reserved for me

Your blood has washed away my sin
Jesus, thank You
The Father's wrath completely satisfied
Jesus, thank You
Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table
Jesus, thank You

By Your perfect sacrifice
I've been brought near
Your enemy You've made Your friend
Pouring out the riches
Of Your glorious grace
Your mercy and Your
Kindness know no end

Your blood has washed away my sin
Jesus, thank You
The Father's wrath completely satisfied
Jesus, thank You
Once Your enemy, now seated at Your table
Jesus, thank You

Lover of my soul, I want to live for You
Lover of my soul, I want to live for You
Lover of my soul, I want to live for You
Lover of my soul, I want to live for You

Your blood has washed away my sin
Jesus, thank You
The Father's wrath completely satisfied
Jesus, thank You
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Jesus, thank You

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King Of Kings

In the darkness
We were waiting
Without hope
Without light
Till from heaven
You came running
There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfill the law and prophets
To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory
To a cradle in the dirt

Praise the Father, Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, Three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings

To reveal the kingdom coming
And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation
You did not despise the cross
For even in your suffering
You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation
Jesus for our sake you died

Praise the Father, Praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, Three in one
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings

And the morning that You rose
All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good
For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs
And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come
To the Father are restored

And the church of Christ was born
Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this gospel truth of old
Shall not kneel
Shall not faint
By His blood and in His name
In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ
Who has resurrected me

Praise the Father, praise the Son
Praise the Spirit, Three in One
God of glory, Majesty
Praise forever to the King of Kings
Praise forever to the King of Kings

Now Thank We All Our God 544

1. Now thank we all our God With heart and hands and voices,
 2. O may this bounteous God Through all our life be near us,
 3. All praise and thanks to God The Father now be given,

Who wondrous things hath done, In whom His world rejoices;
 With ever joyful hearts And blessed peace to cheer us;
 The Son, and Him who reigns With them in highest heaven,

Who, from our mother's arms, Hath blessed us on our way
 And keep us in His grace And guide us when perplexed,
 The one eternal God Whom earth and heaven adore;

With countless gifts of love, And still is ours to-day.
 And free us from all ills In this world and the next.
 For thus it was, is now, And shall be evermore. Amen.

WORDS: Martin Rinkart, 1636; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1858
 MUSIC: Johann Crüger, 1647

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PHOEBE JOHNSON: Phoebe recently had a fall at her new place in Chicago. She did not break any bones, but recovery and rehab has been slow and challenging for her. Perhaps you would be willing to contact Phoebe or send her a card of encouragement:

Phoebe Johnson
 Montgomery Place
 5550 South Shore Drive, Apt 707
 Chicago, IL 60637

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday Bible Study:** Online via Zoom @ 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday, December 3:** Church Fellowship Breakfast @ 8:30 a.m. in Zinn Commons
- Thursday, December 8:** Women's Bible Study @ 7 p.m. in Zinn Commons
Thursday, December 8: Men of Adventure @ 7 p.m.
 This monthly men's group will be meeting at the home of Kirby Keller
- Monday, December 12:** Ministry Council Meeting @ 7 p.m. in Zinn Commons + via Zoom
- Sunday, December 18:** Ham Dinner @ 12:15 p.m. in Zinn Commons.
- Saturday, December 24:** Christmas Eve Candlelight Service @ 7:00 p.m. in Dech Chapel.
- Sunday, December 25 & January 1:** On Christmas Day and New Year's Day, we will have a 1-hour worship service each Sunday, but there will be no Sunday school classes.

REMINDERS

- The list of **Sharing Cupboard** includes items associated with Christmas, except turkeys.
- Prayer Requests:** If you any have any prayer requests for distribution, please send them to Pastor Tim at pastortim@christcomm.church or (484) 269-4313.
- Invite your friends and family to our Christmas Eve Service:
Christmas Eve invitation cards have been printed and are in narthex.
 You can also print them out from church website.
- Sharing Christmas Cards with Church family:** the Christmas card box is now in the narthex. Drop your cards there, and they will be sorted on December 19th and available for pick up.



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In **MEMORY** of (Name) _____

