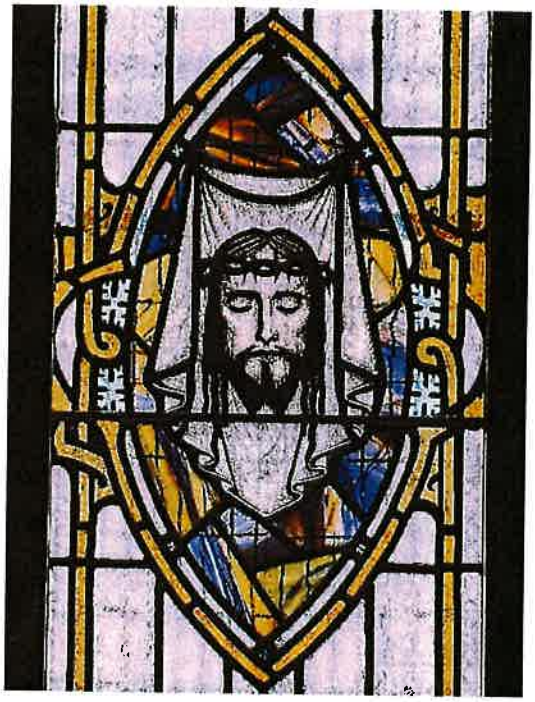


Redeemer Lutheran Church
November 22, 2026
Christ the King Sunday
9:00 am Worship

Welcome to Worship!

What a joy it is to come together as beloved children of God! God invites us. God accepts us as we are. In this spirit of acceptance,we are brought together to live and grow as companions on this journey of faith. We are joined together by the river of life flowing through each of us. In our diversity we are formed into one by the love of God in Christ. Together we gather to give thanks and praise and to walk alongside each other in love.

ORDER OF WORSHIP
November 22, 2026
Christ the King Sunday
Pastor David Berggren
Organist Carla Gerhardt

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude
Welcome & Announcements
Confession and Forgiveness
*****Gathering Hymn*** ***"Crown Him With Many Crowns"*** ***#855***
Greeting
Kyrie ELW p. 138
Canticle of Praise ***"Glory to God in the Highest"*** ELW P. 139-140
Prayer of the Day
Bell Choir – "We Praise You, O God, We Gather Together"

God's Word Enlivens Us

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24; Psalm 95:1-7a; Ephesians 25:31-46
Matthew 25:31-46
Message – *Pastor David Berggren*
Sermon *Hymn* ***"Jesus Shall Reign"*** ***#434***
Apostle's Creed
Prayers of The People
Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offering Hymn ***"For the Fruit of All Creation"*** ***#679***
Offertory Prayer
Senior Choir – "Give Thanks (with a grateful heart)"

God's Meal Nourishes Us

Communion
The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Page 144
Holy, Holy, Holy – ELW Page 144
Words of Institution
The Lord's Prayer ELW Page 145
Lamb of God – ELW, Page 146
Distribution
Communion Music by Carla Gerhardt
Post Communion Prayer

God's Spirit Sends Us

Blessing
*****Sending Hymn*** ***"Thine Thee Amen"*** ***#826***
Dismissal

Prayers

We hold in prayer this week those who have immediate concerns: Austin Dahnke, who was recently deployed to the Middle East; Kay Meier and Eric Nelson, siblings of Susan Brusveen, who are having health issues; Laura Johnsrud, Nancy Washington's daughter; Geri Gorman; Barb Nelson; and Stewart Pribbenow.

Thanksgiving Eve Community Worship

Community Worship will be held on Thanksgiving Eve, November 25, at Living Gospel Church, at 6:30 pm. Please bring a non-perishable food item to support the Rio Area Food Pantry. Fellowship to follow the service. All are welcome!

A Quote from Pastor Anne for the Season of Thanksgiving

In worship, we praise God, we thank God, for all that God does for us and the world and in doing this spiritual practice, we continue to open our hearts to God. I pray that during this season of Thanksgiving, we take the time to not only give thanks for the abundance in our lives, but remember that it is from God that we receive this abundance. Because it is through God's never-ending love and grace that we have so much to be thankful for.

***** Denotes Please Stand ****

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Wednesday, November 25	**Community Worship** Thanksgiving Eve at Living Gospel Church – 6:30 pm
Sunday, November 29	Worship With Communion ***The First Sunday of Advent***
Sunday, December 6	*Worship With Communion*
Sunday, December 13	*Worship With Communion* ***Music Sunday***
Sunday, December 20	*Worship With Communion*
Thursday, December 24	***Christmas Eve*** ***4:00 Candlelight Service with Communion***
Sunday December 27	***Lessons and Carols Service*** ***No Communion***

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