

CALVARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

301 ROWE BOULEVARD – ANNAPOLIS, MD – WWW.CALUMC.ORG NOVEMBER 26, 2023 – 10:00 A.M.

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Louis Nicolas Clerambault

Trumpet in Dialogue

Betsy Lord, organist

THE GREETING & INVOCATION

Emily Zarrilli

Pastor:

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

People:

Serve the Lord with gladness. Come into his presence

with singing. (Psalm 100:1-2)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Emily Zarrilli

Liturgist:

Come, God is seeking to gather us together.

People:

God reaches out to rescue all who have strayed.

Scattered, weak and injured ones are drawn to God.

Come, above all else, to worship and give thanks on this

Christ the King Sunday!

All:

Make a joyful noise to the Creator of all the universe.

Let us worship God!

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

*OPENING HYMN

Come, Thou Almighty King

UMH 61

Loving God, we come with gladness, drawn by our need and a desire to praise you and give thanks. Enlighten the eyes of our hearts that we may be full of hope. Enlarge the circle of our concern that we may see the stranger as next of kin, the hungry person as part of our own family, and the one who is sick as a whole individual deserving of our care. Grant us the presence of Christ that we may learn more fully to follow in the footsteps of Jesus in whose name we pray. Amen.

† All may be seated.

THE NEWS TO KNOW

Jack Longabaugh

ANTHEM

Symphony No. 4

William Boyce, arr. Del Borgo Eli Pereira, violin

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Audrey McCumber

Children are invited to come forward for a special message. Afterwards, all children are dismissed to Sunday School in Room 214/216 with Ms. Kathryn where parents may pick them up after worship.

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

ANTHEM

William Schoenfeld

Take My Life and Let it Be Consecrated

Calvary Choir

*Gospel Reading - Matthew 25:31-46 (NRSV)

Kyle Thompson

"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 who 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 brothers and sisters of mine, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You who 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."

Liturgist: The Word of God for the people of God

People: Thanks be to God.

† All may be seated.

SERMON Madison Trader

Christ the King

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

UMH 261

Lord of the Dance

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE with THE LORD'S PRAYER

Eli Pereira

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom, and the Power, and the Glory forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Andrew McCumber

All are invited to give of their morning offerings online at CALUMC.org, in the collection black box in the Narthex, Venmo (Calvary UMC @calvaryumcannapolis) or US Postal Service to support the work of Calvary United Methodist Church sharing God's love with the world.

*Offertory Prayer

Andrew McCumber

Holy God, use us, and these gifts, to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, and honor your presence in all people; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*DOXOLOGY UMH 94

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN UMH 327

Crown Him with Many Crowns

*THE BLESSING & BENEDICTION

Madison Trader

The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. (Numbers 6:24-26)

POSTLUDE

Domenico Zipoli

Festival Postlude

Betsy Lord, organist





If you would like to order flowers in honor or memory of a loved one, please contact Tracy Leahy at tracyleahy1@gmail.com or sign up via signup genius QR Code in the image to the left.