



ST. PAUL'S
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL

815 High Street, Downtown Des Moines, IA 50309

The Last Sunday after Pentecost: Christ the King

Choral Eucharist

Sunday, November 22, 2020

Ten o'clock in the morning

Organ Voluntary

Crown Him With Many Crowns

Michael Burkhardt

Hymn 680

All hail the power of Jesus' Name!

CORONATION

St. 1 *All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall.
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!
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St. 2 *Crown him ye martyrs of our God, who from his altar call:
Praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!
Praise him whose way of pain ye trod, and crown him Lord of all!*

St. 3 *Hail him, the Heir of David's line, whom David Lord did call,
The God incarnate, Man divine, and crown him Lord of all!
The God incarnate, Man divine, and crown him Lord of all!*

St. 6 *Let every kindred, every tribe, on this terrestrial ball,
To Him all majesty ascribe, And crown Him Lord of all!
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The Greeting

Celebrant

Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People

And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

A Song of Praise

(in the front section of the Hymnal)

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St. 1 *Glory to you, Lord God of our fathers; you are worthy of praise, glory to you.*

St. 2 *Glory to you for the radiance of your holy Name; we will praise you and
highly exalt you forever.*

St. 3. *Glory to you in the splendor of your temple; on the throne of your majesty
glory to you.*

St. 4 *Glory to you, seated between the Cherubim; we will praise you and highly
exalt you forever.*

St. 5 *Glory to you, beholding the depths; in the high vault of heaven, glory to you.*

St. 6 *Glory to you, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; we will praise you and highly exalt you forever. Glory to you.*

The Collect of the Day

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant 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, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE LESSONS

A Reading from the Book of Ezekiel

[34: 11 - 16, 20 - 24]

Thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice. Therefore, thus says the Lord God to them: I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. Because you pushed with flank and shoulder, and butted at all the weak animals with your horns until you scattered them far and wide, I will save my flock, and they shall no longer be ravaged; and I will judge between sheep and sheep. I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. And I, the Lord, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them; I, the Lord, have spoken.

Leader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Sung by the Cantor

- 1 Be joyful in the Lord, all you lands;*
serve the Lord with gladness
and come before his presence with a song.
- 2 Know this: The Lord himself is God;*
he himself has made us, and we are his;
we are his people and the sheep of his pasture.
- 3 Enter his gates with thanksgiving;
go into his courts with praise;*
give thanks to him and call upon his Name.
- 4 For the Lord is good;
his mercy is everlasting;*
and his faithfulness endures from age to age.

A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Ephesians

[1: 15 - 23]

I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints, and for this reason I do not cease to give thanks for you as I remember you in my prayers. I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. God put this power to work in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the age to come. And he has put all things under his feet and has made him the head over all things for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills all in all.

Leader The Word of the Lord.

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Hymn 490

At the Name of Jesus

KING'S WESTON

- St. 1 *At the Name of Jesus every knee shall bow,
Every tongue confess him King of glory now.
'Tis the Father's pleasure we should call him Lord,
Who from the beginning was the mighty Word.*
- St. 4 *Name him, Christians, name him, with love as strong as death,
Name with awe and wonder and with battered breath;
He is God the Savior, he is Christ the Lord,
Ever to be worshipped, trusted, and adored.*

The Holy Gospel

[Matthew 25: 31 – 46; NT p 27]

All Stand

Deacon

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

People

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Jesus said, "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 that 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 who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that 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."

Deacon

The Gospel of the Lord.

People

Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE HOMILY

The Rev. Canon Deacon John Doherty

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: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. 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. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Celebrant: Please stand or kneel for prayer.

Deacon: Jesus the Christ, you reign in glory as our King and to you we lift our voices in prayer saying, "Lord, hear our prayer."

Intercessor: That we may serve God with gladness and generosity, discovering his likeness in those who hunger and thirst, in those who are threadbare and in prison, and in those who are sick, lonely, depressed, sorrowful, and rejected; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: For the forgiveness of our sins, the times when we were blind to the needs of others, and deaf to their shout for assistance, that we may move beyond our selfish greed and love with the measure that Jesus loves humanity; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: We pray for your church: for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Alan, our bishop; for Fr. Troy, Amma Nicola, Fr. Zeb., Deacon John, Mark, John, and Jovan; for all lay and ordained ministers, and Jean, preparing for ordination. In our companion Diocese of Brechin we pray for the clergy and people of St. Mary Magdalene, Dundee; in our companion Diocese of Nzara we pray for the clergy and people of Sakure Parish; in our companion Diocese of Swaziland we pray for the clergy and people of Uniswa Chapelry; in our own Diocese we pray for the clergy and people of Trinity, Emmetsburg; St Thomas, Algona; St Alban, Spirit Lake; The Way Station,

Spencer; in our parish prayer cycle we pray for Judy, Jean, Lukas, Carrie, Cheryl, Rick, Geoff, Pamela, Carol, Carol, Cullin, Nick, Judy for Kirsten, preparing for confirmation, and Catherine and Brad, preparing for marriage; and in the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for the clergy and people of the Church of Bermuda, let us pray. That the leaders of the Church may receive the immeasurable greatness of God, seeking the holy way with every step they take, guiding the faithful and those who have strayed into the glorious dwelling place of divine love; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: For the sea and the dry land, molded by the Creator's imagination, that we may cherish the gifts they bring forth, and be good stewards of their fragile ecosystems; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: That the sin of division may be lifted from family life, and from wherever it fractures the bonds of affection or movements towards peace, that forgiving what is past and trusting in God's future, we may work to reveal the kingdom n our time; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: That the righteous dead may live into eternal life, especially Twila, and that those who have gone astray may receive the mercy of the Maker; let us pray.

People: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Intercessor: Rejoicing in the reign of Christ over all creation, let us continue our prayers.

Special intentions of the congregation, the diocese, and the Anglican Communion may be added here or before the formal intercessions.

Concluding Collect

Destitute king, one with the hungry, the naked and the scorned: grant us peace and unity, so to serve you in the last and the least; through Jesus Christ, where with the Father and Holy Spirit, you live and reign, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

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All kneel as able, and the Deacon says

Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

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 your Son 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.

The Priest stands and says

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

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

Please remain in your place and pass the Peace to each other with a wave or a bow.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Organ Voluntary

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Eucharistic Prayer A

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Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

The Celebrant continues

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Here a Proper Preface is sung or said on all Sundays, and on other occasions as appointed.

Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

The people stand or kneel. Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to

reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "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. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People:

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

The Celebrant continues

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever.
AMEN.

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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, for ever and ever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread

Celebrant Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God.

Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world: give us your peace, give us your peace

Prayer for Spiritual Communion

(St. Alphonsus de Liguori, 1696-1787)

My Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my heart. As though you have already come, I embrace you and unite myself entirely to you; never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

All baptized persons are welcome to receive Holy Communion. Please remain in your place and extend your hands to receive the Host when offered by the Priest. Please wait until the Priest has moved away, to briefly remove your mask and consume the Host.

After the people receive Communion a period of silent reflection is kept

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

May the blessing of the God of Abraham and Sarah, and of Jesus Christ born of our sister Mary, and of the Holy Spirit, who broods over the world as a mother over her children, be upon you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Hymn 494

Crown him with many crowns

DIADEMATA

- St. 1 *Crown Him with many crowns, the lamb upon the throne:
Hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all Music but its own!
Awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee,
And hail him as thy matchless King through all eternity.*
- St. 4 *Crown him of lords the Lord, who over all doth reign
Who once on earth, the incarnate Word, for ransomed sinners slain,
Now lives in realms of light, where saints with angels sing
Their songs before him day and night, their God, Redeemer, King.*

St. 5 *Crown him the Lord of heaven, enthroned in worlds above;
Crown him the king, to whom is given the wondrous name of Love,
Crown him with many crowns, as thrones before him fall.
Crown him, ye kings, with many crowns, for He is King of all.*

DISMISSAL

Deacon Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia.

People **Thanks be to God. Alleluia, alleluia.**

Organ Voluntary *Crown Him With Many Crowns* Wilbur Held

Announcements for November 22, 2020

Please Join Us for Livestreamed Thanksgiving Services

Virtual Choral Evensong

Sunday, November 22 at 4:00pm

Thanksgiving Day Service of Morning Prayer

Thursday, November 26 at 10:00am

Both services will be livestreamed at St. Paul's [Facebook page](#) and [YouTube Channel](#).

St. Paul's Carillon in Your Car (or From Afar) will return to 9 am on November 29th

After a brief experiment with starting time of 9.15 am, St. Paul's carillon hymns will return to 9 am start on November 29th. For November 22nd please tune in at 9.15 am but be ready for the change the following week!

Parking on the streets and parking lots surrounding the Cathedral provide a safe opportunity for listening to joyful hymns ringing out through the city. The concert will also be streamed live from our [Facebook Page](#).

Please wear a mask if you leave your vehicle and observe social distancing guidelines.

Video Livestream Fundraiser!

St. Paul's is raising funds for a permanent, three-camera, video livestream system that will allow us to make our services accessible to those who are not able to be present in person and allow us to extend our ministry into Des Moines, the Diocese of Iowa, and beyond. Through the generosity of an anonymous donor, your donation will be matched one-to-one up to \$5,000. You can give via the cathedral website by clicking [here](#) and selecting "Video Livestream System" from the dropdown menu, mail a check to the office with "Video Livestream System" on the memo line, or text your donation to 515-207-8133 keyword livestream. Thank you for supporting the mission and ministry of St. Paul's!

Sunday, November 29

We invite you to participate in this year's campaign, which will culminate at our **Pledging Sunday on November 29th**. Pledge cards have been mailed, and we hope you will reflect on your relationship to the Cathedral and consider supporting our 2021 Stewardship Campaign with your pledge of treasure, time, and talent. During November you will be contacted by members of the Campaign Committee about what St. Paul's is doing and how you can help. If you have questions, please contact the Cathedral Office: (515-288-7297).

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Thank you for remembering the church's financial needs during this suspension of in-person services. Visit cathedralchurchofstpaul.org and click "Donate Online Now."