

Fairlawn Christian Reformed Church
CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY

November 25, 2018 10:15 A.M.

PREPARATION AND PRAISE

Prelude: "For the Beauty of the Earth"

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Welcome and Announcements

ENTER HIS GATES WITH THANKSGIVING

- * Call to Worship: Psalm 113:1–3
Hallelujah! Servants of God, praise, praise the name of the LORD. Bless the Lord's name now and always. Praise the LORD's name here and in every place from east to west.
- * Hymn: "Exalt the LORD, His Praise Proclaim" PH 181
- * God's Greeting:
Grace and peace be to you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.
Amen.
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Our help is in the name of the Lord,
Who made heaven and earth.
Blessed be God,
And blessed is his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.
- * Prayer of the Day:
Almighty and loving God, we thank and bless you for the encouragement you have given us through teachers and mentors and witnesses of your love. We pray that as we worship today, you will use our words and actions to glorify you and encourage others. May we truly sense our communion with all the people of God in every time and place—to the glory and praise of you alone, through Christ, in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.
- * Response: "Bless His Holy Name" PH 627

CONFESSION AND PRAYER

Call to Confession: Heidelberg Catechism, Q. & A. 99

PH 907

Prayer of Confession

Response: "O Sing to the Lord / Cantai ao Senhor"

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Assurance of Pardon:

Isaiah 6:5–7

God's Will for Our Lives:

Psalm 51:13, 15

Congregational Prayer

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

* Hymn: "Jesus Shall Reign" PH 412, vv. 1, 2, 5

Prayer for Illumination

[Children age 3 – grade K may leave for Children's Church after the prayer.]

Scripture Reading: Mark 3:20–30 (p. 993)

Sermon: *Speaking Well of God's Holy Name*

Prayer

* Hymn: "LORD, Our Lord, Your Glorious Name" PH 8

OUR RESPONSE OF GRATITUDE

Ordination and Installation of Elders and Deacons: PH 1004

* Confession of Faith: The Apostles' Creed (inside front cover of the Psalter Hymnal)

* Response: "I Love Your Church, O Lord" PH 510

* Offertory Prayer

Offering: Fairlawn General Fund

Offertory: "My Jesus, I Love Thee" Southbridge

BLESSING AND DISMISSAL

* Benediction: based on Matthew 28:18–20, I Timothy 1:17

"All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I will be with you always to the very end of the age."

We go as servants of Christ our King, prepared to live for the glory of God's name.

Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever.

Amen.

* Doxology: "Now Blessed Be the Lord, Our God" PH 630

Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel,
for he alone does wondrous works: his glorious deeds excel. (2X)

And blessed be his glorious name through all eternity;
the whole earth let his glory fill: Amen! so shall it be. (2X)

* Postlude: "O Lord, We Praise Thee" Scheidmann