Community Presbyterian Church

10:30 am November 22nd, 2020

Christ the King

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Preaching: Rev. Dale Lint

Musician: Donna Bennett

Ushers:

Prelude (A Time of Quiet Meditation)

* Passing of the Peace – May the peace of Christ be with you And also with you

Announcements/Birthdays/Anniversaries

Call to Worship

L: I will search for my sheep, says the Lord.

C: Like lost lambs or scattered sheep, the Lord seeks us and calls us home.

L: I will gather them from far and near, says the Lord.

C: A cherished fold, a beloved flock, the Lord sustains us and gives us rest.

L: I will be their shepherd, says the Lord.

C: We listen for the vice of the God who seeks us, and follow with devotion and gratitude.

*Hymn #551 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"

*Call to Confession

As the shepherd calls His sheep, our Lord calls to come and confess before Him.

* Prayer of Confession (unison)

God of mercy, who has compassion for the lost and the least, in disbelief and denial, we ask: "When did we see you among us?" We should have seen you in the classmate on the playground whom we did not invite to join our game. Or in the stranger on the sidewalk whom we crossed the street to avoid. Or in the neighbor at the nursing home, whom we left to carry her pain alone. We should have seen you in the man begging for work or a warm meal, in the woman struggling to overcome addiction, in

the child seeking refuge from the terrors of violence. But, instead, we turned away. Forgive us, Lord, break our hearts for what breaks yours, and give us compassion and courage to respond to the suffering of this world.

*Assurance of Pardon

Know that God's grace is sufficient and in and through the blood of the risen Christ you have been forgiven.

*Gloria #579

People for Prayer/Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Hymn #559 "We Gather Together"

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Matthew 25:31-46

Sermon "Celebrating our Shepherd"

*Affirmation of Faith

Offertory:

- * Doxology #593
- * Prayer of Dedication
- * Hymn #555 "Now Thank We All Our God"
- *Benediction
- *Congregational Response "Alleluia"
- *Postlude

*Please stand if able.

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Baptism

Greyson James Cooper and he was born on September 5,2020 in Sioux Falls, SD. His parents are David and Emmy Cooper, Kingsley, IA.

Announcements:

The deacons will again host the "Hanging of the Greens" event to take place on Sunday, November 29., following Worship. This will include erecting the chancel tree in the sanctuary, the Giving Tree in the Narthex and the hat and mitten tree in the entrance lobby.

Poinsettias will be ordered on Nov 30th & set out by Dec 6th. The cost is \$17. Order deadline is Nov 29th.

Pray for those at home and in rehab: Kingsley) Anna Packard, (Lawton Senior Living) Betty Law, Audrey Jensen, (Sunrise) Delores Handke, (At Home) Velura Stilwell,

Recent Prayer Request: Virginia Lewis, Terry Schultzen, Reese Petersen, Keith Hoffstadler family, Rhonda Miller, Audrey Jensen, Debbie Hammer, All those having to cancel Thanksgiving plans, Larry & Karen Forbes, Shelly.

<u>Care Giver Support Group</u> – Families dealing with memory loss. Tuesday's 1:30pm. Not this week.

Calendar of Events

Nov 29th – Hanging of the Greens following worship Dec 8th – Zoom Session Meeting 7:30 pm

Contact People:

Bulletins: Bev Logsdon - bjlogsdon@msn.com need by

Thursday

Clerk of Session: Nancy Todd