Order of Worship| Christ the King Sunday
November 22, 2026 | 9 AM

Prelude
Holy Spirit

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering Music
King of Kings

❖ **Hunger Offering**

❖ **Corporate Prayer of Confession**

Silent Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Song
King of My Heart

Children's Time
**Children going into preschool through 3rd grade are invited to leave for Children's Church.*

❖ **Offering**

Offertory
To Live is Christ

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication

❖ **Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer**

Prayer of Illumination

❖ **Scripture Reading**

Sermon
Faces of Christmas: Gabriel
Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport

Closing Music
How Great is Our God

Benediction

Postlude

❖ Hunger Offering
(We will receive the 4th Sunday Hunger Offering during the singing of this hymn. The offering is meant to be sacrificial, above our regular giving. Please come forward as clergy place a basket before the Communion table and place your gift. All proceeds will go to The Ladle.)

❖ Corporate Prayer of Confession
Adapted From Ancient Collects and Other Prayers, 1875

O God, beneath whose eyes every heart trembles; be merciful to the groanings of your people. Heal our wounds. Not one of us is free from fault. We ask that not one of your people would be shut out from your pardon, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

❖ Offering
Gifts of thanksgiving can be made physically or digitally. More info at the back of the bulletin.

❖ Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer
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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

❖ Scripture Reading
Luke 1:26-30

In the sixth month of Elizabeth's pregnancy, God sent the angel Gabriel to Nazareth, a town in Galilee, to a virgin pledged to be married to a man named Joseph, a descendant of David. The virgin's name was Mary. The angel went to her and said, "Greetings, you who are highly favored! The Lord is with you."

Mary was greatly troubled at his words and wondered what kind of greeting this might be. But the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God. You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. The Lord God will give him the throne of his father David, and he will reign over Jacob's descendants forever; his kingdom will never end."

Looking Ahead

Sundays, November 22
Knitting for Mission Sale
9:00 AM - 12:30 PM

Advent Candle Lighting
November 29, December 6, 13, 20, 24

Center for Hope Christmas Stockings
Collection Ends November 30

Tree of Memories Ornament Sale
Sale Ends December 1

Christmas Food Baskets
Collection Ends December 6
Delivery on December 12

*Visit our website for complete details on events and groups that meet during the week: sewickleypresby.org

Today's flowers are

in Honor of Our
33rd Wedding Anniversary &
in Thanksgiving and Praise for the
Blessing SPC has been in our lives.

From
Ellen & Mark Hitchins

Worship Participants

Sr. Pastor: Rev. Dr. Derek R. Davenport
Assoc. Pastor: Rev. G. Michael Creamer
Parish Assoc. Pastor: Rev. Barb Kennedy
Director of Music: Dr. Michael Hammer
Assistant Music Director: Rosie MacKenzie
Musicians:
Dan Burgun, Danny Rectenwald,
Dylan Davenport, Erin Leghorn, Andrew Birnie
Ushers: Don Birnie, Judy Scioscia, Ann Shelton
Tech Crew: Dave Breit, Rici Brockinson
Alexis Merritt

PRAYER NEEDS

Prayers for Comfort
- For Susie Wardrop and her family on the death of her husband, Bill Wardrop.

Prayers for Joy and Thanksgiving
- On the birth of Theodore "Teddy" Ram Miles
  Born October 16, 2026
  Son of Maddy and Adam Miles

Prayers for Presence and Healing
- Sue Otto
- Barbara Terzich (Karen Steup's sister-in-law)

**You can find a full Prayer List with updated and continued prayer needs in the weekly church email on Thursdays.*

SCAN ME

- Your giving today helps make everything we do at SPC possible. It supports our ministers and staff, our outreach in the community and beyond, and the care of our historic sanctuary, classrooms, and Faith House. Thank you for being part of this work—every gift matters.

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