

## Christ the King / 24th Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering Hymn	The Blessing	WS 33
Hymn of the Day	You, Lord, are Both Lamb and Shepherd	ACS 954
Sending Hymn	Crown Him with Many Crowns	ELW 855(v 1,2,3,5)

The service and song lyrics are displayed on the large screens in the sanctuary. If you would like a printed bulletin, please ask an usher.

### Assisting with Worship Today

Lay Assistant:	John Spurlock	Lector:	Melinda Geiger
Ushers:	Gloria Stultz/OPEN	Cantor:	Jenny Wojnar
Altar Guild:	Mary Binder	Tech Team:	Bridget Struble
Acolyte:	OPEN	Officer of the Day:	Jannette Travali

We are celebrating Aniela Reeher's baptism this morning!



**Volunteer for worship & hospitality table** using this QR Code. It's a rewarding experience to be a part of the service! Questions? Contact Kim Williams at [kimwilliams@zoominternet.net](mailto:kimwilliams@zoominternet.net)

**Are You Visiting?** We're glad you're here! Sign our guest book and grab a Visitor Card in the Narthex. Or, sign our guest book with this QR Code. *Sign up to receive our weekly email at [phlc.org/newsletter](http://phlc.org/newsletter)*



## Announcements

**Congregational Meeting:** Plan to join us for our congregational meeting on December 7 to vote on administrative nominations and updates to our Affirmation Statement. Please see the weekly email or our website for more information.

**Poinsettia Orders:** If you would like to purchase poinsettias to adorn the church sanctuary on Christmas Eve please order by December 14 using the order form found in your bulletin or in the weekly email.

**Youth Sunday School:** Children are invited to depart the worship service after Children's Time to attend Sunday School.

**Angel Tree:** We will be supporting the Glade Run Christmas Angel Program again this year and would be grateful for your support. PHLC has been allotted 40 angel gift tags for children in need. We will have the gift tag sign out sheets ready for this Sunday. Unwrapped gifts should be placed in gift bags with the corresponding tags to ensure that they go to the correct recipient. Final Sunday for gift collection will be December 7.

**Congregation-Wide Service Projects led by 412Youth Upcoming Schedule**

- Christmas Cards for Shut-Ins
  - November 30 after the service

**Congregation Christmas Party!** Our annual Christmas party, hosted by the Fellowship Team, is scheduled for December 14. Spiral ham and beverages will be provided. A sign-up sheet is posted in the Narthex. Stay after the service for a couple hours of food, games, Christmas karaoke, and an ugly sweater contest!

**Christmas Cheer Bag distribution with a twist!** On the 1st Sunday of Advent, November 30, the Fellowship Team will once again be getting everyone ready for Jesus' birth with Christmas Cheer Bags. This year - it's a Make-Your-Own event!

**Three Rivers Ringers:** Three Rivers Ringers will be performing their Carols of Christmas concert at our church on Saturday, December 6 at 7:00 pm for the whole community. Please join us and invite others for this free holiday concert (donations appreciated.) For details, visit: [www.threeriversringers.org](http://www.threeriversringers.org)

**Update for our North Hills Refugee Ministry:** NHRM continues to provide care and support to refugee families. For our most recent update and ways to help, visit [phlc.org/north-hills-refugee-ministry-update-august-2025/](http://phlc.org/north-hills-refugee-ministry-update-august-2025/).

**Adult Bible Study:** Please join our adult ed crew after the service for an open-minded place to encounter scripture and wrestle with our faith in a supportive community. You don't have to know anything about the bible; just come with an open mind and heart, ready to question the things you thought you knew!

**2025 Agency of the Year – Mars Home for Youth:** With your Second Mile Giving and programs throughout the year, we will be supporting the development of their Therapeutic Kindergarten Program.

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## Prayer List

Updates? Contact the church office at 724-935-1226 or [perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com)

Anonymous	Please pray for a family member experiencing a mental health crisis
Dennis Bruce	Husband of Patty Bruce receiving cancer treatment
Fred Claus	Son of Carolyn Claus; waiting for spinal surgery
Greg DeKunder	For continued treatment and recovery from his surgery
Elaine	Pastor's cousin - prayers for continued healing and ease
Ella	Prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of Pastors Ryan and Jocelyn's new niece
Friend	Of Jane Davidson struggling with heart disease
Friend	Struggling with family dynamics
Fred Geiger	For recovery from Oct 7. knee surgery
Hadlee	One-year-old daughter of Patty Bruce's niece receiving cancer treatment
Jane Hein	For recovery from her recent knee surgery
David Hepfer	Gwen's mother's cousin, for his safe return home
Sue Johnson	Sister-in-law of Janice Rozzi as she prepares for spinal surgery
John McAllister	For memory rehab; twin brother of Herman Forsten's caregiver Tom
Marilou Nicklas Family	On her passing on September 28
Dean Scoumis	Friend of Kay Wisniewski battling health issues
Nathaniel Shriver	Nephew of John Spurlock receiving emergency care
Pastor Jen Soltis	For a full recovery after her ankle surgery
Michael Taylor	Father of Stephanie Weibley on his recovery and healing following emergency surgery from a fall
Gino Travali	Jannette's dad - recovering at home after hospital stay
Dorothy Vilsack	Sister of our custodian, Maria - in ICU and having medical issues
Vivian Weber	Steve Weber's mom - In skilled nursing recovering from an illness and fall

## Affirmation Statement

In the name of Jesus of Nazareth, who invited us in reconciling love and grace to join the reign of God, this church welcomes all. We extend this welcome to all believers and non-believers regardless of age, cultural background, economic status, ethnic or linguistic heritage, employment status, housing status, substance dependence, marital status, physical or mental abilities, race, sexual orientation, gender identity or any other distinction.

As we are all one in God's eyes, we encourage any who express an interest to become an active part of this congregation's full life as we witness God's love. This is our response to the Gospel, as we understand it, and to do any less would deny to others the welcome we have received from the Creator of us all.

**Office Hours:** The church office is open on Wednesdays from 9 am to noon. Messages are checked daily. All other times are by appointment. Church office phone is 724-935-1226; email is [perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com)

**Do you have something for Weekly Announcements?** Email your information to [phlcwebsite@gmail.com](mailto:phlcwebsite@gmail.com) by 9 am on Tuesdays.

### Our Four Pillars

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Family  
Inclusion  
Community



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