

November 20, 2022



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Reign of Christ

"If You Are the Messiah, Save Yourself and Us"

Luke 23:33-43

Gathered at Federated Church: 76 Bell Street, Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

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10 AM

Chimes indicate the service is starting, and silence is appreciated to prepare for worship.

Prelude *We Gather Together* (W. Held) Marcia Snavely, organ

Welcome and Announcements Marty Culbertson

Introit *Lord, Reign in Me* (Brenton Brown) Federated Choir;
Marcia Snavely, piano

* **Call to Worship** (*responsive*) Martine Scheuermann

One: Great is the Lord!

All: God has redeemed God's people!

One: Let the heavens shout with joy!

All: Let all the people celebrate God's awesome love!

One: Shout and sing praise to God!

All: For God has healed and restored God's people through Christ!

One: Hallelujah!

All: Hallelujah!

* **Passing of Christ's Peace**
(Children from grades K-8 leave for Sunday School)

* **Hymn** *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* No. 718

Opening Prayer (*unison*) Martine Scheuermann

Heavenly Mother, we thank you for your child,

Jesus, the Christ, the Sovereign of our lives.

May Christ reign in our hearts and guide our actions in this world.

We thank you that Christ is a different kind of ruler,

one who raises up people who are marginalized,

one who prioritizes prayer,

one who teaches us goodness, and kindness, and love.

* Those who are able stand

**** Worshipers may be seated

**May we, through the power of your Spirit,
strive to follow in Christ's footsteps. Amen.**

Generosity Impact Moment

Martine Scheuermann

Invitation to Generosity

Martine Scheuermann

Anthem *Love Held Him to the Cross* (Vickie Garrison)

Federated Choir;
Marcia Snavelly, piano

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Fellowship of Prayer

Marty Culbertson

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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.
And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.
Amen.**

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| * Hymn | <i>For the Fruit of All Creation</i> | No. 714 |
| Scripture | Luke 23:33-43 | Marty Culbertson |
| Sermon | | Marty Culbertson |
| Dedication and Blessing of Ingathering Offerings | | Hadley Miller |
| * Hymn | <i>Now Thank We All Our God</i> | No. 715 |
| * Benediction | | Marty Culbertson |
| Postlude | <i>Now Thank We All Our God</i> (S. Karg-Elert) | Marcia Snavelly, organ |



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~ *Departing to Service* ~



Reign of Christ—By Proclamation, by Erik Christensen

UPCOMING WORSHIP

Sunday, November 27, 10 AM

First Sunday of Advent

Rev. Hamilton Throckmorton preaches

“The Season of Hope: Keep Awake”

Matthew 24:36-44