



Mount Pleasant Presbyterian Church (USA)

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NOVEMBER 21, 2021 11:00 am WORSHIP SERVICE CHRIST THE KING/REIGN OF CHRIST

**Those who are able, please stand*

PRELUDE

Larghetto
Anne Warf, guest organist

Boyce

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Thornwell/Wise Giving

Elizabeth Amory

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: The Lord is God; we are God's people.

All: **We are the sheep of God's pasture.**

One: Jesus Christ is coming to reign.

All: **To God be glory forever and ever!**

One: In Christ all things hold together;

All: **he is the head of the church and Lord of all.**

*HYMN #268 (see pg 3)

Crown Him with Many Crowns

CALL TO CONFESSION

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all.

We confess that we are slow to acknowledge his rule.

Instead, we give allegiance to the powers of this world.

Instead, we live for ourselves and apart from you.

In your mercy, forgive us.

Raise us to extol Christ as ruler of all,
and bind us by your Spirit that we may be one body,
obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ.

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,
and to the Holy Ghost;

as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, amen.

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM

William Shepard Slaughter, child of Margaret and Thomas Slaughter

(Please—no photos or video during the service of worship.)

BAPTISM HYMN #486 (vs. 1)

Child of Blessing, Child of Promise

Child of blessing, child of promise, baptized with the Spirit's sign,
with this water God has sealed you unto love and grace divine.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

All children are invited to visit the bookstand and resources in the narthex to utilize during the service.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION AND OLD TESTAMENT READING

Psalm 100

Margaret Agee

NEW TESTAMENT READING AND SERMON

"One Body, One Spirit"

1 Corinthians 12:12-27
Ruling Elder Ellen Creed Branham

ANTHEM

Song of Trust
Adult Choir

David W Music

AFFIRMATION OF FAITHWestminster Confession of Faith, 6.186, adapted*

By the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, all believers being vitally united to Christ, who is the head, are thus united one to another in the church, which is Christ's body. Christ calls and anoints ministers, qualifies all other officers in the church for their particular work, and imparts various gifts and graces to its members. Christ gives efficacy to the Word and to the ordinances of the gospel. By him, the Church will be preserved, increased, purified, and at last made perfectly holy in the presence of God.

OFFERING

We are grateful for your gifts during this challenging time.

They support the mission and ministry of the Body of Christ. onrealm.org/mppc/give/now***DOXOLOGY***Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low. Alleluia, alleluia!
Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word and Spirit one. Alleluia, alleluia!
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

PRAYER OF THE PEOPLE / 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.

HYMN #300** (see pg 4)*We Are One In The Spirit*BENEDICTION****BENEDICTION RESPONSE***Amen (Danish Amen)*

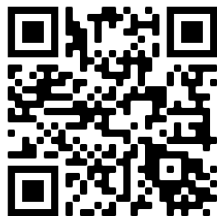
Anonymous

POSTLUDE

Allegro

Boyce

The Regular Giving QR:



The Gathering QR:



THE FLOWERS in the sanctuary are given by Martha and Pat Waters to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for many blessings.

THE ROSEBUD in the sanctuary celebrates the birth of Miller Elizabeth Smith, child of Sarah and Cameron Smith, on November 9. Grandparents are Allyson and Harry Smith. Welcome to God's world, Miller!

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PASTOR ON CALL after hours at [843-901-9977](tel:843-901-9977).

NOVEMBER ADOPT A DAY AT HOPE HOUSE:*In Loving Memory of...*

6th - Virginia Gilliam on her birthday. Given by Mike, Julie, & Will Stephenson

15th - Douglas Mellichamp. Given by Joan & Don Brown

In Honor of...

9th - Christy and Garrett Rowe on their anniversary. Given by Ken & Donna Widener

In Thanksgiving of ...

23rd - Many family and friends. Given by Thomas Krehnbrink

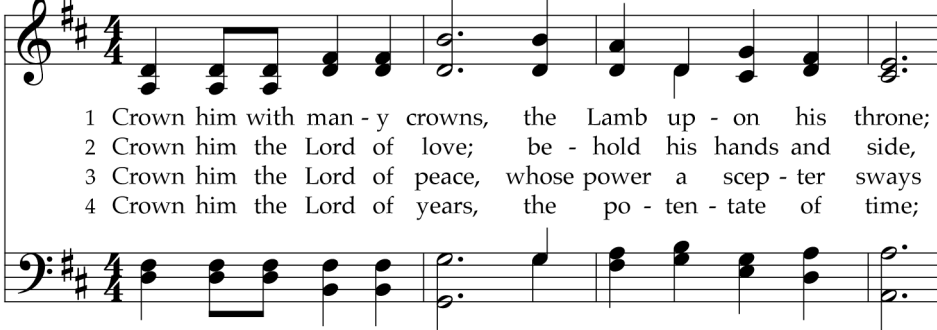
26th - A restful stay at Hope House. Given by Joe & Sara Freda

MPPC FINANCIAL REPORT (YTD as of 11/14/21):

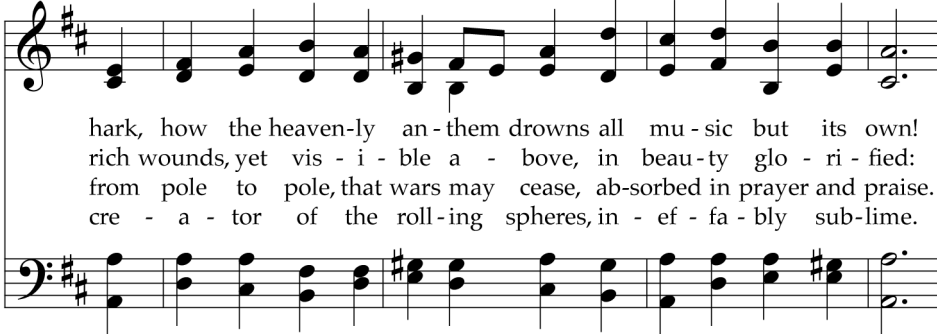
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\$1,562,508	\$1,940,176	(\$377,668)

JESUS CHRIST: ASCENSION AND REIGN

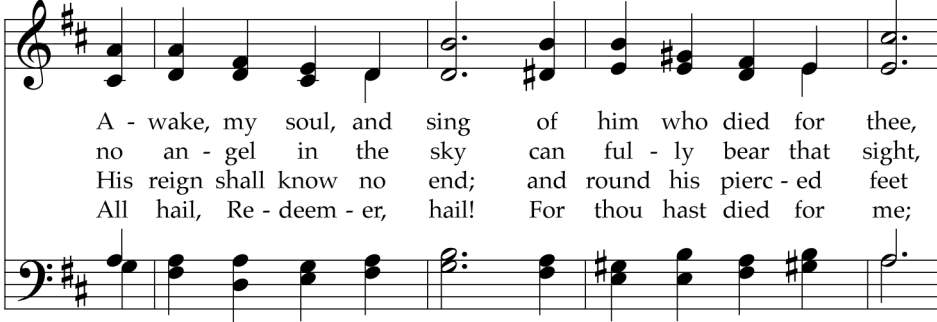
Crown Him with Many Crowns 268



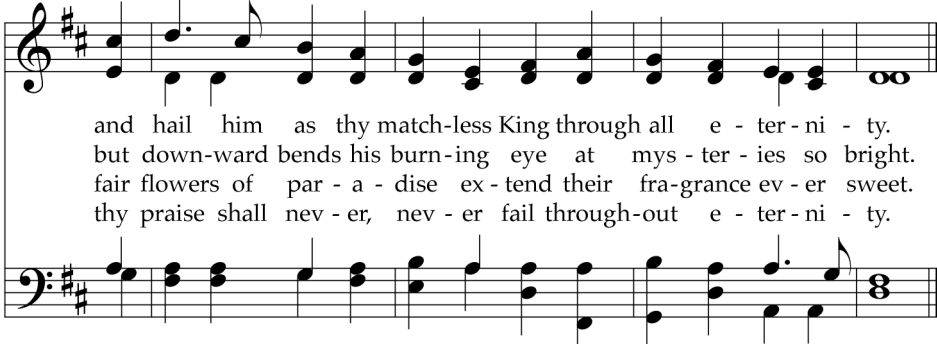
1 Crown him with man - y crowns, the Lamb up - on his throne;
 2 Crown him the Lord of love; be - hold his hands and side,
 3 Crown him the Lord of peace, whose power a scep - ter sways
 4 Crown him the Lord of years, the po - ten - tate of time;



hark, how the heaven-ly an - them drowns all mu - sic but its own!
 rich wounds, yet vis - i - ble a - bove, in beau - ty glo - ri - fied:
 from pole to pole, that wars may cease, ab - sorbed in prayer and praise.
 cre - a - tor of the roll - ing spheres, in - ef - fa - bly sub - lime.



A - wake, my soul, and sing of him who died for thee,
 no an - gel in the sky can ful - ly bear that sight,
 His reign shall know no end; and round his pierc - ed feet
 All hail, Re - deem - er, hail! For thou hast died for me;



and hail him as thy match-less King through all e - ter - ni - ty.
 but down-ward bends his burn-ing eye at mys - ter - ies so bright.
 fair flowers of par - a - dise ex - tend their fra-grance ev - er sweet.
 thy praise shall nev - er, nev - er fail through-out e - ter - ni - ty.

This text is so familiar that it is easy to miss all its paradox, mystery, suffering, and beauty; it rewards careful reading and meditation outside corporate worship. The tune's composer, chapel organist at Windsor Castle, had much experience in creating a royal sound.

THE CHURCH

We Are One in the Spirit 300

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

Capo 1: (Em) (Bm) (Em)
Fm Cm Fm

1 We are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord;
2 We will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand;
3 We will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side;
4 All praise to the Fa - ther, from whom all things come,

(Am) (Em)
B^bm Fm

we are one in the Spir - it; we are one in the Lord,
we will walk with each oth - er; we will walk hand in hand,
we will work with each oth - er; we will work side by side,
and all praise to Christ Je - sus, God's on - ly Son,

(Am) (Em)
B^bm Fm

and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re - stored:
and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land:
and we'll guard hu - man dig - ni - ty and save hu - man pride:
and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:

Refrain (C) (Em)
D^b Fm

And they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love, by our

(Am) (Em) (Am) (Bm) (Em) (Am/E) (Em)
B^bm Fm B^bm Cm Fm B^bm/F Fm

love; yes, they'll know we are Chris - tians by our love.

A parish priest at St. Brendan's on the South Side of Chicago in the 1960s was very involved in the local Civil Rights movement and needed something for his youth choir to sing at ecumenical, interracial events. Finding nothing, he wrote this song in a single day.