

November 23, 2025 Christ the King Sunday 9:00 am Service



"Sunset" by Caspar David Freiderich German painter (1774-1890). As in many of the artist's paintings the viewer is invited to pause, to be contemplative. Another title for this piece might be "Be still and know I am God."

Ever-Present Help Dr. Ken Jones, Senior Pastor Our Vision:

To develop mature Christian disciples who compassionately respond to the needs of others.

# Sermon Notes

**Gathering Music** 

Let All Things Now Living Sing to the Lord of Harvest Give Thanks Jennifer St. Clair arr. John Carter arr. John Carter arr. Mark Hayes

**Welcome & Call To Worship** 

Organ Prelude

We Gather Together/Come, Ye Thankful People, Come

arr. Karrin Ford

\*Hymn 342

Rejoice, the Lord is King!

DARWALL'S 148th

**Invocation & Prayer of Confession** 

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your judgment. For our sake, and the sake of your son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways that lead to glory. Amen. (Time for Silent Prayer)

## 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.

\*Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Vocal Solo** 

Give Me Jesus Joseph Mayes Spiritual, arr. H.T. Burleigh

**Pastoral Prayer & 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

\*Hymn 341

Jesus Shall Reign

**DUKE STREET** 

**Invitation to Christian Stewardship** 

Offertory

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

arr. Eugene Englert

\*Doxology & Prayer for the Nation

Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty, to Thee we sing; long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by Thy might, Great God our King.

**KEY:** (\*) Indicates standing if able.

# \*Prayer of Dedication

**Choral Anthem** Fairest Lord Jesus arr. Derek Hakes

Fairest Lord Jesus, Ruler of all nations, O Thou of God and man the Son. Thee will I cherish, Thee will I honor, Thou, my soul's glory, joy and crown.

Fair are the meadows, fairer still the woodlands, robed the blooming garb of spring. Jesus is fairer, Jesus is purer, Who makes the woeful heart to sing.

Fair is the sunshine, fairer still the moonlight, and all the twinkling starry host; Jesus shines brighter, Jesus shines purer than all the angels heaven can boast.

Beautiful Savior! Lord of all the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, praise and adoration, mow and forever more be Thine! Text: Munster Gesangbuch, 1677, trans. Joseph August Seiss 1873.

# **Prayer of Illumination**

**Scripture Reading** Psalm 46: 1-12

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. People: Thanks be to God

**Sermon** Ever-Present Help Dr. Ken Jones

**\*Hymn 317** Crown Him with Many Crowns DIADEMATA

\*Benediction

\*Going Forth O Christ, the Way the Truth, the Life ST. PETER

O Christ, the Way, the Truth, the Life, be with us now we pray; Direct our steps as we go forth to do your will this day.

Organ Postlude O God, Our Help in Ages Past arr. Mary Ellen Kerrick

**Healing Prayers** 

You may come to the side altar to receive a prayer for healing or other special needs

# **Worship Notes**

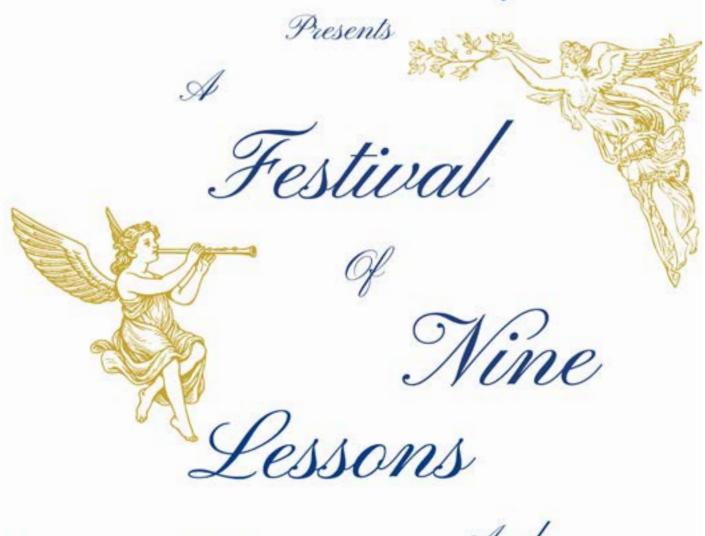
Today is Christ the King Sunday.

The festival of Christ the King (or Reign of Christ) ends our marking of Ordinary Time after the Day of Pentecost, and moves us to the threshold of Advent, the season of hope for Christ's coming again at the end of time.

Christ the King Sunday is the climax and conclusion of the Church's liturgical journey through the life of Christ and the Gospel message. Its purpose is to celebrate the coming reign of Christ as King of the Earth and his completion of the renewed creation that marks the fullness of the Kingdom of God.

The colors for Christ the King Sunday are white and gold, which symbolizes the majesty and glory of the Christ.





Sunday, December 14, 4:00 pm
Pre Service music begins at 3:40 pm
Reception to follow
36 Bowman Rd Amelia Island, FL

904-277-4414

# **Get Connected With Amelia Plantation Chapel**

## THIS WEEK AT THE CHAPEL

## **Today, November 23**

8:30 am: Choir Practice (Choir Room)

9:00 am: Worship Service

10:00 am: Coffee Fellowship (FH) 10:15 am: Bible Study (Meeting Room)

11:15 am: Worship Service

# Monday, November 24

10:00 am: Petal Pushers

## **Tuesday, November 25**

10:30 am: Mens Bible Study (last class)

# Wednesday, November 26

3:00 pm: Choir Practice

# Thursday, November 27 (Thanksgiving)

Office is closed

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## **Bible Study Classes**

 Sundays at 10:15 am:
 Sermon on the Mount led by Mark Edwards (Meeting Room)

• Mondays at 10:00 am: Resuming January 5

• Tuesdays at 10:30 am: Resuming in January

# **Homeless Children Christmas Ministry**

For the next week, wish lists for local students will be available in the Narthex after both services. We need volunteers to shop for gifts, both those who can use donated funds and those who wish to purchase gifts with their own money. Please deliver all duffle bags filled with gifts to Claudia's home (674 Ferdinand Ct.) on December 1, 2, or 3. If you need an alternate delivery day, call 912-294-4778 to arrange a time.

On Tuesday, December 2 at 10:30 a.m., we will gather in the Fellowship Hall for a gift wrapping party. Everyone is welcome to join

the fun.

## A Festival of Nine Lessons & Carols

Date: December 14 | Time: 4:00pm Join us for a captivating worship service featuring our Chapel choir & musicians retelling the story of the fall of humanity in Genesis to the birth of Christ according to St. Luke.

This event will beging with pre-service music at 3:40pm, followed by the service commencing with the chiming of the hour at 4:00pm. Afterward, there will be a reception with light refreshments.

# **Poinsettia Envelopes**

Envelopes to order poinsettias are available in the Narthex & Chaple office. Dealine: Sunday, December 14

**Offerings** 

Budgeted Offerings for 2025: \$1,623,870 Received Year to Date: \$1,501,774 Needed by December 31: \$122,096

Stewardship Estimate of Giving

Estimate of Giving Cards to Date: 189 Estimate of Giving Amount to Date: \$1,288,210

# You Are Welcome Here!

#### **Flower Calendar**

The 2025 calendar is in the Narthex. You may also call the Chapel office to reserve a date. \$75 suggested donation in honor of a special occasion.

## **Plant A Seed**

Please share this bulletin with someone you know to personally invite them to join us in worship on any Sunday at 9:00 or 11:15 am. Romans 10:17: So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.

#### **God Calls You By Name**

And we will too if you wear your name badge! If you don't have one, order by calling the Chapel office.

Please wear your name badge to all Chapel functions.

## **Hearing Assistance Devices**

Ask any usher for a wireless hearing device, which permits you to sit anywhere and hear the service clearly.

#### **Chapel Nursery**

The nursery is available for all children under the age of 5. Please keep any child with cold symptoms out of the nursery to avoid spreading germs. Thank you. Children's worship bags are also available to take into the Sanctuary during the service.

## **Holy Communion Matters**

As we remember Christ's sacrifice as the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, please be aware that if you need glutenfree Holy Communion wafers or would like to have the communion elements with you in the pew (rather than walking up front), please pick up a "communion packet" in the Chapel Narthex as you arrive to our worship service. Also know that the "wine" in both the glutenfree packets and served from the Lord's Table in the sanctuary is really grape juice.

## **Live Streaming Available**

For those unable to attend service live streaming is available on our website at www.ameliachapel.com.

## **2025 Governing Board/Committees**

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## **Chapel Staff**

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# **Today We Pray For**

## **Chapel Members**

Maggie Bruce Henry Turner Walt Petersen Shirley Spaniel

## **Relatives**

Dave Drissel,
brother of Dianne Gruber
Morgan DeNoers,
son of Harry DeNoers
Hayley Brammer, daughter
in-law of The Brammers
Barbara Broyles,
daughter of David & Janet
McGugan
Amanda DeHaven, daughter of
Cheryl Donaldson

## **Flowers**

'In loving memory of my beloved Bob" - Alissa Myatt "In memory of Clifford John Mack" - Beth Mack

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