Virtual Worship Outline for Christ Presbyterian Church November 22, 2020 Celebrating the Lord's Day Feast of Christ the King (Proper 29)

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

One: Lord, this election season has made us weary Many: Reign in us, Dear Lord, and give us rest One: Too often we fear for the division in our world Many: Reign in us, Dear Lord, and give us peace One: But worship can hold our fears and frustrations Many: Reign in us, Dear Lord, and show us love

One: To worship is to learn to lay down our lives

Many: Reign in us, Dear Lord, and teach us generosity One: To worship is to open ourselves up to transformation All: Dear Lord, reign in us and show us your glory

Prayer of the Day

*Hymn No. 363 Rejoice, the Lord is King!

Prayer of Confession

Faithful Friend and Mighty King, like sheep we too often forget the way home. We wander farther from You and pursue distractions of our own creation. We forget the stranger, the lonely, the outcast, and the vulnerable. God, when we lose our way, graciously lead us back to your paths. When our habits, biases, and prejudices stand in the way of the world's redeeming, rescue us from ourselves. Come, Lord Jesus. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Prayer for Illumination

Epistle Lesson Ephesians 1:15-23

One: The Word of God for the people of God!

All: Thanks be to God!

Special Music

Hebrew Scripture Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24

"Kings and Shepherds"

Meditation

Prayers of the People, Jesus' Prayer One: ...in your mercy, Many: Lord, hear our prayer.

*Hymn No. 840 When Peace Like a River

*Blessing and Benediction

Postlude