Prince of Peace Lutheran Church
Traditional Service
8:00am



The Sheep from the Goats

Sunday, November 26th, 2023

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Anaheim, CA 92802

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"This is the day the Lord has made let us rejoice and be glad in it."

A special welcome to all our guests and visitors: We are grateful to have you gather together with us as a community of faith where God promises to be present with us to deliver his gracious gifts of forgiveness, life, and salvation to each one of us on account of His Son, Jesus Christ. May you leave this service nurtured and strengthened in faith towards God, and may the grace and love of our Lord Jesus for you overflow into the lives of those you serve this week.

So that we may acknowledge your visit, we encourage newcomers to please fill out the RED BOOK in the pew pocket.

Children are welcome to worship here at Prince of Peace but if a little one (or their parent) needs a short break, you can still be a part of our service in our well-equipped Nursery. The nursery door is on the left side of the church and can be accessed through the kitchen if need be.

Please let us know how we might serve you: Feel free to talk to Pastor Darrin Sheek or one of our Elders, or you may contact our Church Secretary at Church@princeofpeaceanaheim.org or 714-774-0993 | www.Popanaheim.org

Confession and Absolution

Stand

905 Come, Thou Almighty King

The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.

P In the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

P Our help is in the name of the Lord,

C **who made heaven and earth.**

P If You, O Lord, kept a record of sins, O Lord, who could stand?

C **But with You there is forgiveness; therefore You are feared.**

P Since we are gathered to hear God's Word, call upon Him in prayer and praise, let us first consider our unworthiness and confess before God and one another that we have sinned in thought, word, and deed, and that we cannot free ourselves from our sinful condition. Together as His people let us take refuge in the infinite mercy of God, our heavenly Father, seeking His grace for the sake of Christ, and saying: God, be merciful to me, a sinner.

C **Almighty God, have mercy upon us, forgive us our sins, and lead us to everlasting life. Amen.**

P Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the T Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C **Amen.**

Service of the Word

Introit

Psalm 39:4–5a, 7–8, 12; antiphon: 2 Peter 3:13 NIV

In keeping with his promise we are looking forward to a new heaven and a new earth,
the home of righteousness.

O Lord, make me know my end and what is the measure of my days;
let me know how fleeting I am!

Behold, you have made my days a few handbreadths,
and my lifetime is as nothing before you.

And now, O Lord, for what do I wait?
My hope is in you.

Deliver me from all my transgressions.
Do not make me the scorn of the fool!

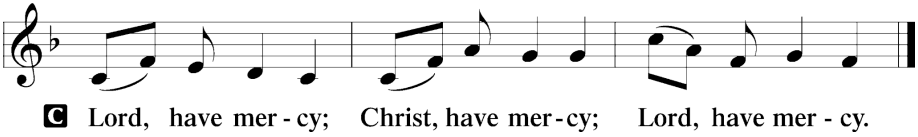
Hear my prayer, O Lord, and give ear to my cry; hold not your peace at my tears!
For I am a sojourner with you, a guest, like all my fathers.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning,
is now, and will be forever. Amen.

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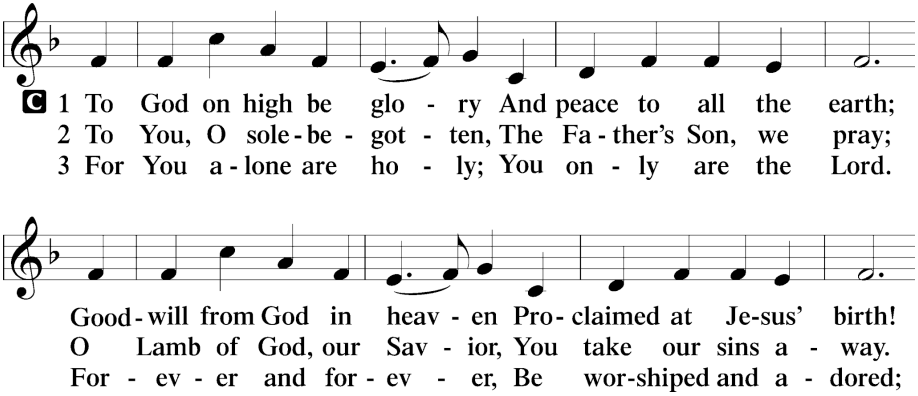
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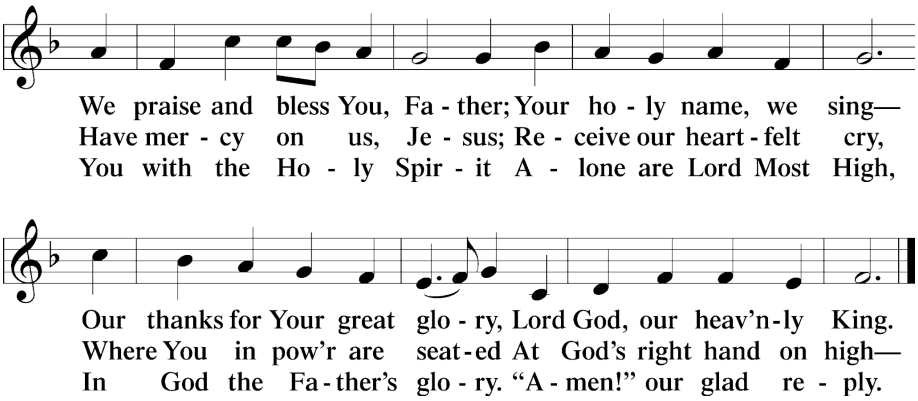
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Gloria in Excelsis

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Salutation and Collect of the Day

P The Lord be with you.

C **And also with you.**

P Let us pray.

Eternal God, merciful Father, You have appointed Your Son as judge of the living and the dead. Enable us to wait for the day of His return with our eyes fixed on the kingdom prepared for Your own from the foundation of the world; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

Sit

Old Testament Reading

Ezekiel 34:11–16, 20–24

11 "For thus says the Lord God: Behold, I, I myself will search for my sheep and will
seek them out. 12 As a shepherd seeks out his flock when he is among his sheep that
have been scattered, so will I seek out my sheep, and I will rescue them from all
places where they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. 13 And
I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will
bring them into their own land. And I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by
the ravines, and in all the inhabited places of the country. 14 I will feed them with
good pasture, and on the mountain heights of Israel shall be their grazing land.
There they shall lie down in good grazing land, and on rich pasture they shall feed
on the mountains of Israel. 15 I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I myself
will make them lie down, declares the Lord God. 16 I will seek the lost, and I will bring

back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, and the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them in justice. . . .

[20]"Therefore, thus says the Lord GOD to them: Behold, I, I myself will judge between the fat sheep and the lean sheep. [21]Because you push with side and shoulder, and thrust at all the weak with your horns, till you have scattered them abroad, [22]I will rescue my flock; they shall no longer be a prey. And I will judge between sheep and sheep. [23]And I will set up over them one shepherd, my servant David, and he shall feed them: he shall feed them and be their shepherd. [24]And I, the LORD, will be their God, and my servant David shall be prince among them. I am the LORD; I have spoken."

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm

Psalm 95:1–7a; antiphon: v. 7a

[1]Oh come, let us sing to the LORD;
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
[2]Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;
let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!
[3]For the LORD is a great God,
and a great King above all gods.
[4]In his hand are the depths of the earth;
the heights of the mountains are his also.
[5]The sea is his, for he made it,
and his hands formed the dry land.

[6]Oh come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!
[7]For he is our God,
and we are the people of his pasture,
and the sheep of his hand.

Epistle

1 Corinthians 15:20–28

[20]But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who have fallen asleep. [21]For as by a man came death, by a man has come also the resurrection of the dead. [22]For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. [23]But each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. [24]Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power. [25]For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. [26]The last enemy to be destroyed is death. [27]For "God has put all things in subjection under his feet." But when it says, "all things are put in subjection," it is plain that he is excepted who put

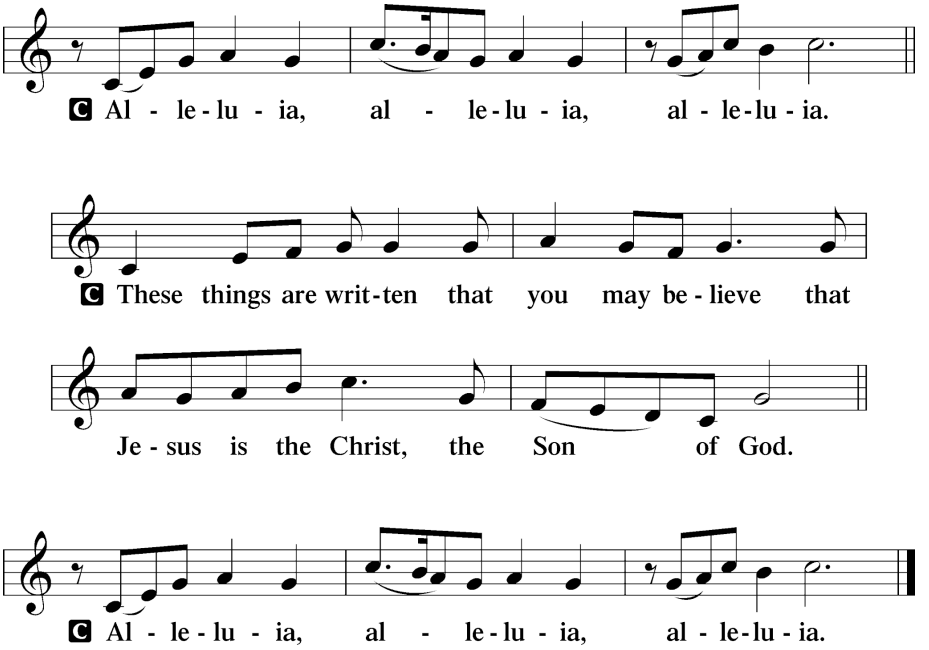
all things in subjection under him. [28]When all things are subjected to him, then the Son himself will also be subjected to him who put all things in subjection under him, that God may be all in all.

A This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Stand

Alleluia and Verse



Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:31–46

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-fifth chapter.

C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

31[Jesus said:] "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with
him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. 32Before him will be gathered all the
nations, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the
sheep from the goats. 33And he will place the sheep on his right, but the goats on
the left. 34Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed
by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the
world. 35For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me
drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, 36I was naked and you clothed me, I
was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.' 37Then the
righteous will answer him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed
you, or thirsty and give you drink? 38And when did we see you a stranger and
welcome you, or naked and clothe you? 39And when did we see you sick or in
prison and visit you?' 40And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you
did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.'
41"Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you cursed, into the
eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. 42For I was hungry and you gave
me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me no drink, 43I was a stranger and you did
not welcome me, naked and you did not clothe me, sick and in prison and you did
not visit me.' 44Then they also will answer, saying, 'Lord, when did we see you
hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to
you?' 45Then he will answer them, saying, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did not do it to
one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' 46And these will go away into
eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

Nicene Creed

C **I believe in one God,**
the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the only-begotten Son of God,

begotten of His Father before all worlds,
God of God, Light of Light,
very God of very God,
begotten, not made,
being of one substance with the Father,
by whom all things were made;
who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven
and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary
and was made man;
and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.
He suffered and was buried.
And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures
and ascended into heaven
and sits at the right hand of the Father.
And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead,
whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord and giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified,
who spoke by the prophets.
And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,
I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,
and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life T **of the world to come. Amen.**

Sit

532 The Head That Once Was Crowned with Thorns

Sermon

Stand

Prayer of the Church

A Lord, in Your mercy,

C **hear our prayer.**

Lord's Prayer

C **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
and the power and the glory
forever and ever. Amen.

Prayer

Almighty and merciful God, we have again worshiped in Your presence and received both forgiveness for our many sins and the assurance of Your love in Jesus Christ. We thank You for this undeserved grace and ask You to keep us in faith until we inherit eternal salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Benedicamus *LSB 212*

A Let us bless the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

Benediction

P The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and T give you peace.

C **Amen.**

Sit

785 We Praise You, O God

Offering



We ask God that our congregation remains healthy and safe! We pray for everyone's continued health and strength as we move forward!

- We pray for our school staff and all of our students and families that God has placed in our care here at Prince of Peace Lutheran School, this year. We pray for continued good health for our staff to continue their dedication, commitment and love for the families and students that God has placed in our school. We are so thankful for their loving service each and every day. We keep our school & staff in our prayers daily.
- We give thanks to God for the love and financial support from the congregation as we continue to see His blessings each day in our ministries here at Prince of Peace.
- We thank God for all the new and returning families at our school this year. We continue to pray for and welcome new families & students throughout the school year.
- We pray that members at Prince of Peace grow in faith and love for one another, willing to give of our gifts and talents within the congregation, serving and sharing Christ with our neighbors, family, and friends.
- For Cynthia Cade for healing and strength
- For Brian Zeilenga, we give thanks for his new job and continue to pray for his family.
- For Warren Carr, for strength and healing
- For Robin Biringer for continued care and healing
- For Steve Champeau for finding employment
- For Bob Sheppard for care and healing during treatment for prostate cancer
- Don and Glenda Bevans for strength and continued care for Don
- For Randy Cade for improvement of back and hip pain
- For John Henderson for recovering from back surgery
- For Christina Carr for employment
- For Ben, Grandfather of Milo for help and healing with medical complications
- For Monty, friend of the Lansdale family, experiencing memory problems.
- For Lisa Gilbertson, for continued healing and care and thanksgiving for a successful angiogram
- Comfort for the Moreno family over the death of Janet's Father
- For Sharon Walter, sister of Lynn Zeilenga, for comfort and healing from illness
- For Roman, for recovery from covid and kidney failure.

Requests are removed from the bulletin after 3 weeks, unless requested.



Advent Soup Suppers are here! Dec 6, 13, 20

· Please join us every Wednesday in Advent for soup supper at 6:00pm, followed by worship at 7:00. Sign up in the fellowship room to bring a soup or dessert.

Dec 6th: "Joseph, don't be afraid" – The Angel to Joseph - Matthew 1:18-25

Sunday School and Sunday Bible Study

· Sunday School is held every Sunday at 9:15am for all children age 4-12.
Topic: : Jesus' Sends out His Disciples

· Adult Sunday School for all at 9:15am.
Led By: Pastor Sheek | Topic: What is Christianity?

Tuesday Morning Bible Study:

· Join us this Tuesday @ 9:30am, as we study the book of Hebrews.
Led By: Elder Steven Sarandis | Topic: Hebrews

Wednesday Bible Study – On Break

· Please join us December 6th for our first Soup Supper of the Advent Season

Saturday Morning Women's Bible Study

· Ladies, please join us This Saturday morning at **9:30am**. If you are interested in joining us, please feel free to Email Kim Violette for this week's study material: violettefamily5@gmail.com
Led By: Kim Violette

Staying in the loop:

· We are sending out a "News and Updates" email each Wednesday. Please be sure the church office has your email on file. Thank you!

Supporting your church:

· The church needs your support! Please continue to pray for the ongoing ministries at Prince of Peace, and for one another. You can also give securely online at:
https://princeofpeaceanaheim.com/payments

You may sign up to purchase live altar flowers in honor of a loved one, in thanksgiving, or for a special occasion. sign-up sheet in Fellowship hall





Notes

The Sheep and the Goats

All the nations will be gathered in his presence, and he will separate the people as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. Matthew 25:32





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PRISON	THIRSTY	HUNGRY	SICK	STRANGER
VISIT	INVITE	LEAST	EAT	TRUTH