## **ORDER OF WORSHIP** CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY ~ BAPTISMAL COVENANT

10 a.m. November 26, 2023 \* indicates "stand if you are able." UMH is the blue hymnal. TFWS is the small black book. PRELUDE "Andantino" by Edward MacDowell INTROIT "Come. Ye Thankful People, Come" CUMC Adult Choir by George Elvey/arr. by Don Chapman Previously Recorded WELCOME ALL CHILDREN OF GOD GREETINGS One: The Grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you. And also with you. All: The risen Christ is with us. One: All: Praise the Lord! PASSING OF THE PEACE The peace of the Lord be with you One: And also with you All: Let us share God's love and peace with one another. One: "Our God is an Awesome God" \*HYMN (2x)**TFWS #2040** CALL TO WORSHIP One: Make a joyful noise, a noise of service and love. Praise God with lives of compassion All: Sing with acts of kindness. One: Glorify God with acts of mercy. All: One: Praise God with works of justice. Praise God with overflowing love. All: **OPENING PRAYER** God of grace and God of glory, reveal yourself through our lives and our love. Shine your wisdom and truth into our hearts this day. Help us know the hope to which we are called, that we may be the servants you craft us to be. In your glory and grace, we pray. Amen.

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## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, open our hearts so that we are able to admit to you the fullness of our lives – that which is beautiful and good, and that which is hurtful and hateful. We confess that we do not follow Jesus in all that we do. We love with condition. We judge and condemn. We cast the first stone, and keep the logs in our own eyes. We do not turn to You as the source of our healing. Forgive us, we pray. Forgive our sin, and empower us to be imitators of Christ in love and service. Amen.

## SILENT PRAYER

## ACCUDANCE OF FORCIVENECO

ASSUR One: All:	Sisters and brothers in Christ, know this: the mercy of God is from everlasting to everlasting. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven. Alleluia! Amen.					
	TURE READINGS	-				
A READING FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT Acts 2:37-42						
A REA	DING FROM THI	Matthew 28:18-20				
One: <b>All:</b>	The Word of G Thanks be to G	iod for the people of G God.	od			
TESTIN	TESTIMONY A Walk to Emmaus		mmaus	Virginia Lorenzi		
SERMON <i>"The Gift of Bap</i>		he Gift of Baptism"		Rev. Sue H. Yun		
INVITATION TO GIVE OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS With hearts wide open, with spirits ready to serve and give, let us bring our gifts and treasures to share with those in need of God's love.						
WEEKLY OFFERING & NOISY OFFERING						
OFFER	TORY ANTHEM	5	Thanksgiving" n Pethel	CUMC Adult Choir		
*DOX	OLOGY	"Praise God, from Wh	om All Blessings Flow"	UMH #95		
Sheph they o	offer shelter from	nsform these gifts into m the storms of life. N	o nourishment for a hu lay they bring kindnes en as you transform th	s and compassion		

might be your hands and feet in the world. Amen.

We celebro Chelsea & Mariel & Jo *HYMN *BENEDICT One: See All: We One: See	SMAL COVENANT SERVICE ate the baptism of Marina Francesca Hathaw Cara Hathaway-Livoti. Baby Marina's Spons ordan Talmage. May God bless them all. "Crown Him with Many Crowns" TION AND SENDING FORTH k the lost and care for the wounded. will strengthen the weak and encourage the k justice and love mercy. will be God's mercy and love for the world	ors are her Aunt and Uncle, UMH #327 ne downtrodden.	<b>Метноріsт Сниксн</b> New York 11758 • (516) 541-7008 26, 2023
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