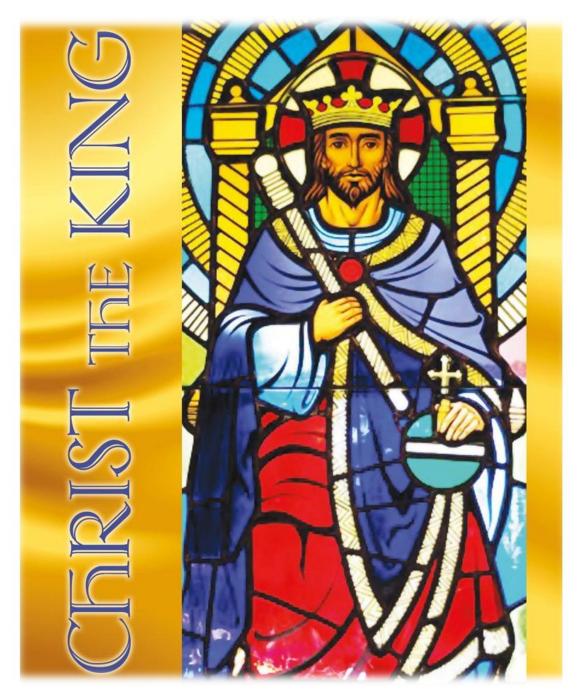
Welcome To Worship



November 23rd, 2025



PRELUDE MUSIC WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS INVITATION TO REST

OPENING SENTENCES

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! I myself will gather my flock and bring them back to their fold.

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

I will raise up for David a righteous branch, who shall reign and deal wisely and execute justice and righteousness in the land.

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God will give knowledge of salvation to his people by the forgiveness of their sins.

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By the tender mercy of our God, the dawn from on high will break upon us to give light to those who sit in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. AMEN

OPENING HYMN #367 "Come Ye Thankful People Come" (Vs 1 & 3)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Leader: Merciful God, You are the giver of every good gift, and the sustainer of our lives. As we come before You in this season of thanksgiving, we confess that we have not always lived with grateful hearts.

People: We confess the ways we have taken Your blessings for granted. We have been quick to complain, slow to praise, and often blind to the needs of others. We have trusted in our own strength instead of resting in Your grace.

Leader: Forgive us, O Lord.
Turn our hearts again to You.
Teach us to see Your mercy in every moment and to live as thankful people—grateful in word, generous in deed, and faithful in love.

(Silent prayer of confession...)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader:

Hear the good news:
The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases;
His mercies never come to an end—
they are new every morning.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven, renewed, and restored.

Let us live as people of grace, overflowing with thanksgiving to God.

People:

Thanks be to God! Amen.

with joy and thanksgiving.

RESPONSE HYMN

#647

"Give Thanks"

SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST (Responsive)

The Peace of Christ be with you! And Also, with you! Let us share a sign of God's peace with one another.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Come Christians Join to Sing" Bells

SCRIPTURE

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God!

MESSAGE "Travel Light, Trust God" Rev. Nancy Emerson

MOMENT OF REFLECTION

HYMN OF REFLECTION #265 "Jesus Shall Reign" (Vs. 1,4,5)

PRAYERS & GIFTS OF THE PEOPLE

Lord in your mercy. Hear our prayer.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (forgive us our "sins")

BLESSING AND CHARGE (Responsive)

Beloved children of God receive the gift of the Holy Spirit, the grace of Jesus Christ, and the blessing of the Lord forever.

Alleluia! Amen.

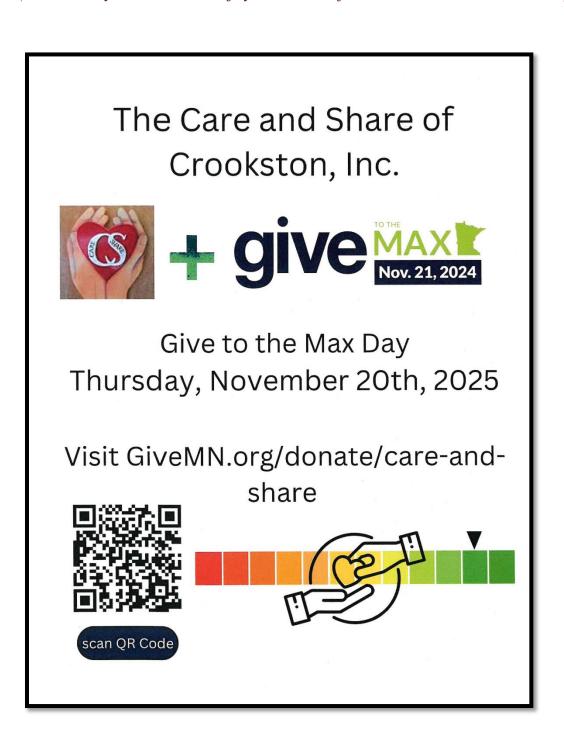
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DISMISSAL (Responsive)

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God. Amen.

POSTLUDE

(Please stay seated and enjoy the music from our talented musicians)



November 23rd – November 30th, 2025

Sunday- November 23rd, 2025

10:45 am Worship

11:45 am Coffee Fellowship

Reader.....Ralph Pester

Tuesday- November 25th, 2025

6:00pm - Area Women's Chorus

Wednesday- November 26th, 2025

6:00pm - NO BELLS

Thursday- November 27th, 2025

1:00pm - NO BOOK STUDY

Next Sunday- November 30th, 2025

10:45 am Worship11:45 am Coffee Fellowship

Pianist......George French
Music Director.....Sandy Perkins
Reader....Sandy Perkins



Annual Thanksgiving Dinner



Drive through **take-out meals** from 11:30-12:30

and

In house (Buffet-style) serving from 12:30-1:30

Thursday, November 27, 2025

Cathedral | 702 Summit Ave. | Crookston

