

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

NOVEMBER 24, 2024



Reflection—It is often difficult to hear the truth especially when it goes contrary to what we want to believe. It can also be difficult to discern what is the truth at times. Are you committed to the truth? What does it mean to be committed to the truth? Ask the Spirit to help you discern what is “truth” and to become more committed to it.

Anyone committed to the truth bears my voice.

~John 18:37

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GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

READING I

Dn 7:13-14

As the visions during the night continued, I saw one like a Son of man coming, on the clouds of heaven; when he reached the Ancient One and was presented before him, the one like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship; all peoples, nations, and languages serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not be taken away, his kingship shall not be destroyed.

The Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5

R. The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty.

READING II

Rv 1:5-8

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead and ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood, who has made us into a kingdom, priests for his God and Father, to him be glory and power forever and ever. Amen. Behold, he is coming amid the clouds, and every eye will see him, even those who pierced him. All the peoples of the earth will lament him. Yes. Amen.

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, " says the Lord God, "the one who is and who was and who is to come, the almighty."

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ALLELUIA

Mk 11:9, 10

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Blessed is the kingdom of our father David that is to come!

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

GOSPEL

Jn 18:33b-37

Pilate said to Jesus, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you say this on your own or have others told you about me?" Pilate answered, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom does not belong to this world. If my kingdom did belong to this world, my attendants would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not here." So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

The Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

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I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.* For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.



PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

“O Sacrament Most Holy,
O Sacrament Divine,
All praise and all thanksgiving,
Be every moment thine.”

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PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Please respond, *“Lord, hear our prayer.”*

That the Church will be known by all as a house of mercy where the truth of the Gospel is tirelessly preached.

We pray to the Lord

For world leaders: that they will see their power as a sharing in the authority of God and seek to conform their policies to his designs.

We pray to the Lord

That the culture of life proclaimed by Christ the King will reign in every human heart.

We pray to the Lord

For those suffering from slavery to sin: that Christ the King will liberate them.

We pray to the Lord

That the justice of Christ the King will rid the world of every trace of hatred.

We pray to the Lord

For the grace this week to surrender ourselves in obedience to the Kingdom of God.

We pray to the Lord

For the intentions inscribed in our book of prayer, in our prayer baskets, and lifted to Jesus in the quiet of our heart.

We pray to the Lord

For all of our beloved dead, especially...

4:00 p.m.: Steve Brazzale

6:00 p.m.: Nathan Ostrowski

8:30 a.m.: Jim Falk

10:30 a.m.: John Herman

We pray to the Lord