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The Last Sunday after Pentecost

Christ the King

8:00 Holy Eucharist: Rite One

Please remember to wear your mask while indoors and maintain a 3-foot distance from others throughout the service.

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See 10:00

AT THE OFFERTORY

Celebrant

All things come of thee, O Lord.

People And of thine own have we given thee.

Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING, EUCHARISTIC PRAYER I

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10:00 Holy Eucharist: Rite Two

Please remember to wear your mask while indoors and maintain a 3-foot distance from others throughout the service.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Sextons of the Bell

PRELUDE

Sonata no. 12 in F Major, KV 332

Mvt. I – Allegro

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE RECTOR

OPENING HYMN 450 “All hail the power of Jesus’ Name!”

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under his most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons and Creed

THE FIRST LESSON Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14

As I watched, thrones were set in place, and an Ancient One took his throne, his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames, and its wheels were burning fire. A stream of fire issued and flowed out from his presence. A thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood attending him. The court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. As I watched in the night visions, I saw one like a human being coming with the clouds of heaven. And he came to the Ancient One and was presented before him. To him was given dominion and glory and kingship, that all peoples, nations, and

languages should serve him. His dominion is an everlasting dominion that shall not pass away, and his kingship is one that shall never be destroyed.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

PSALM 93 *Dominus regnavit*

- 1 The LORD is King;
he has put on splendid apparel; *
the LORD has put on his apparel
and girded himself with strength.
- 2 He has made the whole world so sure *
that it cannot be moved;
- 3 Ever since the world began, your throne has
been established; *
you are from everlasting.
- 4 The waters have lifted up, O LORD,
the waters have lifted up their voice; *
the waters have lifted up their pounding
waves.
- 5 Mightier than the sound of many waters,
mightier than the breakers of the sea, *
mightier is the LORD who dwells on high.
- 6 Your testimonies are very sure, *
and holiness adorns your house, O LORD,
for ever and for evermore.

THE SECOND LESSON Revelation 1:4b-8

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega,"

says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

HYMN 382 “King of glory, King of peace” (vs. 1-2)

THE GOSPEL John 18:33-37

*Response before the Gospel: **Glory to you, Lord Christ.***

Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” Jesus answered, “Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?” Pilate replied, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?” Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.” Pilate asked him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that 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.”

*Response after the Gospel: **Praise to you, Lord Christ.***

HYMN 382 “King of glory, King of peace” (vs. 3)

THE SERMON

The Rev. D. Andrew Olivo

THE NICENE CREED

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THE PRAYERS, FORM VI AND CONFESSION

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THE ABSOLUTION

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THE PEACE

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Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Please refrain from sharing the Peace in a physical way except with members of your household. A wave, simple bow, or peace sign is appropriate for all others.

A PRAYER FOR THOSE WHO CANNOT RECEIVE COMMUNION

The Book of Common Prayer says that those who desire to receive the Holy Eucharist but physically cannot are to be assured that all the graces of the Sacrament are still given by God.

Blessed Jesus, we believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and we pray you to come into the hearts of those who cannot receive this morning. We unite ourselves with you and embrace you with all our hearts, our souls, and our minds. Let nothing separate us from you. Let us serve you in this life until, by your grace, we come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace. Amen.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Sing, my soul, His wondrous love Ned Rorem

Soloists Quartet: Anastasia Swope, Alicia Luick,
Gregory Hostetler, Anthony Alberti

Ushers will not be passing offering plates at this service, but you are invited to leave your gift in the plate in the Narthex at the end of the service. We are grateful for your generous support of our many ministries at St. Elizabeth's.

DOXOLOGY (Hymn 380, stanza 3)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God all creatures here below,
Praise God above ye heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Holy Communion

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THE PREFACE OF BAPTISM p. 381

...Because in Jesus Christ our Lord you have received us as your sons and daughters, made us citizens of your kingdom, and given us the Holy Spirit to guide us into all truth. ...

SANCTUS Hymnal, S-129 p. 362

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THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

AGNUS DEI Hymnal, S-158

At St. Elizabeth's we offer God's blessing to everyone during the celebration of the Holy Eucharist. All baptized Christians are invited to receive the consecrated bread and wine, either standing or kneeling. Gluten-free hosts are available upon request. Those who are not baptized or who prefer not to receive are invited to receive a blessing in the name of God. Simply cross your arms over your chest as a sign to the Eucharistic Ministers.

The parish clergy will bring the consecrated bread to you after the Eucharistic prayer. You may either remain standing or kneel at your pew, and they will place the host in your open hand. Consecrated wine will not be distributed during this time. The clergy will be sanitizing their hands prior to serving communion. Please take a moment to sanitize your hands with the hand sanitizer available in the pews.

After the priest has served everyone in your row, you may momentarily remove your mask to consume the consecrated bread before replacing your mask. Gluten-free hosts are available when needed; simply tell the priest when they come to you.

If you would prefer to receive a blessing only, please cross your arms over your chest as a sign to the priest.

After you have received the Holy Eucharist, you may sit or kneel in your pew.

HYMNS DURING COMMUNION

Hymn 324 "Let all mortal flesh keep silence"

Hymn 341 "For the bread which you have broken"

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

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THE BLESSING

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CLOSING HYMN 494 "Crown him with many crowns"

The congregation can exit the church either at the conclusion of the hymn or the postlude. Please maintain a safe distance from others as you exit and do not crowd in the hallways. There will be a simple Coffee Hour in the Courtyard (weather permitting) and Parish Hall. Masks are not required outdoors, but they are

encouraged for those who are not yet vaccinated or who have underlying health issues. Please maintain a safe distance from other households while enjoying your refreshments and fellowship.

THE DISMISSAL

POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune in D Major

Georg Philipp Telemann

The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Mollie Galletly, for the life and love of her mother, by Mary Szurly; and in loving memory of Nancy's grandparents, Frederick A. and Kathleen A. Nelson, and her parents, Fredric A. and Doris Riley Nelson, by Ralph and Nancy Nelson Currey; and in loving memory of Patricia Scheelje Reinauer and B. Franklin Reinauer by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

The Nursery (Infant – PreK 3s) Is Open! Parents with babies up through 3-Year-Olds, come on upstairs to our new nursery space on the second floor and meet our attendant, Annabelle Winston! Annabelle is a senior at Bergen Academies, has certifications in Childcare, CPR, and Heimlich Maneuver Infant to Adult, and has a dedicated love of and experience in working with little ones.

Our COVID Protocols Parishioners are no longer required to pre-register for services, and we are no longer going to assign seats. We still ask that you enter through the California Street doors and give your names to the person at the check-in desk. You can then proceed to the church and find an open seat. We will continue to rope off every other pew, and we ask that you be mindful of other households as you seat yourselves. If you need any assistance finding a seat, please check with one of our ushers. At this time, our bishop asks that when we gather indoors for services (particularly when there is congregational singing) that we continue to remain masked. Masks continue to be optional when outdoors for Coffee Hour and other parish gatherings.

Nametags Now that we are able to gather for Coffee Hour again, please feel free to get your nametag from the board next to the elevator and wear it during and after the service. If you do not have a nametag, please contact Ann Dowling in the Church Office (adowling@stesridgewood.org or 201-444-2299) to let her know.

Outdoor Coffee Hour today We will have small bottled waters and individually wrapped goodies available after the service outside in the Courtyard (*weather permitting*) and the Parish Hall. Please join us for refreshments and fellowship. **We are in need of Coffee Hour hosts for upcoming Sundays.** Please sign up on the sign-up board if you would like to help.

The Church Office is open Monday—Friday from 10:00 am—4:00 pm Please note that COVID safety regulations are still in place: The outer doors are locked, and masks and social distancing are required. To enter the building, please call 201-444-2299 when you arrive.

Attention....Teen Outreach 3rd Annual Food Drive Pick-up THIS SUNDAY, November 21st at 2:00 pm We placed more than 500 bags last weekend! Please join us as we head out this afternoon to pick up the more than 500 filled bags we dropped off at neighbors' houses last Sunday. We will then sort and deliver the food to three local food pantries. To sign up, please click [HERE](#) or go to: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1THVgW_yz966RgoFS1vQfM5VNnA1dOHjiYsSVdMgKkp0/edit

Teen Outreach will continue to help the YMCA with its food distribution from 3:30 pm—4:30 pm this Tuesday, November 23rd. It's the same sign-up every week! Never done it before? It's easy! Meet in front of the Y, help bundle donated food into bags. Cars pull up and we drop them in registered recipients' trunks.

Teen Outreach – Other Ways to Help! We are looking for acolytes and readers to participate in Sunday Church Services. Please email mvonsummer@gmail.com if you are interested in returning to acolyting, learning to acolyte, or reading in church at some point this year or next!

Please join Teen Outreach's Thanksgiving Food Drive efforts! All church members who would like to contribute non-perishable boxed and canned goods to Teen Outreach's food drive can leave donations in the box outside the California Street church doors up until November 21st. Items will benefit Emmanuel Cancer Foundation, New Hope Community Ministries, and St Paul's CDC's food pantries.

100 Days of Dante – Exiting the Inferno This Wednesday, November 24, the great Dante *Divine Comedy* reading will be at Canto 34, thankfully completing our journey through Hell. Please join in a Zoom discussion on Monday, November 29th at 7:00 pm so we can share thoughts and highlights of our own journey traveling beside Dante and Virgil. Click here to join the meeting: [Dante Inferno Discussion](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8389084437?pwd=ZlZaUWltbHk5Si9SZ083UFo4Q1NVQT09) or go to <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8389084437?pwd=ZlZaUWltbHk5Si9SZ083UFo4Q1NVQT09>

Any questions? Contact Jim or Diane Alimena.

Advent Renewal of the Parish Prayer List As we seek to revitalize our use of the parish prayer list and to refocus our attention on those for whom we pray, please remember that we will refresh our list on the First Sunday in Advent, November 28th. If you would like to add a name or continue a name that was included on our Pentecost list, please notify Ann Dowling in the Church Office by this Tuesday, November 23rd (adowling@stesridgewood.org or 201-444-2299).

Festival of Lessons & Carols On Sunday, December 5th at 4:00 pm we are delighted to offer a Festival of Lessons and Carols. It is a beautiful, candle-lit service, featuring Old and New Testament readings with Carols and Anthems sung by our Senior Choir, Soloists, and Scholars. George Swope will be our Guest Organist. Lessons and Carols also offers opportunities for the congregation to sing the beautiful music of Advent and Christmas with our choir. Highlights include works by Giovanni Palestrina, John Rutter, Grayston Ives, Tomás Luis de Victoria, Daniel Kantor, Ola Gjielo, and seasonal favorites arranged by David Willcocks. Please invite

your family, friends, and neighbors to this highlight of the season!

Christmas Memorials Our Christmas memorials provide all the poinsettias, greens, and bows used to decorate the church for the festive season of Christmas. *Anyone wishing to have a Christmas memorial for the first time or to change an existing one* should contact Mary Szurly at 201-337-3167 by Sunday, December 5th. If you have had a memorial in previous years and there is no change, there is no need to contact Mary. The cost per memorial is \$25.00. Checks should be made payable to **St. Elizabeth's Church** with "**Christmas memorial**" written in the memo area.

2021 ECW Christmas Greens Sale – The ECW Greens Sale Tradition Continues! *NEW for 2021*, the ECW (Episcopal Church Women) of St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church of Ridgewood invite you to purchase your Christmas greens and decorations at **Goffle Brook Farm and Garden Center**, 424 Goffle Road, Ridgewood, 201-652-7540 (www.gofflebrookfarms.com/) When you pick out your Wreaths, Roping, Grave Blankets, Poinsettias, Lights, Ornaments, or Centerpieces, mention you are supporting St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church of Ridgewood. Goffle Brook Farm will generously donate 15% of the pre-tax sale* (**excludes Christmas Tree and Firewood purchases*) to our ECW fund to support programs for women and children. Shop between November 26 and December 24. Open 7 days a week: 8:30 am–6:00 pm Sunday–Wednesday; 8:30 am–8:00 pm Thursday–Saturday. Thank you for supporting the work of St. Elizabeth's ECW. Call Caroline Angelica @ 201-638-5829 with any questions.

Weekday Morning Prayer The service is live on Zoom Monday through Friday. On Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday the service is also in the Chapel at St. Elizabeth's. This is a successful blend of in-person and online worship. The church and Zoom room open at 8:20. Please use the door opposite the stairs to the Rectory. To participate via Zoom: Go to zoom.us and select "Join A Meeting." Enter the Meeting ID: 858 4728 7483 Password (if asked): Morning.

Contact Jim Alimena at jim.alimena@gmail.com with any questions.

Friday Women's Book Group You are welcome to join with other women via Zoom Fridays from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. For Advent we are reading two stories from the book *Christmas at Fairacre* by Miss Read. This author is known for her gentle and cozy reads set in English villages circa the mid-20th century. Friday, December 3 – "Village Christmas"; Friday, December 10 – "No Holly for Miss Quinn." On Friday, December 17 we will read a collection of 6 poems reflecting on the season. These will be provided online or as a booklet. Is someone asking what you would like for Christmas? Why not ask for a copy of *The Sisters of Sinai* by Janet Soskice. This true story will be our January read and begins "*On 13 April 1893, The London Daily News brought an extraordinary story...Two ladies, a Mrs. Lewis and her sister, Mrs. Gibson, had travelled to Mount Sinai and discovered an ancient manuscript of the Four Gospels.*" You are always welcome and your presence will enrich our group! [Friday Book Group Zoom Link](#) OR go to zoom.us and select "Join A Meeting" then enter the Meeting ID: 858 4728 7483 Password: Book. Please contact Diane Alimena at d.alimena@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Please remember to give Parishioners may now e-pay their pledges and make their other charitable donations to St. Elizabeth's online. The secure Online Giving portal may be found on our website. The Online Giving page may be directly accessed on the Online Giving tab at the top, underneath the St. Elizabeth's banner. If you have not returned a pledge card and would like to do so, the form may be downloaded from our website. Just click on The Church tab at the top of the page, then scroll to Stewardship and select Annual Pledging. You may also request a pledge card from the Church Office by contacting Ann Dowling at adowling@stesridgewood.org or 551-206-6999). ***Your generous gifts allow us to continue to do our good work, which is needed now more than ever.***

Connect with us online

We're on Facebook!

- To find us on Facebook, simply type "St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church of Ridgewood" in the Facebook search tab, or click on the link on our website. **Please note that anyone can access the services available on our Facebook page**, even those who have not signed up for Facebook.
- If you have a personal Facebook page, please Like us! And also share St. Elizabeth's posts with your friends; we can call this e-evangelism!
- Additionally, we invite you to Like our church's Instagram page. Look for pictures of our beautiful stained glass windows and other treasures from around St. Elizabeth's Church. It's another way you can feel connected to our church even while you are away from it.

Our weekly e-blasts continue. If you are having issues with receiving St. E-News communiques, please:

- Check your Spam or Junk folders.
- Make sure you have added us to your Contacts list.
- Contact Abby Lee (alee@stesridgewood.org)

Serve Christ

From our Rector...

- Check in on your friends and neighbors and fellow parishioners.
- Say your prayers.
- Do small acts with great love.

Those assisting at today's service:

Lector:	8:00	Catherine Carter
	10:00	Ann Dowling
Eucharistic Minister:	8:00	Catherine Carter
	10:00	Ann Dowling
Processional Crucifer:	10:00	William Conde
Clergy Crucifer:	10:00	Lindsey von Summer
Ushers:	10:00	Don Chappell, Chris Walsh
Altar Guild:		Pilar Meola, Gigo Taylor
Livestream Guild:	10:00	Chet Klope

Check-In: 10:00 Ann Dowling
Coffee Hour: 10:00 Catherine Olivo, Susan
Munhall

The Wardens and Vestry Mary Hayes and Peter Angelica, *Wardens*; Jim Alimena, Matthew Croy, Ed Ferrara, Karina Ferrales, Tim Graham, David Jones, Susan Munhall, Alice Palmer, Marnie Price, Karla Tombaugh, Diane Walker, Wayne Yankus

The Staff of St. Elizabeth's The Rev. D. Andrew Olivo, *Rector*, The Rev. Susan A. Schink, *Non-stipendiary Priest Associate*; Garah Landes, *Organist and Choirmaster*; Catherine L. Hostetler, *Associate Choirmaster*; Beth Van Emburgh, *Associate for Children, Youth, and Family Ministries*; Ann Dowling, *Parish Administrator*; Grace Arscott, *Financial Administrator*; Abby Lee, *Communications Coordinator*; Fredy Reyes, *Sexton*; Anthony Alberti, Greg Hostetler, Alicia Luick, and Anastasia Swope, *Soloists*

Intercessory Prayer List November 21, 2021

Virginia DuDeck	Grace Hickey	Paul
Clark Nicholas	Claire Lent	Douglas Malcolm
Sr. Maureen Mitten	John & Dakota	Paul Carrizo
Dana Amadeo	Lobo	Steven
Margaret Seiter	Jane & Monty	Rob
Maryellen O'Neill	Pauline Fiore	Bill Cooper
Sally Hirschey	The Schmid Family	June
Meghan	Helen Barrand	Carol Outten
Steve	Paula Stukenborg	Charles Hoy
Coral Weber	Alex Casazza	Lisa and Bob
Celeste Herrick	Marty Melamed	Adrienne
Rohan II	Elizabeth Sofia	The Lo Schiavo
John Bové	Vincent DeSimone	Family
John Mills	David Barrand	Emilio Cheuy
Mary	Harvey Auger	Craig and Family
Jane Richardson	Catherine	Nancy Mecca
Syd Salt	Patrick	Tate Wilson
Rhys	Johnny	Deborah Q.
Ken Dudzik	Buddy	Michael Calderone
Michael Dudzik	Mary P.	Alessia Piacenza
George & Shelley	John	Mike Dee
Mackey	Therèse	David
Alan & Marilyn	Maria	Aster Riley
Michel	Luciano	Terry Jordan
Harry & Jean	Jennifer Bergeron	Mardelle Ebell
Place	Baby Luca	Sylvia Jordan
Jim & Julie	Frances Swope	Bill Yeomans
Robertson	Marty Doggett	Gina LaFurn
James Pring	Vicky Hoy	Vic Cenicola
Maylin	The Morley Family	Erna Tom
Aria	Melinda Bessenger	Jane McHugh
Amy	Andrew	Kata Ferrales
Marylou Stettaford	Bill Keeley	
Dorothea Hickey	The Hannon Family	

We remember also those who have died, especially Guy Maioriello, Robert Braverman, Karen Webster, and John Kliegl.