Sermon Notes

"If You Are The King of the Jews"
Luke 23:26-43

What does Jesus Christ mean to us?
He has
He came to
He offers
Who has He come to save that I have overlooked?
Jesus came to save
What that says about us?:
1st as people / individuals
2nd as the church
What will you bring?

Lectionary Text for December 1

Isaiah 2:1-5 Romans 13:11-14 Psalm 122 Matthew 24:36-44

Contact Information for Hale Bishop

If you need to get in touch with Rev. Hale Bishop, please either call the church office (598-8460) or you may call his cell number (912-800-5345). In addition, his email address is hale@siumc.org.

Church Controller

Our controller, Amel Nefatni with Lucas & Associates, CPAs, can be contacted by emailing amel@siumc.org or by calling her at 912-777-6936.

The Order of Worship

Christ the King Sunday November 24, 2019 at 8:30 am

Let the people be in silent meditation and prayer upon entering the Sanctuary.

Westminster Chimes

Prelude MIT FREUDEN ZART Bohemian Brethren

Call to Worship

*Hymn 715 Rejoice, the Lord is King DARWALL'S 148TH

*Affirmation Nicene Creed No. 880

*Gloria Patri No. 70

Greeting Michelle Johnson

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Response 189 Fairest Lord Jesus (1st Verse) ST. ELIZABETH

Scripture Reading Luke 23:26-43 Pew Bible NT p. 83

Sermon "If You Are The King of the Jews" Hale Bishop

Offertory Trio His Name Is Wonderful Audrey Mieir

Taylor Cooper, Jonah Martin and Joseph Timmons

*Doxology 95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow OLD 100TH

*Hymn 102 Now Thank We All Our God NUN DANKET

*Benediction

*Postlude Coronation Oliver Holden

*Congregation, please stand.



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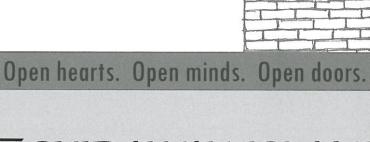
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Worship Service Information

<u>Today is Christ the King Sunday.</u> We observe Christ the King on the last Sunday after Pentecost, which is also the last Sunday of the Christian year and the Sunday before the new year begins with Advent. Traditionally, Christ the King is set aside as a celebration of the coming reign of Jesus Christ and the completion of creation. The liturgical color for the day is white.

<u>The Worship Center</u>, located in the Narthex, contains items that may be of use to you during our worship services. These include hearing devices, large print bulletins and hymnals, and children's worship bags. Please return all items after use.

Attendance on Sunday, November 17th: 8:30 am—82, 10:00 am—289

Lay Participants in Today's Worship:

Ushers: (8:30 am) Walter Fisch, Steve & Margaret Hecht,

Kay Honnold, Peggy Utley

(10:00 am) Ken & Mary Lee Winnert, Emily & Steve Eady,

Emily Manning, Jay & Kara Mehuron

Greeters: (8:30 am) Onnie Duffie (10:00 am) Trudy Rice

Acolytes: (10:00 am) Emma Bliss, Malloy DeLoach

Crucifer: (10:00 am) Duncan Manning Liturgist: (10:00 am) Beth Majeroni

Children's Church: Amanda Wooten, Jenny Garrard

Coffee: Jane Bruno, Nancy Cutting

Nursery: Shantay Jones, Anna Grace Lord, Maxine Mack

Marshes Pick-Up: Kyle Shaw

Christian Education Information

Adult and Youth Education: (Begins at 11:15 am)

- **Encouragers Class:** (Library) This class is studying the book, "Starting Point", by Andy Stanley. All are welcome.
- **Thorne Class:** (Room 111) We invite you to visit this class for Bible study, discussion, and fellowship.
- **Spiritual Growth Class:** (Room 109) This class is studying the book, "Big Church", by Andy Stanley. All are welcome.
- Young Adult LIFE Group: (Parlor) This class, for adults in their 20's to 40's, is discussing the book, "Five Love Languages."
- Youth (6th-12th): Youth group will not be held today. The youth are out of town on a retreat.

Children's Rotation Stations: (Begins at 11:15 am)

Preschool and elementary children will participate in Rotation Stations during the Sunday School hour each week allowing them to learn lessons hands-on. All stations are located upstairs.

Pre-K: Drama **K-2nd:** Art **3rd-5th:** Science

News and Events

Welcome to Our Church—Please take a moment to sign the red attendance registration pads. Also, please join us in Bailey Hall following the 10:00 am worship service for a time of fellowship. Children's Church is offered upstairs for children ages three—3rd grade following the Children's Gathering at 10:00 am. A nursery and quiet room are available during both worship services. If you are visiting with us today, please pick-up a visitor booklet in the lobby.

Altar Flowers—The flowers placed on the altar last Sunday, November 17th were given in honor of the 60th wedding anniversary of Herb and Joan McKenzie. The flowers were also in honor of the 68th wedding anniversary of John and Marge Nelson.

Churchwide Christmas Dinner—Please join us for a Christmas dinner on Wednesday, December 4th at 5:45 pm. The menu will be pork roast with an apple sage sauce, long grain wild rice, haricot verts, green salad, rolls, and dessert. The kid's menu will be pizza bites and fresh fruit. Following dinner, we will sing our favorite Christmas carols. The cost for dinner is \$10 per person. If you are able, bring an unwrapped gift for a child. Reservations are a must by calling or emailing the church, using the sign-up sheets, or through www.siumc.org/wnd.

Navigating the Holidays After Loss—Those who have experienced loss are encouraged to attend a workshop on Thursday, December 5th at 5:00 pm. This workshop will be led by Rev. Holland Morgan, a United Methodist pastor and recently retired grief counselor with Hospice.

Understanding Advent—Pastor Hale will lead a special session on Sunday, December 8th at 11:15 am in the Giddens Chapel where we will discuss the meaning and significance of Advent and the other liturgical seasons of the church year.

Appalachian Winter Cantata—Join us on December 8th at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary for our Christmas cantata. This cantata combines traditional sounds with more rustic elements creating a blend that is fresh and pleasing. Sacred Harp tunes are re-tooled for Advent and stand alongside new versions of Shaker hymns and Appalachian melodies. Thoughtful narration will weave the movements together in a meaningful tapestry of song and Scripture. Nursery will be available.

Ladies Book Club—December's book is the "Same Kind of Different as Me" and is about a modern-day slave, an international art dealer, and the unlikely woman who bound the two together. The book club will meet at the church at 11:00 am on Wednesday, Dec. 11th to carpool to Cohen's Retreat where they will discuss and enjoy lunch.

Cookies, Cocoa and Christmas Crafts—Families are invited to an afternoon of holiday fun on Sunday, December 15th from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm. This will be an opportunity for parents and children to make Christmas crafts and ornaments together, and of course enjoy cocoa and cookies too! There will be crafts for preschool to elementary ages.

Calendar for the Week

Today, Sunday, November 24th

8:30 am & 10:00 am Worship Services—Sanctuary

9:15 am—Chancel Choir Rehearsal—Choir Room

11:00 am—Coffee Hour—Bailey Hall

11:15 am—Sunday School for All Ages—Various Locations

2:00 pm—Ned Almy Memorial Service—Sanctuary

Monday, November 25th

9:15 am—Mat Pilates—Bailey Hall

10:00 am— Evangelism— Library

10:15 am—Sit-Fit—Bailey Hall

4:00 pm—Al-Anon—Library

4:30 pm—Wesley Ringers Handbell Rehearsal—Choir Room

Tuesday, November 26th

11:00 am—Staff Meeting—Pastor's Office

Wednesday, November 27th

Office Closes at Noon

8:00 am—Men's Bible Study—Library

9:15 am—Mat Pilates—Bailey Hall

10:15 am—Sit-Fit—Bailey Hall

Thursday, November 28th

Office Closed—Happy Thanksgiving!

Friday, November 29th

No activities scheduled.

Saturday, November 30rd

No activities scheduled.

Sunday, December 1st

Advent Begins

8:30 am & 10:00 am Worship Services—Sanctuary

9:15 am—Chancel Choir Rehearsal—Choir Room

11:00 am—Coffee Hour—Bailey Hall

11:15 am—Sunday School for All Ages—Various Locations

*AA meets Monday—Saturday at 7:30 am in the Spiritual Growth Room