

**REACH OUT IN CHRIST**  
**CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY**

November 25, 2018

10:00 AM

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Passing the Peace of Christ

\*Introit

\*Call to Worship

Leader: O LORD, remember in David's favor all the hardships he endured;

**People: how he swore to the LORD and vowed to the Mighty One of Jacob,**

Leader: "I will not enter my house or get into my bed; I will not give sleep to my eyes or slumber to my eyelids,

**People: until I find a place for the LORD, a dwelling place for the Mighty One of Jacob."**

\*Hymn "Victory in Jesus" (vss. 1,2) 370

\*Opening Prayer

**Dear Lord, help me say yes to You. Help me balance my time to be most effective and to accomplish Your will more than the will of others. Allow me to forgive easily, hold no grudges or bitterness, and live in the grace You have provided for me. Never let me get so proud or arrogant that I forget I am nothing apart from You. Give me the courage and conviction to face my fears and critics. Grant me wisdom to follow You when it contradicts my desires. Speak into my life with power, O Christ. I pray in Jesus' name. Amen.**

The Children's Moment

Mary Carefoot

Offertory

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology 95

Hymn "O How I Love Jesus" 170

Pastoral Prayer

Choir Anthem "For All of Life" (R. Schram/D. Nolan)

Scripture Lesson John 18:33-40 1318

Sermon "The True Leader" Pastor David

\*Hymn "Lead On, O King Eternal" 580

\*Benediction

Postlude David Matthews

\*Please stand as you are able

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\***Altar Flowers** – The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God.

\***Welcome** – We welcome all who have come to worship today. If you are new here, we would love to support your spiritual journey. We also need your help in ministry! If you are committed to this group of Christ's people, consider making the pledge of membership. *Hearing Assistance Devices* are available. Please ask an usher for help.

\***Circle of Prayer** – *Church:* Bill Russell, Marilyn Tripp, Selma Marlowe, Aida Weldon, Helen Coast and Marianne Myatt. *Neighbors Near and Far:* Nancy Britton, Heather Watts, Carrie D., Linda Saucier, David Lane, Winnifred Corbett, John Phillips, Avram Kent, Helen MacWhinney, Michael Kesti, Devan Whitaker, and Gracie Stalvey.

*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, glory and kingship that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him. Daniel 7:13-14*

<b><u>THIS WEEK</u></b>		
<b>SUN. (11/25)</b>	<b>11:00 am</b>	Decorate the Church for Christmas
<b>MON. (11/26)</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>	Food and Clothes Distribution
<b>TUES. (11/27)</b>	<b>1:00 pm</b>	WPUMW Exec. Board Meeting in Conf. Rm.
<b>WED. (11/28)</b>	<b>10:30 am</b>	Bible Study in Conf. Room
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	Love Feast in Henderson Hall
	<b>5:00 pm</b>	Young Voices
	<b>6:45 pm</b>	Choir Practice
<b>FRI. (11/30)</b>		<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>
<b>SUN. (12/2)</b>		Holy Communion
	<b>8:45 am</b>	Adult Sunday School in Conf. Room
	<b>9:00 am</b>	Soul Café
	<b>10:00 am</b>	Worship Service (kids' church & nursery)
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**\*TIME TO DECORATE** – Today you are invited to stay after worship and help decorate for Christmas. Men, we need you to put up the Christmas trees. Help!

**\*ADVENT SERIES** – During the next 4 Sundays (Advent) plus Christmas Eve our focus in worship will be these 5 gifts of God: *Hope, Peace, Joy, Love and Light*. Do your Advent disciplines and be mindful of these 5 gifts as you pray.

**\*THANKSGIVING DINNER** – Thanks to Jo Babcock and her crew for organizing the “Ingathering” (Thanksgiving Dinner) last Sunday evening. We had 90 people! Thanks to Bruce and Judy, Miriam, and Dwight for the entertainment.

**\*HONOR FLIGHT LETTERS** – Today we continue writing letters to our Veterans who are unable to go on the Honor Flight to Washington, DC. You will find a card in the Narthex that you can write a short letter on. You can place your letter in the “God Box” in the Narthex after the service.

**\*PLEDGE CARDS** – There are pledge cards in the narthex if you would like to make an estimate of giving for 2019.

**\*SAVE THE DATE** – Our Christmas Banquet will be on December 16 at 5:00 pm in Henderson Hall. Plan now to attend!

**\*CHRISTMAS ANGELS** – We have children that need our love and help. Won't you take a name of a boy or girl and help them have a special Christmas? Gifts need to be returned to the church by December 16 unwrapped in a gift bag. You can leave the bag in the nursery along with the child's name. I will be delivering the gifts to Richey School on December 19. For this week only, please see Martie who will have the names as I am out of town. Jean Ann Lewis

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