

Salem Presbyterian Church

Christ the King/Reign of Christ

Sunday, November 24, 2019

Rev. Thomas Emery

Organist: LaDonna Allenbaugh

Flowers are given to the glory of God by Jen & Eric Pugh



Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Welcome & Prayer

*Hymn

The Lily of the Valley

Welsh Hymnal, 113

Call to Worship

15 A Call to Thanksgiving (back of hymnal)

470

Prayer of Confession: We have sinned against both Shepherd and flock, even at times not knowing that we were blocking the work of divine love. **Forgive us for driving others away from God's Kingdom.** We have sinned against both Shepherd and flock, even at times not knowing that we were blocking the work of divine love. **Forgive us for not attending to the needs of others.** We have sinned against both Shepherd and flock, even at times not knowing that we were blocking the work of divine love. **Forgive us for not bringing back to the fold those who are fearful, and have gone missing from community. We pray this together in Jesus' Name. Amen.** *(Please take a moment of silent confession).*

Assurance of Pardon

Response

Glory Be to the Father

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Joys & Concerns of the Church

Prayers of the People

Prayer Response

The Lord's Prayer

Scripture Readings

*Jeremiah 23:1-6

711

Luke 23:33-43

963

Colossians 1:11-20

1072

Special Music

Bells

Time for Children

*Hymn

To God Be the Glory

449

Sermon

"When Christ Rules as King"

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*Apostle's Creed: **I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Offertory: *Ushers will receive God's tithes and our offerings.*

Response

Praise God

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*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn

Cwm Rhondda

Welsh Hymnal, 40

*Taking the Light into the World

*Charge and Benediction

*Congregational Response

Three Fold Amen

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*Those who are able are invited to stand.



Financial Update

Needed Weekly:	\$1,945.26	Needed to Date:	\$89,481.96
Rec'd 11-17-19:	\$1,444.50	Rec'd to Date:	\$99,734.87

Sunday: 11-24-2019
9:30 AM Worship (*nursery with Bob & Kathy McCollow*)
10:45 AM Congregational Meeting to follow service
11:30 AM Sunday School
Confirmation Class / Weds. at 6:30 PM

Tuesday: 11-26-2019 7:00 PM Women's Bible Study

Wednesday: 11-27-2019 7:00 PM Thanksgiving Eve Service

Sunday: 12-1-2019
9:30 AM Worship (*nursery with Bob & Denise Pugh*) Peace Offering
10:30 AM Advent breakfast
11:30 AM Confirmation Class / Weds. at 6:30 PM

Tuesday: 12-3-2019 7:00 PM Women's Bible Study

Sunday: 12-8-2019
9:30 AM Worship (*nursery with Jeff & Kelly Lloyd*) gravy packets due today
10:30 AM Cassy and Emmanuel Yeboah-Mantey reception
11:30 AM Confirmation Class / Weds. at 6:30 PM
12:30 PM Session Meeting
5:00 PM Trustee Meeting

Announcements:

Don't forget the **Prayer Sheet** is on the back table which will be read during our prayer time.

Women's Bible Study Tuesday at 7 PM. All women are invited.

The **Shoebox Project** – Final collection day is today.

If you would like to donate \$5 to decorate the church with **poinsettias**, please give your money to Carla Breese or Lisa Lloyd by **December 1st** or sooner.

The **Christmas Program** is on December 15th. The evening **Christmas Caroling** will start at 4 PM with the **Manse Party** following at 6:30 PM.

Christmas Eve Service is moved from 10 PM to 9 PM on December 24.

Please take photos and contribute recipes, thoughts, and ideas for the December newsletter. Submit them to secretary@saalemchurch.cc.

Upcoming Birthdays:

29th-Kathy McCollow

30th-Mike Breese

Dec 5th-Dave Owens

Upcoming Anniversaries:

28th-Dave & Jean Owens



Jeremiah 23:1-6

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Kyle Baxter (brain cancer)
Barry Coil (stroke)
Kathy Comer
Amy Cunningham (Fibromyalgia)
Cathy Donnal (health issues)
Kent DuCheney (surgery)
Aiden Ellerbrock (injuries from a fall)
Betty Ellis (rapidly failing health)
Catie Emery (nightmares)
Stephanie Gamble (eye issues)
Suzanne Hadley-Himes (cancer)
Bill Harmon (cancer)
Tim Huster (cancer)
Jan Jones (health Issues)
Paula Jones (healing from fall)
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Dale Kiesza (leg operation)
Nancy Lautzenheiser (colon cancer)

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TEACHING POINTS

POINT ONE – *Jesus became flesh and lived out the ideal of God's shepherding of his people.*

POINT TWO – *We are the faithful remnant, and we are called to care for one another.*

POINT THREE – *We need to understand what it is to be a shepherd.*

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ACTION POINT

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