



WELCOME!

WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Our mission is to help people **Come** to know Jesus as Savior, **Grow** in a relationship with Him, and **Live** their lives for Him. God loves you and we pray that during the worship service you will be able to connect with Him through song, scripture, and the message.

Sunday, December 17, 2023

Sermon Series: The Gift

Sermon Title: Gold – Jesus as King

Scripture: Luke 1:26-38, Matthew 2:10-11

Speaker: Pastor Kendall Harger

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NURSERY

AGES: newborn-2 years

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CHILDREN'S CHURCH

AGES: 3 years-2nd grade

Please drop off your child at
Room 114 and sign them in.

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Sermon Notes
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Gold – Jesus as King

Big Idea

Knowing Jesus is priceless.

Luke 1:26-38, Matthew 2:10-11

Luke 1:34

Mary asked the angel, “But how can this happen? I am a virgin.”

Matthew 2:11b

Then they opened their treasure chests and gave him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Gold – Measures Wealth / Gift for a King

Three responses to Jesus as King:

1. Herod opposed Jesus as King
 2. The Jewish people dismissed Jesus as King
 3. The Wise Men bowed and worshiped Jesus as King
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Knowing Jesus is priceless!

Philippians 3:7-9

I once thought these things were valuable, but now I consider them worthless because of what Christ has done. Yes, everything else is worthless when compared with the infinite value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have discarded everything else, counting it all as garbage, so that I could gain Christ and become one with him. I no longer count on my own righteousness through obeying the law; rather, I become righteous through faith in Christ. For God's way of making us right with himself depends on faith.

Sermon Questions

Ice Breaker

What's your favorite Christmas tradition?

Questions

1. Which part of the message was most impactful for you and why?
2. Jesus is a king like no other. What are some things about Jesus' life that were unexpected? What do those things tell you about who He is?
3. We can have three responses to Jesus' kingship: opposition, dismissal, and worship. Have you ever opposed or dismissed Jesus? What led you to eventually worship Him instead?
4. How do you most enjoy worshipping Jesus?
5. What are some ways you can bow down and worship Jesus this Christmas season?
6. Read Philippians 3:7-9. What influences in your life point you to worthless things and steer you away from the priceless treasure of knowing Jesus? (TV shows, music, friends, etc.)
7. How can you share Jesus with your friends and family this Christmas season?