SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE Welcome and Announcements

NOVEMBER 19, 2023 Ruling Elder Will McVey

Call to Worship

1 Corinthians 2:7-10

[W]e impart a secret and hidden wisdom of God, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this, for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory. But, as it is written, "What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him"—these things God has revealed to us through the Spirit.

Invocation and Confession of Sin

Hymn

**Declaration of Truth:** Psalm 22 (selected verses)

Leader: My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

All: Why are you so far from saving me, from the words of my groaning?

Leader: All who see me mock me; ... "He trusts in the LORD; let him deliver him...!"

All: [Y]ou made me trust you at my mother's breasts ... and from my mother's womb you have been my God.

Leader: My strength is dried up ... you lay me in the dust of death.

All: [A] company of evildoers encircles me; they have pierced my hands and feet ... they stare and gloat over me

Leader: ... You have rescued me ... in the midst of the congregation I will praise you...

All: For he has not despised ... the afflicted ... but has heard, when he cried to him.

Leader: All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD

All: For kingship belongs to the LORD, and he rules over the nations.

Leader: [B]efore him shall bow all who go down to the dust, even the one who could not keep himself alive.

All: Posterity shall serve him; it shall be told of the Lord to the coming generation ... that he has done it.

Prayers of the People

Hymn

**Sermon** "The Children Who Found Hidden Treasure"

Luke 18.15-34 Pastor Ben Phillips

Luke: Becoming Certain Of The Story

Hymn

Benediction

## "The Children Who Found Hidden Treasure" Luke 18:15-34

- It's impossible to enter God's kingdom unless we come to Jesus as a child
- It's impossible to enter God's kingdom unless we're enabled to follow the king
- It's impossible to enter the kingdom unless we're enabled to treasure the suffering king





Sunday Evening Worship Service