

Unity Presbyterian Church

Sunday, November 23, 2025

Christ the King Sunday

Lighting of the Candles (quiet please)

Gathering of God's People

Choral Call to Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

L: We gather on this holy day,

P: for we have seen Love crucified and raised.

L: We gather around a font and a table.

P: for we have known Joy through water and bread.

L. We gather around an ancient story,

P. for we have heard Truth in the words of the Scriptures.

L. We gather around the Holy Spirit,

P. who enlivens our hearts for the worship of God.

+Morning Prayer

+Hymn of Praise "The Old Rugged Cross"

+Call to Confession

+Prayer of Confession

God of wonder and might, Forgive us when we put our faith in earthly power instead of in your promises. You call us to work for your reign in this world, "on earth as it is in heaven." Forgive us when we take those words as a platitude instead of a pledge. Forgive us, O Lord. Move us and challenge us to be servants of peace and justice. (Silence) Amen.

+Assurance of Pardon

+ Passing the Peace

Our Life Together

Announcements

Children's Time "Thank Offering for Children's Hope Alliance at Barium Springs"

Anthem

Introduction of Today's Speaker

Service of the Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Ephesians 5:14-17

James 1:22-25

Sermon "Casual Faith Cannot Withstand a Serious Enemy"

Kevin Jones

Responding in Faith

+ Hymn of Adoration

"Dwelling in Beulah Land"

+Affirmation of Faith

+ Apostle's Creed

+ Gloria Patri

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

+The Doxology

+Prayer of Dedication

Sending Out into the World

+ Hymn of Commitment

"He Keeps Me Singing"

+ Benediction

+Choral Benediction

Postlude

+ Please stand as you are able

+ Today we are Live Streaming

We are happy you are worshipping with us this morning. If you would like to know more about us, please ask. We love to share the Unity story. Clip boards in Vestibule.

Please sign the visitor book in the vestibule so we can have a record of your visit.

Calendar of Events

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