

KING JESUS

THE REQUEST FOR A KING

1 Samuel 8:1-22

December 2, 2018 (AM)

Kingly Truth: All people need to request that God rule over them through King Jesus.

I. The _____

- A. Israel desired a human king because of _____ among other nations.
- B. Israel desired a human king because of _____ over other nations.

II. The _____

- A. Israel's request for a human king was a rejection of the heavenly King and His _____ over them.
- B. Israel's request for a human king was a rejection of the heavenly King and His _____ for them.

III. The _____

- A. Israel's rejection of God being king over them would lead to internal _____, widespread _____, and _____ from above.
- B. Israel's rejection of God being king over them would lead to the _____ of King Jesus.

IV. The _____

- A. Israel _____ to change their minds after being warned about awful consequences.
- B. Israel _____ rejecting God being king over them.
- C. All people need to _____ that God rule over them through King Jesus.

V. The _____

- A. Through King Jesus, God _____ away a sinner's guilt, shame, fear, and enslavement to sin.
- B. Through King Jesus, God _____ life abundant and eternal to those who repent and believe.



WORSHIP GATHERING

THE PROMISE OF ETERNITY

"Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"

RESPONSIVE READING

WELCOME AND PRAYER

CHILDREN'S SERMON

"Christmas Worship Medley"

PRAYER & OFFERING

"What A Beautiful Name"

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

DEACON PRAYER

9:00 a.m. - Gerald Lawrence

10:30 a.m. - Gary Clark

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Christmas devotionals** are available today in the sanctuary. Please take 1 devotional per family.
- Everyone is urged to worship tonight at 6:00 p.m. during the **2018 Christmas Night of Worship**.
- Everyone is encouraged to give to the **International Mission Offering** during the month of December. Use the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering envelopes available in the pews.
- To help raise awareness for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, which goes to help international missions, our GA's will be handing out **Moon Pies** after Wednesday night Prayer Meeting/Bible Study in the hallway outside the sanctuary on December 5 and 12. Please consider giving to support international missions!
- The **senior adults** will serve lunch to the homeless at Stewpot in Jackson Monday, December 3 and Tuesday, December 4. Only 10 people can serve each day, so choose which day you would like to serve and sign up at the table near the elevator. The group will leave PPBC at 11:00 a.m. and return about 2:30 p.m. following lunch together at a local restaurant.
- Senior Adult **Domino Game Night** is Thursday, December 7 at 6:30 p.m. in Boatner Hall.
- The **Children's Christmas Program** will be Sunday, December 9 at 6:00 p.m. Kids will need to be in the sanctuary by 4:30 p.m. **Dress rehearsal** will be Friday, December 7 from 5:00-8:30 p.m. Any child with a speaking part needs to be in the sanctuary at 4:00 p.m. if possible. Supper will be provided! We are planning to **video the program** as we have done in years past and making that video available for purchase (\$10). We will be taking orders for these DVDs the night of dress rehearsal.
- The **senior adult fellowship Christmas dinner** is Thursday, December 13 at 6:30 p.m. in Boatner Hall. The program guest will be Dr. Dan Hall. He was the interim pastor at FBC Brandon when a fall left him paralyzed from the neck down. Come hear his remarkable story of God's grace at work in his experience. The menu is Hawaiian chicken, green bean almondine, broccoli/rice casserole, and apple or cherry cobbler. **Reservations are required**, so sign up at the table near the elevator. **Admission:** Bring a paper goods item for the Rankin County Women's Abuse Center (paper towels, toilet paper, plates, napkins, eating utensils, etc.). Helping to meet this ongoing need is one way we can REACH RANKIN with God's love. No other payment at the door.
- All preschoolers and their families are invited to attend **Christmas Cookies with KoKo** Saturday, December 15 from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. in Boatner Hall. Please sign up on the sheet at the Welcome Center by December 12.
- **Christmas Caroling & Chick-fil-A Dinner** is Wednesday, December 19. Enjoy a Chick-fil-A sandwich, potato chips and drink for \$5. Dinner will be from 4:45 p.m. - 5:45 p.m. in Boatner Hall. Church-wide Christmas caroling will follow dinner. Anyone ages 3 and up participating in Christmas caroling should meet in Boatner Hall at 5:45 p.m. Childcare will be provided for children ages 2 and under. (Prayer meeting will still be held at 6:00 p.m. for those not caroling.) If you are interested in participating in either of these events, please sign up on the sheet on the counter in the Welcome Center no later than Sunday, December 16. Only those who sign the list in the hallway are guaranteed dinner that night.