

The King Is Coming: The King Who Confounds the Rulers of the World

Matthew 2:13-18

1. To prepare our hearts for the King, we should discern that the same God who has delivered His people in the past continues to deliver them today (Matthew 2:13-15)
2. To prepare our hearts for the King, we should grieve that the rulers of the world through their evil inflict acute suffering and even death upon people (Matthew 2:16-18)

The Proclaimer



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December 17, 2023

Announcements

Churchwide Christmas Caroling

Come join with us as we sing Christmas carols to shut-ins. Plan to meet in the Parsonage parking lot at 4:00 pm today, December 17th.

Evang-a-caroling

Do you enjoy singing and want to experience the joy of giving the gift of Christ this Christmas? Come join us tonight, December 17 at 4:00 pm! The Harvesters will be caroling to the neighborhood adjacent to the church. We will have a small celebration with hot chocolate and cookies after. If you have questions or would like to sign up, call Phillip Moore (434-664-8021) or John McSweeney (301-717-2797).

Birthday Party for Jesus

During the 11:00 service today December 17th, the Children's and Kid's Church will celebrate Jesus' birthday with a party! There will be singing, a devotional about the gift of Jesus' birth, games, and food.

Children's Ministry Gingerbread Bash

Tonight, Sunday, December 17th, at 6:00 pm, there will be a fun night for the whole family, as you build a gingerbread nativity while celebrating the birth of Jesus and you get to take it home! During the night, you will hear the Christmas story from the Bible, sing songs, play games, and discover the good news of Jesus through candy canes. We will also have cookies, hot chocolate, and a festive backdrop for family photos. Come join us!

Christmas Eve Morning Service

To give families time to spend with one another during the Christmas holiday, and to celebrate Jesus' birth, there will only be one church service on Sunday, December 24th. This will take place in the Ministry Center at 11:00 am. Sunday School will be decided on a class-by-class basis. The church Nursery (infants - 4-year-olds) will only be provided during the 11:00 am Worship Service.

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Two 45-minute candlelight services, featuring singing and a devotional to focus on the birth of our Savior, will take place on Sunday, December 24th. Please join us at 4:30 pm in the Sanctuary or at 6:00 pm in the Ministry Center.

Lottie Moon Christmas Offering

Goal \$30,000

Year To Date \$15,996.43

This Week At Liberty

Sunday, December 17

- 8:30 am Early Morning Kids Church
- 8:30 am Early Sunday School
- 9:00 am Hispanic Worship Service
- 9:30 am Early Worship Service - Sanctuary
- 10:00 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship Service - Ministry Center
- 11:00 am LBC Kids/Children's - Birthday Party for Jesus
- 4:00 pm Churchwide Christmas Caroling
- 6:00 pm Gingerbread Bash - Ministry Center

Tuesday, December 19

- 6:30 pm Trail Life - Ministry Center
- 7:00 pm Focus Prayer Group - Fidelis Room

Wednesday, December 20

- 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting - Fidelis Room
- 6:30 pm Women's Prayer Meeting - Room 202
- 6:30 pm Youth Wednesday Night - Ministry Center

Thursday, December 21

- 6:30 pm Men's Hope Group - Parsonage
- 6:30 pm Women's Hope Group - Room 209

Saturday, December 23

- 7:00 am Gideon's Weekly Prayer Meeting - Room 210

New at Liberty?

Use your phone to scan the QR code below to fill out a visitor card.



Vital Signs

December 10

Sunday School.....295
 Worship443

Online Giving

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