

SERMON NOTES

Date: _____

Songs we sang:





Scripture Reading: _____

Sermon Title: _____

Sermon Text: _____

List all Scripture references mentioned:

Write some sentences about the sermon:



26th SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE



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NOVEMBER 18, 2018

THERE SHALL BE SHOWERS OF BLESSING

Words: Daniel W. Whittle, 1840-1901
Tune: James McGranahan, 1840-1907

1. There shall be showers of blessing;
This is the promise of love;
There shall be seasons refreshing,
Sent from the Savior above.
2. There shall be showers of blessing,
Precious reviving again;
Over the hills and the valleys,
Sound of abundance of rain.
3. There shall be showers of blessing;
Send them upon us, O Lord;
Grant to us now a refreshing,
Come, and now honor Thy Word.
4. There shall be showers of blessing:
Oh, that today they might fall,
Now as to God we're confessing,
Now as on Jesus we call!

Refrain:

Showers of blessing,
Showers of blessing we need:
Mercy-drops round us are falling,
But for the showers we plead.

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Matt. 19:1-14

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FEMALE CREATOR
GIVEN CROWDS
HANDS FINISHED
HARD GALILEE
HEAVEN HEALED
HINDER HEARTS
JESUS JORDAN
JOINED KINGDOM
JUDEA LAWFUL
LARGE LONGER
LEAVE MOTHER
LITTLE REASON
MOSES REGION
PRAY UNITED
WIFE WOMAN

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**26TH SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE
MORNING WORSHIP - ORDER OF SERVICE
11:00 A.M.**

- **Mass and Men’s Choir:** Please be reminded of your monthly choir dues of \$10.00 per month. Also be reminded that Mass Choir rehearsal is every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. unless notified otherwise.
- **The YPD and Christian Education** will be collecting canned goods and perishables for a Thanksgiving Basket to be given away until November 18. We will also be collecting toiletries (travel size), toothbrushes, deodorant, toothpaste, lotion, body wash, combs, tissues, etc., for the Homeless for our Christmas Outreach Blessing Bags. Boxes will be set up in the back of Church for your donations. Thank you for all your help with these projects.
- **St. Paul’s CD/DVD Ministry to the Sick and Shut-in:** If you desire a CD or a DVD of the worship services, please see Bro. Ellis Collins.
- **Need a ride to Church School or Church, please call Sis. Tanya Clark by Saturday at 361-1426.**
- Anyone interested in working with and learning about the DVD/CD ministry, please see Bro. Ellis Collins.



Our Known Sick and Shut-Ins

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| Charles Brown, Jr. | Renee Scott-Smith |
| Roslyn Collins | Jessie Searce |
| Phyllis Dockies | Judy Sears |
| Rita Kirtley | Russell Thornton |

Our Known Community Sick and Shut-Ins

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| Armenta Chase | Mildred Jones | Odes Nash |
| Lewis Givens | Richard Kirtley, Jr. | Rev. James E. Smith |
| Rev. Frederick Hale | Betty Moseley | Frances Walker |
| Corliss Howard | Barbara Nash | Anna Williams |
| | | James Winkfield |

Please remember the sick and shut-ins in your prayers. Send them a card, call, visit and let them know you care.



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| Robert Greenlee | November 5 |
| Lisabathe Caise | November 7 |
| Mother Golphin | November 10 |
| Karigan Smith | November 29 |

- THE PRELUDE
- ANNOUNCEMENTS
- PROCESSIONAL.....MINISTERS/ CHOIR
- PRAYER OF CONCENTRATION.....PASTOR HALE
- DOXOLOGY.....Praise God from whom all blessing flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

- THE CALL TO WORSHIP, pg. 11
 - L: I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand within thy gates, O Jerusalem. (Ps. 122: 1-2)
 - P: For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. (Ps. 84:10)
 - L: Because of the house of the Lord our God, I will seek they good. (Ps. 112:9)
 - P: Those that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God. (Ps. 92:13)
 - L: Blessed are they that dwell in thy house. Lord, I have loved thy habitation, the place where thy honor dwelleth. (Ps. 28:8)
 - P: For the Lord is in His holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before Him. (Hab. 2:20)
 - L: Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer. (Ps. 19:14)
 - P: O sing unto the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things. Make a joyful noise unto the Lord, all the earth, and sing praises. (Ps. 19: 1&4)

- THE MORNING HYMN #216....."THERE SHALL BE SHOWERS OF BLESSING"
- THE PRAYER
- THE PRAYER RESPONSE....."HE IS LORD"
He is Lord. He is Lord. He has risen from the dead and He is Lord. Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

- THE SCRIPTURE.....MARK 13: 1-8 (NIV)
(1 Samuel 1:4-20; Hebrews 10: 11-14, (15-18), 19-25; Mark 13:1-8)
- ¹ As Jesus was leaving the temple, one of his disciples said to him, "Look, Teacher! What massive stones! What magnificent buildings!" ² "Do you see all these great buildings?" replied Jesus. "Not one stone here will be left on another; everyone will be thrown down."
- ³ As Jesus was sitting on the Mount of Olives opposite the temple, Peter, James, John and Andrew asked him privately, ⁴ "Tell us, when will these things happen? And what will be the sign that they are all about to be fulfilled?" ⁵ Jesus said to them: "Watch out that no one deceives you. ⁶ Many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and will deceive many. ⁷ When you hear of wars and rumors of wars, do not be alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come. ⁸ Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against

kingdom. There will be earthquakes in various places, and famines. These are the beginning of birth pains.

THE PREFACE.....”From all that dwell below the skies;
Let the Creator’s praise arise;
Let the Redeemer’s name be sung,
Through every land, by every tongue.”

SUMMARY OF THE DECALOGUE
And He said to them, you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it. You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

THE GLORIA PATRI.....Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.”

SELECTION

MISSIONARY/TITHES/OFFERING.....FINANCE COMMITTEE
All things come of thee O Lord, and of thine own, have we given thee. Amen.

CHILDREN’S MOMENTPASTOR HALE

SERMONIC SELECTION

SERMONPASTOR HALE

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIPPASTOR HALE/CHOIR

ALTAR CALLPASTOR HALE

WELCOME

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH.....THE APOSTLE’S CREED
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried. The third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the church universal, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.

DOXOLOGY.....BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **The Scriptures for next week: 2 Samuel 23:1-7; Psalm 132: 1-12; Revelation 1:4b-8; John 18:33-37**
- **Monday, November 12, 6:00 p.m., Official Board meeting in the Annex.**
- **Wednesday, November 21, 11:00 a.m., Pastor’s Bible Study is taking a Holiday Break and will resume Wednesday, January 9, 2019**
- **Monday, November 19, 6:00 p.m., Meeting to set the 2019 Church Calendar and Special Days.** Concerning the Calendar Meeting for tomorrow, if you plan to attend, see Pastor Hale for a “Tentative” Calendar so that you can review it before the meeting and be prepared to discuss it

and make any necessary corrections or changes. Any questions or concerns, please see Pastor Hale..

- **Thursday, November 22, 6:30 a.m., Joint Thanksgiving Worship with Simpson United Methodist Church here at St. Paul. Breakfast will follow the worship service.**
- **Sunday, November 25, Christ the King Sunday!** The end of the Christian Calendar, a holy day to celebrate CHRIST as LORD!!!
- **Monday, November 26, 6:00 p.m., First Quarterly Conference with Presiding Elder Kenneth Golphin.** All officers and members are asked to be present.
- **New Members Class: Every Sunday in December (beginning Sunday, December 2), from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the Annex.** For those who are new members or have not yet been “read” into membership. Also for those who just want a Membership REFRESHER. For those who need the classes, you will need to attend ALL of them, so please plan accordingly. For more information, please see Pastor Hale.
- **Sunday, December 2, First Sunday of Advent!** The Christian Calendar begins again and Advent is the season of Preparation ... we’re preparing for the Second Coming of Christ! As we prepare for Christmas, we remember that the promised Messiah was born to save the human race, and we prepare our hearts for his return...he shall come again!!!
- **The following Organizations and Ministeries have scheduled with the Pastor to “organize” for the New Year. We will meet in the Annex following Worship:**
 - **Sunday, November 18, Christian Education**
 - **Sunday, December 2, Church School at 10:30 a.m.**
 - **Sunday, December 2, Mass Choir/Music Ministry**
 - **Sunday, December 9, Usher Board**
 - **Sunday, December 16, Women’s Missionary Society**
 - **Sunday, December 30, Stewardess**

If your organization or ministry is not listed, please let the Pastor know. Thank you!!

- **Sunday, December 23, 11:00 a.m., Christmas Celebration.**
- **Sunday, December 30, 11:00 a.m., Love Feast (NO, we’re not serving dinner).** The Love Feast is an old service to bring healing and unity in our relationships before entering the new year. Bread (which is not eaten) and water are shared as symbols of friendship and unity, with each other and with God. There is a time of testimonials and thanks, and we’re reminded of the three rules to live by (the General Rules).
- **Sunday, January 6, 11:00 a.m., The Covenant Renewal Service.** January 6 is Epiphany on the Christian Calendar, the celebration of the Visitation of the Magi to the Child Jesus, bearing the three gifts of Gold, Frankincense, and Myrrh. This is also the First Sunday of the New Year, and we’re going to use an old liturgy that originated with John Wesley, the Covenant Renewal Service, to rededicate ourselves, and renew our relationship and commitment to God.
- Please be reminded that the taxation/donation for Church Anniversary of **\$170.00** is payable throughout the year and should be earmarked on your offering envelope as **CA170**.
- Conference Claims per **member per month is \$15.00**. Please pay monthly to help meet our Conference assessments. The balance of our Annual Conference assessment is due, if you have not paid conference claims, please do so as soon as possible. The total for the year is **\$180**.
- **The Seed Sowers Project** is an ongoing project for the building fund of the church. Sow a seed and watch it grow. Mark on your envelope as “Seed”. For more information contact Sis. Geraldine Brown.