



NOVEMBER 26, 2023

The Memorial Baptist Church

REIGN OF CHRIST



The Church In Worship

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY		Three Bells
WELCOME AND FRAMING OF WORSHIP		Brad Smith
PRELUDE	<i>O Worship the King</i> arr. Mark Hayes	Fran Wilson

INVOCATION LITANY		Andy Roby and Congregation
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We give you thanks, O God, for revealing your love in creation:
we bless your holy name.
For human beings made in your image and called to live in your communion,
we bless your holy name.
For the promise of your reign in justice and peace, in holiness and charity,
we bless your holy name.
For the revelation of your kingdom in our midst through your Son, Jesus Christ,
we bless your holy name.
For his humble birth and his holy life, for his words and his miracles,
we bless your holy name.
For his sufferings and his death, for his resurrection and his entry into glory,
we bless your holy name.
For your church, called to be a place of communion for every human being,
we bless your holy name.
For the coming of your kingdom within us by the gift of the Holy Spirit,
we bless your holy name.
By the coming of your kingdom at the end of time, when you will be all in all,
we bless your holy name.

† HYMN OF PRAISE 307	<i>All Creatures of Our God and King</i>	LASST UNS ERFREUEN
	<i>During the last stanza of the Hymn of Praise, all children are invited to meet Mrs. Jane Morris at the front of the Sanctuary for the Children's Moment in Worship.</i>	

CHILDREN'S MOMENT IN WORSHIP		Jane Morris with TMBC Children
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† HYMN 158	<i>Jesus Shall Reign</i>	DUKE STREET
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WE SERVE AND GIVE WITH GENEROUS HEARTS

PRAYER OF DEDICATION		Tammy Ivey, Deacon
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CHORAL OFFERTORY	<i>All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name</i> arr. Ovid Young	Chancel Choir
	<i>During the Offertory, all preschoolers through five years old (including K) are invited to move to Extended Session in the Children's Wing.</i>	
	<i>Meet Mrs. Marcia Pleasants and Mrs. Ann Bryant at the front of the Sanctuary, piano side.</i>	

† DOXOLOGY 706

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WE ARE FORMED BY GOD’S WORD AND SPIRIT

READING OF HOLY SCRIPTURE

Matthew 25:31-46

Brad Smith

GOD’S WORD PROCLAIMED

BECAUSE YOU SAW ME

Brad Smith

WE RESPOND TO GOD’S CALL

†HYMN OF RESPONSE 215

Rejoice, the Lord is King

DARWALL

If you desire membership in this congregation, you are invited to move forward to be received by the Pastor during the singing of the Hymn of Response. If you have been baptized as a follower of Jesus, we will receive you based on your previous baptism. If you have not made a confession of faith, we invite you to do so and to present yourself for Christian baptism. Church members are invited to use this time to reflect upon their covenantal relationship with God and their commitment to Christian service.

The altar is open to all who wish to pray.

WE GO FORTH AS SERVANTS OF CHRIST

† BENEDICTION

Brad Smith

† POSTLUDE

Postlude on JOYFUL SONG

Sandro Silva

by arr. Mary McDonald

† All who are able, please stand.

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Please note that the nursery is available during today’s Morning Worship service for infants and children up to 3 years of age.

Serving in Worship Today:
Mrs. Jane Morris—Children’s Moment
Mrs. Tammy Ivey—Deacon
Mrs. Marcia Pleasants and Mrs. Ann Bryant—Extended Session
Mr. James Johnson, Mrs. Trish Johnson, and Mr. Robbie Taylor—Media Ministry Team

Today is Reign of Christ Sunday, also known as Christ the King Sunday. It is the last Sunday of the Christian year, and declares that Jesus is Lord of all people, all of time, and all of the world. The pulpit and table **paraments are white**, representing Christ’s triumph over sin and death.

The season of Advent, which begins next Sunday marks the beginning of a new Christian year.
Join us for Sunday School at 9:45 and Worship at 10:55 each Sunday!

December 3—First Sunday in Advent—Hanging of the Green

COMING UP

Sunday, November 26

9:45 am Sunday School
10:55 am Morning Worship—
Poinsettia Orders Due
5:45 pm Chancel Handbells

Tuesday, November 28

11:30 am Senior Adult/Retiree Lunch

Wednesday, November 29

6:00 pm Growing in Grace
Dress Rehearsal
7:00 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, November 30

Angel Shop Items Due

Sunday, December 3

First Sunday in Advent

9:45 am Sunday School
10:55 am Morning Worship—
Hanging of the Green
5:00 pm Youth Worship Arts
5:45 pm Chancel Handbells
6:00 pm Youth Angel Tree Shopping
7:00 pm *O Holy Light* at Cypress Glen

POINSETTIA ORDERS

Poinsettia orders are due to
the church office, with
payment, no later than Sunday,
November 26

First Time?

Please fill out
our electronic
Guest Form
by scanning
the QR code below.



O HOLY LIGHT

A CANTATA FOR CHRISTMAS

by Mary McDonald

Chancel Choir with Orchestra

Sunday, Dec. 10
10:55 AM
Sanctuary



Please return Angel
Shop items,
unwrapped, to the
church by
November 30.
Volunteer sign-up
sheets are posted by
the Angel Tree.



December 3—Hanging of the Green



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