South Kinloss Presbyterian Church Sunday, November 24, 2024

- + Musical Prelude
- + Welcome and Announcements
- + Responsive Call to Worship

Say among the nations, The God reigns.

Let the heavens be glad and the earth rejoice!

The Lord is coming to judge the earth.

God will judge the world with righteousness and truth.

So let us worship God with praise and honour.

We will offer God our gratitude for all that God has done.

- + Opening Hymn #275 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun
- + Prayers of Approach and Lord's Prayer

All honour and blessing be yours, Holy One, Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Lord Jesus Christ; we pray for the coming of your kingdom week by week, but we confess we're not really clear on what that means. Will you come to set things straight in the world? Will you bring all things to an end or offer us a new beginning? Jesus; forgive us when we mix up our own desires with your purposes for your people. Teach us how to live out your truth as we pray the words Jesus taught us to pray, Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

- + Assurance of Pardon
- + Musical Ministry
- + **Hymn #377** Come, children, join to sing
- + Family Focus
- + Prayer for Illumination
- + Scriptures

Responsive Psalm 93

The Lord reigns, he is robed in majesty; the Lord is robed in majesty and armed with strength;

Indeed, the world is established, firm and secure. Your throne was established long ago; you are from all eternity.

The seas have lifted up, Lord, the seas have lifted up their voice;

The seas have lifted up their pounding waves. Mightier than the thunder of the great waters, mightier than the breakers of the sea—

The Lord on high is mighty.

Your statutes, Lord, stand firm; holiness adorns your house for endless days.

John 18:33-37

Pilate then went back inside the palace, summoned Jesus and asked him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" "Is that your own idea," Jesus asked, "or did others talk to you about me?" "Am I a Jew?" Pilate replied. "Your own people and chief priests handed you over to me. What is it you have done?" Jesus said, "My kingdom is not of this world. If it

were, my servants would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jewish leaders. But now my kingdom is from another place." "You are a king, then!" said Pilate.

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

- + Sermon: The Better Choice
- + Hymn #293 Come, thou almighty King
- + Mission Moment
- + Invitation to the Offering
- + Doxology #79

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

- + Prayer of Dedication
- + Prayers of the People
- + Closing Hymn #267 Rejoice, the Lord is King! (verses 1, 2, 3, & 5)
- + Benediction
- + Benediction Song
- + Musical Postlude

Announcements

- 1. Welcome to everyone worshiping here today on this Reign of Christ Sunday.
- 2. Please remain for refreshments following the service.
- 3. Today is Food Bank Sunday (The last Sunday of each Month).
- 4. Today, we will be receiving and dedicating White Gifts.
- 5. Elder Nominations Update (our goal is 4 new or returning elders).
- 6. Board of Managers Ham and Scalloped Potato Fundraiser Update.
- 7. <u>December 1st</u> Advent begins and we will celebrate Holy Communion and Sunday school 'loose change' collections for SCAW Bed Kits
- 8. <u>December 1, 2024, at 1:00 pm.</u> Camp Kintail Christmas Dinner for South Kinloss and Lucknow
- 9. <u>Wed., Dec. 4 at 7:15pm</u> CAROLFEST at Lucknow United Church.
- 10. <u>Sunday December 15 at 9:30am.</u> SK Sunday School Christmas Concert
- 11. <u>Tuesday December 24 at 7:00pm.</u> Christmas Eve Joint Service at South Kinloss PC
- **12.** <u>Sunday, December 29 at 10:00am.</u> Final 2024 Sunday combined Service at Lucknow PC